

OAKLAND.

167. The inhabitants in the town of Oakland in Garrett County are a corporation by the name of "the Mayor and Town Council of Oakland," and by that name may have perpetual succession, may sue and be sued and may have and use a common seal, which may be altered at pleasure, and may purchase and hold such seal, personal or mixed property as may be required for the purposes of said corporation, and may dispose of such property when necessary, for the benefit of the said corporation, and all the property and funds of every kind belonging to said corporation are vested in "the Mayor and Town Council of Oakland."

Corporation.

OFFICERS.

168. The officers of the said corporation shall be a mayor, a town council, which shall be composed of six members, a president of the town council, a town clerk, a treasurer, a tax collector, a police magistrate, an attorney and a bailiff, who shall severally perform such duties and have such powers as may be prescribed by this act, and the ordinances passed in pursuance thereof. The mayor and the members of the town council shall be elected by the votes in said town. The town clerk, treasurer and tax collector shall be elected by the town council. The police magistrate, attorney and bailiff shall be appointed by the mayor, by and with the advice and consent of the town council. All the officers elected by the town council or appointed by the mayor shall hold their respective offices for one year from the first Monday of May in the year for which they are appointed and until their successors are elected and qualified.

Limits

169. The town council shall as soon as practicable provide by ordinance for a survey, and map of the limits of said town and for the location upon said map of the streets and alleys already laid out and opened for public use, and also the streets and alleys heretofore laid out on the original plat of said town, and on the plat of the several additions to said town, which have not been opened for public use, and such map when made and approved by the town council and mayor shall be recorded in the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court for Garrett County, and when so recorded said map or a copy properly certified by said clerk under the seal of his office shall be evidence. The limits of said town as they have heretofore been established by law shall remain until the survey herein provided for has been made and approved as aforesaid.