they have been such staff officers and employees for a period not less than the six months immediately preceding the effective date of this Act, are transferred to and shall become staff officers and employees of the Juvenile Court herein created within the Circuit Court of Allegany County, with no impairment or diminution of salary or of any rights and privileges under the said subtitle "Classified Service" or otherwise.

SEC. 6. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1964.

Approved April 7, 1964.

CHAPTER 21

(Senate Bill 22)

AN ACT to authorize and empower the Board of County Commissioners of Caroline County to issue and sell serial bonds upon the full faith and credit of said County in an amount not in excess of Three Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$350,000.00) to be issued in such amounts and at such times as said County Commissioners may designate, for the purpose of redesigning, renovating, altering, remodeling, repairing, equipping and landscaping the Caroline County Court House and authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Caroline County to levy taxes on the assessable property in said County to provide funds for the payment of interest and principal as the same become payable.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the County Commissioners of Caroline County be and they are authorized and empowered to borrow at one time or from time to time, upon the full faith and credit of Caroline County, and to issue and sell at one time or from time to time its bonds therefor, a sum or sums of money not to exceed Three Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$350,000.00), at a net average interest rate not in excess of five per centum (5%) per annum for the entire issue, for the purpose of redesigning, renovating, altering, remodeling, repairing, equipping and landscaping the Caroline County Court House including architects and other professional fees in connection therewith. The money raised by the bond issue authorized by this Act shall be expended for the above purposes. Such bonds shall be designated "Caroline County Court House Improvement Bonds of 1964" and shall be of such denomination or denominations and of such type or form, of such periods of maturity, not exceeding twenty-five (25) years, all as the County Commissioners of Caroline County may deem advisable, and the proceeds of such sale or sales shall be spent in accordance with the provisions hereof. The said borrowing and every bond, coupon or other evidence thereof, and the interest payable thereon, shall be and remain exempt from taxation by the State of Maryland and by the counties, and municipalities of said State.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That said bonds shall be signed by the President of said County Commissioners of Caroline County and the Treasurer of Caroline County, with the seal of Caroline