levy court under a penalty. 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 settled and passed by the said court, previous to the making out the new appointments of trustees.

Accounts settled by treasurer shall be on oath. 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 any one of the trustees.

Trustees to meet at alms-house.

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.

Allowance for making out certificates. SEC. 9. 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.

Repealing section.

SEC. 10. 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thereto, which is repugnant to, or inconsistent with the provisions of this act, shall be, and the same is hereby repealed.

An Act to authorize the Levy Court of Frederick County to increase the pay of the Overseer of the Poor in said County.—1817, ch. 103.

Additional allowance.

Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the levy court of Frederick county are hereby authorized, in their discretion, to allow to the overseer of the poor of said county, such sum of money in addition to his present pay as in their judgment shall be just and reasonable for his services.

1825, ch. 48, authorizes the purchase of land, and building a new poor-house.

A SUPPLEMENT to an Act, entitled, an Act to authorize the Levy Court of Frederick County to levy a sum of money to purchase a tract of Land and build a House thereon, for the use of the Paupers, and sell the present Poor-house of said County, and for other purposes.—1828, ch. 152. Sec. 1, 2. Authorize the purchase of a farm for a poor-house.

Appointment of keeper. SEC. 3. And be it enacted, That the levy court are hereby authorized to appoint the keeper of the poor's-house and ma-