

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That this Act shall take effect from June 1st, 1916.

Approved April 4th, 1916.

CHAPTER 181.

AN ACT to authorize, direct and empower the County Commissioners of Cecil County to create a bonded debt and borrow money for the purpose of reconstructing or rebuilding, furnishing and equipping the Cecil County Court House and public offices and providing proper sewerage for the same and acquiring real estate, if necessary, for the above purposes.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the County Commissioners of Cecil County be, and they are hereby authorized, empowered, directed and required to reconstruct or rebuild, as in the judgment of a majority of the Commission hereinafter named may seem best, on its present site, the Court House in the town of Elkton, Cecil County aforesaid, in such a manner that the reconstructed or rebuilt Court House shall contain suitable rooms for the Circuit Court for said County, fire proof offices in which to keep the public records of said Court and land records, also proper rooms and offices for the Register of Wills, Orphans' Court, County Commissioners, County Treasurer, School Commissioners of said County, sufficient jury, witness and other necessary rooms therein and to tear down and remove all or so much of the present Court House as may be necessary for said reconstruction or rebuilding and to furnish the reconstructed or rebuilt building with proper furniture and filing cases and to drain said Court House and the land on which it shall be erected and provide suitable outlets for the sewage therefrom; to make the necessary excavations and lay sewers and pipes in and across the public streets of said town and under and across such other lands as may be necessary for that purpose, and the said Commissioners are hereby authorized, directed and required to acquire either by purchase or condemnation proceedings such additional land together with the buildings thereon for the above purposes or any of them as the Commission hereinafter named may deem necessary and shall request in writing said County Commissioners to acquire; and if the