

gard to the opening, altering and closing roads, so far as the same may be applicable, excepting that the returns of said examiners shall be made to and ratified or rejected by the commissioners for said town, instead of the commissioners for said county; and in case said commissioners of Catonsville shall order the return made by said examiners, or a majority of them, to be ratified and confirmed, the said commissioners of said town of Catonsville shall pay the said damages to the respective parties or to their executors or administrators, or their guardians, agents or attorneys, before the said street, road, lane or alley shall be opened, altered, closed or established; and any person aggrieved by said decision may at any time within sixty days appeal to the circuit court for Baltimore county, which shall hear and determine the same as in appeals from county commissioners to grade, gravel, pave or macadamize any of the streets, roads, lanes, alleys or footways in said town, and to regrade, repave or repair the same; but the entire expense of paving and repaving any of the streets, roads, lanes and alleys of the said town, and of paving, curbing or repairing any footways or sidewalks thereof shall be paid out of the general treasury and provided for in the general levy of said town, and shall not be specially assessed upon the owners of property abutting thereon; to prevent the running at large of geese, and cattle, hogs and other animals within the limits of said town; to regulate the driving or leading of horses or cattle through said town, and to adopt and enforce all proper police regulations for the government of public meetings or large assemblages of any kind. And all by-laws shall be recorded by the clerk in a book kept for that purpose, which shall be open at all times to the inspection of all persons interested.

Right of appeal

Expenses—
how paid.

SEC. 11. *And be it enacted*, That the said commissioners shall adopt the county assessment and valuation of real and personal property in said town, and may annually levy an equal tax on the real and personal property actually within the limits of said town to such an amount as may from time to time be deemed necessary to accomplish the purposes aforesaid, which tax shall be collected and be paid to the commissioners at such time or times and in such amounts as they shall direct, by the collector by them appointed, who shall have the same powers

Assessment—
how made.