

and July of each year. Any vacancy in said Water Board created by death, resignation or otherwise, shall be filled for the unexpired term by the Commissioners of Chestertown.\*

1910, ch. 412, sec. 8 (p. 918). 1927, ch. 33.

**124.** The said Water Board shall have charge of the said waterworks so purchased and shall operate same, with authority to employ and pay such superintendent, engineers, workmen, laborers and employees as may be necessary to carry on and maintain the same and supply said town and the inhabitants thereof with water, and shall have authority to purchase material and supplies necessary to operate same, and to make repairs and additions thereto as necessity may require for fire protections and domestic use; and to fix, charge and collect water rates or water rents for the use of said water, and to make said water rent charges a lien on the properties furnished water, and to adopt and provide rules and regulations therefor, and for the proper protection of said waterworks and water supply; and that each member of said Water Board shall, before he enters upon the discharge of the duties of his office, give bond in the penalty of one thousand dollars.

1910, ch. 412, sec. 9 (p. 919).

**125.** The said Water Board shall select one of their members to be its treasurer, who shall monthly collect from the superintendent all water rents and income and pay all bills of expenses for the running and maintenance of said waterworks upon the order of the president; and semi-annually, in January and July, prepare and file with the Water Board a full itemized account of receipts and disbursements, including a full list of names of all persons who have failed to pay water rents, and that the said treasurer shall give bond in the penalty of five thousand dollars for the faithful performance of his duties.

1910, ch. 412, sec. 10 (p. 919).

**126.** The superintendent shall collect all water rents and revenues due to said Water Board and make monthly payments thereof to the treasurer, and shall file with the said treasurer in July and January of each year an itemized statement, showing all uncollected rents and the names of the persons from whom they are due; and the said superintendent shall give a bond in the penalty of two thousand dollars for the faithful performance of his duties.

1910, ch. 412, sec. 11 (p. 919).

**127.** The said Water Board shall in the month of January in each and every year prepare a full itemized statement and account of the income and disbursements of the previous year, and shall have the same fully vouched and audited by a committee, which it shall be the duty of the Commissioners of Chestertown to appoint, no member of which shall be

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\*This section was approved by the voters at town election in April, 1914.