

CHAP. 16. taxation upon the assessable property of said county, in the same manner that other taxes are levied and collected, which sums, when so collected, shall also be paid over to the said Treasurer; *provided*, there shall not be levied, or collected in any one year, more than twenty-four cents, in every hundred dollars; but a special tax may be imposed upon any school district, if a majority of the tax payers in said school district shall so petition the County Commissioners.

Proviso.

CHAPTER 16.

Passed May 10, 1861. AN ACT to authorize the County Commissioners for Frederick County to build a new Court House for Frederick County, to borrow money on the credit of the county, to issue Bonds for the payment of the same, and to levy taxes on the assessable property of the county to redeem said Bonds at maturity, and to pay the interest thereon.

Authority to build a new Court House. SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the County Commissioners for Frederick County, be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to build a new Court House in Frederick city, for Frederick county, and to borrow from time to time for that purpose upon the credit of the county, such sum or sums of money as may be required, not exceeding in the whole, the sum of forty thousand dollars.

Authority to issue bonds. SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the said County Commissioners be and they are hereby authorized to issue bonds in sums of not less than one hundred dollars, nor more than one thousand dollars, to be signed by the President of the Board of said County Commissioners, and countersigned by the Clerk of said Board, not exceeding forty thousand dollars, said bonds to bear interest, payable semi-annually on the first day of January and July