CHAPTER 2.

AN ACT placing at the disposal of the Board of Public Works of this State, Hon. Jesse D. Price, chairman of the Finance Committee of the Senate of Maryland, and the Hon. Carville D. Benson, chairman of the Ways and Means Committee of the House of Delegates of Maryland, the sum of twenty thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the relief of cases of destitution and need caused by the flood at Port Deposit, Cecil County, of January 23, 1910.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland. That the sum of twenty thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby placed as a contingent fund at the disposal of the Board of Public Works of the State, the Hon. Jesse D. Price, chairman of the Finance Committee of the Senate, and the Hon. Carville D. Benson. chairman of the Ways and Means Committee of the House of Delegates, to be expended by them to such an extent as they may deem necessary, to relieve cases of destitution and need caused by the flood in Port Deposit, Cecil County, of January 23, 1910. And the Board of Public Works and the chairmen of the two committees above named, in expending the said money for the purpose aforesaid, shall employ such persons or agencies as they may think best for successfully relieving those in need. And the Comptroller of the State is hereby authorized from time to time to draw his warrants upon the Treasurer of the State to the order of such persons and in such amounts as the Board of Public Works and the chairmen of the two committees above named shall direct, the amounts of said warrants not to exceed in the aggregate the sum of twenty thousand dollars.

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

Approved January 28, 1910.

CHAPTER 17.

AN ACT to provide for the retirement of Daniel Girard Wright, one of the Judges of the Supreme Bench of Baltimore, Maryland, and Charles F. Holland, one of the Associate Judges of the First Judicial Circuit of Maryland, they having become unable to discharge their duties with efficiency by reason of continued sickness.

Whereas, Daniel Girard Wright has been a member of the Supreme Bench of Baltimore City since the sixth day of November, 1888, and has served in that capacity with distinguished ability up to the present time, and now, while within