

steps for the enforcement of the payment of said taxes either by notice, levy, advertisement or other proceeding, and if his term of office shall expire before the collection of said taxes, or before said proceedings are completed, the newly elected and qualified treasurer and collector is empowered and required to continue and complete said proceedings for the enforcement of the payment of said taxes and to collect the same in the same manner as is now provided by law, and with all the power and authority in law had by the retired treasurer and collector during his term of office for that period.

Effective SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved March 16th, 1892.

CHAPTER 134.

AN ACT to authorize the commissioners of Easton to borrow a sum of money for the payment of a certain debt due by said commissioners and heretofore contracted to meet the necessary expenses of the town of Easton, to issue bonds for the payment of the same, and to levy and collect taxes for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon.

Preamble. WHEREAS, the commissioners of Easton, the municipal corporation created by the laws of the State of Maryland, was on the first day of January, eighteen hundred and eighty-two indebted in the sum of ten thousand dollars for debts heretofore contracted on account of sundry necessary expenses of said corporation over and above its annual revenues; and whereas the annual revenue derived from taxes then authorized to be levied on the taxable property within the limits of said corporation, after discharging the current expenses of said corporation, were wholly insufficient for the payment of the said indebtedness, or any part thereof, and whereas the General Assembly of Maryland at its session of eighteen hundred and eighty-two, authorized said corporation, to issue bonds for the sum of ten thousand dollars, to be paid, with the interest on same, within ten years from the issue thereof by a special tax, on the taxable property within the limits of said corporation, and whereas the moneys arising from the said special tax so levied, have been sufficient to pay but seven thousand dollars, of the indebtedness aforesaid, leaving the sum of three