

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.

Power to sum-
mon persons
to testify. Sec. 14. *And be it enacted*, That 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.

Settle with
Treasurer,

Hitching pla-
ces. Sec. 15. *And be it enacted*, That 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 of at least thirty feet in length.

To take ef-
fect. Sec. 16. *And be it enacted*, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage, and that all acts heretofore passed incorporating said town of Denton are hereby repealed.