

shall make, under oath, semi-annual reports, viz: To the first regular meetings of the Burgess and Council in November and May next succeeding the date of his appointment, or any other time when called upon by the Burgess and Council, showing the condition of his receipts and disbursements; he shall give bond, receive compensation and be subject to the same penalties as herein provided for the tax collector.

Bond and penalties.

51. No warrants shall be drawn on any treasurer after his successor shall have qualified, but all money in the hands of the retiring treasurer shall be immediately paid over by him to the succeeding treasurer, after such succeeding treasurer shall have qualified, who shall receive the same; and all retiring tax collectors shall collect the unpaid taxes due for the year of his respective appointment, and pay the same as collector to the then incumbent treasurer, who shall receive the same.

Retiring treasurer to hand over funds to his successor.

52. The Burgess and Council shall fix the salaries of other officers of the town, and may exact bonds to the town in such penalty as they may deem right for the faithful and proper performance of the duties imposed upon them by law and the ordinances of the town.

Salaries of other officers.

53. The Burgess and Council shall have power to pass all ordinances necessary for the good government of the town, to prevent, remove and abate all nuisances or obstructions in or upon the streets, highways, lanes or alleys, drains or water-courses, or in or upon any lot adjacent thereto, and to provide for imposing a fine on any person causing or creating any such nuisance or obstruction; to remove or cause to be removed houses or other structures that may be dangerous to persons passing along and over any of the highways of the town; to make reasonable regulations in regard to buildings to be erected in said town, and to grant building permits for the same; to make and establish grades upon the streets and highways of the town, to cause sidewalks along the public streets and highways of said town to be graded, paved and repaired, and improved curbs to be set and gutters laid at the cost and expense of the abutting property or the owner thereof; or compel by fine or otherwise the owner or proprietor of any lot to pave or repave the sidewalks or footways, to set curbs and lay gutters in front thereof, agreeably to the ordinances now in force, or which may be hereafter passed; to cause the watercourses, drains or sewers of the town to be paved, kept in repair and cleaned; to grant licenses on marketable commodities; to control and protect the public grounds and property of the town; to establish and regulate a station

Burgess and Councilmen to pass all ordinances.

To pave sidewalks.