

of any person violating any town ordinance, when in the judgment of the said Mayor, or of the constable or police of the town, the delay necessary to the issuing of warrants would be dangerous to the peace and quiet of the town, or to the lives, limbs or property of the citizens; and when it shall appear that offender is intoxicated so as to render it unsafe to permit him to ride or drive through the streets of said town, shall provide for the custody of the horses, vehicle or vehicles, ridden or driven by such persons, in some place of safety until such offender or offenders shall become sober; and the said Commissioners shall by ordinance, subject the property so taken and deposited to the payment of all costs of the proceedings, and the keeping of the said property, until the same shall be released according to law.

SEC. 15. *And be it enacted*, That the bailiff and that the other officers of the peace appointed by the said Commissioners, under the powers conferred by this Act, are hereby vested with the same power and authority as any constable or police officer may have under the laws of the State.

SEC. 16. *And be it enacted*, That the said Commissioners shall have the power to levy and collect taxes in said town, not exceeding in any one year one and one-quarter cents on the dollar on all assessable property in said town, on the same basis of assessment as the said property shall for the said year be assessed for State and county purposes; provided, that all property in said corporate limits used for agricultural purposes shall only be assessed as such agricultural property and not as town lots. The said Commissioners of Highland Beach shall, annually, on or before March 1st of each year, certify to the County Commissioners of Anne Arundel County the rate of taxation desired by them to be assessed and collected on the property within the corporate limits of said town, and such rate or percentage shall be by the county authorities duly extended upon said property upon the tax books of said county in a separate column, said taxes to be extended upon the certificate of the Commissioners as aforesaid, and collected in the same way and with the same fees and commissions to officers, if any, as State and county taxes are extended and collected; and in default of payment of said taxes, the county authorities shall enforce the collection thereof in the same manner as is provided by law for the collection of State and county taxes. Said taxes shall be received by the county treasurer, and shall be paid by him as received to the treasurer of Highland Beach.