the State of Marvland holding a first grade certificate, shall receive a salary of less than eight hundred dollars (\$800) per school year. Provided, if such a teacher holds a first grade certificate of the first class and has taught in the public schools of the State of Marvland for a period of three years, such teacher shall receive a salary of not less than eight hundred and fifty dollars (\$850) per school year. Provided, further, if such a teacher holds a first grade certificate of the first class and has taught in the public schools of Maryland for a period of five years, such teacher shall receive a salary of not less than nine hundred dollars (\$900) per school year. Provided, further, if such a teacher holds a first grade certificate of the first class and has taught in the public schools of the State of Maryland for a period of eight years, such a teacher shall receive a salary of not less than nine hundred and fifty dollars (\$950) per school year; and provided, further, that such teacher holding a first grade certificate, and serving as principal of a one or two-teacher school, shall receive at least fifty dollars (\$50) a year more than the amount required for such teacher by the aforegoing schedule.

No white elementary school principal holding an elementary school principal's certificate, and serving as principal of a school having three or more teachers, including the principal, shall receive a salary of less than nine hundred dollars (\$900) per school year, provided, that if such principal holds an elementary school principal's certificate of the first class. and has taught in the public schools of the State of Maryland for a period of three years, such principal shall receive a salary of not less than nine hundred and fifty dollars (\$956) per school year; provided, further, that if such principal holds an elementary school principal's certificate of the first class. and has taught in the public schools of the State of Maryland for a period of five years, such principal shall receive a salary of not less than one thousand dollars (\$1,000) per school year; and provided, further, that if such principal holds an elementary principal's certificate of the first class, and has taught in the public schools of the State of Maryland for a period of eight years, such principal shall receive a salary of not less than one thousand and fifty dollars (\$1,050) per school year.

All elementary school teachers and principals on provisional certificates may be paid one hundred dollars less than the