

make contracts to expend a sum greater than the amount of money so levied by the commissioners.

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

**19.** All the funds of the said almshouse and insane asylum, and all sums of money levied by the county commissioners for the relief and support of the poor and insane, and all money arising from the sale of any of the property under the control of said trustees, or from any other source whatever, shall be deposited with the treasurer of Cecil county, and shall be paid out by the said treasurer upon the warrant of the said trustees, as provided by section 17 hereof.

Ibid.

**20.** The said trustees may pay the secretary selected under section 14 hereof, a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars per annum as a salary, and so *pro rata* during his continuance in office.

Ibid

**21.** The said trustees shall be entitled to two dollars per day for each day they shall attend to the discharge of their duties as such.

Ibid.

**22.** No clergyman, attorney at law, or practising physician shall be obliged to accept the office of trustee of the poor and insane; and no justice of the peace or sheriff, or any one who has not the qualification to be a member of the general assembly shall be eligible as a trustee.

Ibid.

**23.** The said trustees shall annually, on or before the first day of February in each year, appoint an overseer of the almshouse and insane asylum, such appointment to take effect on the twenty-fifth day of March next ensuing, and shall, within ten days after such appointment, inform the overseer thereof; the said trustees may appoint such nurses, attendants and assistants to the overseer, and employ such laborers and upon such terms as they may deem proper.

Ibid.

**24.** They may remove such overseer at their discretion, and shall give him ten days' notice of his discharge.