article one, of the Code of Public Local Laws, title, "Allegany County, sub-title "Westernport," as amended by the Repealed, act of eighteen hundred and ninety, chapter one hundred and thirty-five, be and the same is hereby revealed and re-enacted so as to read as follows:

Power to lay

249. The Commissioners shall have power to lay an equal tax on the property within the limits of said town to such an amount, each year not exceeding the sum of forty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of property, as may be deemed necessary, for the government of said town, which said taxes so levied and assessed shall be collected promptly by the bailiff of said town and by said bailiff paid over as collected or within ten days thereafter to the treasurer of said town appointed by said Commissioners, and the said bailiff shall have the same power to distrain for said taxes as the collector of Public County taxes has to distrain for the same, and the said Commissioners shall fix the amount of bond, rate of compensation and prescribe the duties respectively of said bailiff and treasurer, all property within the limits of Westernport, or that may have a situs there by reason of the residence of the owner therein, except as hereinafter provided, shall be taxed for municipal purposes and said Commissioners shall have power to appoint one or more assessors as in their judgment may be required ssors to assess all real and personal property and estate in said town at such times as they may deem necessary; and all vacancies occuring during the year from death, removal, resignation or any other cause, whether in the office of Commissioner of Westernport, or in any office under their control shall without delay be filled by appointment by the

Effective

Commissioners of Westernport. SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved, February 9th, 1892.

## CHAPTER 6.

AN ACT to appropriate a sum of money to pay the claim of Messrs. Thomas and Evans, printers and publishers of Baltimore City, for printing the State school report for the year of eighteen hundred and ninety.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Comptroller of the State be and is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant upon the Treasurer of the State, in favor of Thomas and Evans, printers,