

shall certify the correctness of the Register, shall deposit it in his office amongst the Records of the Council, and shall give Public Notice of the deposit of the said Register as soon as it shall be made ;

Insertions of
New *Procès-Verbaux*.

6. All new *Procès-Verbaux* and By-Laws relating to roads or bridges, made after the deposit of the Register shall also be inserted therein ;

To be open to
Rate-payers.

7. Any rate-payer in the Municipality shall be entitled to have access to the said Register and to examine the same during office hours ;

Register to be
sufficient
notice.

8. And after the expiration of one month from the deposit of any such Register, the publicity thereby given to the said *Procès-Verbaux* and By-Laws shall be held to be sufficient notice to the persons bound to perform any work or to pay any money by virtue of such *Procès-Verbaux* and By-Laws ; and it shall not be necessary to give any further notice to such persons in order to compel them to fulfil their said duties ;

Effect of Re-
gister as evi-
dence.

9. Every such Register certified by the Secretary-Treasurer shall be authentic ; any certified copy or extract from any such Register shall also be authentic ; and the tenor of any such *Procès-Verbal* or By-Law so registered, may be proved by production of the Register by the Secretary-Treasurer, or a copy or extract therefrom duly certified by him ;

Chief Officer
may vote on
questions re-
quiring a two
third vote.

10. Be it declared, that the Chief Officer of every Council has and always had a right to vote upon all disputed questions incapable of being decided without the votes of two thirds of the Members of such Council.

LOCAL COUNCILS.

SPECIAL POWERS OF TOWN AND VILLAGE COUNCILS.

Additional
powers to
town and vil-
lage Councils.

VI. 1. Every Town or Village Council, in addition to the powers conferred upon such Councils by the Acts aforesaid, shall have power and authority from time to time to make, amend and repeal By-laws for the purposes following, that is to say :

Construction
of water works
provided for :
Power to take
property and
impose taxes.

For the establishment, construction and maintenance of Water Works, for the purpose of providing wholesome water for the inhabitants of the municipality ; for taking possession of any lands that may be necessary for the purposes of such water works, or for the passage of the canals through which the water is to flow, whether such land be situated within or without the limits of the Municipality, and whether or not the proprietors consent to such taking possession ; and for imposing and raising by tax whatever amount they may deem requisite to ensure the construction and maintenance of such water-works, provided that the amount of any indemnification for expropriation and for any damages caused by the construction or maintenance of any such water-works, shall be determined in the manner provided for similar cases by the Act of 1855.

Proviso.