

County, to be assessor for said election district of said County, except in election district number seven or Cambridge in which said named election district the Clerk to the County Commissioners of Dorchester County shall be the assessor for said election district, whose duty it shall be, by all lawful means to inform himself of all property of whatsoever nature, including stocks, bonds and other instruments created or acquired in their respective election districts, which is not included in the last revised list of assessments, and shall annually before the tenth day of April in each year value the same and shall make returns of such valuations, verified by affidavit, giving the name of the reputed owners of said property, together with the postoffice addresses, and the description and the value, as fixed by him, of such property, to the County Commissioners, who shall levy and pay to each of said assessors in full for their services, an amount not exceeding two dollars per thousand of newly assessed property in all election districts, except Cambridge district and not exceeding one dollar per thousand of newly assessed property in said last named district, and it shall be the duty of the Clerk to the County Commissioners to mail to the postoffice addresses of each person, as shown by said returns, a written notice warning such person of the intention of the County Commissioners after ten days from the date of such notice to assess to such person said property appearing by said return to belong to such person, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the expiration of ten days from date of such notice; and in the event that no good cause to the contrary be shown within the time limited by such notice to the County Commissioners shall proceed to assess such property to the persons appearing by said returns to be the owners thereof at the valuation placed thereon by such assessors; and nothing in this Section shall be construed to interfere with or affect the right, powers and duties of the County Commissioners under and by virtue of the General Laws of the State in relation to such new, or other assessments of property.

SEC. 121-B. The Treasurer shall issue when requested, and upon payment of a fee of fifty cents, a certified statement over his signature of all taxes assessed since the first day of January, 1915, that may be due and unpaid at the time of making said certificate, and are a lien upon any certain real estate located in Dorchester County, and of any tax sale affecting said piece of property since that date; and said certificate shall be a bar