

1874, ch. 485.

122. It shall not be lawful for said commissioners to become surety for any person appointed to or holding office under them.

Ibid.

123. The county commissioners shall, at the usual time of making the levy upon the taxable property of said county, for other State and county purposes, make such additional rate of levy as is now or may hereafter be fixed by law, for the support of the public schools of said county, and may, in their discretion, levy such additional rate as they may deem necessary to promote the efficiency of the said schools; said levy for school purposes not to exceed twenty cents on the hundred dollars; the school tax, so fixed by law and levied, in the discretion of said commissioners, shall be made separate from the levy for other county and State purposes, and shall constitute a separate fund, and shall not be used for any other purpose but that for which it was levied; and said school taxes shall be paid directly to the school board of said county by the treasurer of said county.

1886, ch. 365.

124. They shall levy on the assessable property of the county such sums as may be necessary to pay the interest on the bonds authorized by the act of 1886, chapter 365, for the repair, improvement and enlargement of the court-house, and also such sums as may be necessary to retire the bonds themselves when they shall mature; and said bonds shall be exempt from county and municipal taxation.

1888, ch. 192.

125. They are authorized and empowered, whenever it shall seem to them expedient for the encouragement of the growth and development of manufactures and manufacturing industry in said county, upon the application as hereinafter provided, of any individual, firm or corporation actually engaged in the business of manufacturing in said county, to abate all taxes for any year which may hereafter be levied for county or school purposes by authority of said county commissioners, upon any mechanical tools or implements, whether