

Magistrate shall endeavour to ascertain the religious persuasion to which every child to be sent by him to an industrial school belongs, and shall, as far as practicable, send Roman Catholic children to the Roman Catholic industrial school and other children to the other industrial school; and if a parent or guardian, or in case there is no parent or guardian, then if the nearest adult relative of a child in a Roman Catholic separate school claims that the child should be sent to the industrial school under the said board of trustees, or claims that a child in an industrial school established by the latter should be sent to the Roman Catholic separate school, the Minister, on being satisfied of the justness of such claim, shall order a transfer of the child accordingly, provided that the managers of the school to which the transfer is to be made are willing to receive the child. R. S. O. 1887, c. 234, s. 11; 59 V. c. 73, s. 2.

Visits by
clergymen.

18. A clergyman of the religious persuasion to which a child appears to belong may visit the child at the school on such days and at such times as may be from time to time fixed by regulations of the Minister in that behalf, for the purpose of instruction in religion. R. S. O. 1887, c. 234, s. 12; 59 V. c. 73, s. 2.

Children may
reside with
respectable
persons.

19.—(1) The school corporation, or philanthropic society, may permit a child sent to their industrial school under this Act to live at the dwelling of any trustworthy and respectable person; provided, that a report is made forthwith to the Minister in such manner as he thinks fit to require, of every instance in which this discretion is exercised. R. S. O. 1887, c. 234, s. 13; 59 V. c. 73, s. 2.

Revocation of
permission to
reside out of
school.

(2) Any permission for that purpose may be revoked at any time by the school corporation or philanthropic society: and thereupon the child to whom the permission relates shall be required to return to the school. R. S. O. 1887, c. 234, s. 14.

Time of ab-
sence how
calculated.

(3) The time during which the child is absent from the school under permission shall, except where the permission is withdrawn on account of the child's misconduct, be deemed to be part of the time of his detention in the school, and at the expiration of the time allowed by the permission, he shall be taken back to the school. R. S. O. 1887, c. 234, s. 15.

Return to
school.

Maintenance
and education
of children in
homes outside
of school.

20. The industrial school board may arrange for the maintenance and education of any child committed to their care in any satisfactory home outside of such school, provided that the control of the board over such child is not thereby abated or diminished, nor the liability of any municipality for the maintenance of such child thereby increased and in all cases when the cost of maintenance at such house is less than the statutory liability of any municipality, such municipality shall be chargeable only with the amount paid by said board of management. 54 V. c. 59 s. 4.