

Dec. Ses. 1821.

Baltimore county, the sum of nine thousand seven hundred and thirty-four dollars; on Anne-Arundel county, the sum of one thousand nine hundred and sixty-two dollars; on Prince-George's county, the sum of one thousand five hundred and thirty-eight dollars; on Calvert county, the sum of four hundred and eighty-two dollars; on Saint Mary's county, the sum of seven hundred and ninety dollars; on Charles county, the sum of one thousand three hundred and forty-eight dollars; on Montgomery county, the sum of one thousand and twenty-two dollars; on Frederick county, the sum of two thousand eight hundred and thirty four dollars; on Washington county, the sum of one thousand four hundred and seventy four dollars, and on Allegany county, the sum of four hundred and seventy-four dollars; which said amount or sum shall be collected in the same manner and by the same collector or collectors as county charges are collected; the levy courts respectively taking bond with sufficient security from each collector, for the faithful collection and payment of the money in the treasury of the eastern or western shores, as the case may be, to and for the use of the state.

Collectors to pay into the treasury.

2. AND BE IT ENACTED, That it shall be the duty of such collectors, to pay into the treasury of the eastern or western shores, as the case may be, the sum so as aforesaid to be by them collected, on or before the last Monday of December, in each and every year after the same shall have been levied.

Neglect.

3. AND BE IT ENACTED, That in all cases where any collector shall have collected any sum or sums of money for the use of the state, and shall neglect to pay over the same to the treasurer of the eastern or western shores, as the case may be, at the time appointed by this law for the payment thereof, it shall and may be lawful, and the several county courts of this state are hereby required, upon motion made on behalf of the state, to order a judgment to be entered and an immediate execution to issue thereon against the person or property of such collector, to levy and compel the payment of such sum of money so due and payable; *Provided*, that ten days previous notice of such intended motion be delivered in writing to such collector, or left at his place of abode, and proof thereof be made to the satisfaction of such court to which such application shall be made; *and provided also*, if such collector shall, in person or by attorney, desire a jury to be impannelled to ascertain the sum in his hands so due and payable, the said court shall direct a jury to be immediately charged to try and ascertain between the state and the said party, whether the said collector is chargeable with and liable to pay any and what sum or sums of money to the state; and upon such verdict of the jury, to pass judgment in the name of the state, against the said collector, upon which there shall be no writ of error, supersedeas or appeal, and to award execution thereon as upon all other cases of judgments had in the said court.

Proviso.

Duration.

4. AND BE IT ENACTED, That this act shall continue in force for three years from and after the first day of April next.

Collectors of Baltimore county.

5. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the collectors of Baltimore county shall make their returns or payments to the treasurer of the levy court, who shall forthwith pay over the same to the treasurer of the western shore of Maryland; and if such treasurer shall omit to pay over to the treasurer of the western shore as prescribed by this