

tail, and cut out the tongue from any such head, so as to prevent any second allowance therefor. **CHAP. 355.**

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That it shall be the duty of the commissioners of the aforesaid county, to levy upon the assessable property of said county the abovementioned allowance, with the collector's commission on the same, to be paid to the person presenting such certificate by the collector aforesaid. Duty of commissioners to levy for allowance.

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted,* That this act shall take effect from and after the date of its passage. In force.

CHAPTER 355.

AN ACT to enlarge the powers of the Mayor, Aldermen and Common Council of Frederick, so as to authorise them to provide a Guard House. Passed May 31, 1852.

WHEREAS, It is represented to this General Assembly, that the corporate authorities of Frederick, suffer great inconvenience for the want of a guard house for the temporary confinement, during the night, of disturbers of the quiet of the town, other than the county jail; *And whereas,* doubts exist whether the chartered powers of said town are at present sufficient to enable the corporate authorities to make the necessary provisions in the premises; Therefore, Preamble.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the mayor, aldermen and common council of Frederick, be, and they are hereby authorised and empowered to provide, in some convenient part of said town, a suitable guard house, lock up, or place of security, for the confinement of such person or persons as may be apprehended after ten o'clock at night, for a violation of any ordinance or ordinances of said corporation, and to confine such person or persons in the same; *Provided,* that no person shall be kept in confinement in said guard house, lock up, or place of security, longer than ten o'clock on the morning ensuing his or her apprehension. Authority to provide guard house. Proviso.