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said county and district, whose compensation shall be five CHAP. 23. per cent. commission on the several amounts imposed with- Compensation in said county and district respectively; and if either of them should not accept said appointment, by filing a bond as collector, to be approved by the commissioners of said county and district, respectively, it shall be the duty of said commissioners to appoint some person as collector in his stead, at the same rate of compensation, who shall give bond, to be approved as aforesaid, any thing herein contained, to the contrary thereof notwithstanding; and provi-Talbot county ded also, that Henry P. Geohegan, of Talbot county, be and he is hereby appointed collector of the tax imposed by this act, within said county, whose compensation shall Compensation be six per cent. commission on the amount imposed on said county; and if he should not accept said appointment, by filing a bond as collector, to be approved by the commissioners of said county, it shall be the duty of said commissioners to appoint some person as collector in his stead, at the same rate of compensation, who shall give bond, to be approved as aforesaid, any thing herein contained, to the contrary thereof notwithstanding.

SEC. 46. And be it enacted, That it shall be the duty of Time for making several collectors, to proceed to the collection of the ing collections aforesaid assessment or tax, with all convenient despatch, so that one-fourth part at the least, may be collected on or before the first day of March, in the year eighteen hundred and forty-two, and one other fourth part on the first days of the months of June, September and December, in the same year; and in the collection thereof, the levy powers to be courts and commissioners of the several counties and of exercised Howard district, and mayor and city council of Baltimore, provided that the tax to be levied in the city of Baltimore, shall be collectable and returnable monthly, as hereinafter provided, and the collectors shall severally have and exercise all such powers and authorities as they now have or may exercise in the collection of taxes imposed for county

or city purposes.

Sec. 47. And be it enacted, That it shall be the duty Duty of collector of the collector of taxes for the city of Baltimore, on the tor of Balt. first Monday in March, and monthly thereafter, and of each and every other collector, on the first day in March, June, September and December, next succeeding his appointment, to account with and pay over to the Treasurer for his Shore, all monies which he may have collected, or ought to have collected as aforesaid; and he shall be entitled to receive a commission of not less than three nor