

SCHOOLS.

142. The Orphans' Court of Prince George's county shall be commissioners of the school fund for said county.

143. The Treasurer of Maryland shall pay to the order of the Orphans' Court for said county the proportion of the school fund to which said county may be entitled.

144. The said Orphans' Court shall annually, on or before the first day of January, report to the General Assembly the manner in which said county's proportion of the school fund has been appropriated.

145. They may loan out said school fund in such sums, upon such time and security as they may think best, provided no loan exceed five hundred dollars to any one borrower.

146. The county commissioners of said county shall annually levy, to the order of the trustees of the primary schools for said county, such sum as may be necessary to pay the annual salaries of teachers of said schools.

147. They shall annually, at the time of making the county levy, appoint nine discreet, sensible and prudent citizens, one from each election district of said county, members of a board of trustees of primary schools.

148. The trustees so appointed shall contract for the erection and repair, and furnishing, of school houses in the different districts, and may condemn for the public use any land on which to erect the same.

149. They may draw upon the Orphans' Court for any sum or sums necessary for the payment for land condemned by them, the erection, repair and furnishing of school houses; and upon the said court and the collector of county taxes for the salaries of teachers of the different schools.

150. They may make such by-laws as they may think necessary for the government of the schools in said county.

151. The taxable inhabitants of the several school districts and the patrons of schools therein, shall meet annually on the