

- Qualification.** that may be offered for inspection; *Provided, however,* the person so appointed shall first take the oath or affirmation of office, as the case may be, now directed by law to be taken by the inspectors; and the said sick or disabled inspector, and his securities, shall be answerable for all tobacco inspected and passed by the person so appointed by him, in the same manner as if he had personally officiated.
- Repair or re-building of warehouse.** **SEC. 3.** *And be it enacted,* That whenever any of the said warehouses shall require repairing or re-building, it shall be the duty of the said inspectors to notify the governor of the same, who shall thereupon appoint as many persons as he may deem necessary, not exceeding three, to act as commissioners in contracting for, and superintending the said necessary repairs and re-building; and after the same shall have been completed, the costs and expenses thereof shall be paid for by the treasurer of the western shore, out of the tobacco inspection fund for Prince George's county, which may be paid into the treasury by said inspectors, if there should be sufficient for that purpose remaining in the treasury, unexpended or unapplied, and if there be not sufficient of said fund for that purpose remaining in the treasury, then and in that case, said expenses for repairs and re-building shall be paid for by the treasurer aforesaid, out of any unappropriated money in the treasury, in which latter event, for the purpose of re-imbursing the state for any sum or sums thus paid out of the treasury on account of said repairs and re-building, the legislature shall, at its next session thereafter, impose by law such an additional tax or increase of outage on the tobacco to be inspected in said warehouses as will be sufficient to raise the sum or sums so paid out of the treasury aforesaid, which sum or sums shall be paid into the treasury by the inspectors aforesaid, to re-imburse the state for the amount thus expended in said repairs and re-building.
- Payment therefor. From tobacco fund.** **SEC. 4.** *And be it enacted,* That the provisions of this act, and of the original act to which this is a supplement, shall not be construed so as to relate or extend to any tobacco which may have been in said warehouses, or any of them, and which shall have been inspected prior to the first Monday in February in the year eighteen hundred and thirty-nine, but all the revenue which shall have accrued, or which may become due for the same, shall be paid to the late inspectors thereof, to be by them paid over and accounted for to the levy court of said county in the usual manner, as heretofore required by law.
- If inadequate, from treasury.** **SEC. 5.** *And be it enacted,* That until the first day of April, in the year eighteen hundred and forty, the charges for outage, portorage and sealing to be paid by the purchaser or owner of each hogshead of tobacco inspected at, and removed from any
- Re-imburement.**
- Tobacco inspected prior to February, 1839, exempt.**
- Outage regulated.**