

sum in his possession arising from the sale of said land, over and above the amount of taxes, interest and costs, due at the time of said sale. Provided, nothing herein contained shall be construed to interfere with or defeat any sale of real estate made by said Treasurer heretofore, or any proceedings thereunder.

1910, ch. 10, sec. 237 (p. 1139).

**363.** The Treasurer shall issue whenever requested and upon the payment to him of a fee of fifty cents, a certified statement, over his signature, of all taxes assessed since the first day of January, 1908, that may be due and unpaid at the time of making said certificate and are a lien upon any certain real estate located in Somerset County and on any tax sale affecting said piece of property since that date. The said certificate shall be a bar to the collection or recovery from any purchaser of real estate after the issue of said certificate of any tax or assessment omitted therefrom and which may be a lien upon the real estate mentioned therein, but said certificate shall not affect the liability therefor of the person who owned the real estate at the time such tax was levied, or at any time after such levy and before the issue of said certificate, and said Treasurer shall be responsible to said county for any loss of taxes that may arise from error in said certificate.

1910, ch. 10, sec. 238 (p. 1139).

**364.** The Treasurer shall receive as compensation for his services as Treasurer and as clerk to the County Commissioners an annual salary of \$1,800 payable by Somerset County.

1910, ch. 10, sec. 239 (p. 1139). 1918, ch. 162. 1922, ch. 105.

**365.** The Treasurer shall appoint a deputy, who shall perform such duties as the said Treasurer may require, and for whose official conduct said Treasurer shall be responsible, and who shall act in his stead and place in his absence, and said deputy shall be paid by Somerset County an annual salary, the amount of which is to be determined by the County Commissioners of said county, provided, it shall in no event be more than twelve hundred dollars.\*

1910, ch. 10, sec. 240 (p. 1140).

**366.** The said County Treasurer shall be subject to removal from office at all times by the Judges of the Circuit Court of Somerset County upon conviction for wilful neglect of duty, misdemeanor or malfeasance in office, and said conviction shall be based upon presentment and indictment by the Grand Jury of Somerset County.

1910, ch. 10, sec. 241 (p. 1140).

**367.** The County Commissioners shall appoint and furnish the Treasurer an office in the Courthouse for transaction of his official business,

\*Ch. 264, 1927, amending secs. 364 and 365, was defeated on referendum vote on petition under Art. 16 of Md. Constitution.