

being shall continue and remain in office with like power and authority, until such election shall be held as aforesaid.

SEC. 9. *And be it enacted*, That the limits of the said Village of Port Tobacco shall be established, marked and bounded by the Commissioners first elected, as soon after their election as may be practicable, and recorded among their proceedings. Limits.

SEC. 10. *And be it enacted*, That the said Commissioners or a majority of them shall have power to appoint a clerk and assign his duties, and allow him such compensation as they may think proper; and that all ordinances passed by the said Commissioners, or a majority of them, shall by their clerk be entered in a book by him to be kept for that purpose; and shall be open at all times for the inspection of any person interested; and copies of all ordinances shall be put up in the most public places in said Village, that the same may be generally known. Clerk to be appointed.

SEC. 11. *And be it enacted*, That the said Commissioners shall have full power and authority to levy and collect taxes in said Village, not exceeding in any one year twenty cents in the hundred dollars on the assessable property of said Village; and for the purpose of making said levy, they shall once in every two years, or oftener if they think proper, appoint an assessor who shall under oath, value, appraise and assess the property in said Village. Commissioners authorised to levy.

SEC. 12. *And be it enacted*, That if any of the owners of property assessed within said Village shall conceive themselves aggrieved by the assessment so as aforesaid made by said assessors they may appeal to the said President and Commissioners, who shall have power and authority to make such deduction on the valuation of their property as they shall deem just. May appeal.

SEC. 13. *And be it enacted*, That the said Commissioners be and they are hereby empowered to pass all by-laws and ordinances necessary to give effect and operation to all the powers vested in this corporation; to impose fines, penalties and forfeitures for any breach of their by-laws and ordinances; *Provided*, that no ordinance of the said Commissioners shall impose a fine or forfei- May pass ordinances and by-laws. Proviso.