

TABLE of the number of Pupils who have attended the Normal Schools.

Scholastic Years.	J.-Cartier School.	M'Gill School			Laval School.					Grand total.
	Male pupil- Teachers.	Male Pupil- Teachers.	Female Pupil- Teachers.	Total.	Male Pupil- Teachers.	Female Pupil- Teachers.	Total.	Number of Male Pupil-Teachers.	Number of Female Pupil-Teachers.	
First sess., 1857	18	5	25	30	22	22	45	25	70
Sess. 1857-1858	46	7	63	70	36	40	76	89	103	192
Sess. 1858-1859	50	7	76	83	34	52	86	91	128	219
Sess. 1859-1860	53	9	72	81	40	54	94	102	126	228
Sess. 1860-1861	52	5	56	61	41	53	94	98	109	207
Sess. 1861-1862	41	10	58	68	39	52	91	90	110	200
Sess. 1862-1863	57	8	72	80	39	52	91	104	124	228
Sess. 1863-1864	56	7	67	74	34	49	83	97	116	213
Sess. 1864-1865	56	5	60	65	43	55	98	104	115	219
Sess. 1865-1866	43	2	73	75	39	57	96	84	130	214

In its worthy chief the Abbé Langevin, who has been called to the Episcopate, the Laval Normal School has lost an able director, full of zeal, perseverance and energy, and respecting whom, any eulogium on my part, would be superfluous. His Lordship the Bishop of Rimouski has moreover, received from the citizens of Quebec, from the teachers and from the youth of that section of the country, an expression of the most lively gratitude for the services rendered by him to the cause of public instruction by his management of the Normal School, by the teacher conferences, by his solicitude for his former pupils when they had entered upon their new career, never denying them his counsel and active protection, and lastly, by the publication of works on the art of teaching, which do honor alike to the country and to their author. This is the second time that a Principal of the Normal School has been called to the Episcopate, and this circumstance clearly shows what great interest the Catholic Clergy feel in these institutions; called to assist in their management, the ecclesiastical authorities, upon whom demands of this nature are constantly made for establishments which are entirely under their control, have not hesitated to assign to state establishments some of the most distinguished members of their body. His Lordship Bishop Langevin will be worthily replaced by the Abbé Chandonnet, who is now at Rome, and who was formerly director of the boarding School attached to the Laval University.

Were we allowed to establish a department for female pupil-teachers at the Jacques-Cartier Normal School, as has been for a long time suggested, it be might said with truth, that our Normal Schools meet the requirements of all the various classes of the population. To effect this, it would be requisite, that the total grant to the Normal Schools should be increased.

The following table gives the number of diplomas awarded by these institutions since their establishment:—

DIPLOMAS granted to Pupils of the Normal Schools since the establishment of those Institutions.

Nature of Diplomas Granted.	Jacques- Cartier.	McGill.			Laval.			No. of Male Pupil-Teachers.		No. of Fem. Pupil-Teachers.		Grand total.
	Male Pupil- Teachers	Male Pupil-Teachers.	Fem. Pupil-Teachers.	Total.	Male Pupil-Teachers.	Fem. Pupil-Teachers.	Total.					
Academy.....	19	9	7	16	13	...	13	41	7	48		
Model Schools.....	87	14	115	129	76	92	168	177	207	384		
Elementary Schools.	81	28	230	258	30	107	137	139	337	476		
Totals.....	187	51	352	403	119	199	318	357	551	908		

TEACHERS' SAVING FUND.

Years.	Number of Teachers who subscribed each year.	Number of Pensioners each year.	Scale of Pensions for each year of teaching.	Total of pensions paid.
			\$ cts.	\$ cts.
1857.....	150	63	4 00	886 90
1858.....	74	91	4 00	2211 74
1859.....	18	128	4 00	3115 36
1860.....	9	130	3 00	2821 57
1861.....	9	160	3 00	3603 58
1862.....	10	164	1 75	2522 09
1863.....	13	171	2 25	3237 00
1864.....	7	170	1 75	2727 00
1865.....	11	160	1 75	2587 00
1866.....	13	173	1 75	2724 00