

1884, ch. 13. 1888, ch. 298.

15. The president of the said trustees, at their meeting on the first Monday in January, eighteen hundred and ninety, shall select and appoint from among the said trustees a committee of three trustees of the poor and insane of Cecil county; and said committee shall meet at the almshouse twelve times in each year, in the first week of each month, or oftener if necessary.

Ibid.

16. All accounts, claims or charges against the said trustees shall be submitted to the said executive committee at its monthly meeting, or to the board of trustees at its quarterly meeting, and shall be considered by and passed upon by said committee; and if approved by said committee or a majority thereof, or by the board of trustees or a majority thereof, the said trustees shall issue a warrant upon the treasurer of Cecil county for the amount of the claim or account so approved, signed by the president and countersigned by the secretary of said trustees, and thereupon the treasurer of the county shall pay the same.

Ibid.

17. The said trustees shall annually, on or before the second Monday in May, report to the county commissioners the probable amount, in their judgment, necessary for the relief and support of the poor and insane in the almshouse and asylum, together with a statement in writing exhibiting each general item of expenditure and the amount thereof, the number and names of the inmates of the almshouse and insane asylum at the date of their report, as also such as may have been in and left subsequent to their previous report, and also an account showing the gross amount received and expended and how expended within the same period.

Ibid.

18. The county commissioners at their annual session for making the county levy shall, upon the receipt of the report of said trustees, levy the amount estimated by the trustees, if in the judgment of said commissioners the amount so estimated be necessary for the support of the almshouse and insane asylum and inmates; and the said trustees shall not in any one year expend or