

Commissioners shall appoint assessors. Duties of.

ing or improving of said streets, lanes or alleys, shall be determined and assessed by three disinterested persons, residents of said village, to be appointed by said Commissioners, who shall within twenty days after notification of their appointment, take an oath before a justice of the peace for Caroline County that they will faithfully, fairly and without partiality or prejudice value and assess the loss and damage to be suffered and incurred by any person interested in any land or interest therein condemned or in the property over and through which any street or alley is to be opened, closed, extended, widened or improved; and they shall within ten days after such valuation or assessment return the same in writing under their hands and seals with a certificate of their qualification before a justice of the peace, as hereinbefore provided, to the Commissioners of said village, which said valuation and assessment shall be ratified or rejected by the said Commissioners, as in their judgment may seem proper; and if any person shall feel aggrieved by the determination of the said Commissioners in ratifying or rejection said award or return, or in the amount of compensation awarded, or in any manner relating to the same, he may appeal within sixty days after said ratification or rejection to the Circuit Court for Caroline County, and either party may be entitled to trial by jury, and the judgment of said court shall be final among the parties; provided, that the person taking such appeal shall within twenty days cause to be delivered to the Clerk of the said Circuit Court the award filed with said Commissioners, together with a copy of the order of said Commissioners ratifying or rejecting the same, and all other papers relating thereto.

May appeal from assessment within certain time.

Shall publish annual statements, etc.

168. The said Commissioners shall at least once a year publish in some newspaper printed in said village, or post in at least four public places in said village, a full account of moneys received by them for the year preceding the date of such account, and an itemized statement of all disbursements during the same time, and said account or statement must be sworn to by at least one Commissioner.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 10, 1900.

CHAPTER 739.

AN ACT to prevent the Commission of Larceny by Children and Minors in the City of Baltimore.