the penalty of fifty dollars each, to be recovered and applied as herein before directed, to make out and render to the said levy court, at their first meeting in May in each year, a statement of their accounts and expenditures, with the necessary vouchers for the preceding year, which accounts shall be examined, settled and passed, by the said court, at their discretion.

Accounts, how to be settled. SEC. 7. And be it enacted, That all accounts settled by the treasurer or overseer of the poor with the trustees, shall be on oath or affirmation that they are just and true, which oath or affirmation shall be administered by one of the trustees.

Meetings, where to be held.

SEC. 8. And be it enacted, That all the meetings of the said trustees of the poor necessary to be held for the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of this act, or of the original act, or of the supplements thereto, shall be held at the almshouse in the said county, except such meetings as may be necessary for the settlement and passing their accounts with the levy court.

When to be held; compensation of trustees.

SEC. 9. And be it enacted, That the trustees appointed by virtue of this act, shall meet four times a year, to wit: The second Monday in June, October, January and April, or oftener if need be, at their discretion, and for every day that they serve in discharge of their duties under the provisions of this act, the said trustees shall each receive for their services the sum of two dollars per day, to be levied on the county, and paid to them by the collector.

Modified by 1825, ch. 10.

Clerk's compensation. SEC. 10. And be it enacted, That the clerk of said court shall be allowed twenty-five cents for each certificate of appointment which he shall make out and deliver to the sheriff, and the sheriff shall be allowed fifty-cents for the delivery of each of the said certificates to the persons appointed, all of which charges and allowances are to be levied, collected and paid over, as other county charges are.

A mileage is allowed by 1830, ch. 84.

Out-pensioners. SEC. 11. And be it enacted, That the trustees in their discretion may provide for any number of out-pensioners, any law to the contrary notwithstanding.

Certain acts ropealed.
• Ch. 57.

SEC. 12. And be it enacted, That the act, entitled, a supplement to the act of seventeen hundred and eighty-five,\* and the supplementary acts thereto, which provide for the poor of Dorchester county, passed at November session, eighteen hundred and eleven,† shall be and the same are hereby repealed.

† Ch. 102. Laws inconsistent with this repealed.

SEC. 13. And be it enacted, That any thing in the said original act, or the supplements thereto, which is repugnant to, or inconsistent with, the provisions of this act, shall be and the same is hereby repealed.