

CHAP. 306.
Pay teachers

deposited in bank by said commissioners they shall be authorised to pay over semi-annually to the several teachers of said schools, with whom a contract shall have been made, ratified and confirmed as now provided by law, their respective apportionments; *provided* each teacher before receiving the same shall produce a certificate from the trustees of his school district that he is entitled thereto; *and provided further*, that said trustees may grant a certificate for services rendered during a period less than a half year, should circumstances render it necessary.

Certificate re-
quired

Further proviso

Charge for tuition

SEC 4. *And be it enacted*, That in addition to the sum which each teacher shall be entitled to receive as aforesaid, under the contract, and certificate from the said commissioners, he may be permitted to charge the parents and guardians of each scholar such sum as the trustees of said school district may in their discretion allow; *provided*, that said trustees shall require of each teacher, before receiving a certificate as aforesaid for his distributive share of said school money, that he shall not have made, or if made, that he will relinquish or refund any charge for the schooling of each and every child of such needy persons as the said trustees shall designate to him.

Proviso

Choice of
schools

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That any resident in said county shall be privileged to place his or her child or ward at any one of the schools in the said county he or she may think proper to select.

School House

SEC. 6. *And be it enacted*, That each district shall build, repair and furnish with necessary fuel, at the cost of the residents therein, the school house within its limits, and the county commissioners are required to allow a sum for books and stationery for those only who are children of needy persons and actually unable to procure the same.

Books, &c.

Discipline

SEC. 7. *And be it enacted*, That the trustees of the several school districts shall have the power of exercising discipline in their respective schools by the expulsion of the refractory pupil, or such other punishment as may be necessary to correct the evil and carry out the great ends of education, moral and intellectual, and they may permit any of the said school houses to be used for public worship.