

the files of said Commissioner for the period of four years from the date of said issue; and the person issuing said certificate in any of the said counties, shall also make a record of each application for any employment certificate upon blanks furnished by said Commissioner, and shall preserve same for a period of four years from the date of application. Whenever a certificate shall be refused to any child, a statement of the name and address of said child, together with the reasons for the refusal of said certificate and the school which said child should attend, shall be forwarded by the person refusing to issue said certificate to the county superintendent of schools of the county in which said child resides, if the child resides in one of the counties of this State, and to the Commissioner of Labor and Statistics, and said statements shall be placed on file and preserved until such time as such child, if living, shall have reached the full age of sixteen years. All employment certificates shall also contain the name and address of the prospective employer and the nature of the occupation in which said child is to be engaged, and no certificates shall be valid excepting in the hands of the employer so named and for the occupation so described.

An. Code, 1924, sec. 18. 1912, sec. 17. 1912, ch. 731, sec. 17. 1929, ch. 491.

18. The school record required by this sub-title shall be filled out and signed by the principal or chief executive officer of the school which such child has last attended and shall be furnished to a child who after due examination and investigation may be entitled thereto; it shall contain a statement certifying that the child has regularly attended the public schools or private or parochial schools for not less than such a minimum period of attendance as is now or may hereafter be prescribed by law during any period of twelve months after such child shall have arrived at the age of thirteen years and that such child has completed the course prescribed for elementary schools in the city or county in which said child resides. Such school record shall give the name, date of birth and residence of the child as shown on the records of the school and the name of the parent or guardian or custodian.

The provisions of this section relating to school attendance shall not be enforced against any child who has been granted a permit under the provisions of Chapter 192 of the Act of 1906; provided, however, that such child is able otherwise to meet the educational requirements of this section.

An. Code, 1924, sec. 19. 1912, sec. 18. 1912, ch. 731, sec. 18.

19. Certificates and other papers required in the issue of employment certificates shall be formulated by the Commissioner of Labor and Statistics and furnished by him to the superintendents of schools of the various counties of this State, provided that the preliminary papers required under sections 14 and 16 of this article shall be sufficient if they state fully the facts called for by said sections, and shall not be rejected because they are not upon the forms furnished by the Commissioner of Labor and Statistics.

An. Code, 1924, sec. 20. 1912, sec. 19. 1912, ch. 731, sec. 19.

20. An inspector of factories, or attendance officer or other officers charged with the enforcement of this sub-title may make demand on any employer in or about whose place or establishment a child apparently under the age of sixteen years is employed or permitted or suffered to work, and whose employment certificate is not filed as required by this sub-title, that