

exceed the assessment of the same for county purposes, and they may levy a tax thereon not exceeding thirty cents on the one hundred dollars worth of assessable property.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 6, 1908.

### CHAPTER 113.

AN ACT to add four new sections to article 16 of the Code of Public Local Laws, title "Montgomery County," sub-title "Roads," to follow after section 177A and to be numbered 177B, 177C, 177D and 177E, providing for the keeping of assessment books of Montgomery county by election districts, the method of making and keeping contracts with road supervisors for a special road improvement tax by election districts, and for the issue of special road improvement bonds of said county, under certain conditions, the proceeds of such bonds to be used in acquiring and improving certain roads and toll pikes in said county.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the following four new sections be added to article 16 of the Code of Public Local Laws, title "Montgomery County," sub-title "Roads," to follow after section 177A and to be numbered 177B, 177C, 177D and 177E.

177B. The County Commissioners are authorized and directed to cause to be prepared an assessment book for each election district, showing the assessable property therein; provided, that where improved property lies partly in two or more election districts the same shall appear in the assessment book of the election district in which the improvements or most valuable part of the improvements are located, and where unimproved property lies in two or more election districts, the same shall appear in the assessment book of the election district in which the greater part of the property is situated.

177C. All contracts or agreements for the appointment or employment of road supervisors by the County Commissioners shall be made in writing, in duplicate, upon uniform blanks provided for the purpose, and shall show as nearly as may be the mileage of each piece of road covered by such contract or employment, the character of the work to be done upon such road and the total price to be charged; the distance to be repaired with stone, if any, the character of such stone work and the contract price of same, and the name of the election dis-