1878. ch. 468.

236. The style of all ordinances shall be, "Be it enacted and ordained by the commissioners of Laurel;" all suits at law for the violation of any rules, ordinances, regulations and by-laws shall be instituted in the name of the commissioners of Laurel against offending parties, and all fines recovered in such suits at law for the breach of any rule, ordinance, regulation or by-law of the corporation, before any justice of the peace for Prince George's county, shall be collected by said justice of the peace and paid over to the treasurer of said corporation within three months after the collection of the same; and the said justice of the peace shall render an account to the commissioners every three months, or oftener if required, of the amount so received by him.

Tbid.

237. The commissioners shall have power to appoint annually a supervisor, who may be one of their number, whose duty it shall be to superintend such improvements of the town as may be ordered by the commissioners, and such other duties as they may prescribe, and the commissioners may allow him such compensation for his services as they may think proper, and may remove him at pleasure.

1888. ch. 94.

238. The commissioners of Laurel are authorized, directed and empowered, to issue bonds in the name of the commissioners of Laurel, in sums of not less than one hundred dollars nor more than one thousand dollars, to be signed by the president of said commissioners, countersigned by the clerk and attested by their seal, not exceeding in the aggregate the sum of ten thousand dollars, bearing interest not exceeding five per centum per annum, said interest payable semi-annually on the first days of October and April in each and every year, and said bonds shall not be sold for less than their par value and be exempt from State and county and municipal taxation.

Tbid.

239. In issuing the bonds authorized by the aforegoing section, the commissioners shall first issue a series of bonds not exceeding five thousand dollars, and the remaining five thousand