

assignment of the whole of said stock, according to the **CHAP. 118.** provisions of this act, the said bridge and all its profits shall be, and the same is hereby vested in the said county forever, to be held as other property belonging to said county, and it shall and may be lawful for the levy court of Caroline county aforesaid, to receive such tolls for passing said bridge as the president and directors of said company were authorised to receive by the act of November session, eighteen hundred and eighteen, as aforesaid.

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted,* That the levy court aforesaid, are hereby authorised, from time to time to levy on the assessable property of said county, such sum or sums of money, as may in their discretion be necessary to keep said bridge in good repair. Levy court may levy.

SEC. 6. *And be it enacted,* That the levy court are hereby authorised to appoint a suitable person to attend to the duties of bridge-keeper, and shall require of said bridge-keeper, before he enters upon his office, to give a good and sufficient bond for the faithful discharge of his duty. To appoint a bridge keeper.

SEC. 7. *And be it enacted,* That the compensation of said bridge-keeper shall be discretionary with said court, and to be paid out of the levy of said county. Salary discretionary with court.

CHAPTER 118.

*An act giving additional powers to the State Lottery Commissioners.* Passed Feb. 4, 1847.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the State commissioners of lotteries be, and they are hereby authorised to contract for the drawing of the Maryland consolidated lotteries for a longer period than twelve months, but not exceeding three years; *provided,* the contractors to whom said contract may be given, execute annually their bond to the State of Maryland, with security, to be approved by the commissioners aforesaid, for the faithful performance of the contract. Commissioners authorised to contract.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That any contract entered into agreeably to the first section of this act, shall first be approved by the Governor, and unless the same shall be so approved, it shall not be binding in law. To be approved by Governor.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That any act or acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act, be and the same are hereby repealed. Repealed