serving unto itself the right to reject any and all bids. Said bids, together with such certified checks as may be required, shall be filed with the City Clerk, and at the time and place advertised, shall be opened by him in the presence of the Mayor and City Council, and if said bids be satisfactory to the Mayor and City Council, it shall sell said bonds, or any part thereof, to the highest bidder or bidders therefor, of whose ability to comply with the terms of sale the said Mayor and City Council, in its discretion, is satisfied. In the event that said bonds be sold, the proceeds thereof shall be placed in a separate fund and shall be used for the purpose of paying expenses in connection with public work provided for relief purposes to persons within the City of Cumberland, and if there be a surplus of money remaining after accomplishing the purpose of this Act, such surplus shall be deposited with the sinking fund trustees and shall be used as part of the sinking fund to retire said bonds at maturity.

Sec. 4. And be it further enacted, That this Act is hereby declared to be an emergency law and necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety, and having been passed by yea and nay vote, supported by three-fifths (3/5) of all the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved March 29, 1939.

CHAPTER 25.

(House Bill 32)

AN ACT to add one new section to Article 12 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Garrett County", sub-title "Election Districts", to be known as Section 171A, providing for the compensation of Judges and Clerks of Election and of Registration Officers in Garrett County, and fixing the hours which constitute a day for election and registration purposes and providing compensation for overtime work of Election Officers in Garrett County.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That a new section be and it is hereby added to Article 12 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Garrett County", sub-title "Election Districts", said new section to be known as Section 171A, to follow immediately after Section 171 of said Article and to read as follows: