

by virtue of the above provision shall be liens on the respective lots or parcels of ground on which they are assessed from the time of the final ratification of the return made to "The Commissioners of Leonardtown" and shall be collected as taxes are collected, or may be collected by action at law.

1914, chs. 423 and 594, sec. 69B.

105. In order to further increase the revenues to be expended by "The Commissioners of Leonardtown, for municipal improvements within the corporate limits thereof, the County Commissioners of St. Mary's County are hereby authorized, required and directed to pay over to said Commissioners of Leonardtown all moneys derived from the issuance of liquor licenses to persons authorizing them to sell intoxicating liquors within the corporate limits of said town; which is not necessary and is not used to pay the interest on and redeem the County Bonds authorized under Chapter 4 of the Acts of 1902 and which by the existing or any future law they are or may be required to pay to St. Mary's County, and to the Treasurer thereof upon order of the County Commissioners.*

1904, ch. 401, sec. 70.

106. Said Commissioners may annually appoint one or more active and discreet persons to act as bailiff within the corporate limits of said town, who, before he proceeds to act as such, shall make oath, to be administered by a justice of the peace for St. Mary's County, that he will faithfully and impartially perform the duties required of him as bailiff, without favor or affection, according to the best of his skill and judgment, and he shall execute a bond with sureties, to be approved by the Commissioners in such penalty as they may require, for the faithful performance of his duties as town bailiff. The said bailiff shall have, within the corporate limits of "The Commissioners of Leonardtown," all the powers held and exercised by the constables of this State; he shall attend the meetings of the said Commissioners, when notified by them to do so, and shall perform such services and duties as are or shall be imposed upon him by law, ordinance or by order of the Commissioners; he shall arrest and take before some justice of the peace in St. Mary's County, to be dealt with according to the laws of Maryland or the ordinances passed by "The Commissioners of Leonardtown"; any person found violating any of the laws of Maryland, or any of the ordinances made or passed by "The Commissioners of Leonardtown," within the corporate limits of said town, and any one resisting said bailiff in the discharge of his duties shall be liable, upon conviction, to be punished in the same manner and to the same extent as if he had resisted a constable.

1904, ch. 401, sec. 71.

107. The Sheriff of St. Mary's County shall receive and safe keep in

*Sec. 2, chs. 423 and 594, 1914, repealed all laws inconsistent with sec. 105. Sec. 69A of said chapter authorized the town commissioners to issue \$5,000 of public improvement bonds.