the publication of such laws in three newspapers published in different sections in said county, the papers designated for such work to be in the discretion of the County Commissioners, the total cost of which shall not exceed \$600.00, and no discrimination shall be made by said Commissioners as to the amount each of the three newspapers so designated shall receive for such work.

Sec. 2. And be it enacted, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 8, 1908.

ARTICLE LXXVII.

PUBLIC EDUCATION.

CHAPTER 494.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact with amendments section 17p of chapter 356 of the Acts of 1906, title "Public Education."

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That section 17D of chapter 356 of the Acts of 1906, be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments to read as follows:

17p. The State Superintendent of Public Education, subject to confirmation by the State Board of Education, shall on or before the 31st day of July in each year appoint a competent person to be known as Assistant Superintendent of Public Education, who shall serve for one year, unless removed as hereinafter provided, and who shall receive a salary of \$2,000 per annum, to be paid from the appropriation for public schools, and shall receive no additional pay for any services said board may require; the said assistant so appointed shall act for and in the name of the superintendent in such branches of his office and field work as shall or may, in the discretion of said superintendent, be committed to him; and faithfully and efficiently perform such duties as may be required of him by either the superintendent or the State Board of Education; and the said assistant superintendent shall be subject to removal by the superintendent, with the approval of the State Board of Education, at any time for inefficiency or misconduct in office; provided, however, that the reason for such dismissal must be submitted to him in writing.