

dinances, in addition to the action of debt or such other civil remedies as may exist in such cases by law for the recovery of penalties thereto affixed, they may affix thereto such reasonable fines, not exceeding twenty-five dollars in any case, as to them appear right, and in default of the payment of any fine imposed, they may provide for the imprisonment of the offender for a period not exceeding ten days, or until the fine be paid; and, instead of the aforesaid penalties, it shall be lawful, in case of the conviction of any person for vagrancy, to sentence such person to hard work for a period not exceeding ten days. Imprisonment may, in the discretion of the Burgess, be either in the Washington County jail or in the lockup or station house of Boonsborough, if such be constructed.

Fines not to exceed \$25 for violations of ordinances.

54. The Burgess and Council of Boonsborough shall have for the use of the citizens of the town and for use in case of and are hereby vested with power and authority to contract with any water company for the purpose of securing water fire, and the Burgess and Council shall have and are hereby vested with power and authority to levy taxes in addition to the amount now authorized by law, sufficient to meet the requirements of any contract executed under the provisions of this section.

To levy taxes for procuring water through a company.

55. The Burgess and Council of Boonsborough shall have and are hereby vested with power and authority to grant the use of the streets and highways of the town unto any street railway company, the motive power whereof shall be either horses or electricity, and prescribe the terms and conditions upon which such use shall be allowed.

Street franchises.

56. All ordinances heretofore passed by the Burgess and Council of Boonsborough, and now in force and not in conflict with the provisions of this sub-title of this Article, are continued in force until the same are repealed or modified.

Prior ordinances.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the following new sections, to be known as Sections 56A, 56B, 56C, 56D, 56E, 56F, 56G, 56H, 56I, 56J, 56K, 56L, 56M, 56N, 56O, 56P, 56Q, 56R, 56S, 56T, 56U and 56V, be and the same are hereby added to Article 22 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Washington County," sub-title "Boonsborough:"

New sections to Act.

56A. All ordinances passed in pursuance of the powers conferred by Section 53 shall be sent to the Burgess for his approval. He shall return the same to the next regular or special meeting of the Council with his approval or disapproval.

Ordinances to be sent to the Burgess.