

of the said town, and in the execution of the duties of his office shall have all and the same powers as constables in criminal cases; the said bailiff, before entering upon the duties of his office, shall make oath before one of the said commissioners that he will faithfully and impartially execute the duties of his office, according to the best of his skill and judgment, without favor or prejudice, and shall also give bond to the state of Maryland in such penalty as the said commissioners may direct, and with sureties to be by them approved, for the faithful performance of his duties as bailiff, and for the payment to the said commissioners or their agent, of all fines and other moneys received or collected by him in said capacity, and the said bond shall be recorded in the office of the clerk of the circuit court for Worcester county.

Commissioners' duties public lamps. 147. The said commissioners shall erect lamps and lamp-posts at such places in said town as they may think proper, and shall provide for lighting said lamps, as well as those already erected.

Fire engine. Sub-Sec. 1. The said commissioners may purchase a fire engine for the use of said town, by and with the consent of a majority of the legal voters of said town, to be ascertained by an election to be called by the said commissioners for that special purpose, of which notice shall be given by public notices and by insertion for at least two weeks before said election in a newspaper printed in said town.

Limits may be extended. Sub-Sec. 2. The said commissioners shall have power to extend or otherwise change the limits of said town whenever they shall deem it expedient.

Power to pass ordinances Sub-Sec. 3. The said commissioners may pass all ordinances necessary to give effect and operation to the powers vested in them.

Ordinances to be published. Sub-Sec. 4. All ordinances enacted by the said commissioners shall be immediately made public, either through some newspaper printed in Snow Hill or by printed handbills posted in not less than five conspicuous places in said town.