

Collection of  
taxes by  
bailiff.

SEC. 24. *And be it enacted*, That immediately upon the receipt by him of the book specified in the preceding section, the bailiff shall proceed to collect all taxes levied by the said commissioners and pay over the same when required so to do by the said commissioners to the treasurer of said corporation; and if any person shall neglect or refuse to pay said taxes on demand, then the bailiff shall furnish to such person an account showing the aggregate of his tax, or if he be absent, deliver the same at the place of his last residence; and unless the same be paid to the bailiff within thirty days after such account shall be delivered, the bailiff may seize and sell the property assessed; or if the same be goods and chattels, and cannot be found as conveniently, may seize and sell any other of the goods and chattels, land or tenements of the person or persons so refusing or neglecting to pay after giving at least twenty days' notice of the time and place of sale by written or printed handbills set up in two public places in said town, or printed in some newspaper published there.

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pass ordi-  
nances.

SEC. 25. *And be it enacted*, That the said commissioners may pass such by-laws and ordinances, as they shall deem necessary for the good government of said town, and the inhabitants thereof; and also for the prevention, removal or abatement of nuisances; to prevent swine, geese, fowls and animals or stock from going at large; apprehend and fine all tramps and vagabonds; for controlling the erection and location of buildings, fences, stock enclosures; and for prohibiting and controlling the use of powder, fire-arms, fire crackers and other explosives; for the protection of public property, side-walks, shade or ornamental trees from injury and obstructions; providing for the paving of side-walks, and assessing and taxing the expense thereof, in whole or in part, upon the respective owners of the property fronting thereon; for a license or tax on public exhibitions or amusements of all kinds, billiards, pool or bagatelle tables and ten-pin alleys, and for the collection of the same; for a tax on persons for each dog kept by them, and to cause any dog to be killed; for the promotion of morality, health, convenience and safety of the inhabitants of said town; and for the opening, extending, repairing, improvement and the closing up of streets, lanes and alleys of said town; and all damages done and all benefits received by the opening, closing, extending or improving said streets, lanes or alleys, shall be determined and assessed by three disinterested persons, residents of said town, to be appointed by said commissioners, who shall, within a reasonable time after noti-