ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

INSPECTOR OF CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

TO THE CHAIRMAN AND MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL BOARD OF THE CITY OF TORONTO.

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I have the honour to lay before you my Thirteenth Annual Report on the Public Schools under your charge; considering that the performance of this duty devolves on me as Inspector of City Schools by your appointment, under the authority of the amended School Law 1871, as obviously as it was required of me as Local Superintendent, appointed by you for many successive years under the authority of the former School Law.

In the course of the year 1871, the number of teachers in your stated employ has increased from 50 to 52, and a few other certified teachers have been occasionally employed, in case of the absence through sickness or other urgent cause, of any of the regular teachers.

The aggregate number of pupils entered in the registers of the several schools, exceeded by 813 the aggregate