

his office, and shall account for and pay to the Clerk of the County Commissioners the several sums of money received by him for or on account of taxes placed in his hands for collection, or for which he may be answerable, when and at the times required by law, then this obligation to be void, else to be and remain in full force and virtue in law.

Approved March 27, 1900.

CHAPTER 117.

AN ACT to repeal Sections 18 and 19 of the Charter of Takoma Park, Maryland, and to re-enact said Sections 18 and 19.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Sections 18 and 19 of the Charter of the Town of Takoma Park, in Prince George's and Montgomery counties, Maryland, as amended by the Act approved April 2, 1896, be and the same are hereby repealed and re-enacted so as to read as follows:

(18.) On or before the last day of June in each year the Council shall, by ordinance, levy the general taxes for the fiscal year next ensuing, which taxes shall not exceed seventy-five cents on each one hundred dollars of assessable property. Such taxes shall be due immediately on the levy thereof, and if the taxes due from any person or corporation shall not be paid before the first day of November following, there shall be added on that day a penalty of one per centum thereof, and a like penalty of one per centum on the first day of each succeeding month until such taxes and penalties shall be paid; provided, however, that taxes paid prior to the first day of November of any year shall be subject to a discount as follows: Taxes paid during July, four per cent.; during August, three per cent.; during September, two per cent.; and during October, one per cent.

(b.) On or before the third Monday in April of each year, but not earlier than the first day of April, the Treasurer shall offer at public sale, at some place within the town to be designated in his public notice of sale, all real property which is then subject to lien for delinquent taxes under the provisions of this charter, whether for the year current or for previous years, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the delinquent taxes due from the owners thereof respec-

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