

newspaper published in Kent county, for three successive weeks, before commencing such opening, widening or extension, except that the County Commissioners shall appoint one of the parties to estimate and award said damages and advantages in the place of the owner of the property, and from such award appeals may be taken, as provided for in the preceding section.

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Section 161. *And be it enacted*, That the justices of the peace resident in said town are hereby declared to be conservators of the peace of said town, and it shall be their duty to order the arrest of the person or persons found breaking the peace, disturbing the quiet or order of said town, or violating any of the ordinances made by the commissioners for securing the safety, health, property or lives of the inhabitants of said town, destroying or injuring the property of said town, and shall have power to require any persons so offending to give security to keep the peace, or in default thereof may commit said person to the county jail for not more than thirty days, and in addition thereto may for the commission of said offenses impose a fine on such persons of not more than twenty-five dollars; and such person in default of payment thereof may be committed to the county jail for a period of not more than thirty days; all fines, penalties and forfeitures under the sub-title of this Article, and not otherwise provided for, shall be recoverable before a justice of the peace of said county in the name of the commissioners and applied to the benefit of said town, and in all such proceedings the bailiffs shall have the same power to proceed in the same manner and have the same fees as constables, and for police duty shall be entitled to the same fees as constables, and all process shall be returnable before some justice of the peace resident in the same town.

Conservators
of the peace.

Fine imposed.

Section 162. *And be it enacted*, That the commissioners may cause an assessment and valuation to be made by two good men to be selected and sworn by them, of all real and personal property of said town, (bank stock, notes and other evidences of debt excepted), to be made between the first day of May and the first day of June in each year, and may levy on the property assessed annually such sums as may be necessary for the improvement and maintenance of said town, not exceeding seven hundred dollars in any one year,

Assessment
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