

The board must keep in mind that the Literary Loans on Lincoln and Arcola become a cost for the first time in 1940-41 for principal and interest payments. These amount to \$2,804 in 1940-41. It must also be borne in mind that the claims of the colored people for better high school facilities and transportation of high school pupils from the Willisville-Middleburg areas are very pressing.

It can be expected that there will be a substantial increase in the State school appropriation in 1940-41. While this appropriation will be made primarily for the salaries of teachers it does not seem necessary in Loudoun County's case that the full increase be applied to the salaries of teachers, especially in view of the fact that the apportionment is made to the various localities with the very express idea in mind that aid will be given indirectly to transportation.