Councilmen.

1916, ch. 200, sec. 6.

759. The Councilmen of said town shall possess the same qualifications as the Mayor, and shall become disqualified in the same manner as does the Mayor. Each of said Councilmen in addition to such qualifications shall reside at the date of his election in the ward which he is elected to represent, as hereinafter set forth, and in case he shall remove during his term of office from the ward for which he is elected, his term shall at once terminate and there shall exist a vacancy in the office of councilmen of such ward to be filled as hereinafter provided. The Councilmen shall hold office for two years and until the qualifications of their successors. The Councilmen shall receive no salary.

TOWN CLERK AND TREASURER.

1916, ch. 200, sec. 7.

There shall be appointed by a majority vote of the Mayor and **760**. Common Council at their first regular meeting on the second Monday in May in each and every year a legal voter of said town who shall serve as Town Clerk and Treasurer. He shall attend all council meetings, shall keep the minutes thereof, shall keep the ordinance book herein provided for, and shall submit said minutes and said book to the inspection, in his presence, of any citizen of said town at any time. He shall keep the assessment books, collect all taxes, and receive and pay out all money belonging to said town, provided, however, that he shall not pay out any money except upon an order duly passed by the Mayor and Common Council, or in pursuance of an ordinance duly passed by them. He shall keep an accurate account of the receipts and disbursements of the Mayor and Common Council of Mount Rainer, and shall render monthly statements to the Common Council of such receipts and disbursements. He shall perform such other duties as may be provided for in this Act, and as may be provided for by ordinances duly passed by the Mayor and Common Council of Mount Rainier, and he shall receive for his services such reasonable salary as the Mayor and Common Council may by ordinance establish, provided, however, that the salary of no Town Clerk and Treasurer shall be decreased during his term of office.

Before said Town Clerk and Treasurer shall enter upon the duties of his office, he shall execute and deliver to the Mayor a bond payable to the Mayor and Common Council of Mount Rainier in such penalty as the Mayor and Common Council by ordinance shall fix, the sureties to be approved by the Mayor and conditioned upon the faithful performance of the duties of his office. In case of a vacancy occurring in the office of Town Clerk and Treasurer the Mayor and Common Council shall have power to fill such vacancy.