

against the said county, or any share or interest therein, whether the same has been or is to be passed upon and approved by the county commissioners, or to receive, enjoy or participate in any benefit, profit or emoluments arising from any such claim and demand, or from any agreement or contract made and entered into by the county commissioners of said county, except such claims, demands and agreements as arise directly to and with himself under, and in the discharge of the duties of his office.

39 B. If the grand jury by written information, statement, or request, containing one or more specific and direct charges showing incompetency or misconduct on the part of said treasurer shall so recommend, the Circuit Court for Allegany County is authorized and empowered to consider, try and determine such charges against the said treasurer, under such forms of procedure, rules and regulations as to the said Circuit Court may seem fit; and may remove from office the said treasurer for incompetency or misconduct; and the said county commissioners shall immediately appoint some other person to fill such vacancy for the residue of the term; provided that nothing in this section shall be construed so as to repeal, impair or conflict with the provisions of the public general laws relating to embezzlement; and the said Circuit Court, or any two judges thereof at any time in their discretion may appoint a judicious and expert accountant to carefully examine the vouchers, books, papers and funds under the charge of the said treasurer in his presence if he so elect, who shall make report thereof to the said court or judges as the case may be.

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tency, &c.

39 C. The said treasurer shall occupy the office of the county commissioners and keep the office open for business from ten o'clock in the forenoon until twelve o'clock noon, on not less than three days in each and every week except Sundays and legal holidays, unless a temporary leave of absence be granted by the board of county commissioners, and said treasurer shall hold himself ready at all other times to transact the business of his office necessary to the public interest and convenience.

Office  
hours.

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

Effective

Approved April 4th, 1892.