

be paid a salary, to be fixed by the said Board, not to exceed the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars per month. The said Clerk shall be subject to removal at the pleasure of the Superintendent, and shall perform such duties as may be required of him by the Board or the Superintendent.

SEC. 11. The Superintendent shall report to the Board of Education, annually, on or before the twentieth day of June, and at such other times as they may require, all matters pertaining to the expenditures, income, and condition and progress of the Public Schools of said city and county, during the preceding year, with such recommendations as he may deem proper.

SEC. 12. It shall be the duty of the Superintendent to visit and examine each school at least once in three months; to observe and cause to be observed such general rules for the regulation, government, and instruction of the schools, not inconsistent with the laws of the State, as may be established by the Board of Education; to attend the session of the Board, and inform them at each session of the condition of the Public Schools, School-Houses, School Funds, and other matters connected therewith, and to recommend such measures as he may deem necessary for the advancement of education in the city and county. He shall acquaint himself with all the laws, rules, and regulations governing the Public Schools in said city and county, and the judicial decisions thereon, and give advice on subjects connected with the Public Schools gratuitously, to officers, teachers, pupils, and their parents and guardians.

SEC. 13. Any vacancy in the office of School Director shall be filled by appointment by the Superintendent, by and with the consent of a majority of the School Directors then in office; and such appointees shall hold office, respectively, until the municipal election next ensuing, and the election and qualification of their successors in office. But no such appointment shall be valid, unless the appointee be at the time of his appointment an elector in the district wherein the vacancy occurred.

SEC. 14. In case of a vacancy in the office of Superintendent, the Board of Education may appoint a person to fill the vacancy until the regular election then next following, when the office shall be filled by election of the people.

SEC. 15. The School Fund* of the City and County of San Francisco shall consist of all moneys received from the State School Fund; of all moneys arising from taxes which shall be levied annually by the Board of Supervisors of said city and county for school purposes; of all moneys arising from the sale, rent, or exchange of any school property; and of such other moneys as may, from any source whatever, be paid into said School Fund; which fund shall be kept separate and distinct from all other moneys, and shall only be used for school purposes under the provisions of this Act, and for the payment of the interest and redemption of the principal of the school bonds, according to law. No fees or commissions shall be allowed or paid for assessing, collecting, keeping, or disbursing any school moneys; and if, at the end of any fiscal year, any surplus remains in the School Fund, such surplus money shall be carried forward to the School Fund of the next fiscal year, and shall not be, for any purpose whatever, diverted or withdrawn from said fund, except under the provisions of this Act.

SEC. 16. The said School Fund shall be used and applied by said Board of Education for the following purposes, to wit:

First. For the payment of the salaries or wages of teachers, janitors, school census marshals, and other persons who may be employed by the said Board.

Second. For the erection, alteration, repair, rent, and furnishing of school houses.

Third. For the expenses of Model and Normal schools.

Fourth. For the purchase money or rent of any real or personal property purchased or leased by said Board.

Fifth. For the insurance of all school property.

Sixth. For the payment of interest due on school bonds, and for the redemption of the same.

Seventh. For the discharge of all legal incumbrances now existing on any school property.

Eighth. For lighting school rooms and the office and rooms of the Superintendent and the Board of Education.

Ninth. For supplying the schools with fuel, water, apparatus, blanks, blank books, and necessary school appliances, together with books for indigent children.

Tenth. For supplying books, printing, and stationery for the use of the Superintendent and Board of Education, and for the incidental expenses of the Board and Department.

Eleventh. For the payment of the salary of the Secretary of the Board of Education.

Twelfth. For grading, fencing, and improving school lots, and for grading, sewerage, planking, or paving, and repairing streets, and constructing and repairing sidewalks in front thereof.

SEC. 17. All claims payable out of the School Fund, excepting the coupons for interest and

* The Act of March 5, 1864, authorizes the transfer of \$60,000 from the General to the School Fund for the purchase of lots and the erection of school-houses, at such points as may be selected by the Board of Education; and the Act of April 4th, 1864, empowers the transfer of the City and County Hospital Building to the Board of Education whenever the same shall not be required for a hospital.