

181. Such Medical School Inspectors shall not be discharged from office, except for cause, and with the approval of the Chief Medical Officer.

182. Each Medical School Inspector shall, in all schools under his charge, rural as well as urban, make a careful and complete examination of all children attending such schools, at least semi-annually, preferably, and as far as may be practicable at the beginning of each school term. Such examination shall be recorded upon forms prepared by the Minister, and supplied through the District Medical Health Officer concerned. Such forms shall be uniform for use throughout the Province.

183. Such examination shall take cognizance of acute and especially of communicable disease, and also of chronic disease or constitutional defects or deformities which may be present in said children. Upon written request to the Medical School examiner concerned, the parent or guardian of any child to be so examined may be present at such examination, and upon the receipt of such request, the medical examiner shall notify the said parent or guardian of the intended time and place of such examination.

184. In addition to such semi-annual inspection, urban schools shall be inspected at least monthly, or as much oftener wholly, or in case of individual pupils, as may be necessary, in consequence of requests to the Medical School Inspector or of the principals or teachers of said schools, or of request from other school authorities or upon the direction of the Chief Officer or of the District Medical Health Officer concerned, or as emergencies as may call for, in the opinion of the Medical School Inspector himself. The results of such inspection shall be recorded in the manner and way indicated in the form provided by the Minister.

In any instance, whether in a rural or urban school, if the teacher or principal has reason to suspect that any child in such school is affected with an acute communicable disease, such teacher or principal shall at once notify the Medical School Inspector concerned, who shall forthwith examine said child and act in accordance with these regulations. If, however, the services of such Medical School Inspector be not immediately available, such child shall be at once excluded from school by said teacher or principal and shall not be re-admitted until provided with a medical certificate of freedom from contagion. In urban schools it shall be the duty of the medical school inspector concerned to at once examine such child at his house and to act accordingly.

185. No child affected with communicable disease shall be permitted to attend school until such disease be cured and the danger of contagion be eliminated as certified to by a regularly qualified medical practitioner, or, until such disease be placed under such treatment and safeguards as shall satisfy the Medical School Inspector concerned, that all practical danger of communicating the disease to others is abolished.

186. In every instance where a case of notifiable disease is discovered by a Medical School Inspector, or is suspected by the teacher or principal of a school, such instance shall be at once notified to the District Medical Health Officer concerned, through the secretary of the sub-district Board of Health concerned. In every instance of a case of notifiable disease being reported to a sub-district Board of Health otherwise than in the foregoing way, such notification shall at once be transmitted, as respects urban schools, to the Medical School Inspector concerned, and, as respects rural schools, to the principal or teacher concerned, by the secretary of the sub-district Board, specifying the name and address of the family so concerned.

187. No child shall attend school from a family in which there exists acute communicable disease, or from a house containing a person or family affected with such disease (unless in the latter case the person or family so affected has absolutely independent and self-contained entrances to such part of the house which he, or it, occupies) until such acute disease shall have disappeared from such person or family and the danger of contagion is past, as certified to by a regularly qualified medical practitioner. The foregoing proviso, with regard to separate entrances, shall not apply to cases of smallpox.

188. The foregoing regulations shall not apply to children who are immune from the following diseases by reason of a previous attack, that is to say: Measles, Whooping-cough, Varicella or Chicken-pox, Parotiditis or Mumps and Rubella or German Measles.

189. Typhoid or para-typhoid fever occurring in a family shall not be a cause of exclusion from school or those members of the family not so affected.

190. In the matter of chronic disease or physical defects or deformities of school children, discovered by the Medical School Inspector, which, in his opinion, are amenable of cure

or of improvement, an order shall issue from him to the parents or guardian of children so affected, to place such children under appropriate and lawful treatment for said disease, defect or deformity, and such children shall be permitted to attend school only after they are certified to by a legally qualified medical practitioner as either having been cured of said disease, defect or deformity, or as having been placed under appropriate treatment for the same, or that said disease, defect or deformity is not capable of cure or improvement, or that said disease, defect or deformity has been improved to the greatest practicable extent, or unless said practitioner shall certify that appropriate treatment shall be given within three months. In the event that said parents or guardians wilfully refuse or neglect to take such action as ordered by the said Medical School Inspector, and as is indicated in the foregoing, the said Medical School Inspector shall report such wilful refusal or neglect to the District Medical Health Officer concerned, who shall at once proceed by law to enforce the penalty against said parents or guardians, as is laid down in the Public Health Act of 1918. In these instances, however, where the parent or guardian is not financially able to pay for such treatment, upon affidavit being made by said parent or guardian to that effect, to the District Medical Health Officer concerned, and where free hospital treatment is not conveniently available, said treatment shall be done at the expense of the sub-district Board of Health concerned.

191. In the semi-annual and other medical inspections of school children, note shall be made by the Medical School Inspector of any child so affected by mental incapacity or insufficiency, not consequent upon curable or removable disease, defect or deformity, as to render such child incapable of making fairly normal progress in his studies. In cities, towns and other centres of considerable population, that is to say, where the number of children so affected in such community amounts to twelve or more, a separate school or schools, with specially and appropriately qualified teachers shall be provided by the school authorities for such children.

192. No child shall attend school without being at least once successfully vaccinated against small-pox, and to attain this it shall be the duty of each Medical School Inspector to vaccinate each school child free of charge in his medical school inspection area, not already so vaccinated, as shall apply to him for that purpose. For such purpose he shall be supplied, free of expense, with an adequate quantity of vaccine for smallpox from a reputable maker of such material by the sub-district Board of Health in whose sub-district his said area is situated, which vaccine shall be paid for out of the funds of the said sub-district Board. It is recommended that such vaccinations be mainly done during the mid-summer or mid-winter school holidays and that a stated place and time (a number of days or weeks as may be commensurate with the probable number of children to be vaccinated) be set apart for such vaccinations and publicly announced at the expense of the said sub-district Board. Such successful vaccination, whether done by the Medical School Inspector or by some other qualified medical practitioner, shall be, in each case, certified to by the operating practitioner, at a date not earlier than one week from the time of the vaccination. Such certificate shall be held to be prima facie evidence of such successful vaccination by all school authorities of the Province, and by all health officers duly appointed under the Public Health Act of 1918 and the regulations thereunder.

193. The foregoing regulations respecting acute communicable disease and notifiable disease shall apply to all teachers and principals of schools, as well as to the children attending said schools.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

Fredericton, N. B., June 4th, 1919.

MORTGAGE SALES

THOMAS FORSYTHE and **James Forsythe**, now of the City of Amherst, in the Province of Nova Scotia, and **Mary Ann Forsythe**, now deceased, Mortgagees; **George W. Fowler**, holder of the Mortgage. Freehold in Kings County. Notice of Sale given by the above holder of the Mortgage. Sale on the 16th day of August, A. D. 1919. See advertisement in Kings County Record. 2 ins

GEORGE M. MILTON and **Clara M. Milton**, his wife, Mortgagees; **William Allan Fales**, Mortgagee and present holder of Mortgage; freehold in Albert County; notice of sale given by above named Mortgagee and holder of Mortgage; sale on 23rd day of July, A. D. 1919. See advertisement in the Albert County Journal. **H. LESTER SMITH**, Solicitor for Mortgagee. 2 ins

ALEXANDER MUNRO, Junior, and **Melissa Munro** his wife, and **Segee Munro**, Mortgagees; **Daniel Thompson**, Assignee of Mortgagee and present holder of Mortgage, freehold