

Supplementary Order Paper.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Tuesday, the 6th Day of October, 1914.

EDUCATION BILL.

AMENDMENTS proposed by His Excellency the Governor:—

Clause 6: To omit all the words after the words "by this Act," in line 13, down to the words "the Council" in line 20, and substitute the words "there shall be paid out of moneys from time to time appropriated by Parliament the moneys required for the following purposes:—

(a.) The expenses of the Department other than the salaries of the officers of the Department:

(aa.) The expenses of the General Council and of the District Councils:

Subparagraph (iii): To omit the word "eleven" in line 32, and substitute the word "five"; to omit the word "quarterly" in line 33, and also in line 36; and to insert, after the word "district" in line 34, the words "and in addition thereto of a sum calculated for all the public schools in the district in accordance with the *Eight*^A Schedule hereto."

Clause 8, paragraph (c): To insert, after the word "Department" in line 10, the words "who shall be an Inspector."

Clause 12: To insert, after the word "Minister" in line 33, the words "not being officers of the Public Service," and to add the following new subclause:—

(2.) The members who are officers of the Public Service shall be paid such allowances as are in accordance with law.

Clause 24, subclause (3): To add at the end of the subclause the words "and the education service of any such officer as defined in the Public Service Classification and Superannuation Act, 1908, and completed at the commencement of this Act, shall be deemed to have been public service."

Clause 34, paragraph (b): To omit all the words after the word "calculated" in line 6, and to substitute the words "for all the public schools in the district in accordance with the *Eight*^A Schedule hereto."

Clause 73: To add the following new subclause:—

(2.) The number of teachers in a Native school shall not be less than the number provided for a public school of the same size.

Clause 75, subclause (2): To omit the words "under the former Act." Subclause (10): To omit the word "any" in line 3, and substitute the words "the head"; to omit the words "special school or" in line 4, and substitute the words "or to any teacher in."

Clause 111, subclause (1): To insert, after the words "fourteen years" in line 15, the words "unless he is a holder of a certificate of proficiency."

To omit the last proviso, and substitute the following:—

Provided further that the controlling authority of any technical school shall (subject to regulations made under subsection *six* of section one hundred and *eight* hereof) pay over all moneys, less the reasonable expenses of administration, to the managers of the school.

Clause 127, subclause (3): To omit the word "this" in line 25, and substitute the word "that." To add at the end of the subclause the following words:—

"No such Inspector shall receive a salary less than the salary he was receiving at the commencement of this Act including the average annual amount of the fees received by him as examiner or supervisor for the Education Department for the three years immediately preceding."

Further, to add the following new subclause:—

(4.) In the case of every such Inspector education service as defined by the Public Service Classification and Superannuation Act, 1908, shall be deemed to have been public service.

To add the following new clause:—

155A. (1.) Notwithstanding anything in the Public Service Act, 1912, the Public Service Commissioner may for the purpose of that Act classify officers of the Public Service who are engaged in the Education Service as defined by the Public Service Classification and Superannuation Act, 1908, in a division to be known as the Educational Division.

(2.) The provisions of the Public Service Act, 1912, relating to the General Division of the Public Service shall, *mutatis mutandis*, extend and apply to the Educational Division.

Sixth Schedule—Grade of School—VIIA: To omit the figure "3" where it first occurs in column 5, and to substitute the figure "4." Grade of School—VII B: To omit the figure "3" where it first occurs in column 5, and to substitute the figure "4"; to add at the end of column 5 the figure "1," and to omit the figure "1" from the end of column 6. Paragraph (b): To omit the word and figure "Subgrade 1," and substitute "Grade 1." Paragraph (c): To omit the word "teachers" wherever it occurs, and substitute the word "assistants." Part II: To omit paragraph (d), and substitute therefor the following:—

(d.) No separate boys' school or separate girls' school shall be established or maintained with less than one hundred and sixty-one children in average attendance, and no separate infants' school shall be established or maintained with less than one hundred and twenty-one children in average attendance.

Table (i)—Separate Boys' Schools: To add at the end of the Table the following:—

Col. 1.	Col. 2.	Col. 3.	Col. 4.	Col. 5.	Col. 6.	Col. 7.
501-550	VIIA	VII	12	6, 5, 4, 3, 3, 2	2, 2, 1, 1, 1	5

And so on, one assistant of Grade 1 being added for each subgrade above Subgrade VIIA.

Table (ii)—Separate Girls' Schools and (iii)—Separate Infants' Schools: To insert a new line at the beginning of the table:—

Col. 1.	Col. 2.	Col. 3.	Col. 4.	Col. 5.	Col. 6.	Col. 7.
121-160	IVA	III	3	3, 2	1	1

In column 3 to omit the number "III" where it last occurs, and to insert in lieu thereof the number "IV"; and in the same column in the last two lines to omit the number "IV," and insert in lieu thereof the number "V"; and to add—

Col. 1.	Col. 2.	Col. 3.	Col. 4.	Col. 5.	Col. 6.	Col. 7.
501-550	VIIA	VI	12	5, 4, 3, 3, 2, 2, 1	1, 1, 1, 1, 1	5

And so on, one assistant of Grade 1 being added for each subgrade above Subgrade VIIA.

Part IV; paragraph (a): To omit the words "and being open for not less than eight hours a week on the average"; also in paragraph (c) to insert, after the words "to teach," the words "or travel"; and to insert, after the word "salary," the words "and allowances."

Part V, paragraph (a): To add the words "provided that his total salary shall not be increased thereby to more than £450 a year."

To add a new subparagraph (ee) :—

(ee.) Grants given under Part VIII of this Act for vocational courses in district high schools may, after due provision has been made for the apparatus and material required for such courses, be paid with the approval of the Minister either to the assistants in the secondary department or to other teachers employed to carry out the vocational courses.

To insert a new Schedule as follows :—

SCHEDULE VIII A.

SCALE ON WHICH FOR ALL THE SCHOOLS IN EACH EDUCATION DISTRICT THE MINIMUM AGGREGATE AMOUNT OF GRANTS TO SCHOOL COMMITTEES FOR INCIDENTAL EXPENSES IS TO BE CALCULATED.

Average Attendance.	Rate per School.
1 to 20 ...	10s. per head of the average attendance.
21 to 35 ...	£10, together with 8s. per head of the average attendance over 20.
36 to 120 ...	£16, together with 5s. per head of the average attendance over 35.
121 to 400 ...	£38, together with 4s. per head of the average attendance over 120.
Over 400 ...	£94, together with 3s. per head of the average attendance over 400.

Twelfth Schedule, Part I: To omit all the words after the words "Inspectors of Schools," and to substitute the following :—

Grade.	Salary.	
	Minimum.	Maximum.
	£	£
Chief Inspector	600	650
Senior Inspector	550	575
Inspector	500	525
Assistant Inspector	420	480

Part II, paragraph (b): To omit the word "nine," and substitute the word "eight." Paragraph (c): To omit the whole paragraph.