

State, except as to the collection of debts; and the constables shall receive a salary to be fixed by ordinance, annually, and shall not be entitled to receive any fees, costs or other emoluments.

1870, ch. 154.

**182.** All officers of the corporation not herein named, who shall be deemed necessary to execute the laws and ordinances of the corporation, shall be appointed in such manner as shall by ordinance be directed, and they and all officers herein named shall receive such salaries as shall be fixed from time to time by ordinance of the corporation.

P. L. L., (1860,) art. 11, sec. 103.

**183.** They mayor and each of the aldermen shall, in virtue of their office, have and exercise within the limits of the corporation all the jurisdiction and powers of a justice of the peace, except as to the recovery of small debts.

Ibid. sec. 104.

**184.** The mayor shall keep open an office in such part of the city as shall be suitable and convenient for preserving the peace and order of the city, and he may appoint at discretion special constables for extra services, not exceeding twenty, whose duty it shall be to aid him in preserving the peace, order and quiet of the city, and he shall make the constables thus appointed such compensation out of the funds of the city as shall be suitable and proper.

1870, ch. 154.

**185.** He shall, in lieu of fees, receive an annual salary to be fixed by ordinance of the corporation, and every ordinance fixing such compensation shall continue in force for one year and no longer.

P. L. L., (1860,) art. 11, sec. 106.

**186.** He may take the acknowledgment of any deed or instrument of writing required by law to be acknowledged, and any acknowledgment so taken by him shall be valid, and he shall receive therefor the sum of fifty cents.