

SEC. 3. The Board of Education shall have power to provide for the taking care and the cleaning of school rooms and school houses, at an expense not exceeding twenty-five hundred dollars per annum; for supplying the schools with water at an expense not exceeding seven hundred and fifty dollars per annum; for lighting school rooms, at an expense not exceeding twelve hundred dollars per annum, and for procuring the necessary blanks, blank books and printing for the Superintendent of Common Schools and the said Board, at an expense not exceeding five hundred dollars per annum, and shall be allowed for the incidental expenses of said Board a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars per annum. The demands accruing under the provisions of this section shall be paid out of the school fund of the current fiscal year, after having been duly approved and audited as provided in case of demands payable out of the School Fund.

SEC. 4. Claims for wages or salaries of teachers in the Common Schools, and all other demands payable out of the School Fund, may be approved and audited by the proper officers, even though there should not at the time be money in the treasury belonging to the School Fund for the payment of the same. *Provided*, That after such claims and demands, to the amount of ninety-thousand dollars, have been approved and audited in any year, no other claims or demands upon said fund shall be approved and audited for that year, unless there is money in the treasury belonging to the School Fund for the payment thereof, and for the payment of all outstanding audited claims and demands upon the said fund, approved and audited during such year. *And provided, further*, That no claim or demand, approved and audited agreeably to the foregoing provisions of this section, when there is no money in the treasury belonging to the School Fund for the payment thereof, shall be a charge against or be paid out of any money in the treasury belonging to the School Fund and derived from the revenues of any subsequent fiscal year or years; but if not paid during the fiscal year in which such claim or demand was approved and audited, the same shall be payable out of any moneys belonging to the School Fund and derived from delinquent school taxes or other proper dues to the School Fund of the year during which such claim or demand was audited. *And also provided*, That any such claim or demand upon the School Fund, not audited during the fiscal year in which it accrued, because there was no money in the treasury belonging to the School Fund for the payment of the same, may be audited whenever there shall be money in the treasury belonging to the School Fund and derived from the delinquent school taxes, or other proper dues to the School Fund, of the fiscal year during which the same accrued, and out of such money such claim or demand so audited shall be payable. And no claim or demand upon said School Fund, approved and audited in any fiscal year after claims and demands upon said fund have for and during such year been approved and audited by the proper officers, to the amount of ninety thousand dollars, when there is no money in the treasury belonging to said Fund for the payment of the same, shall ever be a charge against any fund in the treasury, or against the City and County of San Francisco. The Auditor shall state, by endorsement upon every claim or demand audited under the provisions of this section, the particular fund or moneys out of which the same is payable, and that it is payable from no other source.

SEC. 5. The Auditor is hereby empowered to audit the claims for wages or salaries of teachers in the common schools, and all other lawful demands upon the School Fund, for the months of February, March and April, A. D. 1857.