

ployee of the said Mayor and City Council of Baltimore shall disburse any money therefor; and the power of said Mayor and City Council to levy and collect taxes and appropriate and disburse money for the payment of the police force organized and employed under this sub-division of this Article shall be exercised as herein directed, and not otherwise; and in case the amount so as aforesaid to be estimated by the said Board shall from any cause prove insufficient for the necessary expenses for the current year, the said Board is authorized and empowered to issue certificates and raise money therefrom, as hereinbefore provided, to meet the said exigency; *provided*, however, that no additional issue shall exceed the sum of fifty thousand dollars in any one year, and that the amount thereof shall be added to the estimate, assessment and levy for the year next ensuing, and that said certificates shall not be made payable at an earlier day than twelve months from the date of their issue, but may be receivable in payment of City taxes at any time they may be so presented.

748. It shall be the duty of the Sheriff of Baltimore City, whenever called on for that purpose by said Board, to act under their control for the preservation of the public peace and quiet, and if ordered by them to so do, he shall summon the *posse comitatus* for that purpose, and hold and employ such *posse*, subject to their discretion in case the said Board shall deem it necessary; they shall call out such military force, lawfully organized or existing in said City, as they may see fit, to aid them in preventing threatened disorder or opposition to the laws, or in suppressing insurrection, riot or disorder on election days, and at all other times; and it shall be the duty of said military force so called out, to obey such orders as may be given them by said Board; whenever the exigency or circumstances may, in their judgment, warrant it, the said Board shall have the power to assume the control and command of all conservators of the peace in the City of Baltimore, whether sheriffs, constables, police or others, and they shall act under the orders of the said Board, and not otherwise; and in case of the refusal of the said sheriff, or any policeman, constable, or other peace officer or persons, to obey any lawful command of said Board under