

**Levy court to serve three years.** **SEC. 8.** *And be it enacted,* That the levy court thus elected, shall serve three years from the date of their election, and shall exercise all the powers that now belong to the levy court of Caroline county.

AN ACT relating to the Sheriff of Caroline County.—1839, ch. 168.

**Commission to sheriff for collecting fees.**

*Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That from and after the passage of this act, it shall and may be lawful for the sheriff of Caroline county, to charge and receive from all officers and attorneys who may choose to require of the sheriff to collect for them, any officers' or attorneys' fees, a commission of twelve and a half per cent. on the amount of fees that may be so collected, instead of the commission heretofore allowed in such cases.

AN ACT for the distribution of the Interest on the State's share of the Surplus Revenue Fund, so far as relates to Caroline County.—1839, ch. 279.

**Surplus revenue fund to be distributed between election districts.**

**SEC. 1.** *Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That from and after the passage of this act, the share of the interest on the surplus revenue, belonging to Caroline county, shall be distributed between the several election districts of said county, by the orphans court of said county, in the following manner, to wit: the middle district to receive three-eighths of said fund, and the upper and lower districts, the balance of five-eighths, to be equally divided between them.

**Mode of apportionment**

**SEC. 2.** *And be it enacted,* That it shall be the duty of the said orphans court, to divide the several sums distributed as aforesaid, equally between the school districts in said election districts, that may be in operation or may become in operation hereafter, according to the time that said school may be in operation according to law.

**Orphans court to divide it between the school districts.**

**School district, No. 1, to be divided.**

**SEC. 3.** *And be it enacted,* That Richard Jones, Marcellus E. Keene, James Pippin, Richard Norris, Thomas Straughan, Samuel Culbreth and Hooper D. Hutson, be, and they are hereby appointed commissioners, with full power to meet and divide school district No. 1, into two school districts, to suit the interest and convenience of the people, and to locate a new school district between Choptank river and the Delaware line, in the upper election district of said county.

**Location of school to be changed.**

**SEC. 4.** *And be it enacted,* That Tilghman Johnston, William Meloney, Ennals Hubbart, be, and they are hereby authorized to change the location of the school situated in Anderson town, and fix the location of the same at or near the Friends centre meeting house.

**Donation may be given to new school.**

**SEC. 5.** *And be it enacted,* That it shall be the duty of the board of commissioners for each election district in said county, after having complied with the sixth section of the act of eigh-