

and such grants and bequests shall be exempt from all State and county taxes.

1888, art. 77, sec. 109. 1872, ch. 377

**172.** Moneys invested in trust for the benefit of the public schools for any county or city shall be exempt from State, county or local tax.

#### **Maryland Agricultural College.**

1856, ch. 97. 1858, ch. 265. 1866, ch. 53. 1880, ch. 231. 1888, ch. 326.  
1904, ch. 537.

**173.** The board of trustees of the Maryland Agricultural College shall be constituted as follows: There shall be eighteen trustees, five of whom shall be elected by a majority of the private stockholders of said college, in the manner now provided by law, and the following six named persons shall represent the State interest in said board, namely, the governor, comptroller, treasurer, president of the senate, speaker of the house of delegates and attorney general; and the United States secretary of agriculturè shall be *ex officio* one of said board, and one person from each of the congressional districts of this State who shall be a practical farmer, or immediately interested in agricultural pursuits, who shall be appointed by the governor, by and with the consent of the senate, to be classified as follows: Two for the term of two years, two for the term of four years, and the remainder for the term of six years, all to date from the first day of February, 1888, and thereafter the term of all such appointments shall be for the term of six years, except that appointments to fill vacancies occurring otherwise than by expiration of term, shall be only for the unexpired portion of the term so vacated.

#### **Free Scholarships.**

ST. MARY'S FEMALE SEMINARY, ST. MARY'S CITY,  
ST. MARY'S COUNTY.

1868, ch. 193. 1896, ch. 61. 1898, ch. 379.

**174.** One scholar shall be taken from each of the counties and each of the four legislative districts of Baltimore city, and shall be selected by the examiner and boards of county school commissioners of the respective counties, and the board of commissioners of public schools in Baltimore city, for the four legislative districts of said city respectively, without recourse to a competitive examination, so that the most worthy