CHAPTER 101.

AN ACT to refund to George S. Biddle, late collector of State taxes for Kent county, a certain sum of money erroneously paid by him into the State Treasury.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Comptroller of the Treasury be and he is appropriately authorized and directed to issue his warrant upon the Treasurer in favor of George S. Biddle, late collector of State taxes for the fourth district of Kent county, for the sum of sixteen dollars and nineteen cents, being the amount overpaid by the said George S. Biddle into the Treasury as collector aforesaid, for the years eighteen hundred and eighty-four and eighteen hundred and eighty-five, as certified by the Comptroller and Treasurer, the refunding thereof having received the recommendation of said officers.

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

Approved March 27th, 1896.

CHAPTER 102.

AN ACT to provide for the formation of Farmers' Institutes in the State of Maryland, and to appropriate a sum of money therefor.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That a department of Farmers' Institutes shall be established for the State of Maryland; that the purpose of these institutes shall be to bring before the farmers of the State such information as will effectually remedy many of the existing evils now prevalent in every department of agriculture as now pursued in Maryland; and that at said institutes men competent to instruct shall be present, and such topics shall be discussed as pertains to the principal agricultural interests of the several sections.

SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That one such institute shall be when to be held in each year in each county of the State, and an additional one in each county, if deemed necessary and desirable.