

Sec. 17. The Clerk shall enter all ordinances passed by the Burgess and Commissioners, and signed by the Burgess, in a book to be kept by him for that purpose, and they shall at all times be open to the inspection of any person interested, and copies of all ordinances shall be put up in the most public places in said town. Duty of the Clerk.

Sec. 18. They may appoint annually a Collector of Taxes in said town, and if any person so appointed shall refuse to act, become disqualified, resign or remove from said town, may appoint another in his place; and in case of the absence or other inability of the Collector, the Burgess may direct any precept by him issued to any Constable residing in said town, who shall serve and return the same in the same manner as process issued by a Justice of the Peace. Collector.

Sec. 19. The Collector shall give bond, with sufficient security, to the Burgess and Commissioners, for the true and faithful performance of his duties; and such bond shall be liable as Constables bonds are by law. Bond.

Sec. 20. He shall act as a town Constable, and shall have power to preserve the peace and good order of the town, and shall collect all taxes levied by the Burgess and Commissioners, and shall have the same power to distrain therefor as Collectors of county taxes. Constable.

Sec. 21. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage. In force.

CHAPTER 251.

AN ACT to empower the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, to levy and collect taxes on all property within the corporate limits of the city of Baltimore, which is not otherwise specially exempted from taxation. Passed March 10, 1862.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the Mayor and City Council No property exempt from taxation.