

P. L. L., 1888, Art. 8, sec. 149. 1880, ch. 435.

199. The said bailiff shall give bond, to be approved by the County Commissioners, as other constables for the faithful performance of his duty as constable, and also bond to the President and Commissioners for the faithful performance of his duty as town bailiff and as collector of the town tax, and for the faithful performance of such duties as shall be imposed on him by the ordinances of the President and Commissioners.

P. L. L., 1888, Art. 8, sec. 150. 1880, ch. 435.

200. He may enforce the payment of town taxes in the same manner and with the like effect as collectors of State and county taxes may enforce the payment of State and county taxes.

P. L. L., 1888, Art. 8, sec. 151. 1880, ch. 435.

201. The Commissioners, and all other officers of the town, before they enter upon the duties of their respective offices, shall severally take the following oath: "I do solemnly swear that I will faithfully execute the office of _____ to the best of my knowledge and ability, without favor, affection or partiality."

P. L. L., 1888, Art. 8, sec. 152. 1880, ch. 435.

202. The President of the Commissioners shall, in virtue of his office, have and exercise within the limits of the town all the jurisdiction and power of a justice of the peace, except as to the recovery of small debts; he may call on any officer of the town, entrusted with the receipt and expenditure of public money, for a statement of his accounts as often as he shall see proper; he shall see that the ordinances are faithfully executed, and report to the Town Commissioners at their stated meeting, the general state of the town, and may call special meetings of the Commissioners whenever he may see proper; and the Commissioners, before the first day of May in each and every year, by one insertion published in one or more newspapers printed in Elkton, shall make a public statement of the receipts and expenditures of the town for such year.

P. L. L., 1888, Art. 8, sec. 153. 1880, ch. 435. 1890, ch. 623, sec. 153. 1896, ch. 463, sec. 153. 1910, ch. 428, sec. 153 (p. 717).

203. The County Commissioners shall be relieved from the care of the roads, streets and alleys within the corporate limits of the town of Elkton, and the care of the same shall be transferred to the President and Commissioners of the town of Elkton, and in consideration of said transfer and the keeping of said roads, streets and alleys within the said corporate limits in good condition and repair by the said President and Commissioners, and the fact that valuable county property is situated within said town, exempt from all town taxes, but receiving the protection and benefit of the town government, the said County Commissioners of Cecil County shall annually levy for and pay over to the President and Commissioners of said town a sum of not less than one thousand dollars, to be applied towards defraying the expenses of administering the town government.