

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the following section to follow after section forty-nine, and to be numbered 49A, be and it is hereby added to Article 25 of the Code of Public General Laws, title "County Commissioners," sub-title "Draining Lands," making certain additional provisions as to Dorchester County.

49A And the tax so levied in Dorchester County shall be due and collectable the same year in which said statement shall have been approved by the County Commissioners of said county, and the ditch treasurer shall settle with the taxables at their annual meeting in March, and also make report to said County Commissioners of all sums received and expended by him, and shall be entitled to receive three per cent. of the receipts as compensation for his services. All moneys levied in Dorchester County for the purpose of cutting, making and opening or for cleaning out such ditch or ditches, or for the payment of damages and expenses shall be collected by the tax collector of the district or districts in which such ditch is situated, and the said County Commissioners shall pay to the ditch treasurer upon warrant of managers the money so collected. The tax collector shall receive the same per cent. for collecting such ditch tax as he is paid for collecting other county taxes, and in case of refusal or neglect of any person bound to pay the same, he shall proceed to collect and recover the ditch tax in the same manner that county taxes are *receivable* by law. And sections 46, 47 and 75 of this Article are hereby repealed in so far as they apply to Dorchester County.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That this Act shall* take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 10, 1900.

CHAPTER 636.

AN ACT to add an additional Section to Article 11, of the Code of Public Local Laws, title "Frederick County," sub-title "Bridges," said additional Section to follow Section sixty-one of said Article, and to be designated as Section 61A.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That an additional section be and the same is hereby added to Article 11, of the Code of Public Local Laws, title