by the said mayor and councilmen of Frostburg on the first Monday in May of each and every year, and the other two to be elected by the people at the regular election for mayor and councilmen on the first Monday in April next succeeding the passage of this Act, and annually thereafter; and the said mayor and councilmen may allow to the members of the said water board such compensation for their services as the said mayor and councilmen may deem just and reasonable not exceeding one hundred dollars each per annum.

1890, ch. 130, sec. 5.

254. Before entering upon their duties under this Act, the members of the said water board shall make oath before the mayor or some justice of the peace that they will diligently and faithfully perform the duties of their office to the best of their judgment, they shall then, on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in May, meet and arrange and choose from among their number a president and a secretary, and each member of the said water board shall give bond to the said mayor and councilmen of Frostburg in the penal sum of one thousand dollars conditioned upon the faithful performance of his duties as a member of the said water board, and it shall be the duty of the said water board to make a full financial report to the mayor and councilmen of Frostburg at their regular meetings on the second Wednesday in July, October, January and April of each year.

1890, ch. 130, sec. 6.

255. No moneys shall be paid from the town treasury for any of the purposes of this Act, except upon the warrant of the said Water Board duly signed by the president and the secretary thereof.

1890, ch. 130, sec. 7.

256. The said Water Board are hereby authorized and empowered to build and erect water works for the said town and to contract for, purchase in fee-simple or lease for a term of years any land, real estate, spring, brook, water-works, water and water-course, and to use and occupy forever, or for a term of years, any land, real estate, spring brook, waterworks, water or water-course which they may deem expedient and necessary for the purpose of furnishing said town with water, and also the right to enter and pass through from time to time as occasion may require, and to use and occupy the said lands through which they may deem it necessary to convey said water, and they are hereby vested with all the right and powers necessary for the introduction of water into the said town.

1890, ch. 130, sec. 8.

257. The said Water Board are hereby authorized and empowered to agree with the owner or owners thereof for the purchase of any land, real or leasehold estate, spring, brook, water-works, water or water-course,