

creased by not exceeding fifteen dollars per month, during the period of two years from June 1, 1945, provided that this increase shall be paid only to the extent that there are available funds in the Police Department Surplus Account No. 280-A-3. Provided further, that in event there are not sufficient funds in said Surplus Account to pay both the increase of salary for present members of the Police Force and the increased pension for said retired former members then both shall share the available funds proportionately.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1945.

Approved May 4, 1945.

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## CHAPTER 1031.

(House Bill 570)

AN ACT to add a new section to Article 12 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Garrett County", sub-title "County Commissioners", to be known as Section 84A and to follow immediately after Section 84 of said Article, relating to the duties of the County Commissioners of Garrett County as a Road Board, and providing for salary and reimbursement for personal expense of road administration.

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 (1930 Edition), title "Garrett County", sub-title "County Commissioners", said new section to be known as Section 84A, to follow immediately after Section 84 of said Article, and to read as follows:

84A. The County Commissioners of Garrett County are authorized and empowered to control and regulate the public roads and bridges in said County, subject to the provisions of Article 89B of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Edition); they shall sit as a Road Board once in each month, and oftener if deemed by them necessary to the public interest, for the consideration and determination of matters relating to county roads and bridges; and at such meetings each County Commissioner shall inform the Board of conditions affecting roads and bridges in said county, so far as the same have come to his knowledge. It shall be the duty of the County Commissioners to make careful inspection of the roads and road