

of the Peace, but no girl so received shall be detained for a period of more than three months.

1914, ch. 843, sec. 8.

603. Each girl committed to said Institution shall receive regular religious instruction to be provided by the church of her parents whenever it is possible for the Superintendent to secure it. There shall be religious services at least once weekly where, as far as the Superintendent is able to obtain them, all denominations shall be represented. The Board of Directors is authorized to make such expenditures for religious instruction as it may deem necessary for the carrying out of these provisions.

1914, ch. 843, sec. 9.

604. Whenever the Board of Directors shall deem it for the best interest of any girl in its custody, it shall authorize the Superintendent to release such girl on parole as soon as a suitable home has been found for her. And no home shall be deemed suitable which does not conform to the religious faith of the girl unless there be written consent from her religious instructor. One or more women shall be employed as visiting parole agents to investigate homes, visit girls on parole and make such other investigations as may be deemed needful by the Superintendent. It shall be the duty of the Superintendent to recall any girl who may not conduct herself properly while she is on parole or whose home has not been found suitable.

1914, ch. 843, sec. 10.

605. There is hereby appropriated out of the Treasury of the State of Maryland, the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) for the purpose of carrying on work and investigation preliminary to the establishment of said institution; and said corporation is hereby directed to report the result of said findings to the Governor of Maryland, and by him to be transmitted to the General Assembly of Maryland at its session in 1916.

Industrial Home for Colored Girls.

1904, art. 27, sec. 533. 1888, art. 27, sec. 374. 1882, ch. 291, sec. 1.

606. The Industrial Home for Colored Girls is a body corporate and politic and by that name and style shall have perpetual succession with power to have and use a common seal and to change the same at pleasure; to make contracts relative to said institution; to sue and be sued, and by that name and style shall be capable of purchasing, taking, holding and conveying any real estate or personal property, or receiving the same by gift, deed, will or bequest or otherwise for the use of the corporation, and to establish by-laws, rules and regulations for the government of said institution and the preservation and application of the funds thereof, and may appoint such officers, agents and serv-