building sewers or drains and disposal plants or for the purpose of constructing and operating a general sewerage and drainage system for said city or for the purpose of carrying out or exercising any of the powers and privileges granted said Mayor and City Council by law, and if the said Mayor and City Council cannot agree with said owner or owners or if said owner or owners, or any of them be absent from the State or unknown or without legal capacity to contract, by reason of infancy, coverture, insanity or otherwise, it shall be lawful for the said Mayor and City Council to secure by condemnation any such land, real or leasehold estate, improved or unimproved, right of way, easement, water right or water course which they may deem necessary for the purpose of building or operating any sewer or sewers, or drain or drains, and disposal plants or for a general sewerage or drainage system, or for any of the public purposes for which said Mayor and City Council are granted powers by law, in the same manner and by the same proceedings as are now provided for in condemnation by corporations under Article 23, Sections 399, etc., of the Code of Public General Laws of the State of Maryland.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this is an emergency Act necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety, and being passed upon a yea and nay vote, supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to each branch of the General Assembly, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 9, 1924.

## CHAPTER 89.

An Act to add one new section to Article 1 of the Public Local Laws of the State of Maryland, title "Allegany County," sub-title "Jurors," said new section to be known as Section 178D.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That a new section be and the same is hereby added to Article 1 of the Code of Public Local Laws, title "Allegany County," sub-title "Jurors," said new section to be known as Section 178D and to read as follows:

178D. All Jurors summoned to attend upon the Circuit Court for Allegany County shall receive as compensation the sum of four (\$4.00) dollars per day together with an amount equal to fifteen (\$0.15) cents per mile for the distance from