

also serve as vaccine physicians for their respective districts, and it shall be their duty to vaccinate free of charge any child whose guardian or parents are too poor to pay for the service. It shall further be the duty of said District Health Officers to examine into the sanitary condition of all highways, alleys and by-ways in their respective districts, and if the same are found to be in an unsanitary condition, to report such fact immediately to the County Health Officer. They shall also examine all primary school children's eyes once a year for refractive and focal difficulties, and cause the parents or guardians of children whose eyes are defective to be so informed. They shall examine all exposed parts of all school children at least once a term, or oftener, if requested by the teacher, for contagious skin diseases, and such children, together with those whom the teacher shall show to have parasites, shall be excluded from school until they can furnish a certificate from a regularly qualified physician that they are rid of trouble. They shall also act as coroners of their respective districts and examine indigent insane when requested by a Justice of the Peace, the Health Officer or the County Commissioners.

SEC. 45i. If any person shall knowingly obstruct or resist the County Health Officer, or any of the District Health Officers of Howard County in the executions of the powers to them given, or in the performance of the duties enjoined upon them by law in relation to the public health, such person shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and, upon conviction thereof, shall be fined not less than five dollars, nor more than one hundred dollars, or be imprisoned, in the discretion of the Court, for not more than thirty days.

SEC. 45j. It shall be the duty of the Sheriff or Police Officer of Howard County to execute all orders of any of the county health authorities, so far as they relate to the sanitary condition of said county.

SEC. 45k. Such Local Board of Health shall take cognizance of all unhealthy nuisances within the limits of Howard County, and any person or corporation refusing or neglecting after reasonable notice to comply with the requirements of such board in respect to such nuisance shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty dollars. If the owner or owners, occupier or occupiers of property on which any such nuisance exists, shall refuse or neglect to abate the same after such reasonable notice, the County Health Officer, after the expiration of the time set out in such notice, shall remove the said nuisance, or cause of said nuisance, at the expense of said owner or owners, occupier or occupiers; and the cost of removing said nuisance or cause of said nuisance may be recovered by