penalties as they may deem proper and neecssary to carry out and enforce said ordinances and orders, and for that purpose shall have the authority in the collection of said fines and penalties as are conferred on said board in Section 183 of said sub-title; provided that no such fine shall exceed the sum of twenty-five dollars for each violation of said ordinance or orders; when it may be practicable, it shall be the duty of said board to do new and general repair work by contract made after public advertisement for proposals from the lowest responsible bidders.

1890, ch. 623, sec. 138A.

187. Said board shall have power and authority if in their judgment the protection of life and property demand it; to pass all proper and necessary ordinances; to require any railroad company or corporation running its locomotives, engines or trains across any of the streets within the corporate limits of the town; to keep a watchman or flagman at the said crossings of said streets, to warn persons of the approach of said locomotives, engines or trains; and the said board shall have full power and authority to impose such penalties as they may deem proper or necessary to carry out and enforce the powers given by this section; provided, no such penalty shall exceed the sum of fifty dollars for each violation of said ordinances by such railroad company or corporation; and such penalty shall be recovered before a justice of the peace in and for Cecil County as other small debts are recovered.

1908, ch. 693, sec. 138G (p. 722). 1910, ch. 265, sec. 138G (p. 727).

187A. And the said President and Commissioners shall have full power and authority to enact ordinances and prescribe regulations in regard to the maintenance, use, care and safety of said sewers and may prescribe and collect such fines and penalties for the violation thereof as may be necessary and are fully authorized to fix such rates as they may deem proper as a charge for connecting with and using said sewers.*

1908, ch. 693, sec. 138H (p. 722). 1910, ch. 265, sec. 138H (p. 727).

- 187B. After the completion of said sewerage system, as provided by this Act, the said President and Commissioners of said town are fully authorized to determine whether said system shall be free to the householders of said town or whether a rental shall be charged for the use of said sewers and for connecting therewith.
 - P. L. L., 1888, Art. 8, sec. 139, 1880, ch. 435, 1890, ch. 623, sec. 139.
- 188. Said President and Commissioners shall have power to provide for the payment of the damages and expenses of opening, widening, laying out, grading, paving, draining, sewering and repairing of streets, lanes, alleys and sidewalks in the town, by levying and assessing the same generally upon the whole of the assessable property of the town, or spe-

^{*}Secs. 138B-138F of ch. 265, 1910, authorized the town to issue \$25,000 of bonds for sewerage system, subject to the approval of the voters.