

line county, and a copy thereof, certified in the usual form by the said clerk, shall be admitted as evidence in all the courts of this state, at law or in equity, and the aforesaid bond shall be liable to suit by said county commissioners or other persons interested therein.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That the person so elected treasurer for Caroline county shall, in addition to his duties as treasurer, perform all the duties of clerk to the county commissioners for said county, without any extra compensation whatsoever, and before entering on his duties, he shall take an oath of office before the clerk of the circuit court for Caroline county, in due form of law, faithfully to perform the duties of his office as county treasurer and clerk to the county commissioners for Caroline county.

Perform clerk's duties.

Take oath.

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted*, That if the person so elected treasurer under this provision of this act shall fail to deliver a bond to the said county commissioners, as herein provided, within sixty days from the date of his election, the said office shall be deemed vacant, and the said county commissioners, in such case, and also in case of death, resignation or failure to qualify of said treasurer, shall fill the vacancy by the appointment of some suitable person to fill said vacancy for the remainder of the term, who shall make, execute and deliver the bond and take the oath as hereinbefore required.

Vacancy.

How filled.

SEC. 6. *And be it enacted*, That 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 three o'clock in the afternoon each day in the week except Sundays and legal holidays, (unless a temporary leave of absence be granted by said commissioners,) and said treasurer shall receive a salary of one thousand dollars per annum.

Office hours.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That this shall not be construed so as to remove the present treasurer appointed to the county commissioners, but he shall continue to discharge the duties of treasurer and clerk until his successor shall have been elected and qualified under the provisions of this act.

How construed

Approved April 8, 1884.