bound unto our Sovereign Lady VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, &c., in the sum of of lawful money of Nova Scotia, to be paid to our said Lady the Queen, her heirs and successors, for the true payment whereof, we bind ourselves, and each of us by himself, for the whole and every part thereof, and the heirs, executors and administrators of us and each of us, firmly by these presents, sealed with our Seals and dated this day of in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and and in the year of Her Majesty's reign.

WHEREAS the said——— has been duly appointed to be Secretary to the Board of Trustees of —— School Section, No. —— in the District of———

NOW THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION IS SUCH, That if the said (*name of Secretary*) do and shall from time to time, and at all times hereafter, during his continuance in the said Office, well and faithfully perform all such acts and duties as do or may hereafter appertain to the said Office, by virtue of any law of this Province, in relation to the said Office of Secretary to Trustees, and shall in all respects conform to and observe all such rules, orders, and regulations as now are or may be from time to time established for or in respect of the said office, and shall well and faithfully keep all such accounts, books and papers, as are or may be required to be kept by him in his said office, and shall in all respects well and faithfully perform and execute the duties of the said office; and if on ceasing to hold the said Office, he shall forthwith, on demand, hand over to the Trustees of the said School Section, or to his successor in office, all books, papers, moneys, accounts, and other property in his possession by virtue of his said office of Secretary—then the said obligation to be void —otherwise to be and continue in full force and virtue.

Signed, sealed, and delivered } [*Name of Secretary*] (*Seals*)
in the presence of } [*Names of Sureties*] (*Seals*)
[*Name of Witness.*]

WE, THE SUBSCRIBERS, two of her Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the County of———do certify our approbation of——— (*name of Sureties,*) within named, as Sureties for the within named—— (*name of Secretary,*) and that they are to the best of our knowledge and belief persons of estate and property within the said County of———and of good character and credit, and sufficiently able to pay it required, the penalty of the within bond. Given under our hands this day of A. D. 186 [*Names of Magistrates*].

VII. Proscribed School Books, Maps and Apparatus.

MINUTE OF COUNCIL.

(Passed November 23rd, 1870.)

WHEREAS the contract under which Messrs. A. & W. McKinlay & Co. have supplied Prescribed School Books and Apparatus to the Public Schools, has now expired.

And Whereas, it is deemed expedient that all Booksellers be authorized to supply the Trustees of Public Schools with the prescribed Books, Maps, Stationery, and other Apparatus for the Public Schools, at the same rates and upon the same terms, as the Council authorized in its Minute of Oct. 15, 1869—excepting that diagrams, maps and globes, shall be supplied at the same rate as Book and Stationery.

It is Therefore Resolved, That when any Bookseller in this Province shall supply the Trustees of Public Schools with prescribed Books, Maps, Stationery, &c., for the use of Schools under the management of such Trustees, and may present to the Superintendent of Education the prescribed affidavit, the Superintendent is authorized to pay one-fourth of the cost of Books, &c., furnished to ordinary sections, and one-half of the cost of Books furnished to Poor Sections.

A. S. HUNT,
Sec'y. to Coun. of Pub. Inst.

In pursuance of an Order of the Council of Public Instruction,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

That in ordinary School Sections, Trustees will be supplied with the prescribed School Books, Maps, Globes, Diagrams, Stationery, at three quarters of the cost.

And that, Trustees, of poor Sections will be supplied at one half the cost.

Trustees will carefully note &c.

Reg. 1.—Application must be made in the following form, and addressed to (*The name of any Bookseller*), who, by the above minute of Council is duly authorized to attend to all orders.

FORM OF APPLICATION.

(*Date*)

To (*name of the Bookseller*),
Halifax,

SIR,—We enclose (*or forward by* ——) the sum of $——— for, which you will please send us the following articles provided by the Superintendent of Education for use in the public schools. The parcel is to be addressed———(*here give the address in full*) and forward by———(*here state the name of the person, express, company, or vessel; and, if by vessel, direct the parcel to be insured, if so desired.*)

LIST OF ARTICLES.

(*Here specify distinctly the Books, Maps, &c., required, and the quantity of each sort.*)

We certify that each and all of the articles named in the above list are required for use in the Public School (or Schools) under our control, and for no other purpose whatsoever; and we engage strictly to carry out the Regulations of the Council of Public Instruction for the management and preservation of school books and apparatus.

(Signed) ———— } *Trustees of———School Section,*
———— } *No. ——, in the County of———*
————

Reg. 2.—Any application not accompanied with the money will not be attended to:

Reg. 3.—All costs and risk of transportation of parcels must be borne by Trustees, (*i. e.*, by the Sections on behalf of which they act, and not by the Education Department.)

☞ If Trustees so direct in their application, goods (except Globes,) transported by *water* will be insured for the amount paid for the same by them, at the following rates:—

Parcels shipped during the First Term of the School year, 2½ per ct.
" " Second Term " " 1½ per ct.

Trustees must forward with their application the amount required to effect the insurance, otherwise parcels will not be insured. No charge will be made for policies.

Reg 4.—Applications will, as far as the articles in stock permit, receive attention in the order of their receipt

REGULATIONS.

The following are the Regulations of the Council of Public Instruction with reference to all Books, Maps, and Apparatus furnished to Trustees through the Education Department.

Reg. 1.—They shall be the property of the School Section, and not of private individuals, (except as specified in Reg. 5)

Reg. 2.—Any pupil, shall be entitled, free of charge, to the use of such school books as the teacher may deem necessary.

Reg 3.—Any pupil shall have the privilege of taking home with him any books, &c, which, in the opinion of the teacher, may be required for study or use out of school

Reg 4.—Pupils, or their parents or guardians, shall be responsible for any damage done to books beyond reasonable wear and tear.

Reg. 5.—Any pupil desiring it, may be allowed to purchase from the trustees the books required by him, provided the same be done without prejudice to the claims of other pupils; the price to be, in all cases, the same as advertised in the official notice published from time to time in the *Journal of Education*. No pupil who has been allowed to purchase a book shall have any claim on the trustees for the free use of another of the same kind.

Reg. 6.—Any section neglecting to provide a sufficient supply of books, maps, and apparatus, may be deprived of the public grants.

Reg. 7.—Trustees shall make such further regulations, agreeably to law, as may be necessary to ensure the careful use and preservation of books, maps, and apparatus belonging to the section.

Any section infringing in any way upon the above regulations will forfeit the privilege of purchasing books, &c., through the Education Department.

LIST OF TEXT-BOOKS, MAPS, AND APPARATUS.

☞ The following list of books will be extended, and other articles of apparatus included as the fund at the disposal of the Superintendent permits.

The prices placed opposite each Book is the three-fourth price which is to be sent to the Bookseller by the School Trustees. The one-half price may be known by taking one third from the three-fourth price.

PUPILS' WEEKLY RECORDS.

Weekly Record (for one Term) 1¼ cent each.

THE NOVA SCOTIA SERIES OF READING BOOKS.

Book No. 1	$0.35 doz.	Book No. 6	$3.16 doz.
" 2	0.77 "	" 7	4.28 "
" 3	1.12 "	The art of Teaching Reading	0.09½ ea. *Or*,
" 4	1.86 "	Bailey's Brief Treatise on Elocution.	00.7½ "
" 5	2.05 "		

SINGING BOOK.

The School Song Book, 25 cents each.

SPELLING BOOK.

The Spelling Book Superseded, (Eng. Ed.) $1.58 per doz.

GRAMMAR AND COMPOSITION.

English Grammar.*
English Analysis, 7½ cents each.
Reid's Rudiments of Composition, 30 cents each.
Bain's Rhetoric, 60 cents each.
Dalglish Introductory to English Composition.....15 cts.
" Advanced " .....30 cts.

MATHEMATICS.

The Editions of Greenleaf's Works now in the prescribed list, are the latest and most approved of these very excellent and generally used works. They are especially recommended to the attention of Trustees and Teachers.

Eaton's Commercial Arithmetic	.....57 cts.	each
Greenleaf's National Arithmetic	83	"
" New Practical or Common School	..57	"
" New Elementary "	28	"
" New Primary "	15	"
" New Intellectual "	25	"