

78. The county superintendent of schools, as secretary and treasurer of the county board of education, shall give bond to the State of Maryland in such penal sum as the board shall determine. Said bond shall have the security of any guaranty, deposit, trust or other similar company duly authorized under the laws of Maryland to act in such capacity. The cost or fee for such security shall be paid by the county board of education, and said bond, when executed, shall be filed in the office of the clerk of the court of the county. The bond shall provide that the secretary and treasurer will faithfully perform the duties of the office and pay over and apply all moneys that shall come to his hand or care as treasurer to such persons and in such manner as said board may, under the provisions of this article, direct, and that he will keep a full account of all moneys received and paid by him, and all matters relating to the duties of his office and preserve the same, and all vouchers relating thereto, and deliver up all books and vouchers relating to his office to his successor.

CHAPTER V.

The District Board of School Trustees.

31. Every district board of school trustees shall hold an annual meeting each year on the third Saturday in May, or as soon thereafter in May as possible. At this meeting the Board shall each year appoint one of its members as Chairman, and shall give notice of such appointment to the secretary of the county board of education. Other regular meetings shall be held at least once each school term, and such special meetings shall be held as the duties and business of the board shall require. The principal teachers of the district school shall be the secretary, and shall attend all meetings of the board; shall have the right to speak upon all questions, but no right to vote; shall prepare for adoption all reports required by the county board of education; shall keep all records and accounts; shall keep the minutes of the meetings of the board in a record book provided by the county board of education, and shall conduct the correspondence of the board.

31A. The board of district school trustees shall have the care of the buildings and land connected therewith intended for school purposes, also the school apparatus and other school property. They shall attend to all incidental repairs and charge the cost among the incidental expenses of the school, to be paid out of the taxes levied upon the assessable property of