

and all other certificated personnel. He shall assign them to their positions in the schools, transfer them as the needs of the schools require, recommend them for promotion, suspend them for cause, and recommend them for dismissal in accordance with the provisions in Section 114 of this article.

63. *Professional improvement of teachers.*

The county superintendent of schools shall cause to be developed a program of inservice training for all public school personnel; he shall advise teachers as to their further study and professional improvement.

The county superintendent of schools may in lieu of inservice training require attendance at an institution of higher education for the purpose of future certification and professional improvement.

64. *Visiting schools and advising with principals, etc.*

The county superintendent of schools and his professional assistants shall visit the schools, observe the management and instruction, and give suggestions for the improvement of the same. They shall advise with principals and teachers, and shall endeavor in every way to awaken public interest and to improve educational conditions within the counties.

65. *Evaluation of the Educational Program.*

The county superintendent of schools shall in accordance with the rules and regulations of the State Board of Education cause an evaluation to be made periodically of the program of instruction in the public schools of the county and shall report his findings and recommendations to the county board of education.

66. *Curriculum Guides and Courses of Study.*

The county superintendent of schools shall cause to be prepared curriculum guides, courses of study, resource material, and other teaching aids and shall recommend the same for adoption by the county board of education.

67. *List of textbooks, materials, etc.*

The county superintendent of schools shall prepare lists of such textbooks, supplementary readers, materials of instruction, visual and auditory aids, stationery and school supplies, school furniture, equipment, and apparatus, as are needed by the schools, and shall recommend the purchase and distribution of the same by the county board of education.

68. *Employment of teachers and other personnel.*

(a) *Nominations; recommending removal; professional, clerical, etc.; assistance; compensation.*—The county superintendent of schools, acting under the rules and regulations of the county board of education, shall be responsible for the administration of the office of the county superintendent of schools. He shall nominate, for appointment by the county board of education, all the professional assistants of the office and may recommend their removal for im-