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rants from the governor and council. Provided further, that no money shall be expended under this section for the benefit of any township until the inhabitants of said township shall pay to the state treasurer a sum equal to twenty-five cents for each inhabitant thereof.'

Sect. 2. Section two of said chapter is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

'Sect. 2. The state superintendent shall certify to the governor and council the number and residence of the children enumerated and schooled, as provided in section one of this chapter, together with the cost of schooling said children, and the governor and council shall direct the treasurer of state to pay to the state superintendent of schools the interest on reserved land fund of the township in which said children reside, but not exceeding three dollars for each scholar so enumerated from said unorganized townships. The state superintendent of schools shall pay to the treasurer of any town or plantation in which he may school any of said children, the same amount per scholar that he shall receive from the treasurer of state.'

Approved March 26, 1897.

Chapter 287.

An Act to amend Paragraph four of Section six of Chapter six of the Revised Statutes, relating to the Taxation of estate and property of religious societies.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

Paragraph four of section six of chapter six of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding after the word "received," in the fifth line of said paragraph, the words 'and personal property not exceeding six thousand dollars in value,' so that said paragraph, as amended, shall read as follows:

'IV. Houses of religious worship, including vestries, and the pews and furniture within the same, except for parochial purposes; tombs and rights of burial; and property held by a religious society as a parsonage, not exceeding six thousand dollars in value, and from which no rent is received, and personal property not exceeding six thousand dollars in value. But all other property of any religious society, both real and personal, is liable to taxation the same as other property.'

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money shall not be expended until township raise certain sum.

Section 2, amended.

Town and plantation where children are enumerated, shall receive certain amount school fund.

Section 6, chapter 6, R. S., amended.

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