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SCHEDULE 5—Containing 25 columns, relating to *Fisheries, Products of the Forest, Minerals and Prairie Lands*, broken up and seeded.

These Census schedules were to be, and have been, filled up by the enumerators going in person, from house to house, within the limit of the sub-district or division thereof assigned to him.

The columns of Table I headed "Temporary Dwellings" refer to temporary dwellings as vessels, shanties, tents and wigwams. There was only one vessel inhabited on 24th August, 1885. The words *Shanties, Wigwams* and *Tents* are intended to denote the temporary dwellings of the Indian population, on their several reserves, and of the temporary lodges of the wandering or nomadic Indians.

TABLES II, III and IV,

Need no remarks.

TABLE V.

Ages of the people are counted from the last birthday and are recorded as they were given. The column headed under one year, therefore, represents a greater or lesser fraction of a year, and those severally headed 1 to 2, 2 to 3, successively, represent the numbers of persons living on the Census day at one year of age last birthday and two years of age last birthday.

In this and other tables there is a column headed "not given" and, as may be supposed, is largely composed of Indian population.

TABLE VI to X,

Inclusive, require no explanation.

TABLE XI.

Occupations of the people are arranged alphabetically.—Occupations somewhat similar to each other are thus necessarily separated one from the other. But it is desirable and necessary to give the occupations followed in each district separately and this is deemed the simplest way of doing it.

Persons engaged in more than one occupation are not put down severally to each, but to that which they happened to be following, at the taking of the Census.

The numbers specified as following certain trades and industrial pursuits include all engaged in them as laborers and apprentices as well as masters and assistants.

Details in reference to the occupations of the people are further supplemented under the head of Industrial Establishments at Table XIX; but of course there can be no concise agreement between the two statements; the one giving the number of hands employed at the several industries, it may be a week or a month or a year, the other giving the occupation to which he devotes the principal part