Effective.

SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect from the first day of May, 1896.

Approved April 4, 1896.

CHAPTER 416.

AN ACT to enable Nathan J. P. Tull, collector of State and county taxes for the first collection district, composed of Princess Anne, Dublin, Fairmount and Mount Vernon election districts of Somerset County, for the years eighteen hundred and ninety-two and eighteen hundred and ninety-three, to enforce the payment of the taxes not heretofore collected by him.

Preamble.

Whereas, The Act of the General Assembly of Maryland of eighteen hundred and ninety-four, chapter five hundred and seventy-eight, provided a new system for collecting revenue and taxes in Somerset county, to begin and be in operation only as to collection of taxes for the year eighteen hundred and ninety-four and subsequent thereto; and

Preamble.

Whereas, A certain Nathan J. P. Tull, of Somerset county, was duly appointed and duly qualified as collector of State and county taxes for the first collection district, composed of Princess Anne, Dublin, Fairmount and Mount Vernon election districts in Somerset county, for the years eighteen hundred and ninety-two and eighteen hundred and ninety-three, under laws which had theretofore provided the manner and means of enforcing a lien for taxes in said county, and to whose appointment, as aforesaid, the said act of eighteen hundred and ninety-four, chapter five hundred and seventy-eight, by its own terms did not apply, thereby repealing the said prior laws applicable thereto; and

Preamble.

WHEREAS, The said Nathan J. P. Tull has been unable wholly to collect the State and county taxes for the first collection district aforesaid for the years eighteen hundred and ninety-two and eighteen hundred and ninety three by reason of said repeal and want of any law to enforce the same; therefore,

Time for collecting taxes land, That all taxes heretofore levied by the County Commissioners of Somerset county for first district, composed of Prin-