

- CHAP. 229.** **SEC. 8.** *And be it enacted,* That all fines and forfeitures under the ordinances of the said corporation, shall be recoverable before the president aforesaid, as small debts are recoverable out of court, or before any justice of the peace.
- Fines—how recovered**
- Limits of town** **SEC. 9.** *And be it enacted,* That the limits of said town, shall extend to the distance of one half of a mile from the tavern aforesaid, each way; and the property within said limits shall be subject to such taxes and charges as may be deemed necessary by the said commissioners, or a majority of them, to support and maintain the expenses which may at any time be incurred in the improvement of said town.
- Property sub-
ject to taxation**
- To enact by-
laws, &c.** **SEC. 10.** *And be it enacted,* That the said commissioners, or a majority of them, shall have free power to make all such by-laws, regulations and ordinances, not inconsistent with the laws and constitution of this State, as from time to time they may deem wise, equitable and expedient for the comfort, health, convenience and prosperity of the said town and its inhabitants, for the prevention and removal of nuisances, preservation of health, and suppression of vice and immorality within the limits of said town; and shall have power to lay an equal tax on the property within the said limits, to such amount as may from time to time be deemed necessary to accomplish the purposes aforesaid, which tax shall be collected and paid to the president and commissioners, by the collector by them appointed, who shall have the same power to distrain therefor, as the collector of the public county assessment has to distrain for the same, and that the said president and commissioners shall fix the term of office, responsibility and compensation of such collector.
- May lay tax**
- How collected**
- Bailiff to be ap-
pointed** **SEC. 11.** *And be it enacted,* That the said commissioners, or a majority of them, shall have full power and authority, annually, to appoint a bailiff, whose duty it shall be to preserve the peace and good order of said town, and for this purpose he is hereby vested with the same power and authority as any constable may now have under the laws of this State.
- His duty**
- Banking forbid** **SEC. 12.** *And be it enacted,* That nothing herein contained shall be so construed as to authorise the corporation hereby created, to issue any device, token, note, certificate or evidence of debt, to be used as currency; and the legislature hereby expressly reserves the right to amend or repeal this charter when the same shall be deemed desirable.
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