

Repealing  
clause.

**SEC. 8.** *And be it enacted,* That all laws of this state inconsistent with the provisions of this act, be, and the same are hereby repealed, so far as the same relates to Somerset county.

AN ACT, entitled, a Supplement to an Act for the promotion of Education in Somerset County.—1838, ch. 394.

Seven trustees of education to be annually appointed.

**SEC. 1.** *Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the commissioners for Somerset county be, and they are hereby empowered and directed to appoint on, or before the first Monday of June next, and annually thereafter, seven wise and discreet persons in each election district of said county, to be styled and called the Trustees for the Education of Poor Children for Somerset county, and shall notify each trustee of his appointment; and in case of the death, resignation, removal, or disqualification of any of said trustees, then and in that case, the said commissioners shall proceed to fill up said vacancy, or vacancies.

Shall make census of poor children.

**SEC. 2.** *And be it enacted,* That the said trustees, or a majority of them, as soon as convenient after their appointment, shall make a census of the poor children in the election district of which they are trustees, of the proper age to go to school, describing their names, ages and sex, whose parents are unable to pay for the tuition of such children, and said census shall be reported to the commissioners of said county, as soon as may be by said trustees, and filed and recorded in the proceedings of said commissioners, and said trustees shall annually thereafter, on or before the first day of May, return a new census of the poor children as aforesaid, within their election districts as aforesaid, and said trustees shall have power to adjourn from day to day, and make such rules and regulations as they may deem requisite to carry into effect the object of this act.

And report to county commissioners. Annual report.

May make rules.

Payment over of school funds to county commissioners.

**SEC. 3.** *And be it enacted,* That the treasurer of the western shore be, and he is hereby authorized and required to pay over to the order of the commissioners for Somerset county all sums of money which are now or may hereafter be apportioned to Somerset county, out of the common or free school fund, or funds of the state, or which may be apportioned to said county out of the interest in the state's portion of the surplus fund of the United States, or which said county may be entitled to receive from the state for common school purposes from any fund whatever.

Who shall deposite the same in bank.

**SEC. 4.** *And be it enacted,* That the commissioners for Somerset county be, and they are hereby directed to deposite in the Bank of Salisbury, within twenty days after its reception, all sums of money which may or shall come into their possession from the treasurer of the western shore, in conformity to