

of the peace. The Chief of Police shall give bond to the State of Maryland, executed by a surety company, licensed to do business in the State of Maryland, to be approved by the Mayor in the sum of five hundred (\$500) Dollars, conditioned for the faithful performance of his duties as Chief of Police, and the premium of said bond, if any there be, shall be paid out of the town treasury. The Chief of Police shall report at all regular meetings of the Council for the purpose of furnishing any desired information concerning any of the affairs of the town or upon matters which may be under consideration by the Mayor and Council.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved March 20th, 1914.

#### CHAPTER 143.

AN ACT to authorize and empower the Mayor and Council of Easton to erect, construct, equip, maintain and operate an Electric Light and power plant for the purpose of lighting the streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, squares and ways of Easton and for other municipal purposes, and for supplying light, heat and power to the citizens of Easton, and vicinity, and to borrow on the faith and credit of the said town, thirty thousand (\$30,000) dollars, and to issue notes or bonds or other evidences of indebtedness therefor, and to provide for the payment of the same with interest thereon.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Mayor and Council of Easton be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to erect, construct, equip, maintain and operate a plant for manufacturing and supplying electric current for lighting the streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, squares and ways of Easton and for other municipal purposes, and for supplying light, heat and power to the citizens of Easton and vicinity and to fix rates and make contracts for supplying the same.

SEC. 2. That for the purpose of paying for said plant and appurtenances thereto the Mayor and Council of Easton are authorized and directed to borrow on the faith and credit of the town of Easton not exceeding the sum of thirty thousand (\$30,000) dollars and to issue coupon bonds therefor, in sums of five hundred (\$500) dollars each, to be signed by the Mayor of Easton and countersigned by the Town Clerk thereof, at