

APPENDIX

REPORT

Of the District School for the Midland District.

To His Excellency SIR JOHN COLBORNE, K. C. B.,
Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Upper
Canada, Major General Commanding His Ma-
jesty's Forces therein, &c. &c. &c.

The undersigned Trustees of the Public School of the Mid-
land District,
BEG LEAVE MOST RESPECTFULLY TO REPORT :

That in consequence of the prevalence of a fatal epidemic,
the Examination of the Scholars was postponed several weeks be-
yond the customary period, and did not take place until the 28th
day of September. Having on that day attended at the School
House, the Trustees had every reason to be satisfied with the
zeal and care of the Master; the proficiency of his pupils, and
the general system of tuition acted on in the School.

His Excellency will be pleased to observe, by a reference to a
Schedule which accompanies this Report, that the number of
Scholars under Mr. Baxter's care is thirty, of whom the greater
part are of tender age. They are divided into several classes,
studying the classics, being in number seven, and five of which
are studying Geography, Arithmetic, Euclid's Elements and Alge-
bra. Of eleven boys who have finished their education at this
School, within the last year, five have entered into mercantile pur-
suits, four have engaged in mechanical employments, and two have
not yet finished or fixed on any avocation.

Six of the Pupils studied the French language during the
first six months of the first year, but from the want of general en-
couragement to the French Master, though very deserving of sup-
port, and the absence of any public means of remunerating him,
the Trustees regret to say, that his services could not be retained.

The very large fees willingly paid by the Parents of the boys
whom he attended, shew that there is a desire for this branch of
knowledge, and that it would be generally cultivated, if by means
of some public provision made towards the support of a competent
Teacher, it could be obtained at a moderate cost to the pupil.

The Trustees humbly beg to refer to the observations con-
tained in their Report of the year 1830, and their petition in 1831,
relative to the decaying state of the School House, the expedi-
ency of providing a new and more commodious structure, and the
importance of rendering the School more extensively beneficial to
the youth of this District by a liberal endowment, and by adopting
other suitable measures. On these subjects they refrain from fur-
ther remark on the present occasion, being fully impressed with a
belief that His Excellency has nothing more at heart than the edu-
cation of the Provincial youth, and the general diffusion of intelli-
gence among the people committed to his charge.

GEORGE O'KILL STUART, }
THOMAS MARKLAND, } TRUSTEES.
JAMES SAMPSON, }

Kingston, 27th October, 1832.

Classification of the Pupils of the Midland District School,
at the Public Examination on the 28th day of September,
1832.—Number of Scholars 30.

| Age. | 1st Class. | Classics. |
|------|-----------------------|--|
| 12 | Archibald Thomson, | } Greek Testament, Ovid, Virgil, English Grammar. |
| 14 | William Chambers, | |
| 16 | James Mair, | |
| 14 | Francis B. Spilsbury, | |
| | 2nd Class.. | |
| 12 | Robert Tolbert, | } Lectiones Selectæ. Cornelius. Nepos. Grammar, &c. |
| 10 | Peter Baxter, | |
| 10 | Daniel Macleod, | |
| 11 | Moses Binley, | |
| 12 | James Atkinson, | |
| 9 | James H. Ross, | |
| 10 | Henry Steele, | |
| | 3rd Class. | |
| 16 | William Tolbert, | } English Grammar. Reading, &c. |
| 13 | Michael Stinson, | |
| | 4th Class. | |
| 12 | John Ward, | } English Grammar. Reading, &c. |
| 9 | William Ferns, | |
| | 5th Class. | |
| 8 | Henry Woods, | } English Grammar, Reading, and Spelling. |
| 13 | William Denn, | |
| 11 | Henry Mitchell, | |
| 9 | Joseph Binley, | |
| 7 | John Goodearle, | |
| 8 | Thomas Masson, | |
| | 6th Class. | |
| 8 | Randal Cox, | } Reading and Spelling. |
| 8 | Edward Hynes, | |
| 10 | Henry Bamford, | |
| 9 | Thomas Bamford, | |
| 6 | George Hynes, | |
| 10 | William Michael, | |
| 8 | James Kennedy, | |
| | 7th Class. | |
| 11 | Thomas Moran, | } Spelling. |
| 6 | Alexander Bamford, | |

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| 1st Class. | Archibald Thomson, | } Euclid, Algebra, and Arithmetic. |
| | William Chambers, | |
| 2nd Class. | William Tolbert, | } Arithmetic and Geography. |
| | Francis B. Spilsbury, | |
| | James Mair, | |
| | Michael Stinson, | |
| | John Ward, | |
| 3rd Class. | Robert Tolbert, | } Arithmetic and Geography. |
| | Peter Baxter, | |
| | William Ferns, | |
| | David McLeod, | |
| | James Atkinson, | |
| | Moses Binley, | |
| 4th Class. | William Dunn, | } Arithmetic. |
| | Henry Woods, | |
| | James H. Ross, | |
| | Henry Steele, | |
| | Henry Mitchell, | |
| | Joseph Binley, | |
| 5th Class. | Edward Hynes, | } Arithmetic. |
| | Thomas Bamford, | |
| | Henry Bamford, | |
| | William Michael, | |
| | John Goodearle, | |
| | Thomas Masson, | |
| | Randal Cox, | |

REPORT

Of the Public Schools for the Newcastle District, ending 1831.

The number of Boys at present in attendance amounts to 17,
of whom

5 are studying Latin, &c.
1 is studying Latin, Greek, and French.
11 are employed in the common branches of an English edu-
cation, including Geography, Geometry, Book-keeping, and His-
tory, ancient, and modern.

Since last Report one boy has finished his education, having
become qualified for the profession of the Law.

DAVID OVANS,
TEACHER.

Cobourg, 21st December, 1831.

REPORT

Of Board of Education, Newcastle District.

COBOURG, JANUARY 8th, 1832.

SIR,

I beg to transmit for His Excellency's information, the
names of the Teachers of Common Schools, &c. in the District of
Newcastle, for the year ending the 31st December, 1832.

| Schools where | Teachers Names. | Teachers from whence. | No. of Scholars. | Branches Taught. | Books used. |
|------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|----------------|
| Haldimand, | John Hoyt, | Ireland, | 40 | Arithmetic, | |
| Percy, . . . | J. Talmage, | do. | 22 | Grammar, | Murray. |
| Asphodel, . . | T. Wilkins, | do. | 22 | Spelling, | Mavors. |
| Murray, . . . | H. Nobler, | do. | 21 | | |
| Cavan, | H. Foster, | do. | 22 | | |
| Percy, | John Cail, | | 34 | | |
| Cobourg, . . | M. Sawyer, | U. States, | 40 | | |
| Cavan, | Thomas Coulton, | Ireland, | 21 | | |
| Cavan, | J. Pierson, | do. | 21 | | |
| Cavan, | W. McGrain, | do. | 22 | | |
| Port Hope, . | G. Hughes, | do. | 25 | | |
| Port Hope, . | R. Campbell, | | 21 | | |
| Cramahe, . . | S. Herrain, | | 26 | | |
| Smith, | P. Wood, | Ireland, | 27 | | |
| Port Hope, . | M. McDonell, | Scotland, | 21 | | |
| Hamilton, . . | D. Hannan, | Ireland, | 22 | | |
| Hamilton, . . | S. Ewing, | | 21 | | |
| Hamilton, . . | H. Jackson, | do. | 23 | Testament | Mavors. |
| Emily, | T. Mitchell, | do. | 21 | & Spelling, | |
| Cavan, | J. Henry, | do. | 21 | | |
| Hope, | T. Wheeler, | | 22 | | |
| Murray, . . . | J. Connel, | | 21 | | |
| Cavan, | Wm. Hall, | do. | 21 | | |
| Cramahe, . . | G. Strival, | | 23 | | |
| Hope, | J. Barber, | American | 21 | Grammar & | Murray, |
| Cavan, | T. Franey, | Ireland, | 22 | Arithmetic, | |
| Smith, | William Lally, | do. | 21 | | |
| Hope, | J. Irwin, | do. | 26 | | |
| Clark, | Wm. Hilliker, | | 21 | | |
| Clark, | A. Moore, | | 22 | | |
| Emily, | G. Hamilton, | | 21 | | |
| Cramahe, . . | S. Smith, | | 21 | Testament | English |
| Haldimand, . | J. French, | | 22 | E. Reader, | Reader. |

Report of the
Trustees of the
Midland District
School

Report of public
Schools for the
Newcastle Dis-
trict, 1831

Report of the
Board of Educa-
tion, Newcastle
District, 1832