unless said colored industrial school shall have had for the preceding year an average attendance of thirty pupils and as many as ten colored schools in the county where such industrial school is located. If in any county where there are less than ten colored schools, a colored industrial school shall be established, the state superintendent of schools, in his discretion, may recommend the payment of a part of said appropriation, not to exceed one-half the amount, or seven hundred and fifty dollars; and when such recommendation is made to the comptroller, he is authorized and directed to issue his warrant upon the treasurer of the State for said amount, payable to the order of the treasurer of the county board of education.

146. Repealed. (Act 1916, ch. 506.)

147. Repealed. (Act 1916, ch. 506.)

Chapter 21. School Attendance.

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This section referred to—see notes to sections 11, 25 and 43. School Commissioners v. Morris, 123 Md. 401.

1904, art. 77, sec. 154. 1902, ch. 269, sec. 127. 1912, ch. 173, sec. 127. 1916, ch. 506, sec. 156.

156. The board of school commissioners of Baltimore city shall appoint, and may remove at pleasure, one chief attendance officer, male or female; and in addition they may appoint and may remove at pleasure, such number of attendance officers, male or female, not exceeding eighteen, as they may deem proper. The compensation of such officers shall be fixed and paid by the mayor and city council of Baltimore. The county board of education of each of the several counties shall appoint, with the approval of the county superintendent, and may remove at pleasure, with the approval of the county superintendent, at least one attendance officer, male or female, who shall give his or her entire time to the duties of the office; and such additional attendance officers may be appointed as the county board of education may deem necessary.*

This section referred to—see notes to sections 11, 25 and 43. School Commissioners v. Morris, 123 Md. 401.

1904, art. 77, sec. 160. 1902, ch. 269, sec. 133. 1916, ch. 506, sec. 162.

162. Every child, residing in any county of the State being seven years of age, and under thirteen years of age, shall attend some public

^{*}Section 4 of the act of 1912, chapter 173 (see page 821 of volume 3 of the code), was repealed by the act of 1916, chapter 506.