

sioners to determine what housing facilities, homes and dwellings are within the meaning and purpose of this Act; provided, however, that such exemption from county taxation shall only be granted when said housing facilities, homes and dwellings do not exceed a cost of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars for one family; and, further provided, that housing facilities, homes and dwellings for more than one family and with more than one family apartment or suite of rooms shall be exempted within the purpose and meaning of this Act at the rate of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars for each such family, apartment or suite of rooms. Nothing in this Act shall be construed to exempt from taxation the land upon which such housing facilities, homes and dwellings shall be erected; provided, the exemption from county taxation authorized by this Act shall only be granted upon the application of the person, persons or corporations applying to the said County Commissioners for the benefit hereof.

See secs. 383 and 437.

TAX COLLECTOR.

1902, ch. 8. 1927, ch. 204.

803. The Tax Collector of Washington County shall before he acts as such give bond to the State of Maryland in the penalty of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars, either with some bonding or trust company doing business in the State of Maryland, and authorized by the laws of Maryland to act as surety on official bonds or with individuals as sureties upon said bonds, to be approved by the County Commissioners of said county, with the condition that if the above bounden shall well and faithfully execute his office, and shall account for and pay to the said County Commissioners the several sums of money received by him for or on account of taxes placed in his hands for collection, or for which he may be answerable, when and at the times required by law, then this obligation to be void, else to be and remain in full force and virtue in law; and such Collector shall also give a separate bond to the State of Maryland in a penalty of Fifty Thousand (\$50,000) Dollars, with a corporate surety to be approved by the Governor, with the condition that if the above bounded* shall well and faithfully execute his office, and shall account for to the Comptroller and pay to the Treasurer of the State, the several sums of money which he shall receive for the State, or be answerable for by law, at such times as the law shall direct, then the said obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

1914, ch. 130. 1918, ch. 345.

804. On the Tuesday after the first Monday in November, in the year nineteen hundred and fifteen, and on the same day every second year thereafter, there shall be elected by the qualified voters of Washington County a Tax Collector, who shall hold office for two years from the first day of April next ensuing his election, and be subject to removal therefrom

*"Bounden" probably intended.