

opposed in either Branch of the Legislature, by persons who had availed themselves of the opportunities afforded of obtaining a knowledge of the operations of the Institution, by attending the public examinations of the Classes, or by visiting the School at other times; but on the contrary, the warmest advocates of those claims have been persons who had availed themselves of those opportunities.

The following is a statement of the number of pupils from various sections of the Province, admitted into the Seminary since its commencement:—

	In the Male Department.	In the Female Department.
From Fredericton,	42	46
“ the County of York, not in Fredericton,	26	15
“ “ Sunbury,	15	18
“ “ Carleton,	6	1
“ “ Queen’s,	1	3
“ “ King’s,	2	—
“ “ Saint John,	2	1
“ City of Saint John,	6	7
“ County of Westmorland,	1	2
“ “ Northumberland,	3	—
“ “ Charlotte,	5	1
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Total number admitted, 203.

In conclusion, your Committee thank the public for the liberal assistance afforded both for the erection of the building and support of the School, and feel especially grateful to many persons, altogether unconnected with the Society and Institution, for the deep interest manifested by them for its prosperity and advancement, and most respectfully solicit a continuance of their patronage.

JOHN T. SMITH, *Secretary*.

RESOLVED, That the Report as read be adopted, and the Association requested to publish the same with the following Resolutions, as an appendix to the Minutes.

RESOLVED, That the Society regard with pleasing satisfaction, the benefits which have already resulted from the operation of the Seminary under the judicious and able management of the Committee and Teachers, and do hereby pledge ourselves to increased and united effort to sustain the same, and to furnish the Committee with sufficient funds to relieve the Institution from its present pecuniary embarrassments.

Could this Society be convinced that the claims of the Seminary to Legislative aid were not supported by justice, or were at variance with the views of any considerable portion of the inhabitants of the Province, we would not again repeat them, but as we believe

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