

of eight dollars; and so on in like manner until such obstruction be removed: should the offender not be known, the Commissioner or Surveyor, if the encumbrance be saleable, shall, unless sooner claimed, after three days public notice, sell the same, and apply the proceeds to repairing such road; if not saleable, they shall cause the same to be removed, and the person employed by them shall be allowed therefor, according to the time he is employed, a deduction of his statute labour; the penalties imposed by this Section, and the costs of conviction, may be recovered before any Justice of the Peace of the County where the offence may be committed, and levied by warrant of distress and sale of the offender's goods and chattels, or by warrant of commitment against the person of such offender on failure of finding sufficient distress, or by warrant of commitment in the first instance, at the discretion of the Justice imposing such penalty; and in case of commitment, the said Justice shall define the number of days in the warrant, in no case to exceed twenty days for any one offence; and such penalty, when recovered, shall be applied to the repairing of the roads in the district in which the offender resides: the mode of proceeding for the recovery of all penalties under this Act, except such as are referred to by the forty fifth Section of this Act, shall be regulated by any Act now or hereafter in force relating to Summary Convictions before Justices of the Peace.

13. Any Justice of the Peace for issuing a Summons, and presiding at an investigation by a Jury, shall receive two dollars; each Juror summoned and attending shall receive fifty cents; and the officer for summoning shall receive one dollar: the sum necessary to meet such expenses shall be paid by the parties applying for the road to the Commissioners previous to the issuing of the warrant; the Commissioners shall pay the Justice, Officer, Jurors, and Witnesses, the before named fees; and in every case of investigation of a public road, if the Jury find such road necessary, all such expenses, with the amount of the assessment for damages as aforesaid, shall be laid by the said Commissioners before the next General Sessions for the County.

14. The General Sessions, when such assessment of damages shall be laid before them, shall, during such Session, make an order that the amount thereof, together with such expenses, shall be assessed upon the Parish in which such road is situate,