

Duty to pre-
serve peace.

whose duty it shall be to preserve the peace and good order of said town, and for this purpose he is hereby vested with the same power and authority as any constable may now have under the laws of this State, and shall receive such compensation for his services as the said commissioners deem just.

Powers of
president.

SEC. 26. *And be it enacted*, That the president of the said commissioners shall, in virtue of his office, have and exercise within the limits of said town, all the jurisdiction and power of a justice of the peace, except as to the recovery of small debts; he may call on any officer of the town, intrusted with the receipt and expenditure of public money, for a statement of his accounts, as often as he shall see proper; he shall see that the ordinances are faithfully executed, and report to the town commissioners at their stated meetings the general state of the town, and may call special meetings of the commissioners whenever he may see proper.

How con-
strued.

SEC. 27. *And be it enacted*, That nothing in this act shall be so construed as to take from the County Commissioners of Cecil county the control of the two public roads that run through the limits of said town, or to relieve the said county commissioners from any obligation imposed on them by any existing laws to keep said two county or public roads in repair; or to impose any obligation on the Commissioners of Perryville to mend or repair said two county or public roads.

Effective.

SEC. 28. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage; the General Assembly reserving the right to alter, repeal, or amend this act at pleasure.

Approved March 30, 1882.