

ral Society of the District of Quebec; One hundred and fifty Pounds for the said Agricultural Society of the District of Montreal, and Fifty Pounds for the said Agricultural Society for the District of Three-Rivers, the sums to be applied by the said Societies respectively for the general purposes thereof.

Agricultural Societies may grant premiums to any county Society.

II. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that out of the said monies there may be allowed by the said Agricultural Societies respectively, to any County Agricultural Society formed or to be formed in any County or division of County within the District, such reasonable sum or sums as may be deemed expedient which shall by the said County Agricultural Societies respectively, be expended and applied for Premiums awarded by the Society at Public Exhibitions held and made pursuant to notice given in the most public manner in the County where such exhibitions are to take place, and which shall be held and take place under the superintendence of such County Agricultural Societies.

Such premium to such subordinate society to be in proportion to the population of the County.

III. Provided always and be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that the allowance to be made to any such subordinate or County Agricultural Society shall be in proportion to the population of such County and not exceed the amount of population of the several Parishes, Townships or Settlements having one or more resident Members in the Committee of Management of such Society, paying an annual subscription towards the funds thereof, not less than five shillings Currency; and that all monies which might be under this Act advanced for the benefit of any County, Division or part of County, but which owing to the want of a subordinate or County Agricultural Society therein shall not therefore be for the present year advanced, but shall remain unexpended, may at any time during the three years next hereafter, be advanced and paid over for the purposes thereof to any such Society that may in the mean time be formed in such County, Division or part of County, in the proportion of the Population of such Division or County, but if no such Society shall be so in the mean time formed, then the money that shall have been reserved for such County, shall there after remain at the disposition of the Legislature.

No money to be advanced to such subordinate society until such society shall account for the application of the money so given.

IV. Provided always and be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that no such sum of money shall be advanced or paid over to any such subordinate or County Agricultural Society until such Society shall have undertaken to account to the Agricultural Society of the District for the application of the same, pursuant to this Act.

Money may be expended

V. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that the said District Societies