

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 236 of Article 22 of the Code of Public Local Laws, title "Washington County," sub-title "Hancock," as enacted by Chapter 478 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of the year 1892, be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, so as to read as follows:

Hancock,
Washington
County.

236. All property within the limits of Hancock, or what may have a situs there by reason of the residence of the owner therein, shall be taxed for municipal purposes, and the assessment for town purposes shall be the same as that for State and county purposes; and in case any real estate assessed for State and county purposes be divided by the town boundaries, the Burgess and Commissioners of Hancock shall place a fair valuation upon that contained within the town limits, and make a just apportionment of said assessment; should any property liable to be taxed for town purposes be omitted in the county assessment the said Burgess and Commissioners shall have power to include said property in the town assessment, and impose a just valuation thereon; and the said Burgess and Commissioners shall annually levy on the assessable property of the town all needful taxes not exceeding in amount one hundred cents on every one hundred dollars worth of assessable property for municipal purposes, and such further sums that are now or may hereafter be authorized by law for the liquidation of indebtedness; and the said Burgess and Commissioners may appoint a collector to collect such taxes, prescribe his term of office, duties, fix his compensation and exact bond from him for the faithful discharge of his duties; and such collector shall pay over such taxes as collected by him to the said Burgess and Commissioners; any taxes levied in pursuance of the provisions of this section shall be a lien as now provided by law and shall be collected as State and county taxes are collected.

Property taxed
within town
limits to be
taxed for
municipal
purposes.

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SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 12, 1904.

CHAPTER 692.

AN ACT to declare the sanction and consent of the General Assembly of Maryland to sundry gifts, bequests and devises contained in the last wills and testaments of certain persons deceased, and also to certain gifts, grants, sales,