

the same within forty-eight hours after the service of said notice, and on the failure, neglect, or refusal of the owner or owners, occupier or occupiers of any land or premises to comply with said notice, he or they shall forfeit and pay for any such neglect or refusal the sum of twenty-five dollars, and said sanitary officer, upon said neglect or refusal to remove said nuisance, shall cause the same to be removed at the expense of the owner or owners, occupier or occupiers of said land or premises; said fine or expenses of removal shall each be a lien upon the land upon which said nuisance exists, and the said fine and expense of removal shall each be collected by an action of debt before a Justice of the Peace of said county, in the name of the said sanitary officer, for the use of the County Commissioners of Baltimore county. The said County Commissioners shall expend money collected therefrom to the payment of the expenses of said sanitary officer.

Neglect or refusal.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That if any person shall knowingly obstruct or resist said sanitary officer in the execution of the power to him given, or in the performance of the duties enjoined on him by this Act, such person shall be deemed to be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon indictment and conviction in the Circuit Court for Baltimore county shall be fined not less than fifty dollars nor more than three hundred dollars, or imprisonment, at the discretion of the Court, for not less than one month nor more than sixty days.

Penalty.

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted*, That it shall be the duty of the Police officers of Baltimore county to execute all orders of said sanitary officer, so far as they may relate to the sanitary condition of Catonsville and vicinity.

Police.

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That in case of any epidemic, contagious or infectious diseases, the County Commissioners shall be empowered to send said sanitary officer to that locality

Epidemics.