

SEC. 2. The School year shall be divided into four terms. The Fall term from September 1st, to November 15th. The Winter term from November 16th, to January 31st. The Spring term from February 1st, to April 15th. The Summer term from April 16th, to June 30th.

SEC. 3. All books or stationery purchased or used by pupils attending any public school, shall be paid for in advance at the rate prescribed by each County Board.

SEC. 4. The salaries of teachers shall be determined by each Board of School Commissioners for its own county, and when the salary is not a fixed amount it may be calculated as follows :

There shall be a fixed minimum Salary, per term, for every school containing not more than 15 pupils. For each additional pupil over 15 and up to 25 there shall be an increase of salary from \$1.50 to \$2.00 per term as the Board may decide. For every pupil over 25 and up to 35, an addition from \$1.00 to \$1.50 per term ; for all pupils over 35, an addition of \$1.00 until the maximum is reached.

See Formula in Appendix.

SEC. 5. School shall be opened daily, five days in each week, and for six hours each day.

SEC. 6. There shall be a public examination of the pupils in each school in the last week of each term, which shall be superintended by the visitor, and to which the parents and guardians of the pupils, and the public generally, shall be invited.

SEC. 7. The commissioner may order the following articles for the comfort, convenience and security of the School, viz: Fuel, axes, saws, water-buckets, drinking-cups, wash-basins, towels, soap, locks and fastenings, glass and glazing, brooms, dusting-brushes and white-washing and cleaning once a year—all of which shall be paid for out of the book fees accruing to the school, and charged among incidental expenses.

SEC. 8. Whenever a school has less than twelve registered scholars, it may be discontinued; and this at any period of the current term.

SEC. 9. The Commissioner Districts shall be numbered, First, Second, Third and so on. The schools within the limits of each Commissioner District shall also be numbered from one and upwards. Schools shall be designated as follows :

School No. 1, 2, or 3, of Commissioner District No 1.

School No. 1, 2, or 3, of Commissioner District No. 2.

The number of Schools in each Commissioner District should as near as practicable, be equal.