

25. He shall act as a town constable, and shall have power to preserve the peace and good order of the town, and shall collect all taxes levied by the burgess and commissioners, and shall have the same power to distrain therefor as collectors of county taxes.

SCHOOLS.

The Act of 1862, ch. 203, amends and re-enacts sections 142, 146, 149 and 151, as follows.

26. It shall be the duty of the Orphans' Court for Allegany county to appoint, annually, on the first Tuesday in May, three commissioners of public schools, who shall, collectively, be entitled the Board of Commissioners of Public Schools of Allegany county.

27. The Board of Commissioners of Public Schools are hereby authorized and required to appoint a treasurer, not a member of the board, who shall, also, act as secretary to the said board, who shall give bond to the State of Maryland in a sum double the amount of money levied and collected for school purposes, with at least two securities, to be approved by them, with the condition that he will perform faithfully the duties of Treasurer of the Board of Commissioners of Public Schools, and pay over and apply all moneys that shall come into his hands or care as treasurer aforesaid, to such person or persons, and in such manner, as the said board shall direct; and that he will keep and enter in a book, kept for that purpose, a full and fair account of all moneys received and paid by him, and of all matters relating to his duties and office, and preserve the same, and all vouchers relating thereto, and deliver up all the books and vouchers relating to said office, whenever they are required by the said board, to such person as they shall appoint to receive the same; the said treasurer shall be elected annually, at such time as the said board shall, in their by-laws, provide, and shall receive such compensation for his services as they, from time to time, shall determine, not exceeding two hundred dollars per annum.

28. The said school commissioners shall appoint, in each school district, three discreet men, who shall have the manage-