

creased accommodation for the increasing number of pupils, with an addition to the number of teachers. These extensions are much needed, and we are confident they will pay—to say nothing of the relief to the teachers, and the increased thoroughness of the training. The course marked out for both the Male and Female Departments is liberal and well arranged; with increased teaching facilities, and a rigid adherence to the prescribed course in the case of each pupil, the best results will follow. We found the teachers very much devoted to the interests of the institute, very painstaking and laborious; indeed in some cases we think it would be for the advantage of both teacher and student if more energy could sometimes be infused into the students, if he could be kept under the continual consciousness that exact, thorough preparation was expected and demanded of him, and that—whatever the teacher might do towards himself—he meant to spare no one else. Not the least pleasant, even if the most laborious, part of our duty was the giving of a written examination to Candidates for General Proficiency Prizes. Through the generosity of some friend eight prizes varying from \$5 to \$15 were given; a First and Second Prize in each of the three years of the higher course; as also in the second year, without “Classics.” After a pretty severe examination, they were awarded as follows:—

First year—1st prize, J. P. McEwen; 2nd prize, S. Challon. Second year—1st prize, J. Bates; 2nd prize, J. C. Tichworth. Those of the Second year “without classics,” were taken by two ladies: 1st prize, A. M. Bell; 2nd prize, A. McConnell. Third year—1st prize, A. Turnbull; 2nd prize, D. W. C. Troy. In addition to these, prizes in books, for English Composition, were distributed by the Alumni Association to E. W. Dadson, Sophy McGinn, Adelia McConnell, and an extra one in the same subject to Sarah M. Bodwell. J. M. Bates carried off the first and W. B. Underhill the second of the prizes annually offered by the Principal, for Public Speaking. The progress manifested throughout these and the other examinations was greater than we expected, considering the disadvantages under which all had laboured during the term. (Signed,) J. C. YULE, JOHN W. CLARK.

## X. Departmental Notices.

### TABLET READING LESSONS.

The new Tablet Reading Lessons, consisting of thirty-three large sheets, can be obtained at the Depository at 75 cts. per set; at \$1.00, free of postage; or \$4.50, mounted on cardboard. The 100 per cent. is allowed on these lessons when ordered with maps and apparatus, &c.

### TRUSTEES' SCHOOL MANUAL.

In reply to numerous applications for the Trustees' School Manual, we desire to intimate that a new edition of the School Acts is now ready. Single copies, 35 cents, including postage. New School Sections will be supplied gratuitously.

### CANADIAN DOMINION DIRECTORY FOR 1870-71.

[We most cordially direct the attention of the readers of the *Journal* to the following prospectus of the proposed “Canadian Dominion Directory for 1870-71,” about to be published by Mr. John Lovell, the enterprising publisher of Montreal. In Mr. Lovell's hands, the public may rely upon it that this extensive work will be well prepared and carefully printed. We sincerely hope Mr. Lovell will meet with the success which his industry and enterprise so fully warrant. Mr. Lovell says:—“It is proposed to circulate not less than TEN THOUSAND COPIES of the Directory. If undertaken, the work will involve an expenditure of about \$75,000. My aim is to produce a work of national utility—a reliable medium of communication between merchants in the several Provinces and abroad—a guide and hand-book to intending emigrants, and to show at a glance the extent and importance of our ‘New Dominion.’”] The following is the prospectus:—

## CANADIAN DOMINION DIRECTORY FOR 1870-71.

The Subscriber proposes to issue in September, 1870, if sufficient support by Subscriptions and Advertisements can be obtained to cover the cost of publication, a CANADIAN DOMINION DIRECTORY, comprising the Provinces of ONTARIO, QUEBEC, NOVA SCOTIA, and NEW BRUNSWICK; to which will be appended the Provinces of NEWFOUNDLAND and PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND. The Directory will contain the Names of Professional and Business Men, and of the principal Inhabitants in the Cities, Towns, and Villages, together with a large amount of general information, including Alphabetical Directories of Post Offices and Postmasters, Banks, Governmental Departments and *Employees*, Houses of Parliament, Law Courts, Educational Departments, Custom Houses and Officers of Customs, Ports of Entry, Tariffs of Customs, List of Patents of Inventions, Canals, Railways, *Railway and Steamboat Routes*, Benevolent and Religious Societies, Clergy of all Denominations, Registrars with their Divisions, Newspapers and Periodicals, &c., &c.; also, Statements of Imports and Exports, Revenue, Expenditure, Trade, Population, &c., &c.

*To be corrected to August, 1870.*

The CANADA DIRECTORY for 1857-58, published by the Subscriber, contained the Names of the Principal Inhabitants in 1,339 Cities, Towns, and Villages in Upper and Lower Canada. The CANADIAN DOMINION DIRECTORY for 1870-71 will contain a short description of at least 3,500 Cities, Towns and Villages in the Dominion of Canada, and the Provinces of Newfoundland and Prince Edward Island, together with the Names of the Professional and Business Men and of the principal Inhabitants.

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These may certify that the Board of School Trustees for the City of Toronto put up December, 1867, in their new School House, on Elizabeth Street, four of Ruttan's Air Warming or Ventilating Stoves, say one in each School Room. These stoves were in regular use, during school hours, until fires were discontinued, about the beginning of the month of May, and they have given full satisfaction in every respect. Although the weather was severe and prolonged, the Ruttan Stoves kept the school rooms comfortably warm, while the ventilation at the same time was thoroughly good. These Stoves are also very economical in fuel, as is proved by the fact that the four in question consumed only two and a half cords of wood each, during the above mentioned period of time.

(Signed) W. W. OGDEN, M.D.  
Chairman Com. School Buildings.

G. A. BARBER,  
Secretary, B. S. T.  
Toronto, September 15th, 1868.

ADDRESS—JOHN BOXALL, QUEEN STREET WEST, TORONTO.