

Expense.

whole cost of such work, *pro rata* upon the owners of the property binding thereon, and for collecting such assessments as other taxes are collected under this charter; and such assessment shall be a lien upon the property chargeable therewith, 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 this purpose, which shall be open at all times to the inspection of all persons interested.

Tax.

SEC. 15. *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 such 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 of sale and distraint therefor as the Collector of county taxes; provided, said tax shall not exceed twenty cents on the one hundred dollars of the taxable property of said town for any one year, and the said Commissioners shall fix the amount of bond and compensation of such Collector; but the said Commissioners shall have no power to borrow money or to issue notes, bills or other securities of a commercial character, nor shall they have power to incur debts in any year in excess of the annual levy.

SEC. 16. *And be it enacted*, That Charles Fusting, John S. Wilson, William Gerwig, be and they are hereby appointed Judges of Election