

SEC. 7. *And be it enacted*, That the clerk to be appointed by virtue of this act, as clerk to the commissioners for Talbot county, shall be entitled to receive as compensation for his services such sum annually as the commissioners aforesaid may deem proper, not to exceed the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars, to be levied on the assessable property of Talbot county, to be collected and paid over as the other county charges are.

His compensation.

SEC. 8. *And be it enacted*, That upon the appointment of said clerk to the commissioners for Talbot county, the clerk of the county court of Talbot county shall, upon demand of said clerk of the commissioners, by order of said commissioners, forthwith deliver over to the said clerk of the commissioners all the books, accounts, papers and documents, belonging, or in any manner appertaining to the said levy court of said county, and shall annually, on or before the first Monday in June, after this law shall go into operation, furnish to and lay before the commissioners, all copies of such lists, accounts, papers and documents, as may be useful and necessary to the said commissioners in ascertaining the county charges, and according to the direction which he may from time to time receive from the said commissioners; for which services he shall have and receive such fees as by law he is entitled to for like services to receive; and in case the clerk of said county court as aforesaid, shall neglect or refuse to comply with any of the provisions and requisitions contained in this act, when called on by the said commissioners, or the clerk thereof, by their order thereafter, he shall, for every such neglect or refusal, forfeit and pay to the said commissioners, for the use of the said county, the sum of one hundred dollars, to be recovered by indictment or action in any county court within this state.

Clerk of county to deliver over books, &c.

SEC. 9. *And be it enacted*, That the commissioners are hereby authorized and empowered to employ some proper person to erect, or cause to be erected and fitted up, in the county court-house, where they are not already provided, with suitable book cases, in which the books, papers and documents belonging to the commissioners may be safely deposited and kept.

Commissioners to erect cases for books, &c.

SEC. 10. *And be it enacted*, That each of the said commissioners shall be entitled to receive two dollars per day for every day he shall necessarily attend to the duties of his office.

Their allowance.

SEC. 11. *And be it enacted*, That the said commissioners shall and may, at any time during each and every year, make, complete, and close their levy, any law to the contrary notwithstanding; and that all suits at law or in equity, which may be pending at the time of the passage of this act by or against the commissioners of the tax, or the levy court for Talbot county, shall be carried on in like manner, and have the same

May complete their levy.