

1929, ch. 401, sec. 22. 1931, ch. 115, sec. 22.

22. If upon the completion of the investigation of any application as aforesaid, the said Department of Welfare of Baltimore City or said County Commissioners conclude that unless relief is granted, the mother applying will be unable to support and educate her children and that they may become a public charge, said County Commissioners shall pay or said Department of Welfare shall order the City Comptroller of Baltimore City to pay out of the funds of Baltimore City, as the case may be, to the mother monthly on the first day of each month, such sum as they may deem sufficient to enable said mother to support and educate her children. The Board of Estimates and the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore and the County Commissioners of the respective counties of this State are authorized and directed to levy such taxes, not exceeding one cent on each one hundred dollars of assessable property, as may be necessary and sufficient to carry out the provisions of this sub-title, or to provide for the same out of the proceeds of the general taxes levied.

See notes to sec. 21.

1929, ch. 401, sec. 23.

23. It shall be the duty of the County Commissioners in the several counties wherein the applicant or petitioner resides, or the Department of Welfare of Baltimore City, wherein the applicant or petitioner resides, to see that any widow mother who is receiving support pursuant to the provisions of this sub-title, is properly caring for her children; that they are sufficiently clothed and fed; that they attend school regularly and that said family shall be visited at least once every two months. Said County Commissioners or said Department of Welfare, as the case may be, may terminate such payments or make such changes therein whenever the purpose of this sub-title would be best subserved thereby.

1929, ch. 401, sec. 24.

24. Should the fund or funds available be insufficient to permit of an allowance to only a part of the mothers coming within the provisions of this sub-title, the County Commissioners in the several counties or the Department of Welfare of Baltimore City, shall select in their discretion those in most urgent need of such allowance.

1929, ch. 401, sec. 25.

25. The Department of Welfare of Baltimore City shall have the power to employ such assistant investigators as they may deem necessary, whose salaries shall be determined by the Board of Estimates of Baltimore City.

1929, ch. 401, sec. 26.

26. Any person knowingly and wilfully procuring, or attempting to procure any allowance or relief, by false testimony or representation, for herself or for a person not entitled thereto, shall be deemed guilty of a