

penalties thereto affixed, they may affix thereto such reasonable fines, not exceeding fifty dollars in any case, as to them may appear right, and in default of the payment of a fine imposed they may provide for the imprisonment of the offenders for a period not exceeding thirty days, or until the fines are paid; provided, however, that nothing in this Act shall be construed to lessen or impair the local law now in force in Montgomery county prohibiting the sale, bartering and trading, directly or indirectly, of intoxicating liquors, but that said local law shall remain in full force and effect as to that portion of the Town of Takoma Park embraced within the limits of said Montgomery county in every particular as if this Act had never been passed.

Approved March 27, 1900.

CHAPTER 113.

AN ACT to authorize and empower the Commissioners of St. Michaels to borrow money on the credit of said town for the purpose of constructing Water Works and Electric Lights for said town, to issue bonds for the payment of the same, and to levy taxes on the assessable property of said town to redeem said bonds, and pay the interest thereon.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That for the purpose of establishing, constructing and maintaining water works and electric light plant for the town of St. Michaels, the Commissioners of St. Michaels are hereby authorized and empowered, if in their judgment they deem it expedient and proper, to borrow money on the credit and faith of said town to an amount not exceeding fifteen thousand dollars, and to issue bonds of said town in payment of said sum so to be borrowed. Of the moneys arising from the sale of said bonds, the sum of twelve thousand dollars shall be used for the construction of water works and the service connections, and three thousand dollars shall be used for the construction and equipment of an electric light plant. The said bonds shall be for sums not less than fifty dollars nor more than one thousand dollars each, to be signed by the President of the Board of Commissioners of St. Michaels, and countersigned by the clerk to said Commissioners, with corporate seal of said town thereto affixed, and to be registered by said clerk in a separate book to be especially provided for the purpose. The said bonds shall be issued at such time as

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