

ing said taxes for collection, the collection and return of the whole amount thereof to the State Treasurer and to the county treasurer or the County Commissioners, or their order respectively, except such sums as the County Commissioners, upon the examination of the returns of said collection, may determine to be and to have been uncollectable; their bonds shall be liable for the same, and the County Commissioners shall cause suit to be brought on the bonds given for the county taxes, and the Comptroller may cause suit to be brought on the bonds given for State taxes to the next term of the Circuit Court thereafter; and the said Court is hereby authorized and required, upon motion of the attorney of said Commissioners, or the attorney of the State, after notice to said collectors and their sureties, to take judgment without stay of execution for such amounts as may be found due by them for non-payment or settlement of said taxes, and the amount of said judgment shall be collected within ninety days thereafter; nor shall any case be postponed beyond the term of the said Circuit Court in which such action may be brought, as hereinbefore prescribed.

Suit on bond.

Sub-Sec. 6. The County Commissioners shall not re-appoint any person as collector of State or county taxes whose collections have not been made and whose accounts have not been settled in full as collector of taxes within twelve months after the expiration of the year in which such tax bills have been placed in their hands for collection, unless said County Commissioners shall have been satisfied by a statement made to them under oath, that the said collectors have complied with all the requirements of this law, and that the said delinquencies were uncollectable; and the said Commissioners may require from collectors any further proof which in their judgment may seem necessary.

Not to be re-appointed unless accounts settled.

Sec. 7. *And be it enacted*, That all laws inconsistent with this Act be and the same are hereby repealed.

Inconsistent repealed.

Sec. 8. *And be it enacted*, That Washington and Allegany Counties are hereby exempted from the operations of this law.

Exempt.