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land passed at the January Session of 1900, entitled an Act providing for the election of a County Treasurer for Talbot County, and defining the duties and powers of said Treasurer, and to re-enact the same with amendments and to add two new Sections thereto to be known as Section 9 A and Section 13 A.

**Repeal and re-enact.** SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland.* That sections 4, 8, 9, 12, 13, 17, 22 and 25 of chapter 619 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at the January Session of 1900, entitled "An Act to provide for the election of a County Treasurer for Talbot county, and defining the duties and powers of said treasurer," be and the same are hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments, and two new sections, to be known as section 9 A and section 13 A, be added thereto, so as to read as follows:

**Oath to be taken.** Section 4. *And be it enacted,* That the person so elected, before he enters upon the duties of his said office, shall take an oath before the clerk of the Circuit Court for Talbot County faithfully to perform the duties of the same, and he shall also execute a bond to the State of Maryland in the penalty of fifty thousand dollars for the faithful performance of his duties of treasurer and as clerk to the County Commissioners of Talbot County, and further conditioned that he shall well and truly account for and be liable for any and all money coming into his possession as Treasurer, or for which he shall be answerable by law; which bond shall be secured by a fidelity or security company qualified to act as surety or guarantor under the laws of the State of Maryland, and shall be approved by the judges of the Circuit Court for Talbot County, or a majority of them, and thereafter be recorded in the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court for said county, the cost of said bond to be borne by said county.

**Bond to be given.**

**Levy to be made.** Section 8. That the County Commissioners shall make their annual levy for State and county taxes on or before the first Tuesday in June in each and every year, and the same shall be due and payable on the first day of January next succeeding the levy thereof; and on all county taxes paid on or before the first day of September a discount of three per cent. shall be allowed, and the Treasurer shall take the discount from the tax bills for county purposes regularly in the manner aforesaid, and shall note the same upon his books and upon the receipt for taxes so paid; but the discount allowed on county taxes by this section, or on State taxes provided by law, shall not be made to any person, set of persons, or corporate institution unless the whole amount of State and county taxes due