33.

[Whenever the State, county, city or any municipality shall engage in any extra-hazardous work, within the meaning of this article, whether for pecuniary gain or otherwise, in which workmen are employed for wages, this article shall be applicable thereto.]

In time of peace and while engaged in military service all officers and enlisted men of the organized militia of the State of Maryland shall be deemed workmen of the State for wages within the meaning of this section; provided that, whenever and so long as provision equal to or better than that given under the terms of this article is made by the federal government for an employee of the military department of Maryland injured in the course of employment, such employee shall not be entitled to the benefit of this article.

The officers of the Maryland State Police force, the Montgomery County and Prince George's County police, the police of the Town of Laurel, the police of all other municipal corporations in Prince George's County which are subject to the provisions of Article 11E of the Constitution of Maryland, paid firemen employed by the fire departments of Prince George's County, the regular members of the police force, the paid firemen, the engineers, and the linemen of the electric light plant of Frederick City, the members of the police department and of the fire department of the City of Cumberland, and all guards employed by any penal institutions of this State, shall be deemed workmen for wages within the meaning of this section.

[Whenever and so long as by State law, city charter, or municipal ordinance, provision equal to or better than that given under the terms of this article is made for municipal employees injured in the course of employment, such employees shall not be entitled to the benefit of this article.]

35.

(a) Whenever any prisoner working for the county roads board or the board of county commissioners or county council in the counties to which this section applies shall be engaged in any [extra-hazardous] employment within the meaning of this article for which wages or a stipulated sum are paid by said county this article shall be applicable thereto if said prisoner sustains a permanent partial or permanent total disability as a result of said injury, and the average weekly wages of any such prisoner injured in the course of his or her employment shall be the average weekly wages paid by the county to such prisoner, and in addition thereto, a fair and reasonable sum to be determined by the Workmen's Compensation Committee for the board and maintenance of such prisoner not to exceed the amount customarily received by the county for its own use by prisoners engaged in [extra-hazardous] employment by other employers.

67.

- (1) ["Extra-hazardous employment"] "Employment" means [a] work or occupation described in Section 21 of this Article.
- (2) "Employer" means those persons who fall within the requirements of Section 21(a) of this Article including a person, partner-