county school commissioners, and shall be subject to the same laws for its government, and furnish instruction in the same branches as the schools for white children.

1872, ch. 377.

98. The comptroller shall apportion the sum appropriated for the support of the colored schools of the several counties and the city of Baltimore, in proportion to their respective population between the ages of five and twenty years; said apportionment to be made at the time he apportions the levy for the white schools.

Ibid.

99. The total amount of taxes paid for school purposes by the colored people of any county, or in the city of Baltimore, together with any donations that may be made for the purpose, shall also be devoted to the maintenance of the schools for colored children.

Chapter 19. Sources of Income.

1872, ch. 377.

100. A State tax of ten cents on each one hundred dollars of taxable property throughout the State shall be levied annually for the support of free public schools and the Maryland State normal school, which tax shall be collected at the same time and by the same agents as the general State levy, and shall be paid into the treasury of the State, to be distributed by the treasurer to the boards of school commissioners of the city of Baltimore and the several counties.

Ibid.

101. The treasurer, on the warrant of the comptroller, shall pay to each of the counties and the city of Baltimore the proportion of the free school fund to which such city or county is entitled under the apportionment to be made by the comptroller, as hereinafter provided; and he shall pay the same to the treasurer of the board of school commissioners of Baltimore city and the several counties; and the several colleges and academies shall respectively receive the donations granted to them by any laws or resolutions of the general assembly, subject to the conditions annexed thereto.