Drawing jurors. or otherwise unable to attend, or should be absent, and therefore not be found, it shall be the duty of said sheriff forthwith to return the fact of such death, disability or absence, and the said judges shall thereupon cause to be drawn from said box, in the manner hereinbefore directed, other names in the place and stead of the original who may be dead, disabled or absent, and shall cause the name or names of such person or persons so as last aforesaid drawn, to be inserted in said venire facias to be summoned as aforesaid; and it shall be the duty of the sheriff to summon the person named in said venire facias and make return thereof to the said court at the opening of its session; this section shall not apply to Prince George's county, nor to Dorchester, Wicomico or other counties, as to which special provision is made by the local law thereof.

Effective.

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

Approved April 6th, 1894.

CHAPTER 300.

AN ACT to repeal Section 37 of Article 19 of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Comptroller," as amended by Chapter 83 of the Acts of 1892, and to re-enact the same with amendments.

Repeal.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That section 37 of article 19 of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Comptroller," as amended by chapter 83 of the acts of 1892, be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted, so as to read as follows:

Comptroller authorized to settle claims against State. SEC. 37. The Comptroller is authorized and empowered to adjust and settle the claims of the State against all collectors, sheriffs, clerks of courts and registers of wills and other collectors or receivers of public moneys, and their securities, and against corporations and individuals who may be indebted to the State, in all cases where said claims occurred prior to and including the year 1892, and whether said claims be in the form of judgment or otherwise; and for the purpose of closing all such cases, the Comptroller is fully authorized to compromise the same by abating the interest that has accrued, or any