

gaged, and if, for any reason, the said supervisor is compelled to be absent during the time the said laborers are engaged in work on the roads, in the monthly statement to be submitted to the Board of Road Commissioners as aforesaid, he shall state the number of hours he was so absent, with the reason for such absence, and if he shall fail to keep and produce at said monthly meeting an account, as above provided for, or if any account so produced shall contain any false statement, or if said supervisor shall fail to perform all the duties herein required of him to the satisfaction of said Board of Road Commissioners he shall be at once dismissed from his position by said board and forfeit all pay then due him for his services as road supervisor.

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That the work on said roads shall be done at such times and in such manner as said Road Commissioners shall direct.

SEC. 6. *And be it enacted*, That the said supervisors shall each have the power to hire such horses, oxen, wagons, carts, plows and other implements necessary for the successful performance of his duties herein required of him as supervisor, and at each monthly meeting of said Board of Road Commissioners he shall submit to said board a statement showing everything hired by him during the preceding month, from whom the same was hired and the sum agreed to be paid for the hire thereof; but nothing in this section shall authorize the said supervisor to hire anything whatever contrary to the advice and order of the said Road Commissioners.

SEC. 7. *And be it enacted*, That the said Board of Road Commissioners shall meet at their office in Prince Frederick on the second Tuesday of every month in each year, at which meetings they shall receive and carefully examine the accounts and statement made by the said supervisors as hereinbefore provided for, and from said accounts compute the number of days each laborer has been employed on the public roads in said county and number of days the said supervisor has been engaged therein, allowing in such computations ten hours of active work to constitute one day, and twenty-six days to constitute one month, and each laborer shall be paid a sum not exceeding thirty-two dollars and fifty cents a month, and each supervisor a sum not exceeding fifty-two dollars per month, and the said Board of Road Commissioners shall deliver to said supervisor and each laborer, signed by at least two members of the Board of Road Commissioners, an order on the treasurer of the county for the sum of money which may be found to be due to each of them as aforesaid and at each of said monthly meetings, any