

failure of such duty, the board of commissioners may, and it is made their duty to repair the same, and the cost of such repairing so done by them shall be assessed by said commissioners on said property, and collected by way of distress, after giving ten days' notice of the sale of said property, posted in five of the most public places in said town by the bailiff.

Ibid. s 14.  
Power to sum-  
mon persons to  
testify, &c.

63. The president and commissioners shall have power and authority to summon persons before them to testify in any matter; to impose fines not to exceed ten dollars in any case, and penalties to issue attachments for persons failing to obey their process, and commit to jail any person who shall fail or refuse to pay any fine imposed by them upon such person; they shall settle with the treasurer, and he with them, on or before the second Monday in March annually, and cause the receipts and expenditures for the past year to be published in at least one newspaper published in said town, on or before the fourth Saturday of March following their settlement; and should the commissioners or officers of said town neglect or refuse to perform any of the duties enjoined upon them in this act they shall be liable to conviction in the circuit court for Caroline county, and finable in a sum of not more than twenty dollars in the discretion of the court.

To settle with  
treasurer.

Penalty for  
neglect of duty  
by commis-  
sioners, &c.

Ibid. s. 15.  
Hitching  
places.

64. The board of commissioners shall erect and keep in good repair at least four good hitching-places (commonly called horse-racks) on the public grounds, between the school-house and Gay street, for the purpose of hitching horses, each of said hitching-places to be at least thirty feet in length.

In force from February 8, 1866.

#### DOVER BRIDGE.

1865, c. 128 enacts the following:

1865, c. 128, s. 1.  
Privilege of  
bridge.

65. The inhabitants of Caroline county shall have the privilege of passing over Dover Bridge, being