

same to be posted in not less than five of the most public places in said town; he shall file and keep all original papers entrusted in his care; he shall act as treasurer to said corporation, and as such shall keep in a well-bound book an accurate account of the receipts and disbursements of all moneys and funds of the said corporation, and shall pay out said funds only on the order of the chairman of the council, after bills or orders therefor shall have been passed by a majority of the council; he shall report annually in writing, to the mayor and council, a detailed statement of the financial condition of the corporation, showing the several sums of money received and expended, from whom received, and for what purpose and on what account expended, and to whom paid, and shall cause copies of said statement to be posted in not less than five of the most public places in said town; he shall perform such other duties, and shall receive such compensation for his services from the funds of the corporation, as said mayor and council may prescribe or fix by order or ordinance, and he shall give bond for the faithful performance of his duties as such clerk and treasurer, with security to be approved by the mayor in such penal sum as shall be prescribed by ordinance, which bond shall be made to the said corporation, and carefully filed among their papers, and recorded in the minutes of their proceedings.

Duties of clerk.

Bond.

SEC. 52. The Mayor and Council shall have power to pass all ordinances, not contrary to law, necessary within the limits of said town to preserve the health, peace and safety of the inhabitants thereof, to prevent and remove nuisances and annoyances, to suppress gambling, to prevent the firing of cannon, guns, pistols, firecrackers and other explosive instruments or materials within the corporate limits; to restrain all disorders and disturbances; to suppress fires and the danger thereof; to make or cause to be made and repaired, all necessary drains, sewers, culverts and bridges; to license public amusements, shows and exhibitions, fix the sums of moneys to be paid therefor, and prescribe the mode of collecting the same; and to provide for the good government and general police of the town; and they shall have power to enforce the observance of all such ordinances by fines, penalties and forfeitures, not exceeding twenty dollars for any one offense.

May pass ordinances to preserve health, etc.

SEC. 53. They shall have the power to pass all ordinances necessary to regulate or prevent the going at large, within the corporate limits, of horses, cattle, sheep, goats, swine, geese, or

To prevent cattle going at large.