

good order of the community, and for protection of the lives and property of the citizens and inhabitants of said city, and for the suppression, abatement and discontinuance of nuisances within the limits of said city; for the purpose of carrying out the foregoing powers the Mayor and Council may pass any and all ordinances and by-laws from time to time deemed necessary, and may enforce and insure the observance of such by-laws and ordinances in addition to the usual action of debt or such other civil remedies as may exist in such cases by law for the recovery of fees, fines and penalties thereto affixed, they may affix thereto reasonable penalty for default of payment of any fine and cost imposed for a violation of any ordinance or by-law.

158p. *And be it enacted*, That to encourage manufacturers in the City of Salisbury, the Mayor and Council are authorized when they see fit so to do, to exempt the plant of any manufacturing company or association hereafter located within the corporate limits of said City from taxation for corporate purposes for a period not exceeding five years but any ordinance, resolution or contract which exempts any property, except such as a manufacturing plant or for a period longer than five years, shall be absolutely null and void in all respect whatever.

158q. *And be it enacted*, That the County Commissioners of Wicomico County may levy upon the taxable property of Wicomico county and pay over to the Mayor and Council of Salisbury to be used and expended by said Mayor and Council exclusively on the Maintenance and Improvement of the Streets of Salisbury aforesaid a sum of money not exceeding five thousand dollars in any one year.

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

Approved April 11, 1912.

CHAPTER 637.

AN ACT making appropriations for the support of the State Government for the fiscal year ending on the thirtieth day of September, nineteen hundred and fourteen.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That for the expenditures in the support of the State Government for the fiscal year beginning with the first day of October, nineteen hundred and thirteen, and ending with the thirtieth day of September, nineteen hundred and fourteen, the