PUBLIC LOCAL LAWS

CHAPTER NO. 34.

AN ACT to repeal Section 91 of Article 15 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title, "Kent County," sub-title "Dogs," as enacted by Chapter 345 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland passed at the 1924 Session, and to re-enact the same with Amendments.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 91 of Article 15 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland title, "Kent County," sub-title "Dogs," as enacted by Chapter 345 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland passed at the 1924 Session, be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments so as to read as follows:

91. On or before the first day of July, 1927, and on or before the first day of July of each year thereafter, the owner of any dog, six months old or over, shall apply either orally or in writing to the Dog Constable of the District, wherein such owner shall reside, for a license for each such dog owned or kept, and such application shall be accompanied by a fee of One Dollar $1.00 for each male dog or each spayed female dog, and a fee of Two Dollars ($2.00) for each unspayed dog, and provided that a kennel license shall be issued for Ten Dollars ($10.00) to persons owning or keeping not in excess of twenty-five dogs and that a kennel license shall be issued for Twenty Dollars ($20.00) to persons keeping more than twenty-five dogs. The said license or fee shall be the only license or tax required for the ownership or keeping of said dog or dogs. Such license shall be issued on a form prepared and supplied by the County Commissioners, shall be dated and numbered and shall contain a description of the dog licenses, and all licenses shall be void upon the first day of July of the following year. The County Commissioners shall also furnish and the Dog Constable for the said District issuing the license, shall issue, with each license, a metal tag. Such tag shall be fixed to a substantial collar to be furnished by the owner, and with the tag attached shall at all times be kept on the dog for which the license is issued, except when confined in the kennel or when hunting in charge of an attendant. The County Commissioners of Kent County shall on or before the 15th day of June, 1927, and on or before the 15th day of June in each year thereafter, appoint some reliable person as Dog Constable for and in each of the several Election Districts of Kent County and each Dog Constable appointed by the County Commissioners shall enroll all dogs, and their owners or keepers, in their respective Districts, and report the same to the County Commissioners on or before July 15th of each year. Whenever the Dog Constable shall find a dog without an owner or keeper, it shall be his duty to kill said dog in the presence of one witness, for which he is to receive fifty cents from The County Commissioners for each dog killed, and it shall be the duty of the Dog Constable to report to the County Commissioners at the end of each week the number of licenses sold, and to whom sold.

Sec. 2. And be it enacted, That this Act shall take effect on the First day of June, 1927.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand as Clerk and affixed the seal of the said Court of Appeals, this 13th day of May, 1927.

[The Great Seal of Maryland.]
ALBERT C. RITCHIE,
Governor.
E. BROOKE LEE,
Speaker of the House of Delegates.
DAVID G. McINTOSH, JR.,
President of the Senate.

State of Maryland, Sct:

I, James A. Young, Clerk, of the Court of Appeals, of Maryland, do hereby certify, that the foregoing is a full and true copy of the Act of the General Assembly of Maryland of which it purports to be a copy, as taken from the Original Law belonging to and deposited in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Appeals aforesaid.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand as Clerk and affix the seal of the said Court, of Appeals, this 13th day of May, 1927.

JAMES A. YOUNG,
Clerk of the Court of Appeals
of Maryland.
[Seal Court of Appeal Maryland]

CHAPTER NO. 35

AN ACT to prevent the killing or trapping of foxes and the selling, buying or exposing for sale of foxes and fox hides in Kent County.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That it shall not be lawful to shoot, shoot at, trap, set a trap for, injure or kill any fox in Kent County while such fox is being pursued by dogs.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That it shall be unlawful for any person to dig out, or in any manner to take from any den a female fox, or her young whelps, or kill or in any manner cause the death of such female fox, or her young whelps, during the period of time in which she is suckling them.

Sec. 3. And be it further enacted That it shall be unlawful to sell, buy or expose for sale any fox or fox hide in Kent County, and it shall be unlawful to transport any fox or fox hide from any place in Kent County to any place with-out Kent County, and possession of any fox or fox hide shall be prima facia evidence of a violation of this section, but nothing in this Act shall be so construed as to prevent the killing of foxes at any time by any person while they are in pursuit or in the act of killing or carrying away of his, her or their poultry or within a reasonable time thereafter.

Sec. 4. And be it further enacted. That any person or persons violating the provisions of this Act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof before a Justice of the Peace shall be fined in a sum not less than Ten Dollars nor more than Twenty-five Dollars, one half of such fine shall be paid to the informer causing the arrest and conviction and the remaining one-half shall be paid to the State Game Department to be credited to the State Game Protection Fund to be used as

PUBLIC LOCAL LAWS

provided by law, and it shall be the duty of the several Deputy State Game Wardens in Kent County to strictly enforce the provisions of this Act.

Sec. 5 And be it further enacted. That all laws or parts of laws applicable in Kent County inconsistent with the provisions of this Act be and the same are hereby repealed.

Sec. 6. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect from the First day of June, 1927.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand as Clerk and affixed the seal of the said Court of Appeals, this 13th day of May, 1927.

[The Great Seal of Maryland.]
ALBERT C. RITCHIE,
Governor.
E. BROOKE LEE,
Speaker of the House of Delegates.
DAVID G. McINTOSH, JR.,
President of the Senate.

State of Maryland, Sct:

I, James A. Young, Clerk, of the Court of Appeals, of Maryland, do hereby certify, that the foregoing is a full and true copy of the Act of the General Assembly of Maryland of which it purports to be a copy, as taken from the Original Law belonging to and deposited in the office of the Cerk of the Court of Appeals aforesaid.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand as Clerk and affix the seal of the said Court, of Appeals, this 13th day of May, 1927.

JAMES A. YOUNG,
Clerk of the Court of Appeals
of Maryland.
[Seal Court of Appeal Maryland]

PUBLIC LOCAL LAWS

CHAPTER NO. 108

AN ACT to authorize the Mayor and Councilmen of Rock Hall, in Kent County, to sell, lease or otherwise dispose of the Rock Hall Electric Light Plant and Distributing System used in connection with said plant.

Whereas, By Chapter 530, of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at the 1914 Session, the Mayor and Councilmen of Rock Hall, in Kent County, were authorized to erect, construct, operate and keep in repair an Electric Light Plant in the town of Rock Hall; and

Whereas, in pursuance of the authority contained in the aforesaid Act, the Mayor and Councilmen of Rock Hall in Kent County, did erect and construct and since have operated an Electric Light Plant in the town of Rock Hall; and

Whereas, The Mayor and Councilmen of Rock Hall, in Kent County, have deemed it advisable and for the best interest of said Town, as well as necessary for the health of the inhabitants thereof, to dispose of its said Electric Light Plant and Distributing System and to purchase electric current for public use therefor;

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Mayor and Councilmen of Rock Hall, in Kent County, be and they are hereby authorized to sell, lease, or to lease with an agreement to sell, the said Rock Hall Electric Light and Distributing System, in whole or in parts, to such person or persons, body Corporate or bodies Corporate, upon such terms and conditions and for such sums, as in their discretion, the said Mayor and Councilmen of Rock Hall, in Kent County shall determine and deem to be most advantageous for the inhabitants of said town and to contract for a supply of electric light and power for public use in said Town.

Section 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act is hereby declared to be an emergency law necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety and being passed upon a yea and nay vote supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand as Clerk and affixed the seal of the said Court of Appeals, this 13th day of May, 1927.

(The Great Seal of Maryland.)
ALBERT C. RITCHIE,
Governor.
E. BROOK LEE,
Speaker of the House of Delegates.
DAVID G. McINTOSH, JR.,
President of the Senate.

State of Maryland, Sct:

I, James A. Young, Clerk of the Court of Appeals of Maryland, do hereby certify, that the foregoing is a full and true copy of the Act of the General Assembly of Maryland of which it purports to be a copy, as taken from the Original Law belonging to and deposited in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Appeals aforesaid.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand as Clerk and affix the seal of the said Court of Appeals, this 13th day of May, 1927.

JAMES A. YOUNG,
Clerk of the Court of Appeals
of Maryland.
(Seal Court of Appeals Maryland)

CHAPTER NO. 527

AN ACT to authorize the Commissioners of Betterton, Kent County, to issue bonds to the extent of Twenty-five Thousand Dollars ($25,000), for the purpose of improving the streets in said town, and to provide for the levying of taxes to pay the interest on said bonds, and to redeem said bonds as they become due and payable.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Commissioners of Betterton be, and they are hereby authorized and empowered to issue bonds in the name of the Commissioners of Betterton, to an amount not exceeding Twenty-five Thousand $25,000) Dollars, in sums not less than One Hundred ($100.00) Dollars, to be signed by the Commissioners of Betterton under the Corporate Seal of the said Commissioners, to be designated as "Betterton Street Bonds," bearing interest at a rate not exceeding five and one-half per centum per annum, payable semi-annually on the fifteenth day of October and the fifteenth day of April of each year, which bonds shall be exempt from all County and Municipal taxation, and the due or overdue coupons for interest shall be received by the Commissioners of Betterton in payment of town taxes. Said bonds shall be payable in sum of One Thousand ($1,000.00) Dollars, in each of the years beginning with the fifteenth day of October, 1927, and each year thereafter until fully paid. Said bonds to be numbered consecutively, and to be redeemed in the order in which they are numbered.

Section 2. And be it enacted, That the Commissioners of Betterton are hereby authorized and empowered to

PUBLIC LOCAL LAWS

do all things necessary for the issue of such bonds, their offering for sale under the most advantageous conditions, the providing by levy and taxation for a sinking fund for the purpose of meeting the interest on said bonds and their payment upon maturity, and all other things that may be necessary and proper in the procuring of the loan, and the issuance and payment of said bonds.

Section 3. And be it enacted, That out of the sum of Twenty-five Thousand ($25,000.00) Dollars, provided for the town of Betterton by the provisions of this Act, the sum of Four Thousand, Three Hundred ($4,300.00) Dollars, shall be used and spent for the purpose of improving the streets of that part of the town of Betterton known as Bayside, and admitted within the Corporate limits of Betterton by the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at the January Session of 1927, and the sum of Twenty Thousand, Seven Hundred ($20,700.00) Dollars, shall be used and spent for the purpose of improving the streets of other sections of the town of Betterton.

Section 4. And be it enacted, That Howard Turner, Arthur Brice, Charles H. Brice, J. Leonard Price and James M. Sutton are hereby nominated and appointed a special commission to act and co-operate with the Commissioners of Betterton in the use and expenditures of the fund received from said bond issue for the purpose of providing for and improving the streets for Betterton. And the Commissioners of Betterton are hereby authorized to fill any vacancy in said special commission. .

Section 5. And be it enacted, That at a special election to be called by the Commissioners of Betterton at such time as they may think proper, but not later than the next regular election for Commissioners of Betterton, which said election shall in all particulars not herein provided for, be held under the supervision and direction of the Commissioners of Betterton, there shall be submitted to the qualified taxpaying voters of Betterton the question whether the said money shall be borrowed and said bonds issued, and at such special election the ballots cast shall have the words "For Street Bonds" and "Against Street Bonds" thereon, and if a majority of the votes cast upon the question shall be "For Street Bonds," then the Commissioners of Betterton, or a majority of them, shall proceed to execute the powers vested in them by this Act, but if the majority of the votes cast shall be "Against Street Bonds," then they shall not execute such powers, and this Act shall be of no effect.

Section 6. And be it further enacted, That this Act is hereby declared to be an emergency law and necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety, and having been passed by a yea and nay note, supported by three-fifths of all of the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand as Clerk and affixed the seal of the said Court of Appeals, this 13th day of May, 1927.

(The Great Seal of Maryland.)
ALBERT C. RITCHIE,
Governor.
E. BROOKE LEE,
Speaker of the House of Delegates.
DAVID G. McINTOSH, JR.
President of the Senate.

State of Maryland, Sct:

I, James A. Young, Clerk of the Court of Appeals of Maryland, do hereby certify, that the foregoing is a full and true copy of the Act of the General Assembly of Maryland of which it purports to be a copy, as taken from the Original Law belonging to and deposited in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Appeals aforesaid.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand as Clerk and affix the seal of the said Court of Appeals, this 13th day of May, 1927.

JAMES A. YOUNG,
Clerk of the Court of Appeals
of Maryland.
(Seal Court of Appeals Maryland)

FERTILIZERS

Large stock in our warerouses at Betterton, for immediate use.

(For all crops)

Now is the day. Wagons loaded as soon as they arive.

LUMBER AND BUILDING MATERIALS

Just received a carload of Southern Cypress, which includes Fencing, Gate Slats, Siding, Rab Boards, Dressed Lumber, etc. If you want Cypress we have it.

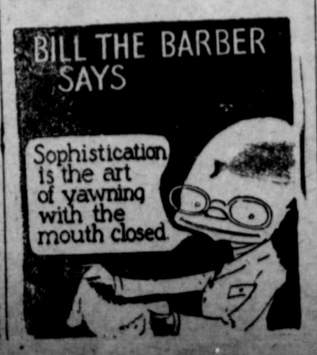
Our store opens at 7 a. m. and closes at 8 p. m.

TURNER & SON,
Betterton Md.

QUALITY WILL TELL

We have furnished to Mrs. H. M. Baker, of The Maryland Turkey Farm, the largest raisers of turkeys in Kent County all their Turkey Feed since we have been in business in Chestertown.

METCALFE BROHTERS
m28 Chestertown, Md.



OUR POULTRY DEPARTMENT

ITEMS THAT WILL HELP OUR READERS SOLVE THEIR MANY PROBLEMS

BY POLK T. BRAMBLE

Neither of the local hatcheries are increasing their capacities this year. There is some danger of over-production in the hatching business, the same as other branches of farming, etc.

The poultrymen of the whole world are getting together. This is the spirit of the times. Cooperation is the big word to-day. Men are talking things over together as never before. The Ottawa convention is an example in a large way of what I am saying. But only a small number can get there. A few thousands may be there. But as these words are read millions of poultry keepers are at home taking care of the fowls. What are these to do? It is now too late to advise people to go. Therefore we must consider the need of "listening in."

As the price of eggs goes up in the next few weeks, how much are you going to lose by not knowing how much your eggs are really worth in markets that you could just as well send them to as not? Are you well informed as to the matter of advertising in various ways to make the best sales of your eggs and poultry meat? This is a good month to think about these things and become fully informed so that you will not have to work your life away all thru the years and let the other fellows get all the profit of your toil.

Sprint up on this marketing problem. Send for bulletins. Search for expert articles in the poultry magazines. Buy a book that discusses the subject exhaustively. You'll be surprised maybe to discover how much you do not know about the larger half of your business. Good luck. Get "all set" by next month at this time.

There is no such a thing as 'one best breed of poultry apparently,' and every honest and intelligent poultry keeper will acknowledge this. We may think and believe the breed or variety we possess, is the best, a belief that is based on personal admiration of and experience with our favorites. But how about the other fellow? He also believes his favorites are the "whole thing," and with just as much sincerity as we believe in ours.

This is the time of year when we should be keeping a look-out for parasites, especially the external ones. Insects such as lice, mites and fleas multiply very fast in hot weather and once mites swarm over the walls, nests and floors you have some problem to get rid of them. But it can be done. Eternal vigilance is the price of success.

Green feed must be provided at practically all times of the year, if we would keep the birds laying or growing at the maximum of efficiency. Most of us understand that green or succulent feed is not necessarily a feed that produces eggs, or that enters into their manufacture in any considerable degree, but that it is something which helps to keep the birds in a healthy condition, producing that laxative state of the bowels which eliminates the poisons from the system. There must inevitably be a certain condition of poisoning resulting from the heavy feeding practiced. The easiest way to take care of this condition is by feeding laxative materials, rather than the giving of medicines.

We may figure that our birds on the range do not need other green feed than the grass they are able to obtain. This is true if the range is a good one. Clover and alfalfa fields afford the best kind of green stuff. After one cutting has been removed, the birds may be allowed to move in and take care of the later growth. Such growth is tender and always palatable. The principal problem of the range seems to be that most grasses become tough and of a woody texture after a few months of growth. In the case of both clover and alfalfa, this is not true.

Certainly a most important factor in the insurance of a satisfactory pullet harvest is undoubtedly a timely hatching season— that is to say a season in which the prospective laying stock is hatched neither too early nor too late in the year. What is reguired to make autumn and winter egg production highly profitable is an even flock of well-bred, well developed, well housed and rightly managed birds. An uneven flock cannot be suitably dieted in the laying quarters, as the kind of food suitable for the older birds would prematurely account for the functioning of the egg organs of the younger ones, resulting in the production of small, unsaleable eggs at the expense of bodily size. The man who concentrates on the hatching of prospective laying stock between the middle of February and the end of April, according to whether such stock is of the heavy or the light breed order, is bound to have a big pull over his neighbor whose stock is made up of early hatched, seasonably hatched and late hatched birds. The one will be able to market "the goods" during the season of high prices, whilst the other will have but a portion of his stock in lay, the profits on whose produce will be swallowed up by the 'non-starters.' If hatching has been done over a long period, and the ages of the several productions of such hatching cannot be determined from data at hand before the relegation of the young stock to the laying quarters takes place, then there is ample proof that the production of the stock and the attention given to it has been of a haphazard kind. It is only possible to grade and place in the laying quarters, an even flock of promising autumn and winter egg producers where leg-bands have been made use of, and where records of the birds' birthdays have been kept.

BETTERTON

The usual mid summer crowd is arriving in Betterton with a prospect of a goodly number of visitors all during August.

Mrs. L. M. Owens of the Chesapeake Hotel has been quite ill the past week.

Mr. Walter Crew, Jr., of Philadelphia, is spending a two weeks vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Crew.

Dr. Walter Stone attended the annual picnic at Bay Shore of Dr. Ed. Stones church in Baltimore.

Mr. Albert Supplee, of Betterton, and Miss Kitty Farran, of Baltimore, were married in Baltimore on Monday morning. After their honeymoon they will reside in the Leigh house at Betterton.

Miss Bessie Taylor, of Wilmington, is spending her vacation at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Curley and daughter of Baltimore, spent the week with her brother Mr. Floyd Crownhort. Mr. Floyd Crownhart, Jr., returned to Baltimore with them for a while.

Mrs. Beauregard Lewis, of Philadelphia is formerly of Betterton is spending the week at Owens Cottage.

M r.and Mrs. George Brice, of Bayside Inn entertained Capt. Horace Brice and his family at dinner Sunday evening in honor of Capt. Brices birthday.

Miss Dorothy Remington, of Laurel, is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Bayard Crew.

Miss Hazel Crew, of Philadelphia, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William A. Crew this week.

Mr. Littlton Crew, of Edgewood, spent a part of the week with his family here.

Dr. H. T. Workman, who has recently opened a dental office here has been very busy with patients all the week.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist church will hold their annual summer bazar on the pier this evening.

A LITTLE TALK ON THRIFT

Eighteen years ago an Italian manufacturer, noting the steady column of volcanic steam coming from the ground in an Italian mountain valley, conceived the idea that this steam could be made to drive an engine. He set up the necessary equipment and soon was running the machinery in his plant with power which nature had been wasting.

This experiment in the utilization of volcanic steam has been successfully followed in many parts of the world. In Bolivia the government has granted a concession through which steam from Mt. Tatio will be made use of in generating electrical energy for Bolivian railroads.

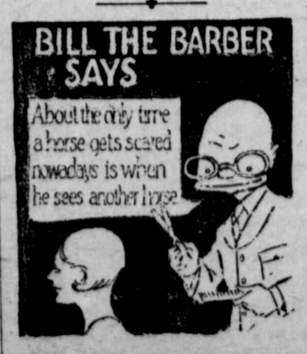
Engineers state that our own country, articularly Yellowstone Park, possesses untold sources of wealth of this description.

Mechanical engineers are becoming more and more interested in the problem of utilizing the tides of the sea for generating electric power. English engineers have stated that it is only a matter of time until the tidal activities in the harbors of Southern England will be made use of, while engineers in the United States and Canada are interested in studies being made of the problem of making use of the tides in the Bay of Fundy.

The development of hydro-electric power, which in recent years has reached large proportions, is, in the opinion of many experts, only in its infancy.

Scientists are experimenting, with apparent hopes of success, in utilizing the sun's rays and the wind as sources of power.

The development of these projects not only provides an interesting study as to what the next 50 or 100 years will bring in the daily lives of the people, but it illustrates the great fundamental truth that thrift, conservation and efficiency are among the impelling factors in all human progress.



Landlady: I think you had better board elsewhere.
Boarder: Yes, I often had.
Landlady: Often had what?
Boarder: Had better board elsewhere.

The Companion of the Hours

A NOTED New York club man is known for his habit of looking at his wrist watch every few minutes. A fine watch is a reliable companion, ever ready to do its appointed task uncomplainingly and cheerfully. We are showing every type of wrist watch from rough and ready models for sports wear to the delicate creation of fairy beauty to be worn on the forearm of a lovely lady.

J. S. KREEGER

JEWELER and OPTOMERIST

Chestertown, Mary land

HAIR CUTTING IS AN ART AT JOHN S. VANDEGRIFT'S
TONSORIAL PARLORS
CROSS STREET Chestertown, Md.

The World has never known such Value!

All former standards of motor car value fell when Buick for 1928 swept into view. Here are listed all 16 Buick models for 1928, with their prices, so that you may see for yourself how little Buick costs, when you consider how much Buick gives.

Five-passenger 2-door Sedan, Series 115 . . . $1195	Five-passenger 4-door Sedan, Series 120 . . . $1495
Four-passenger Sport Roadster, Series 115 . . . $1195	Five-passenger Town Brougham, Series 120 . . . $1575
Two-passenger Coupe, Series 115 . . . $1195	Four-passenger Sport Roadster, Series 128 . . . $1495
Five-passenger Sport Touring, Series 115 . . . $1225	Five-passenger Sport Touring, Series 128 . . . $1525
Four-passenger Country Club Coupe, Series 115 . . . $1275	Four-passenger Country Club Coupe, Series 128 . . . $1765
Five-passenger 4-door Sedan, Series 115 . . . $1295	Five-passenger Coupe, Series 128 . . . $1850
Five-passenger Town Brougham, Series 115 . . . $1375	Five-passenger Brougham, Series 128 . . . $1925
Four-passenger Coupe, Series 120 . . . $1465	Seven-passenger Sedan, Series 128 . . . $1995

All prices f. o. b. Flint, Mich., Government Tax to be added.

BUICK for 1928

THE N-B-R MOTOR CO.
Authorized Sales and Service
REPRESENTED BY

Geo. Edw. Furbush
315 High Street

Vernon M. Barnett
Chestertown, Md.

STATE OF MARYLAND

STATE ROADS COMMISSION

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals for building one section of State Highway, as follows:

Kent County. Cont. K-31. One section of State Highway from end of Cont. K-30 to Butlertown, a distance of 2.44 miles. (Concrete.)

will be received by the State Roads Commission, at its offices, 601 Garrett Building, Baltimore, Maryland, until 12 M. on the 2nd day of August 1927, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read.

Bids must be made upon the blank proposal form which with specifications and plans will be furnished by the Commission upon application and cash payment of $1.00, as hereafter no charges will be permitted.

No bids will be received unless accompanied by a certified check for the sum of Five Hundred ($500) Dollars, payable to the State Roads Commission.

The successful bidder will be required to give bond, and comply with the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, respecting contracts.

The Commission reserves the right to reject any and all bds.

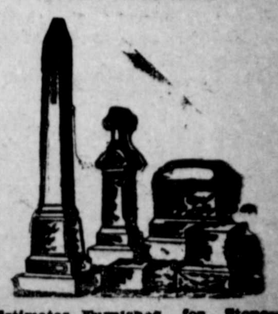
By Order of the State Roads Commission this 15th day of July 1927.

JOHN N. MACKALL, Chairman
L. H. STEUART, Secretary.

MARK EVERY GRAVE

Monuments and Tombs

Erected Everywhere.



Estimates Furnished for Stones from a Small Maker to a Mausoleum

CHESTERTOWN MARBLE AND GRANITE WORKS.

WM. J. KIRBY, Prop.
Phone 276

©Maryland State Archives msa_sc3326_scm8224-0745