

Section 24. That the Clerk of Federalsburg making sale of property for the payment of taxes due and in arrears shall be entitled to the same fees as is allowed a Sheriff by law for selling property under execution.

Section 25. That the Mayor on the first Monday of May of each and every year shall appoint, subject to confirmation by a majority of the Council, not more than three persons as policemen, who shall hold office for one year or until his successor is appointed, confirmed and qualified, and whose duties and compensation shall be such as are prescribed by law and by ordinance or resolution of the Mayor and Council of Federalsburg from time to time, and who shall within the limits of said town and beyond them within one-half mile thereof have all the police powers of constables of the State of Maryland, and it shall be their duty to enforce the by-laws and ordinances of the Mayor and Council of Federalsburg and the laws of the State of Maryland in relation to crimes and misdemeanors committed within the limits of said town, and the regular policemen before entering upon the duties of their office shall each take and subscribe before a Justice of the Peace of Caroline County an oath to well and faithfully, without partiality or prejudice, perform the duties of his office in all things according to the laws of the State and the ordinances of the Mayor and Council of Federalsburg, and to enforce said laws and said ordinances to the best of his ability, which oath shall be certified to by the Justice of the Peace before whom it shall be taken and filed with the Clerk of Federalsburg, and the policemen so appointed shall give bond to the Mayor and Council of Federalsburg with surety and in such penalty as shall be prescribed by ordinance, and said bond to be approved by the Mayor and Council of Federalsburg.

Section 26. That said police officers may be suspended without pay for a period not exceeding thirty (30) days or reprimanded by the Mayor for neglect, non-performance of duty or other good cause, and all of said officers shall be subject to removal as provided by Section 28 of this Act.

Section 27. That the Mayor, or in his absence or disability the President pro tempore of the Council, may appoint special policemen with all the powers of the regular policemen for a term of not exceeding thirty (30) days whenever the exigency of the occasion requires it, and their duties and powers shall be the same as those of the regular policemen.