CHAPTER 39.

Passed Feb. Entitled AN ACT to amend an Act to incorporate 18, 1867. the town of Newtown, in Worcester county, so as to strike out Section eight of said Act, and insert another Section in lieu thereof.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly Section repealed. of Maryland, That Section eight, of Chapter one hundred and fifty-one, be and the same is hereby repealed, and the following Section enacted in lieu thereof.

Commissionnances.

Sec. 2. And be it enacted, That the Commissioners to make by-laws and ordimay make such ordinances or by-laws for the regulation and good government of said town and the inhabitants thereof, to restrain disorders and disturbances, and prevent and remove all nuisances within said town, as to them or a majority of them may seem proper, not inconsistent with the laws of this State, and may force the observance thereof under such penalties, fines and forfeitures as they shall deem proper, not exceeding ten dollars for any one offence, and all such fines, penalties and forfeitures, may be recovered before a Justice of the Peace, by warrant, judgment and commitment to the public prison of Worcester county, in the same manner that commitments are made for fines imposed by the Circuit Courts of this State on conviction for misdemeanor; but the said Commissioners, or a majority of them, shall have power at any time to remit or release the said fines, penalties and forfeitures and costs, or any part there-Allowed to of, at their discretion; but any party who shall be fined or subjected to any penalty or forfeiture, may within five days after the same shall be imposed and judgment recovered, supercede or stay the same for thirty days, by giving ample personal

security to the Justice of the Peace, and the said fines, penalties and forfeitures, shall thereafter be collected as small debts are now collected before a Justice of the Peace, and that all ordinances and by-laws now in force in said town, and not inconsistent with the laws and Constitution of this State,

supercede.