

said county, and on conviction, shall be fined not less than five nor more than fifty dollars, to be collected and paid to the clerk of the Circuit Court for said county for the benefit of the primary school fund of said county.

SCHOOLS.

169. The several election districts of Kent county are divided into school districts according to their present bounds and limits.

170. Five discreet persons, residing in each school district, shall be annually elected as trustees for such district, by the white male taxable inhabitants residing in said county, and owning real or personal property in such school district; but no personal property removed into a school district thirty days before an election, shall give the owner thereof a right to vote in such district, unless such owner bona fide becomes a resident thereof.

171. At the time of electing trustees, the said voters shall also elect a clerk for said district.

172. The trustees and clerk so elected shall hold their offices until the next annual election.

173. It shall be the duty of the clerk of each school district, to keep the records and proceedings of his district in a book to be provided for that purpose, and whenever a district meeting shall be called by the trustees, he shall give notice of the time and place of such meeting to the inhabitants of said district, at least ten days before such meeting shall be held; and when any district meeting shall be adjourned for a longer time than one month, he shall give notice thereof in writing as aforesaid, at least ten days before the time appointed for such meeting; and it shall be his further duty to give notice in like manner of every meeting or election to be held in such district. He shall preserve all records, books, writings and papers belonging to his office; and on the expiration of his time of service, shall deliver the same to his successor in office.

174. The trustees shall fix the day in each year when elections are to be held for trustees and clerk, and may also call any meet-