

porate signing the same; and a certified copy of the record may be offered in evidence as well as the original.

He shall hold office for two years from date of his bond herein required, or until his successor is appointed and has qualified, and his compensation shall be fixed by the Mayor and Council.

He shall have full power to enforce payment of all taxes levied by the Council, by suit or by sale or otherwise, as hereinafter provided, and to convey title to any real or personal property sold by him for non-payment of taxes.

#### CITY AUDITOR.

1916, ch. 456, sec. 8. 1918 Code, sec. 57.

**38.** In September in the year nineteen hundred and sixteen, and in September of every year thereafter, the Mayor, with the advice and consent of the Council, shall appoint a competent accountant, whose duty it shall be to make a careful examination of the books, accounts, statements and such other matters relating to the office and affairs of the town clerk, treasurer and collector as the said Mayor and Council may direct. Said accountant shall be called the city auditor, and shall before he enters upon the duties of his office, take and subscribe before the Mayor an oath that he will well and truly audit the books, accounts, statements, etc., of said town and of said town clerk, treasurer, and collector, and give a true report of the same to the best of his ability, and for his services he shall receive such sum, not exceeding one hundred dollars (\$100.00), as the said Mayor and Council may fix. He shall report in writing to the Mayor and Council the result of his examination, as soon after he has made the same as may be practicable.

#### POLICE JUSTICE.

1916, ch. 456, sec. 9. 1918 Code, sec. 58. 1924, ch. 410.

**39.** The police justice of the town of Brunswick, who shall also be the justice of the peace of Election District No. 25, in Frederick County, or the Mayor of said town, in the absence, sickness or other disability of said police justice, shall hold his court in the municipal building for the purpose of preserving the peace of said town and for other municipal purposes, shall have full power and authority to hear, determine and pass sentence in all cases for violations of any ordinance of said town and may impose fines for such violations, and in default of the payment of such fines and the costs of prosecution, may imprison the offender in the town lockup or county jail, but not exceeding one day for every dollar of fine imposed, and not exceeding sixty days in all; and for the purpose of carrying out the police powers herein granted, the person, before whom any case for the violation of an ordinance of said town shall be tried as aforesaid, shall have the power to issue warrants commanding the chief bailiff of said corporation, or any deputy bailiff thereof, to arrest any person charged with violating any of the ordinances of said town and