

issuing of licenses or permits for all hawking, peddling and vending and vending of wares, merchandise of every description upon the streets and highways of the town, to impose and demand a license from all players or showmen exhibiting within said town and to provide for licensing theatres and to regulate or restrain theatrical or other public amusements within said town; to regulate and license the business of conducting restaurants, saloons, hotels or any other business enterprise carried on within the said town, to license carriages, wagons or other vehicles used in said town and upon the streets thereof for the purpose of carrying passengers or goods; to regulate and license auctioneers, who cry any sale or sales on the public street. To insure the observance of said ordinances, occupations, activities or offenses set forth in said ordinances in addition to the action of debt or such other civil remedies as may exist in such cases by law for the recovery of the penalties thereunto affixed, they may affix such reasonable fine, not exceeding one hundred dollars (\$100.00) in any case, as to them may 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 thirty (30) days, or until the fine is paid, which imprisonment may be in the town lockup or in the county jail.

Norwood v. Wiseman, 141 Md. 701. Westernport v. Green, 144 Md. 86. Kimmell v. Westernport, 140 Md. 506.

1912, ch. 728.

652. The Commissioners of Westernport shall have the power to build, construct, operate and maintain an electric light works in the Town of Westernport for the purpose of lighting the streets and highways of said town, and to sell and furnish electric light and power to the citizens of said town for domestic and manufacturing purposes.

1920, ch. 714, sec. 13.

653. The Mayor and Commissioners of Westernport may at any time provide by ordinance for the codification or recodification of such ordinances as have been or may hereafter be passed by them, and for the printing of such codification or recodification thereof; and the printed copy of any ordinance or codification issued by authority and under the sanction of said body shall be legal evidence of the passage of said ordinance and the contents thereof in any court of law or equity in this State.

1920, ch. 714, sec. 14.

654. The Mayor and Commissioners of Westernport shall annually cause to be made up, printed and distributed among the citizens of the town of Westernport a detailed financial statement of the town's affairs, showing the financial resources of the town and the existing liabilities, as well as the income for the previous year and the expenditures during the same, which statement shall be made up and distributed not later than the month of June.