

is hereby authorized and empowered to administer such oath. If the board of trustees shall find such teacher qualified for active service, he or she shall report to the County Superintendent of Public Instruction of said Allegany County, whenever required so to do by the Board of Trustees, and said superintendent shall assign such teacher to such service or employment as may be within his or her power to perform, in the judgment of such superintendent and of the examining physician employed by said board of trustees. During the time of such employment such teacher shall receive the regular salary therefor, and shall cease to be entitled to any payment out of said fund because of disability or incapacity on account of which said teacher was originally retired. Any teacher who may be retired under Section 594 and assigned for active duty under this section, for the purpose of later retirement under this Act, shall be considered as having been in active service during the period of the former retirement.

1912, ch. 463, sec. 12.

597. Any teacher retired under the provisions of this Act shall continue as an employee of the Board of School Commissioners, but shall be compensated from the Teachers' Retirement Fund provided for in this Act, and it shall be the duty of every teacher so retired to render, without extra compensation, such teaching services and at such times as the Board of School Commissioners shall direct; provided the Board of School Commissioners shall not direct any such retired teacher to perform any teaching service except such as the board of trustees may certify to the Board of School Commissioners to be in the reasonable physical power of such retired teacher, and provided further, that no such retired teacher shall be required to render teaching service for a longer period than 15 days in any school year.

1912, ch. 463, sec. 13.

598. The Board of Trustees shall establish a permanent fund, to the credit of which shall be put and deposited all gifts, grants, devises and bequests, all other receipts for the first two years during which this Act shall have become operative, except so much of such receipts as the Board of Trustees may require during said two years to defray its expenses, and the unexpended balance remaining at the end of each fiscal year thereafter. And no part thereof shall be expended except the interest and income thereof and therefrom; provided, however, that one-half of the amount added to such permanent fund during any year may be used, if necessary, during the year immediately following.

1912, ch. 463, sec. 14.

599. This Act shall not affect in any way the power of the Board of School Commissioners to remove teachers from service under the laws now in force.