

made out an alphabetical list of the persons chargeable therewith, and shall affix opposite their names the respective sums to be collected from each person, and shall specify the amount levied and annex to the said list a warrant to the tax collector to collect the same; and the said tax collector shall upon the receipt of said warrant and list be forthwith chargeable with the aggregate amount of the taxes levied as shown by said warrant and list and with interest thereon from the time when the person owing the same shall be chargeable therewith, and it shall be his duty to collect the same, and the said tax collector before he proceeds to collect any of said taxes shall give bond to the State of Maryland with sureties owning real estate to be approved by said mayor and city council in a penalty not less than double the amount of taxes levied, for the faithful discharge of his duties; and the said tax collector shall within sixty days after the receipt of said warrant and list render to each person named therein an account of his tax, and if by reason of the absence from said city of the party so named therein or otherwise the said tax collector is unable to deliver said account to him, then he shall within said sixty days set up and expose the same to public view upon the assessed premises, and unless said taxes be paid within thirty days after the delivery of such account or the posting of the same upon the property assessed, said tax collector may collect the same by distress and sale of the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of the delinquents; and said tax collector shall make to the mayor and city council monthly returns and payments in such manner as may be by them directed of all taxes collected by him; and said tax collector shall receive such compensation for his services as said mayor and city council may determine not exceeding five per cent. of the amount levied; and any tax collector who shall violate any of the provisions of this section shall be subject to the same penalties and liabilities as are the collectors of State and county taxes of Harford county.

Taxes.

156. After the proceedings required by the preceding section shall have been had, if the taxes are not then paid the tax collector shall levy upon any property of the delinquent, and after giving ten days' notice for personal property, and for real estate twenty days' notice, of the time and place of sale by advertisement in at least one newspaper in the city of Havre-de-Grace, and if none be published there, then in at least one newspaper published in the county, and by notice set up at the city hall, he shall then and there agreeably to said advertisement and notice, either on the premises or at the door of the city Hall of Havre-de-Grace, proceed to sell by public auction the property so levied on for cash to the highest bidder, retaining out of the proceeds of such sales the amount of taxes due from such delinquent with interest thereon, together with all the costs incurred in making the sale, and paying the surplus if any there be to the owner thereof.

Notice.