and they are hereby added to said Code, said new sections to be known as Section 445, to follow immediately after Section 444, and Sections 469A to 469D, inclusive, to follow immediately after Section 469, and all to read as follows:

- 438. In the year eighteen hundred and seventy-five and every fourth year thereafter at the general election for members of the House of Delegates, there shall be elected a Treasurer for Prince George's County by the qualified voters of said county, who shall hold his office for four years and until a successor shall be elected and qualified; and be subject, at all times, to be removed for wilful neglect of duty or misdemeanor in office, upon conviction in a court of law. His official title shall be "Treasurer of Prince George's County." The Treasurer shall be eligible for re-election.
- 445. The Treasurer shall be entitled to appoint such clerk or clerks as he may deem necessary, and for whose official conduct he shall be responsible; said clerk or clerks to be paid by the County Commissioners.

The Treasurer shall be entitled to appoint a secretary to assist him in the discharge of his official duties, and said secretary shall receive in full compensation for the discharge of his or her official duties the sum of not less than Three Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars (\$3,800.00) per year which shall be payable semi-monthly. Said secretary shall be responsible only to the Treasurer and shall not be governed by or included in any County personnel laws or County Merit System now existing or hereafter enacted.

455. The Treasurer of Prince George's County shall receive in full compensation for the discharge of his official duties as collector of taxes levied for State and county purposes the sum of five Seven Thousand Five Hundred Dollars [(\$5,000.00)] (\$7,500.00) for each year of his term of office, which shall be payable semi-monthly [; and shall receive no other compensation for the collection of any taxes whether State, county, municipal, Park and Planning Commission or Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission], provided that there shall be no change in his salary received by the Treasurer of Prince George's County until April 1, 1955. The Treasurer of Prince George's County shall be reimbursed for expenses incurred in the transaction of his official duties, provided that the amount of such reimbursement shall not exceed the amount of Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500.00) in any one year. The