

necessary and proper to the exercise of the powers granted in this section; provided, that before opening or condemning any street or alley, at least twenty days' notice shall be given by them of any application which may be made for the passage of any such ordinances, by notices posted in at least three public places.

SEC. 219. They may provide for and take care of all persons suffering from accident, sickness or physical or mental infirmity and who are unable to take care of themselves, and if deemed necessary, may send them to the almshouse of Prince George's county, in which case all expenses so incurred shall be repaid to the mayor and city council of the town by the county commissioners, who are authorized and required to levy annually such amount as shall be requisite for re-imbusement thereof, and to issue warrants for such purpose payable to the mayor and city council of said town.

Alms-
house.

SEC. 220. At the election to be held on the first Monday in April, eighteen hundred and ninety, and every two years thereafter, there shall be one person elected as treasurer of said town, who shall possess the same qualifications as the mayor, to serve for two years, and until his successor is elected and qualified, whose duty it shall be to keep an account of the receipts and disbursements of the corporation in a well bound book to be provided by the mayor and city council for that purpose, and he shall render to the city council an account of the same once each month; before entering upon the duties of his office he shall give bond payable to the said mayor and city council in such penalty as they may fix, with securities to be approved by them conditioned that he will well and faithfully account for all moneys paid over to him by the bailiff of said town, or any other person, and all taxes and other moneys for the use and benefit of said corporation, and that he will also well and truly pay to the order of said mayor and city council all sums of money so received by him, and the said bond shall be recorded among the records of said corporation; and the said treasurer shall qualify and enter upon the duties of his office on or before the first Monday in May succeeding his election, and a failure to qualify within the time herein specified shall be deemed a refusal to accept the office and another election shall be ordered in the same manner prescribed for vacancies in the office of mayor; provided, that at the expiration of the first year of the term of the said treasurer, and before the tax-bills for the next year are placed in his hands, he shall make a full and complete settlement of all moneys received by him and shall report the amount of and return all bills for taxes which are delinquent and insolvencies, and upon the return of the delinquent tax-bills and insolvencies as provided for herein, he shall be relieved of the amount thus charged against him, and

Treasurer.

Qualify.

Settlement