

"Whereas, It is estimated that said roads will cost sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000); now, therefore,

"Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the County Commissioners of Allegany county are authorized and directed on or before the first day of May, 1916, to issue their bonds and sell the same in the amount of thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000), said bonds to be coupon bonds in the denomination of five hundred dollars (\$500) each, to be signed by the President of the County Commissioners of Allegany county, countersigned by the Clerk of the County Commissioners of Allegany county, under the corporate seal of said County Commissioners; ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) of said bonds to become due and payable on or before the first day of May, 1917, and ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) of said bonds to be payable on or before the first day of May, 1918, and ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) of said bonds to be payable on or before the first day of May, 1919, and to bear interest at a rate not to exceed five per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, said bonds to be exempt from all State, county and municipal taxes; the proceeds of said bonds to be levied by the County Commissioners of Allegany county to the Road Directors of Allegany county, to be expended by said Road Directors for permanent road work under what is known as the Shoemaker Law, for the construction of a road from the end of the present State-aid road to the eastward of the village of Pekin to the Cumberland and Pennsylvania railroad crossing in the village of Barton, Allegany county, and on the Williams road from the city limits of Cumberland, in said county, one-half mile eastward, and on the Bedford road northward about three-quarters of a mile.

"Sec. 2. In the event of any part of said roads being made of concrete it is hereby made the duty of the Road Directors of Allegany county, wherever possible, to make said concrete roads not less than fourteen (14) feet in width.

"Sec. 3. And be it enacted that this Act is an emergency measure necessary for the health and safety of the citizens of Allegany county, and three-fifths of the members of the two houses of the General Assembly concurring therein, it shall take effect from the day of its passage."

[Which was laid over under the rules.]

Also favorably, with amendments,

SENATE BILL No. 157, BY MR. LEGG.

SUBJECT: FISH AND FISHERIES—CRABS.