

payments to be made on and after the first day of October, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight.

Repealed and re-enacted. SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That section two of chapter three hundred and ninety-three of the acts of the General Assembly, passed at the January session, eighteen hundred and seventy-two, entitled "An act for the relief of St. John's College," be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments so as to read as follows :

How to be paid. 2. That the Treasurer, upon the warrant of the Comptroller, be and he is hereby authorized and directed to pay to the said Visitors and Governors, annually, in instalments, beginning October the first, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, as set forth in a subsequent portion of this section, at the rate of two hundred dollars for each of the students provided with board, fuel, lights and washing free of charge, under the provisions of the act and section hereby repealed and re-enacted, until the number of such students shall have been reduced by the expiration of the period for which they were appointed, or otherwise, to one for each county and senatorial district of the State, and thereafter to pay to the said Visitors and Governors the sum of five thousand two hundred dollars per annum, payable in three instalments, on the first day of October, the first day of January, and the first day of April, to be applied by them in furnishing board, fuel, lights and washing to one of the students of the Collegiate Department, educated free of charge for tuition, from each senatorial district of the State, and appointed by the Boards of School Commissioners of the several counties and the city of Baltimore, by and with the advice and consent of the Senator in their respective counties and senatorial districts, after a competitive examination of the candidates for such appointments, who shall produce before the said commissioners satisfactory evidence of their moral character, and of their inability or the inability of their parents or guardians to pay the regular College charges ; provided, that no one of the said appointments shall be held by the same student for more than four years, unless the time of holding such appointment be extended by the Faculty of the College, and that each student

How applied.