

shall be, *ex-officio*, collector of the town tax, and shall within said town have all the authority of a constable.

138. The said bailiff shall give bond, to be approved Bailiff, bond of. by the county commissioners, as other constables, for the faithful performance of his duty as constable, and also bond to the said president and commissioners for the faithful performance of his duty as town bailiff, and as collector of the town taxes, and the faithful performance of such duties as may be imposed on him by the ordinances of said president and commissioners.

139. The said bailiff may enforce the payment of How payment of taxes enforced. town taxes, in the same manner, and with the like effect, as collector of state and county taxes may enforce the payment of state and county taxes.

140. The president of the said commissioners shall, President, ex-officio, justice of the peace. in virtue of his office, have and exercise, within the limits of said town, all the jurisdiction and power of a justice of the peace, except as to the recovery of small debts; he may call upon any officer of said town Duties of. entrusted with the receipt and expenditures 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 meetings the general state of the town, and may call special meetings of the commissioners whenever he may deem proper.

141. And the said president and commissioners Town hall. may provide for the purchase of a lot and the erection thereon of a public building, to be used as a town hall for the benefit of the citizens of said village; and the expense attending the purchase of said lot and erection of said building shall be levied upon the assessable property of said village in the same manner and collected as other town taxes are levied, assessed and collected.

142. All fines imposed by said president and commissioners shall be collected in the same manner as Fines, how collected. small debts.