

and the orders and resolution of said Board of Aldermen shall direct, then the said obligation to be void, otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue in law. The City Register shall have the keeping of the common seal of the corporation which shall be circular in form and shall have engraved around its margin the words "Corporation of Frederick, Maryland," and upon its center an eagle. The corporation seal shall be used by the City Register in all cases provided by ordinance, and in all other cases where a corporate seal may be necessary. All fees by him received shall be paid over to the Mayor and Aldermen of Frederick; he shall receive and take into his charge all moneys of the corporation, whether arising from fines, licenses, taxes and forfeitures, or in any other way whatsoever and deposit the same in bank, in the name of the Mayor and Aldermen of Frederick, to be disbursed only in payment of claims against the said corporation properly allowed, and for such purpose as may be directed by the Board of Aldermen, on warrants signed by himself and countersigned by the Mayor. He shall keep a bank book to contain regular entries of all moneys by him deposited, and of all checks by him drawn; he shall keep a regular and fair account in a book or books, in folio, of all moneys by him received and expended on account of said corporation and shall semi-annually and oftener, if required by the Mayor or Board of Aldermen, file with him, or them, a particular account of his receipts and expenditures, recorded in a book kept specially for that purpose. He shall, when required by ordinance, deposit all moneys received by him as City Register and tax collector, in such bank or financial institution, subject to the approval of the Board of Aldermen, as shall pay the highest annual rate of interest on said deposit, as provided in said ordinance. In addition to the foregoing the City Register shall perform such other duties pertaining to the proper administration of his duties of his office as may be required of him by ordinance of the city. In the event of any wilful neglect of duty, or in case of any misconduct, misbehavior or malfeasance in office, upon conviction hereof in the Circuit Court of Frederick County, or in any other court having jurisdiction in the premises, his office shall be deemed to be vacant, and said Board of Aldermen shall thereupon appoint some other person having the qualifications hereinbefore prescribed for the office of City Register, to fill out the unexpired term of the person so convicted. The term of office of the person so elected City Register shall begin on the first Monday next after his election and he shall continue in office until his successor in office is duly elected and qualified.

1902, ch. 54, sec. 180A. 1918 Code, sec. 239.

217. It shall be the duty of said city register, as tax collector, without further compensation, to complete the collection of all taxes levied during his term of office, and he shall be allowed the term of one year after the expiration of the term for which he was elected to collect in the manner provided by the charter and ordinances of the Mayor and Aldermen of Frederick all balances due on taxes levied during his term of office in the same manner as he could collect the same during his term of office.