

appropriation shall be used for the support of one colored industrial school in the county, and one-half shall be used by the county board of education of the county where said colored industrial school is located for the employment of a capable and trained colored supervisor of colored schools, who shall be required to visit, under the direction of the county superintendent, all the colored schools of the county as often as the county superintendent may direct, and shall cause instruction of an industrial character to be made a daily part of the work of every colored school. The management and control of such an industrial school and the employment of a supervisor shall, subject to the provisions of this article, be in the hands of the county board of education of the county where such school is located.

145. No appropriation for the full amount of fifteen hundred dollars, authorized by the preceding section for the support of one central colored industrial school and for the employment of a colored school supervisor in such county where the colored industrial school may be located, shall be paid as authorized after the first annual appropriation, unless said colored industrial school shall have had for the preceding year an average attendance of thirty pupils and as many as ten colored schools in the county where such industrial school is located. If in any county where there are less than ten colored schools, a colored industrial school shall be established, the state superintendent of schools, in his discretion, may recommend the payment of a part of said appropriation, not to exceed one-half the amount, or seven hundred and fifty dollars; and when such recommendation is made to the comptroller, he is authorized and directed to issue his warrant upon the treasurer of the State for said amount, payable to the order of the treasurer of the county board of education.

CHAPTER 21.

School Attendance.

156. The board of school commissioners of Baltimore city shall appoint, and may remove at pleasure, one chief attendance officer, male or female; and in addition they may appoint and may remove at pleasure, such number of attendance officers, male or female, not exceeding eighteen, as they may deem proper. The compensation of such officers shall be fixed and paid by the mayor and city council of Baltimore. The county board of education of each of the several counties shall