

2. This Table, (P), presents a full statistical view of the operations of this Branch of the Department during the year 1861, and also during the seven years since its establishment. During the last year \$16,252 have been expended, (the one-half contributed from local sources), for the purchase of 156 Maps of the World; 283 of Europe; 228 of Asia; 214 of Africa; 244 of America; 201 of Canada; 357 of Great Britain, Ireland and Scotland; 159 of Single Hemispheres; 192 Classical and Scriptural Maps; 349 other Maps and Charts; 169 Globes; 1,339 other articles of School Apparatus; 9,268 historical and other Lessons (in Sheets); 26,931 Volumes of Prize Books.

3. During the seven years there have been received and expended in this Branch \$88,893 for the supply to the Schools of 17,160 Maps and Charts, 1,043 Globes, 11,283 other articles of School Apparatus, 90,603 historical and other Lessons in Sheets, and 69,816 Volumes of Prize Books.

XVI. TABLE Q.—THE SUPERANNUATED OR WORN-OUT COMMON SCHOOL TEACHERS.

1. The Legislature has appropriated \$4,000 per annum in aid of Superannuated or worn-out Common School Teachers. The allowance to each Teacher cannot exceed \$6 per year for every year that the Recipient has taught a Common School in Upper Canada. Each Recipient must pay \$4 per annum for each current year, or \$5 for each past year, since 1854, into the Fund; nor can any Teacher become a claimant upon the Fund unless he pays annually at that rate to the Fund, commencing with the time of his beginning to teach, or with 1854, (when the system was first established), if he began to teach before that time. If a Teacher has not paid his Subscription annually, he must pay at the rate of \$5 per annum for past time, in order to be entitled to share in the Fund when he is worn-out.

8. This Table, (Q), gives the age, services, etcetera, of each Pensioner. Two hundred Teachers have been admitted to receive annual aid from this Fund, of whom 31 died before or during the year 1861. The average age of each Pensioner in 1861 was 66½ years.

XVII. TABLE R.—DISTRIBUTION OF THE LEGISLATIVE GRANT, TOGETHER WITH THE SUMS RAISED AS AN EQUIVALENT THERETO, WITH OTHER MONEYS RAISED BY MUNICIPALITIES AND TRUSTEES.

This Table presents a complete view of all the moneys which have been received and expended, (and from what sources derived), and for what purposes, in connection with the Normal, Model, Grammar and Common Schools throughout Upper Canada. Here may be seen at a glance how far this money has been expended on behalf of each County, Township, City, Town and Incorporated Village. It appears that the people of Upper Canada provided and expended for Grammar and Common School purposes, in 1861, \$1,496,080,—being an increase for the Receipts and Expenditure of the preceding year of \$58,740. For details I desire to refer to the Table.

XVIII. TABLE S.—EDUCATIONAL SUMMARY FOR 1861.

This Table presents a view of the number of Educational Institutions of every kind, (as far as returns could be obtained), and the number of Pupils attending them, as well as the amount expended for their support.

The whole number of Educational Institutions of every kind reported was 4,459—Increase, 80. The whole number of Students and Pupils attending them was 344,118—Increase, 15,279. The whole amount available for educational purposes was \$1,670,023—Increase, \$54,353.