

and twenty-six, one hundred and twenty-seven and one hundred and twenty, of article seventeen, relating to the schools of Queen Anne's county, be and the same are hereby repealed. CHAP. 27.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the following shall be substituted for section one hundred and fourteen, in said article of said Code: The taxable inhabitants of each primary school district of said county, (except in the Centreville district,) shall annually on some day in the month of October or November in each year, upon ten days notice, by advertisements set up at the most public places in the districts by the trustees, or five taxable inhabitants of the district, elect three trustees for such district who shall before they proceed to act as trustees take an oath before a justice of the peace of the county, diligently and faithfully to discharge the duties of their office, and they shall deliver to the commissioners of the school fund a certificate from the said justice, of their qualification. Trustees.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That the following shall be substituted for section one hundred and fifteen of said Code of Public Local Laws: Vacancies in the said board of trustees which from any cause shall occur during the year, shall be filled by the taxable inhabitants at special meetings called as as provided in the preceding section. Vacancies—  
how filled.

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted*, That the following shall be substituted for one hundred and sixteen of said article seventeen: The commissioners of the school fund shall annually appoint three sensible and discreet men to constitute a board of examiners whose duty it shall be to examine all persons who may offer themselves as candidates for teachers of primary schools. Examiners.

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That the following shall be substituted for section one hundred and twenty-one of said article seventeen: The commissioners of the school fund shall hold their meetings twice a year in Centreville, that is, on the first Tuesday in July and January, to appropriate all moneys which may come into the hands of the Treasurer, equally among the primary school districts of said county, including the Centreville district, and the said Treasurer shall pay the same to the Trustees of the primary school districts, and of Centreville Academy, upon the order of any two of Appropriations.