

fication, the said sale shall, by the order and decree of the said court, be ratified and confirmed, and the purchaser shall have a good title; but if good cause, in the judgment of the said court, be shown in the premises, the said sale shall be set aside, in which case the said collector may proceed to a new sale of the property.

Approved and in force April 4, 1870.

1870, c. 216 further repeals section 74 in so far as the same may relate to Prince George's county.

#### PAYMENTS INTO TREASURY.

1870, c. 292 repeals the second and third sections of the Act passed at the January session, eighteen hundred and sixty eight, chapter three hundred and two, entitled "an Act to provide for refunding money paid into the treasury." [Sup. 1868, p. 224, sections 149 and 150.]

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#### VALUATION AND ASSESSMENT.

1870, c. 294 amends section 2 of the act of 1867, c. 341 [Sup. 1861-7, p. 384] by adding thereto the following words or proviso, exempting mortgages from assessment, and valuation, and repeals all acts inconsistent therewith:

186. \* \* \* \* Nor shall any tax of any kind be assessed, levied or collected on any mortgages of any kind, or on any mortgage or bill of sale upon any property in this state.

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1870, c. 362 entitled an act to assess and collect taxes on the property of the several railroad corporations chartered by the state of Maryland enacts as follows:

193. All and every provision contained in the charters, or supplements thereto, of any railroad company incorporated by the laws of this state, or contained in any law heretofore passed by the legislature of this state, whereby the stock or property, real or personal, of any railroad company, whose lines or line of railroad passes or may pass through or over any part of the territory of this state is exempted from taxation, are hereby repealed.

1870, c. 362, s. 1.  
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ters of railroads  
repealed.