

money in advance (not less than one hundred dollars) he or she shall receive a certificate from such treasurer therefor, under his hand, in the nature of a loan-office certificate, and on producing the same to the collector of the county, he shall credit such person to the amount of such certificate, with interest thereon from the date thereof, till payment of his or her assessment ought to have been made, and in the same manner he or she shall be credited by the collector, and paid interest on the balance in any future collection, according to the sum of money advanced.

*And be it enacted,* That in all cases where the sheriffs of the several counties, or any other persons who may be appointed collectors in virtue of this act, or who may have been heretofore appointed collectors under any former assessment act, do not give the security required by law in a reasonable time after the delivery of the assessment or rate to such collectors, it shall and may be lawful for the commissioners of the tax in each county, or the major part of them, and they are hereby authorized and required to name some other fit and proper person in their respective counties, to be collector of the assessment and rate under this act, who shall qualify himself and give security, as in said act is directed, and in all respects shall comply with the same; and such collector shall be entitled to the commission above specified.

*And be it enacted,* That the justices of the several county courts shall, and they are hereby empowered and required, at their November adjourned courts, or March courts at farthest, to adjust the public expences of their several counties, including an allowance for the poor, and apportion the same according to the late assessment of property in each county respectively; and the clerk of each county shall, and he is hereby