

CHAP. 263.
In force.

SEC. 6. *And be it enacted,* That this act of incorporation shall endure for thirty years from the date of its passage, and that the Legislature reserves to itself the right to alter or annul the same at any time thereafter.

CHAPTER 263.

Passed Feb 28
1850.

An act entitled, an act relating to Primary Schools in Kent County.

Petitions to be made to the levy court

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That all petitions relating to any change of primary school districts in Kent county, shall be made to the levy court of said county.

Levy court to inquire, etc

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That when any petition for an additional school district, or a petition in any way affecting the location of primary school houses in said county, that it shall be the duty of the levy court to inquire into the merits of said petition, and if they shall, in their discretion, think the prayer of the petitioners ought to be granted, that they shall appoint five trustees, residing in the neighborhood of the school district where a change is desired to be made, whose duty it shall be to lay out a new district, or make such changes in the districts now existing, as they, or a majority of them, may think the public convenience requires.

Levy authorized.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That the levy court shall levy upon the assessable property in additional school district, a sum of money sufficient to pay the expense of so locating any additional primary school district, that may be located under the provisions of this act, to be collected as other county charges are.

New districts to be entitled to privileges of old ones

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted,* That when, under the provisions of this act, any additional primary school district shall be laid out, that it be entitled to all the privileges and subject to all the regulations that now appertain to primary schools in Kent county.

School houses may be removed

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted,* That whenever the trustees who may be appointed under the provisions of this act, shall be of opinion that the public interest would be served by removing any primary school house now in use as a primary school, they shall be and they are hereby authorised to cause the said house to be removed to such location as they, or a majority of them, shall be of