BE NECESSARY TO OPERATE THE SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT TO BE PROVIDED BY THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS AT THEIR DISCRETION. THE SHERIFF SHALL APPOINT A CHIEF DEPUTY SHERIFF WHO SHALL RECEIVE A SALARY OF AT LEAST \$8,000. He ALSO may appoint not more than two ASSISTANT deputies who shall receive salaries of [\$5,500] AT LEAST \$7,000. The Sheriff and his deputies shall receive an allowance set by the County Commissioners for mileage traveled in the course of their duties. It shall be paid at the same rate as other county officials and employees are paid. They shall also be paid any additional allowances as the Commissioners may deem necessary.

- (2) The County Commissioners shall provide the Sheriff with funds to compensate a matron and a cook at the county jail.
- (3) The County Commissioners may authorize additional deputies as necessary and shall set their compensation at the time of their appointment.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1977.

Approved April 29, 1977.

CHAPTER 205

(Senate Bill 713)

AN ACT concerning

Cecil, Kent and Queen Anne's Counties -Juror's Salaries and Mileage

FOR the purpose of increasing the compensation of jurors in Cecil and Kent Counties; abolishing a certain restriction relative to mileage allowances of jurors in Kent County; and authorizing a certain mileage allowance for jurors in Queen Anne's County.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings Section 8-106(a-10), (a-17) and (a-20) Annotated Code of Maryland (1974 Volume and 1976 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That Sections 8-106 (a-10), (a-17) and (a-20) of Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1974 Volume and 1976 Supplement) be and they are hereby repealed and