

CHAP. 31. **SEC. 17.** *And be it enacted,* That the said district commissioners shall receive as compensation for their services two dollars for each and every day they may be engaged in laying off said election districts into school districts, and the erecting of houses thereon, said compensation to be paid by an order of the board of school commissioners of Montgomery county on their treasurer, and taken from the general school fund of said county.

Compensation.

ARTICLE 2—Of Funds for the support of Public Schools.

Taxes and other moneys to be paid to Treasurer.

SEC. 1. *And be it enacted,* That all funds in the hands of the present treasurer of the free school fund and all other funds which may be, by any law of this State, applicable to purposes of education in said county, shall be paid directly to the treasurer of the board of commissioners of public schools, and the balance necessary for the support of schools and the building of school houses shall be annually estimated and determined by the board of commissioners of public schools, who shall report the same to the county commissioners, and they are hereby authorized and required to levy annually the sum so estimated and reported upon the assessable property of the county, to be collected in the same manner as other taxes are, or may hereafter be collected; the school tax when collected shall be paid to the treasurer aforesaid; *Provided,* the levy for school purposes shall never be less than ten nor more than twenty cents on the one hundred dollars.

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Sum paid by pupils.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That each pupil shall pay to the teacher one dollar per quarter in advance, the same to be deducted from his quarterly salary, unless the parent or guardian of said pupil shall be unable to pay the same, in that case the commissioner of each district shall admit such pupil free of charge, and the ability or inability of the parent or guardian to pay shall be determined by the board of county school commissioners.

State school fund to be paid on draft of Treasurer.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That no money shall be paid to Montgomery county on account of the State school fund, except upon the draft of the treasurer of the board of school commissioners of Montgomery county, countersigned by the president of the said board; *Provided,* that none of the

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