

thereafter, shall ascertain the amount of the money collected in their county from the tax herein before imposed, by a certificate from the clerk of their county, and thereupon the said justices, after deducting the sum so paid by their clerk, shall lay such sum on their county as will make up the deficiency of the sum payable by their county as aforesaid, towards the annual allowance to the chief justice of their district, and a commission of six *per cent.* for collection; and if there shall be any surplus of the money paid into the treasury by the clerk of any county, beyond what will pay the quota of such county, the said surplus shall be applied to the use of the said county, and the same shall be paid by the treasurer to the order of the justices of the levy court.

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XXII. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the respective levy courts shall, sometime in the month of May next, and in the same month in every year for ever thereafter, appoint the judges of the several elections to be held within this state, and that the judges so appointed shall have the same power and authority, and subject to the same penalties, as the judges heretofore appointed by the county courts; provided, that nothing herein contained shall extend to the cities of Baltimore or Annapolis.

Courts to ap-
point judges,
&c.

XXIII. AND BE IT ENACTED, That so much of the act to regulate elections as authorise the several county courts to appoint judges of elections, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Part of an act
repealed.

XXIV. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the clerk of every county shall yearly, on or before the first day of April, certify under his hand and seal of office, the amount of the assessable property in his county, and lodge one certificate thereof with the clerks of each county in his district, under the penalty of fifty dollars.

Clerk to certi-
fy, &c.

XXV. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the levy courts for the several counties of this state be and they are hereby directed to transmit to the treasurer of their respective shores a certificate of the amount levied for the allowance to the chief justice of their district, and also a copy of the collector's bond appointed to collect the same, and also the amount put into each collector's hands for collection, where there are more than one collector appointed in any one county to collect the same.

Courts to
transmit a cer-
tificate, &c.

XXVI. AND BE IT ENACTED, That all monies levied by the justices of the levy court in the several counties of this state towards paying the salaries of the said chief justices, shall hereafter be paid by the sheriffs or collectors collecting the same to the treasurer of their respective shore; and if any collector or clerk shall not pay the money intrusted to his collection by virtue of this act to the treasurer of his respective shore within thirty days after the same shall become due, it shall be lawful for the said treasurer to file an attested copy of such collector's bond, or a proved account of the sum due from such clerk, in the general court of the eastern and western shore respectively, and the clerk of the general court shall immediately thereupon issue a *capias ad respondendum* against such collector and securities, or against such clerk, returnable to the next succeeding court, and judgment or trial shall be had at the first term, without any imparlance or delay, and thereupon execution shall issue against such collector and his securities, and against such clerk, for such sum as by the judgment of the court shall appear to be due.

Monies, to
whom to be
paid, &c.

XXVII. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the clerks of the respective county courts shall, under the penalty of fifty dollars for every omission or neglect, in the month of November yearly, during the continuance of this act, make out and transcribe two fair copies of the levy list allowed by the justices of the respective levy courts against the said counties, containing the several charges and sums levied and assessed on their respective counties, one copy whereof shall be transmitted to the clerk of the senate, and the other copy thereof to the clerk of the house of delegates, for the information of the general assembly.

Clerks to make
out copies, &c.

XXVIII. AND BE IT ENACTED, That each associate justice, appointed and commissioned in virtue of this act, shall receive, as a compensation for his services, the sum of four dollars for every day he shall attend the duty of his office, and the said allowance shall be assessed in the assessment of his county.

Compensation
to each associ-
ate.

XXIX. AND, whereas by divers acts of assembly the justices of the county courts are authorised and enjoined to do sundry matters and things at the county courts to be held in certain months in the said acts mentioned, and in many instances there is an alteration of the time of holding the said county courts by this act, BE IT ENACTED, That in all cases where the courts are

Justices to do
certain mat-
ters, &c.