

IV. And be it enacted, That such County Treasurer shall, when he shall have received the sum of money apportioned to his County, immediately give notice thereof in writing, to the Clerk of the Municipal Council of his County.

Duty of Treasurers.

V. And be it enacted, That the duty of said Clerk shall be, when he shall have received notice of the apportionment of School moneys for his County, and also when the Treasurer of his County shall have given him notice that the said apportionment has been received by him, to lay the same as soon as possible before the Municipal Council of said County.

Duty of Clerk of Municipal Council.

VI. And be it enacted, That the said Municipal Council shall in its discretion cause a sum not exceeding *twenty-five per cent* of said apportionments to be deducted from said apportionment, and constituted a fund for the relief of such School Sections as may not without special assistance be able to establish or maintain schools; and said Municipal Council shall, in its discretion, cause the said fund to be distributed to such School Sections in such amounts as it shall judge to be proper: Provided always, that the said Municipal Council shall not authorize any such School to receive in any year, from such School Relief Fund a sum exceeding *ten pounds* currency; And provided also, that it shall not authorize any portion of said fund to be paid to any School Section in which the inhabitants may be sufficiently wealthy to be able to support a School without such assistance; nor to any section which may be conveniently united to another School Section, and so be made able to support a School; nor to any School Section which shall not have raised, by taxation or otherwise during the then current year, a sum at least equal in amount to the sum which said Municipal Council shall have apportioned to such section; nor unless it shall appear that the sum which such section shall have raised, shall have been applied to the payment of the Teacher of such section for such year; nor unless it shall have been certified to the Council that such section shall not have received any portion of the residue of the Legislative Grant, to be distributed as hereinafter provided, after the aforesaid sum shall have been deducted.

Aid to certain poorer School Sections.

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VII. And be it enacted, That said Municipal Council after deducting from the apportionment of School moneys for its County as aforesaid, a sum sufficient for a School Relief Fund, shall apportion the residue of said apportionment to the several Townships, Towns and Cities in the County, according to the ratio of population in each, as compared with the whole population which shall have been last taken and returned at the time of such apportionment; or if the census or returns upon which such

Distribution of the rest of the apportionment for any County.