

House in repair. Before distributing the Common School Fund the Commissioners shall annually apply such sum, not exceeding one sixth of the whole fund at their disposal, as may be necessary for Schools in poor or thinly peopled settlements on such terms as they may think reasonable. There shall always be gratuitously taught in every Common School, Grammar School or Academy, receiving aid under this Act, as many Poor Scholars, not exceeding eight, as the Commissioners and Trustees respectively shall see fit to send.

12. The Commissioners shall return to the Governor, on or before the Thirty First day of December in every year, a true account and Report of their proceedings, and of the monies by them received and distributed, and such other Returns as may be directed by the Governor, and shall certify that the same is to the best of their belief correct in every particular, and that they have distributed the Provincial Money impartially and faithfully.

13. Where Grammar Schools are authorised under this Act, the allowance therefore shall only be paid under the conditions following, that is to say; that a good and substantial School House, in a situation to be approved by the Commissioners, shall be erected and completed to their satisfaction. Secondly, that a Salary not less than Forty Pounds a year shall be subscribed by the Inhabitants, and secured to the satisfaction of the Commissioners, for the Teacher of such Grammar School during the continuance thereof. Thirdly, that the Teacher to be engaged therein, before that School shall be admitted on the list of Grammar Schools, shall be qualified, examined, and approved, as hereinmentioned, and shall be competent to teach in addition to the ordinary branches, Algebra and Land Surveying, and when the same shall be required by the Commissioners, Navigation, the Classics, Agricultural Chemistry, one or more of the Modern Languages, and some of the practical branches of the Mathematics, and on the fulfilment of the said conditions the Commissioners may enter such School on the list as a Grammar School.

14. At Grammar Schools receiving aid under this Act, there shall in addition to Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, Geography, English Grammar, History and Composition, be taught Land Surveying, Navigation, and the Mathematics, whenever any pupil shall require to be instructed therein, and also the Classics, one or more of the Modern Languages, and Agricultural Chemistry, whenever it shall be found practicable to introduce the same; and no Grammar School shall receive any allowance