

Provision preventing appeals repealed.

V. So much of the sixteenth section of the said Act, passed in the twelfth year of Her Majesty's Reign, as provides that no judgment rendered upon the suits and prosecutions therein referred to, shall be liable to be appealed from, and that no such suit or prosecution shall be removed by writ of certiorari, shall be and is hereby repealed.

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Meeting for the election of School Trustees in each School District.

VI. After the passing of this Act, there shall be held on the first in each year, a general meeting of all the landholders and householders in each School district, for the election of School Trustees, such meeting to be called by some Justice of the Peace resident in the same or some adjoining School district, or in his default by any other Justice of the County, or in their default, by any three landholders, by giving eight days previous public notice at the door of the Church or place of public worship therein, or if there be none, then by a notice posted at two of the most public places in the School District; and at such meeting, the Justice calling the same, or in his default such persons as those attending the meeting shall appoint, shall preside; and at such meeting the said landholders and householders shall elect three persons, being themselves electors, to be Trustees of such School District.

Term of office. To be a Corporation.

VII. The School Trustees so elected shall hold their offices until others are in like manner elected in their stead: and they and their successors, by the name of "The Trustees of the School No. , of the School Municipality of ,"

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shall be a Corporation, with power to acquire and hold such real property as may be required for the use of their School, and other the usual powers of Corporations, together with those transferred to them hereby from the School Commissioners, and all other powers requisite for the efficient management of the School and School property.

Failure of election provided against.

VIII. If the election of Trustees in any School District shall, from any cause, fail to be held in any year on the day hereby appointed, it may be held on any day thereafter; being called and notice thereof given in the manner hereinbefore provided.

Clerk.

IX The said Trustees may appoint one of themselves as Clerk.

School Trustees to make a yearly estimate of expenses. And Local Council to levy the sum required.

X. On the first day of May in each year, the Trustees of each School District shall make an estimate of the sum (not exceeding in any year the sum of ,) required for defraying all expenses of or relative to their School for the then current year, specifying the several items of expenditure; and shall deliver such estimate to the Local Council of the Municipality in which the School District lies, who shall impose and levy and collect, by an equal rate on all rateable property in such School District, according to the then last Assessment Roll, a sum equal to that so estimated by the Trustees (after deducting the amount of the Government allowance) together with per cent. thereon for the expenses of collection and losses, and shall pay over to the School Trustees the sum so raised, to be applied by such Trustees to the purposes mentioned in their said estimate.

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Principle on which Government allowance shall be distributed

XI. The amount received from Government for each School Municipality shall be distributed and paid by the Council receiving the same, among the several School Districts therein, in proportion to the number of children between the ages of six and fourteen in each, as nearly as they