- 225. The damages claimed under Section 223 of this article, shall be sued for in the county or city where the injuries shall have been done []; and a summons served upon the president or any of the directors or conductors of any of said companies shall be considered proper service upon the corporation; provided, said service shall be made at least twenty days before the return day of the writ].
- SEC. 12. And be it further enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 8 of Article 24 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1951 Edition), title "Costs", be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:
- 8. [Whenever any suit] Where an action [whether in the name of the State or of an individual] shall be marked for the use of any person, the person [for] to whose use [such suit or] the action is marked shall be liable for costs as if he were the legal plaintiff. This section shall not relieve a person, except the State of Maryland, who has entered a case to the use of another from his original liability for costs.
- SEC. 13. And be it further enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 5 (V) of Article 25A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1956 Supplement), title "Chartered Counties of Maryland", sub-title "Enumeration of Express Powers" be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:
- 5. (V)—County Board of Appeals—To enact local laws providing (1) for the establishment of a county board of appeals whose members shall be appointed by the county council; (2) for the number, qualifications, terms, and compensation of the members; (3) for the adoption by the board of rules of practice governing its proceedings; and (4) for the decision by the board on petition by any interested person and after notice and opportunity for hearing and on the basis of the record before the board, of such of the following matters arising (either originally or on review of the action of an administrative officer or agency) under any law, ordinance, or regulation of, or subject to amendment or repeal by, the county council, as shall be specified from time to time by such local laws enacted under this sub-section: an application for a zoning variation or exception or amendment of a zoning ordinance map; the issuance, renewal, denial, revocation, suspension, annulment, or modification of any license, permit, approval, exemption, waiver, certificate, registration, or other form of permission or of any adjudicatory order; and the assessment of any special benefit tax: Provided, that any decision by a county board of appeals, may, within 30 days after the decision is rendered, be appealed by any person aggrieved by the decision of the board and a party to the proceeding before it, to the circuit court for the county which shall have power to affirm the decision of the board, or if such decision is not in accordance with law, to modify or reverse such decision, with or without remanding the case for rehearing as justice may require. Whenever any such appeal is taken a copy thereof shall be served on the board by the clerk of the court and the board shall promptly give notice of the appeal to all parties to the proceedings before it and shall, within 15 days after the filing of the appeal, file with the court the originals or certified copies of all papers and evidence presented to the board in