SEC. 7. And be it further enacted, That the County Commissioners of the several counties of the State and the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore are hereby respectively directed to levy the State taxes for the years 1950 and 1951 at Three Cents (3ϕ) on each One Hundred Dollars (\$100) of assessable property, and for the year 1952 and all succeeding years until all certificates issued under the authority of this Act are redeemed, Fifteen Cents (15ϕ) on each One Hundred Dollars (\$100) of assessable property, to be collected according to law, to meet the interest on the amount of said certificates outstanding, and also to meet and redeem so much of the principal in each of said years as may be represented by certificates redeemable in each year, respectively, provided however, that the levy or levies provided for in this Section shall not be made and the said tax or taxes shall not be collected in any year if before January 1, 1950, and before the beginning of each year thereafter the Board of Public Works shall ascertain as a fact upon a certified statement rendered to such Board by the State Comptroller that all payment of principal and interest on the certificates issued pursuant to the terms of this Act have been met during the current year from the payments received from each of the counties and the City of Baltimore, as more particularly provided in Section 5 of this Act. Upon the ascertainment of such fact by the Board of Public Works, the Governor shall, by proclamation issued pursuant to a resolution of the Board of Public Works, publicly declare that the State taxes provided for in this Section shall not be collected or levied in any such succeeding year.

SEC. 8. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1949.

Approved April 29, 1949.

CHAPTER 489

(Senate Bill 444)

AN ACT to authorize and empower the County Commissioners of Dorchester County to borrow upon the faith and credit of said County a sum not to exceed One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00) and to issue coupon bonds therefor for the maintenance, repair, rehabilitation or reconstruction of certain bridges in Dorchester