

missioners; *provided however*, that before such purchasers or their assigns shall so avail themselves of said schemes, they shall enter into bond to the State of Maryland, with sureties to be approved, and in penalty to be fixed by said commissioners of lotteries, or any one of them, for the punctual payment of all prizes that shall be drawn to such tickets; and the bond or bonds shall be filed, and may be sued as provided in cases of said bonds of said commissioners; and said commissioners shall make report, verified by affidavit, immediately upon making the sale or sales of a scheme or schemes as aforesaid, particularly certifying the amounts and terms of such sales.

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Proviso

To make report

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted*, That when the said commissioners, shall in place of selling a scheme, sell the tickets therein, it shall be the duty of the commissioners to pay the prizes which may be drawn to such tickets, which obligation shall be deemed to be within the condition of their bond or bonds aforesaid.

To pay prizes drawn, &c

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That any vacancies that may from time to time occur by resignation, death, declining to act, or any other cause, in the board of the said commissioners, shall be filled by the commissioners of Caroline county, the persons appointed to such vacancies being however hereby required before they shall be competent to act, to enter into bond with sureties and condition and in penalty as prescribed by the second section of this act in regard to the commissioners herein named.

Vacancies: how filled

To bond

SEC. 6. *And be it enacted*, That this act and the privileges, franchises and rights conferred hereby, shall expire and cease to be exercised at the expiration of five years from and after the passage of this act.

In force

CHAPTER 242.

An act to extend the act passed December session hundred and thirty-eight, chapter one hundred and *in* *Passed Mar. 11,*
teen, entitled an act to authorise Thomas M. D. Baden, *1840.*
Collector of Taxes of Prince George's County, further
time to complete his collections.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, *Time extended*
 That the act entitled an act to authorise Thomas M. D. Baden, collector of taxes of Prince George's county, fur-