

pense of the party or parties requiring the same ; and the same, when so recorded, shall have the same effect and operation in law, to all intents and purposes, as if the records aforesaid, in which the said papers were heretofore recorded, had never been destroyed.

To take effect. Sec. 24. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect on the first day of March, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, and the funds unappropriated in the hands of the County Commissioners for Baltimore county, levied upon the county by the act passed March, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, to provide for the restoration of burnt records, shall be applied to carry out the provisions of this act.

Commissioner to collect papers. Sec. 25. *And be it enacted*, That it shall be the duty of the Commissioner, after proper notice having been given, to travel, if necessary, over the county or State, at his own expense, to collect papers to complete the said record.

CHAPTER 139.

Passed March 4, 1864. AN ACT to refund to Stephen R. Gore, late Collector of taxes for Carroll county, a sum of money erroneously paid by him into the Treasury of the State.

Authorized to pay. SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby directed to issue his warrant upon the Treasurer to pay to Stephen R. Gore, the sum of eight hundred and twenty-four dollars and fifty-five cents, it being the sum erroneously paid by him into the Treasury of the State ; *provided*, the Comptroller on the adjustment of the accounts of said Gore, shall be satisfied that the said amount has been erroneously paid by said Gore, or so much as the Comptroller may be satisfied has been erroneously paid as aforesaid.

Proviso.