

teen hundred and twenty-five, chapter one hundred and sixty-two, together with all other supplements to said act.

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted*, That after the trustees shall have been duly elected as aforesaid, and shall have reported themselves, agreeably to the original act and its supplements, as required to be done by other trustees of primary schools, that the said trustees shall then be entitled to, and receive their respective distributions of all school funds set apart for primary schools in said county, according to the number of scholars by them reported in their district.

Distribution of school fund, when to be made.

AN ACT regulating the Compensation of the County Surveyor, and prescribing certain duties therein named, so far as the same relates to Frederick County.—1839, ch. 273.

WHEREAS, by an act for the regulation of officers' fees by the general assembly of Maryland at the session of seventeen hundred and seventy-nine, chapter twenty-five, a table of fees was given by which the surveyors of the several counties have their services rated by an allowance in tobacco; *And whereas*, since said period, the character of surveys is much changed, and the rates then regulating the surveyors' fees, do not cover the necessary labour they now have to undergo, but leave a portion thereof to be covered and met by usage, without the sanction of law; therefore,

Preamble.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the surveyor of Frederick county, be and he is hereby authorized to charge for his individual services, under warrants of survey or resurvey directed from the land office, under orders or warrants of resurvey directed from the county court, and under orders directed from the chancellor, a per diem of four dollars for each day he may necessarily be engaged in performing the duty the said orders or warrants may enjoin, and the said surveyor, when the same shall be required by the persons for whom the services shall be rendered, shall state his account of such services under oath.

Compensation to surveyor.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That it shall be the duty of the present and succeeding surveyors of Frederick county, to keep a regular alphabetical record of the surveyor's duplicate certificate of all surveys or resurveys hereafter made by virtue of a warrant issued from the land office, and that the record book or books, shall be procured at the cost of the county, and shall be of the same description of those now in the surveyor's office, and in which the old certificates are recorded, and that the said record books shall be the property of the county, and shall be kept in the surveyor's office, and be handed down to the successive county surveyors.

Surveyor to keep record.