

expiration of the year in which such tax bills have been placed in their hands for collection, unless said County Commissioners shall be satisfied that the said collectors have complied with the requirements of law, and that said delinquencies were uncollectable, and the said collectors shall, on all sums of county taxes paid to them by any taxpayer, on or before the fifteenth day of September of the year for which the taxes were levied, allow a deduction of three per cent. on all sums paid as aforesaid, on or before the fifteenth day of October of the said year, a deduction of two per cent., and on all sums paid as aforesaid on or before the fifteenth day of November of the said year a deduction of one per cent., which deduction shall in each case be noted by the collector upon the receipt given to said taxpayer; and upon all taxes that may be in arrear on the first day of January next succeeding the levy of said taxes, said collectors shall charge the tax payer whose taxes are so in arrear one per cent. upon the amount thereof, and one per cent. for each and every month that said taxes may be in arrear after said first day of January until the same are paid.

Allow deduction.

In force.

Sub-Sec. 6. *And be it enacted*, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 7, 1870.

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CHAPTER 223.

AN ACT supplementary to an Act entitled "An Act to make certain improvements in the vicinity of the State Live Stock Scales," passed at January Session, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, Chapter twenty-three, and to an Act amendatory thereof, passed eighteen hundred and sixty-six, Chapter one hundred and twenty, by appropriating a sum of money to enable the Commissioners therein named to discharge the liabilities incurred thereunder.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the Comptroller be and he is