ing, or on the same premises, such grade work may also be under the direct control of the county board of education, and the principal of the high school shall also be principal of the elementary school.

By passage of act of 1910, ch. 386, the management and supervision of school commissioners over high schools of state were intended to be enlarged; nothing in that act repealed secs. 16-18 of ch. 275 of acts of 1896, applying to the Annapolis High School. School Commissioners v. Henkel, 117 Md. 110; Zantzinger v. Manning, 123 Md. 181.

For a case arising under sec. 120 of the Code of 1904, see Wiley v. School Commissioners, 51 Md. 402.

See notes to sec. 11.

An. Code, sec. 126. 1908, ch. 635, sec. 122A. 1910, ch. 386, sec. 121 (p. 228). 1912, ch. 41. 1914, ch. 739. 1916, ch. 506, sec. 126. 1918, ch. 105, sec. 126. 1920, ch. 118.

For the encouragement of secondary education in Maryland, the State shall extend aid to such groups of high schools in such amounts and in such manner as hereinafter designated and described. All high schools of the counties of the State of Maryland receiving State aid shall be arranged by the State Board of Education into three groups, to be designated first group, second group and third group, according to the number and average daily attendance of pupils enrolled, teachers employed, and number of years and quality of instruction given. High schools of the first group shall fulfill the following minimum requirements: (a) They shall have an enrollment of not less than forty bona fide high school pupils, and an average daily attendance of not less than thirty pupils; (b) they shall employ not less than three full-time teachers for the high school work; (c) they shall provide a four years' course of instruction of not less than one hundred and eighty actual school days in each year, the same to conform to the standard required by the State Board of Education. High schools of the second group shall fulfill the following minimum requirements: (a) They shall have an enrollment of not less than twenty-five bona fide high school pupils, and an average daily attendance of at least twenty pupils; (b) they shall employ not less than two full-time teachers; (c) they shall provide a three years' course of instruction of not less than one hundred and eighty school days in each year, the same to conform to the standard required by the State Board of Education, and shall not attempt more than a three years' course of instruction unless additional teachers are provided for the additional work.

High schools of the third group shall fulfill the following minimum requirements: (a) They shall have an enrollment of at least fifteen bona fide high school pupils and an average daily attendance of at least twelve pupils; (b) they shall employ not less than one full-time teacher for high school work; (c) they shall provide for a two years' course of instruction of not less than one hundred and eighty actual school days in each year, the same to conform to the standard required by the State Board of Education, and shall not attempt more than a two years' course of instruction unless additional teachers are provided for the additional work.

No promotion of pupils from grade to grade in any approved high school shall be made without the approval of the county superintendent of schools; nor shall any pupils be graduated from an approved high school without