CHAPTER 309.

AN ACT to authorize the County Commissioners of Queen Anne's County to increase the pension of Percy Towers.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the County Commissioners of Queen Anne's County be and they are hereby authorized to increase the pension of Percy Towers from Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) to One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) per year.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1929.

Approved April 11, 1929.

CHAPTER 310.

AN ACT to empower the Board of Public Works to obtain options, and to enter into negotiations relating to recommendations by the Board of Regents of the University of Maryland and the Maryland Commission on Higher Education.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and empowered, with the approval of the Board of Regents of the University of Maryland and the Maryland Commission on Higher Education, to obtain options for the future purchase by the State of parcels of land, and improvements thereon, which may be deemed necessary in order to carry out such plans as may be recommended by the Board of Regents of the University of Maryland and the Maryland Commission on Higher Education for increased hospital facilities for the University of Maryland, in the event that such plans are approved by the General Assembly of 1931 or thereafter.

The Board of Public Works is also authorized and empowered to enter into negotiations and make such arrangements as may be deemed necessary and expedient to enable such recommendations as may be made by the University of Maryland and the Maryland Commission on Higher Education, if approved by the General Assembly of 1931, or thereafter, to be com-