

lives, limbs or property of the citizens; and when it shall appear that the offender is intoxicated so as to render it unsafe to permit him to drive through the streets, shall provide for the removal of the horse and vehicle without the limits of the town, or for the deposit thereof in some place of safety until the offender shall be sober, and to subject the property so taken and deposited to payment of the costs of the proceedings and of the keeping of said property until the same be released according to law.

SEC. 15. *And be it enacted*, That the said Commissioners, or a majority of them, shall have full power and authority annually, to appoint a Constable, 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; and the said Commissioners, or a majority of them, may, when they deem it necessary, appoint additional Constables with like authority, at the discretion of said Commissioners.

Appoint a  
Constable.

SEC. 16. *And be it enacted*, That the Commissioners of said town shall have the power to levy and collect taxes in said town, not exceeding in any one year one hundred cents on one hundred dollars on the assessable property of said town; and they shall once in five years, or oftener, if they think proper, cause a new assessment of the real and personal property within the limits of the town, and for that purpose shall appoint one of the qualified voters of said town being a freeholder therein, to make such assessments, who, before proceeding in the execution of his duties, shall take the oath of office herein prescribed; he shall take as a basis of said assessment the market value of said property, according to his best skill and judgment, and the said

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