

WHEREAS, The business of the Circuit Courts of said Counties, constituting the Fourth Judicial Circuit, has greatly increased and is constantly increasing by reason of the rapid growth of the population and wealth of said Counties, and the amount paid to said judges by the State is deemed to be inadequate for their services, and the increase herein provided for can be paid by a levy of a tax of less than three mills on \$100 of assessable property;

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the County Commissioners of Allegany, Washington and Garrett Counties be and they are hereby respectively authorized and directed to pay each of the two Associate Judges of the Circuit Courts of said counties, \$825.00, \$750.00 and \$175.00 respectively annually from and after June 1, 1924, in equal monthly instalments, and the said County Commissioners respectively are hereby authorized and directed to levy upon the assessable property of the said counties for court purposes a tax sufficient to pay said amounts.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect on and after the first day of June, 1924.

Approved April 9, 1924.

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#### CHAPTER 154.

AN ACT to incorporate the Town of Edmonston, in Prince George's County, Maryland, and to provide for the submission of this question to the qualified voters of said town for their adoption or rejection.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the citizens of the Town of Edmonston are a body corporate, by the name of the Mayor and Town Council of Edmonston, and by that name may have perpetual succession, sue and be sued, have and use a common seal, and may purchase and hold real estate, or dispose of the same for the benefit of said town.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the boundaries of the said town shall be as follows: Beginning where the Shepard Branch of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad intersects the Eastern Branch of the Potomac River, said point being in the corporation line of the Town of Hyattsville, then running with the Hyattsville Corporation boundary line northerly to