

the peace, and who shall impose fines, penalties and forfeitures for the breach of any ordinance passed by the commissioners of said village, and whose powers shall be the same as justices of the peace for said county; and the commissioners are further authorized to appoint one or more bailiffs, who shall have the same authority and power within said corporation as constables have.

1870, ch. 428.

**61.** They are authorized and empowered to levy annually such taxes upon the assessable property within said corporation as may seem to them necessary; provided, that the amount of taxation for any one year shall not exceed thirty cents in the one hundred dollars, which tax may be collected by a collector appointed by the commissioners, and in case of neglect or failure to pay such taxes, they shall be collected in the mode prescribed for the collection of county taxes.

Ibid.

**62.** They are authorized to direct any or all of the footways within said village to be laid off, levelled and paved with such material as may to a majority of them seem best, and one-fourth of the expenses of such work and improvement shall be borne by the owners of the property in front of which the same shall be directed to be made; and upon neglect or refusal to pay the amount so assessed and expended, the commissioners may recover the same of said owners in the same manner in which county taxes may be collected and recovered.

Ibid.

**63.** They are authorized to procure a house for the incarceration of all persons who may be committed thereto by the proper authorities for the violation of any ordinance of the corporation.

1876, ch. 205.

**64.** It shall be the duty of the county commissioners to pay annually to the commissioners of the village of Bladensburg, the amount of the road tax levied or taxed upon property within the limits of said corporation, to be appropriated and used by them for the repair and improvement of the roads within said corporate limits.

Co. Comms. v. Bladensburg, 51 Md. 465.