

collected, and the delinquent shall be committed to the town lockup or county jail until the same is paid with costs.

1906, ch. 292, sec. 24.

230. The County Commissioners of Montgomery County shall annually pay the town of Gaithersburg the total amount of road tax collected by said county within the town of Gaithersburg according to the tax books of said county.

Ibid. sec. 25.

231. The council shall have the same powers as the State Board of Health of this State, restricted, however, to the limits of the town.

Ibid. sec. 26.

232. The council may appoint a scavenger and prescribe his duties and fix his compensation, which shall be paid by the council out of the general fund or by a special tax for that purpose, to be imposed on the occupants of the respective buildings and collected as other taxes are collected; provided, nevertheless, that the owner or owners of property shall be responsible for said taxes in case the same cannot be collected from the occupants thereof, and the council may pass suitable ordinances to enable said scavenger to remove all filth from the town, and may require of said scavenger a bond for the faithful performance of his duties; provided, however, that said special tax shall not exceed forty cents per month on any one house, to be paid by the owner or occupant thereof, as aforesaid.

Ibid. sec. 27.

233. The council shall keep and annually publish or post a tabular statement of the receipts and expenditures of the funds of the corporation, and such other matters connected with the government and regulations of the town affairs as they may deem necessary and proper.

1906, ch. 292, sec. 28.

234. Whenever the council shall, by ordinance, provide for establishing any public park, or for establishing, opening, widening, extending or altering any street, alley, route for sewer or water pipes, for constructing water works or for carrying out any other powers granted by its charter, and it becomes necessary to take private property for such public use, just compensation shall be paid to the owner or owners thereof, which shall be ascertained and assessed by six disinterested commissioners, who shall be qualified voters of the town and who shall be selected by the Mayor; such proceedings shall be conducted by the Mayor, or in his absence or inability to act, or in case he be interested, then by some disinterested member of the