

ficient learning and ability and otherwise qualified for teaching, they shall certify the same in writing under their signatures, and deliver such certificate to the person so examined to the following effect, to wit: We, the undersigned, board of examiners of the public schools of Washington county, do certify that we have examined A. B., and do believe that he is a person of good moral character, and of sufficient learning and ability, and in all respects qualified to teach as principal (or as an assistant, as the case may be) in any of the schools in this county. Given under our hands this — day of —, in the year eighteen hundred and —. —, board of examiners of Washington county.

253. Each person obtaining a certificate shall pay for the same one dollar to the board of commissioners, to be by them appropriated towards payment of the salary of the secretary of said board, and to the printing of blank certificates.

254. Every teacher employed in any of the public schools in said county, shall have his certificate annually renewed by the board of examiners, and all applications for renewals shall be addressed either in writing or otherwise to the president of the board of school commissioners, and if there be no charges preferred against the applicant, said president, or in his absence or inability to act, any member of said board of school commissioners, shall issue and sign a renewal of such certificate to the following effect, to wit: The undersigned, president (or president *pro tem.*, as the case may be) of the board of school commissioners of Washington county, doth hereby renew for one year from the — day of —, in the year eighteen hundred and —, the certificate of qualification heretofore on the — day of —, in the year eighteen hundred and —, granted to A. B., late teacher in school district number —. Given under my hand this — day of —, in the year eighteen hundred and —.

A. B., President, &c.

255. No charge shall be made for the renewal of any certificate.

256*. The county commissioners of Washington county shall levy a tax on the assessable property of said county sufficient for the use of the public schools of said county, to be appropriated under the direction of the board of school commissioners.