file all accounts and claims presented against the City, and whenever any account is approved and passed by the Mayor and Council he shall make a record of the same in a book to be kept for that purpose; he shall perform such other duties as are imposed upon him by law, ordinance, or order of the Mayor and Council; he shall give bond to the Mayor and Council to be approved by the Mayor and Council for the faithful discharge of his duties.

SEC. 167. All appropriations for expenditures shall be passed and approved by the Mayor and Council and warrants for the same drawn on the Commissioner of Accounts to be signed by the Mayor and attested by the Clerk and countersigned by the head of the particular department for which the work has been done.

SEC. 168. No warrant shall be drawn on any Commissioner of Accounts after his successor shall have qualified. But all money in the hand of the retiring Commissioner of Accounts shall be immediately paid over by him to the succeeding Commissioner of Accounts after he shall have qualified, who shall receive and credit the same to the several accounts for which it has been collected, and the retiring Commissioner of Accounts shall collect the unpaid taxes due for the years of the term for which he shall have been elected and pay the same as collected to the then incumbent Commissioner of Accounts who shall receive and credit the same to the several accounts for which they were levied.

SEC. 170. The Mayor and Council shall fix the salaries of all officers of the City not otherwise provided for and shall require said officers to execute bonds to the City in such penalty as the Mayor and Council may deem right for the faithful and proper performance of the duties imposed upon them by law, and the ordinances of the City.

SEC. 172. Whenever the Mayor and Council shall exercise the power under the preceding Section to cause the sidewalks, curbs and gutters or any of them along the public streets and highways of said city to be graded, paved, repaired or improved and such curbs and gutters to be set and laid, and shall under or by any ordinance, or order thereof, and in pursuance of the same, direct the said sidewalks, and curbs and gutters, or any of them, to be graded, paved, repaired or improved, set and laid at the expense of the abutting property or the owner thereof, it shall be the duty of the Commissioner of