1880, ch. 404.

428. The county commissioners are authorized, in their discretion, to levy, annually, a sum of money not exceeding ten thousand dollars in any one year, for the erection and furnishing of new school houses in Frederick county, under the supervision of the county commissioners; such school houses to be built and furnished according to plans and drawings issued from the office of the county school commissioners.

SHERIFF.

P. L. L., (1860,) art. 11, sec. 312.

429. The sheriff of Frederick county shall execute the sentence of death upon any convict, upon the receipt of the death warrant from the governor, at the time fixed in said warrant, in the enclosed yard of the jail of said county, in the presence of not less than twenty persons, whom he may summon to be present at such execution; and on failure so to do, he shall forfeit the sum of three hundred dollars, for the use of the schools in said county.

1888, ch. 223.

430. The county commissioners are authorized and directed to levy for and pay to the sheriff of Frederick county, annually, such sum as, in the judgment of said county commissioners, will be a reasonable compensation to said sheriff for his care, labor, responsibility and expense, in keeping the prisoners committed to his custody safely in jail, and in having the supplies and provisions furnished him by the said commissioners of charities and corrections, cooked and served to said prisoners; and the amount so levied for and paid to said sheriff, shall be, in each and every year, the sum of three thousand and six hundred dollars, and said sum shall be in full for all claims of said sheriff against said county for keeping such prisoners in jail, and cooking and serving victuals to the same, including the wages or salary to a cook paid by him, warden or other employees about said jail, but shall not, in any manner, affect or interfere with any claim he may have against said county for fees for other services rendered according to law; the amount so levied for said sheriff shall be paid to him in equal quarterly payments.