

can ascertain such number; and it shall be the duty of the School Trustees to ascertain the number of such children in their School District, before they shall make their said estimate of expenses for any year; and the number so ascertained shall be stated in writing at the foot of their estimate, such statement being sworn or affirmed by one or more of the Trustees before some Justice of the Peace, to have been ascertained as aforesaid and to be correct to the best of his or their knowledge and belief: and the Trustees shall with their estimate deliver in a statement of the average number of children attending such School during the then last year.

10 XII. The foregoing provisions of this Act shall not apply to any City or incorporated Town or Village. Act not to apply to Towns, &c.

XIII. The third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth sections of the Act passed in the Session held in the 14th and 15th years of Her Majesty's Reign, and intituled, "*An Act to provide for the establishment of a Normal School, and further to promote Education in Lower Canada,*" are hereby repealed, and the office of Inspector of Common Schools in Lower Canada is abolished. Office of Inspector abolished.

XIV. The foregoing provisions of this Act shall come into force on the , and not before. Commencement of Act.