

received, the number of children educated, the amount given to their teacher, &c. and it shall be the duty of the commissioners of primary schools, annually to report to the legislature.

AN ACT, entitled, a Supplement to the Act to provide for the Public Instruction of Youth in Primary Schools, in Anne Arundel County.—1829, ch. 146.

Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That ^{Right to} from and after the passage of this act, it shall be lawful for all ^{vote.} free white citizens, of the age of twenty-one years, to vote for, or against, the establishment of Primary Schools, in any school district in which they may hold real property.

AN ACT regulating the manner of Levying on the Assessable Property in Anne Arundel County, for the support of Primary Schools in said County.—1830, ch. 97.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the trustees of any primary school district in Anne Arundel county, shall be and they are hereby authorized, in their discretion, to require from any child attending school the payment of any sum of money not exceeding twenty-five cents a month, to be applied to the payment of the expenses of the school; and in the exercise of this power the trustees may from time to time increase or diminish the sum so to be paid, or discontinue the payment thereof altogether, and may graduate the payments according to the ability of the children, and the exigencies of the school. ^{Trustees may require payment.}

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That the commissioners of Anne Arundel county, at their next meeting to make the county levy, and annually thereafter, shall be and they are hereby required, to levy on the assessable property of said county, other than the property liable to taxation in the city of Annapolis, the sum of four thousand dollars, for the support of primary schools in said county, which said sum of money shall be collected by the county collector, and deposited in the Farmers Bank of Maryland to the credit of the commissioners of primary schools in Anne Arundel county, or paid to the orders of said commissioners. ^{Levy authorized.}

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That the commissioners of primary schools in said county shall, at their meetings in October, or thereafter, make distribution of the aforesaid moneys among all the primary school districts in said county, exclusive of the city of Annapolis, and shall pay over to the trustees of any district the money distributed to said district, upon production of the certificates and proofs required by law to authorize payment of other moneys distributable amongst the primary school districts; *Provided nevertheless,* that the said commissioners of primary ^{Distribution of money.} ^{Proviso.}