

CHAP. 114.

President, secretary, to be chosen

5. *And be it enacted.* That the said commissioners shall choose from their own body one person to be president, and one other to be secretary, and that the latter shall always be a resident of Port Tobacco, and it shall be the duty of the secretary to keep fair and correct entries in a book to be provided for the purpose, of all the proceedings of the said commissioners, and all directions and orders for the payment or distribution of any part of the said funds, shall be signed by the secretary, by order of the board of commissioners.

President may draw on treasurer

6. *And be it enacted,* That the president shall draw on the treasurer of the western shore, from time to time, for such sums as may be directed by the board of commissioners, and that the said treasurer shall be authorised to pay to the order of the said president, signed by him, and countersigned by the secretary of the said board, such sums as he may draw for on the said fund to which the county is entitled.

Treasurer to be appointed

7. *And be it enacted,* That the said commissioners shall appoint some person of their own body to be their treasurer, who, before he acts as such, shall give bond to the said commissioners, with security if required in such penalty as the said commissioners may in their discretion require, for the faithful performance of his duty, and that it shall be the duty of the said treasurer to receive all monies which the said commissioners shall draw for on the treasurer of the western shore, and all monies which they may hereafter be authorised by law to receive, or which they may by gift, grant, or otherwise acquire a right to dispose of for the education of poor children, and the same to keep and account for, the said commissioners annually at their meeting in November, or at any other time, when called upon by the said commissioners, and to pay to the order of the commissioners, signed by their clerk, such sum as may be required to be paid by every such order.

By-laws and regulations may be made

8. *And be it enacted.* That the board of commissioners shall have power and authority to make such by-laws and regulations as they may deem expedient, provided they be not repugnant to the provisions of this act, or to any law of this state, and that they may in their discretion constitute district committees of their numbers residing in the several election districts, if they shall think it conducive to the furtherance of the objects of this act, and of the act to which this is a supplement.

CHAP. CXV.

Passed Feb 1, 1821

An Act to confirm and explain an Act of Assembly, passed at December session eighteen hundred and nineteen, entitled, An Act to make valid a deed of Manumission, executed by Thomas Carter, late of Queen-Anne's County, deceased.

Preamble

WHEREAS an act of assembly, passed at December session eighteen hundred and nineteen, entitled, An act to make valid a deed of manumission executed by Thomas Carter, late of Queen-Anne's county, deceased, by which it was declared, that a deed of manumission executed by Thomas Carter, late of Queen-Anne's county, bearing date the sixth day of December eighteen hundred and six, and recorded among the records of the said county, was confirmed and made valid, but the said deed was executed on the sixth day of December eighteen hundred and three, instead of eighteen hundred and six, as recited in the said act; Therefore,