

Passed Mar. 7, 1850, *A supplement to an act entitled, an act to establish Public Schools in Baltimore county, passed at December session, eighteen hundred and forty-seven, chapter one hundred and eighty-seven.*

Commissioners to be elected

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the school commissioners appointed under the provisions of the fifth section of said act, shall hold office until the first Wednesday in October next, and ten days thereafter, and on the said first Wednesday in October next, and annually thereafter, it shall be lawful for the people of each election district in said county, to elect one suitable person, a resident of said district, to act as school commissioners of said district, and the patrons of each school shall assemble at their respective school houses, and elect three directors, whose duty it shall be to select a teacher, inspect school house, examine pupils, and report the same to the commissioner of their district. for the space of one year after such election, and such election shall be conducted, in all respects according to the provisions of the laws regulating elections in this State, and the judges of election, in said county, shall return the result of said election to the board of county commissioners, on the usual day for making such returns, and the said school commissioners elected as herein provided, shall have and exercise all the powers conferred by the said act on the commissioners heretofore appointed by the county commissioners board.

Repealed

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That the counter signature of the board of county commissioners to the draft of the president of the board of school commissioners, required by the tenth section of the said act, be and the same is hereby dispensed with.

To appoint a clerk

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That the board of school commissioners, be and they are hereby authorised to employ the services of a clerk, not a member of the board, and to give to said clerk such compensation for his services, as the said board shall, from time to time, deem right and reasonable, not to exceed the sum of two hundred dollars per annum.

Duty of the grand jury

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted,* That the grand jury of Baltimore county, be and they are hereby authorised and required to examine the accounts of the said board of school commissioners, at the time when they examine the accounts of the treasurer and county commissioners, and make and publish a stated account of their receipts and expenditures for the current year.