officers; the official returns of the State election of each year; a list of State, educational, charitable, reformatory and benevolent institutions, with the amounts appropriated to each by the State; the amounts paid by counties to the public schools of the State on account of the public school tax; the gross and net debt of the State at the close of each fiscal year; the area, population, assessable basis and tax rates in the several counties of the State and the city of Baltimore; the construction of the judicial system of the State; the official payroll of the State, and such other information as his judgment may deem right and proper.

1890, ch. 240, sec. 3.

8. The said manual shall be distributed as follows: Twenty-five copies bound in cloth to the Maryland State library; ten copies, two of which shall be bound in cloth, to each of the members of the legislature; one copy to each of the clerks of the circuit courts of the State and the several courts in Baltimore city; one copy to each of the boards of county commissioners of this State, and the remaining number to the executive department, to be distributed by the secretary of State to each of the several States of the Union, to the public libraries in this and other States, and to officials and citizens of this State.

Ibid. sec. 4.

9. For the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this sub-title—compiling, printing and distributing said manual—the sum of fifteen hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby annually appropriated; and the comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant upon the treasurer, who is hereby directed to pay the same, in favor of the secretary of State upon the presentation of proper vouchers by him that the work above mentioned has been fully done, which vouchers shall be filed in the office of the comptroller.

ARTICLE LXXXVI.

SHEEP AND DOGS.

- Owners of sheep may kill sheepkilling dogs.
- Owner of sheep killed or injured may recover damages from owner of dogs; proceedings
- before justice of the peace; excepted counties.
- 3-4. Special provisions for Caroline, Cecil, Dorchester, Howard, Wicomico and Worcester countles.