

vaccinated prior to the first day of November of each year. Any person failing to comply with the provisions of this section shall, on conviction thereof, forfeit and pay a sum not less than five nor more than ten dollars for each offence.

SEC. 9. The Vaccine Agent to be appointed under the provisions of this Act, shall give bond to the State of Maryland in the sum of three thousand dollars, conditioned for the faithful performance of his duties; said bond to be approved by the Comptroller of the State. To give bond

SEC. 11. The State Vaccine Agent is hereby required to take all steps necessary to reproduce from the cow true vaccine virus, for the use of physicians residing and practicing medicine and surgery in the State, and shall furnish none more than four removes from the cow, if practicable, and none that has not been produced under his own supervision and direction, *provided*, that he may take, use and furnish such virus furnished to him by any physician entrusted by him to procure the same, such virus not to be taken from the arm of a child less than three months old; and the said agent shall report annually to the Governor the *particular* of his expenditures, and other matters connected with the duties of his agency. True vaccine virus. Proviso. Report to the Governor.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the present State Agent shall remain in office during the term for which he was appointed, and nothing in this Act shall be so construed as to authorize his removal, so long as he shall comply with the provisions of this Act, and of the sections of the aforesaid article, of the Code of Public General Laws, not hereby repealed. Present State Agent to remain in office

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage. In force.

Approved April 1, 1872.