$\mathbf{B}\mathbf{Y}$ LAWS

ONTARIO INSTITUTION

FOR THE

OF THE BLIND. EDUCATION

BRANTFORD.

In conformity with the provisions of the "Prison and Asylum. Inspection Act, 1868," the Inspector of Asylums, Prisons, &c., with the assent of His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, enacts as follows:

DESIGN OF INSTITUTION.

1. The Institution is founded for the purpose of educating, as well as imparting instruction in some professional or manual art to such blind persons residing in the Province of Ontario, as are hereafter described, and is not intended as an Asylum for the aged and infirm, or a Hospital for the treatment of disease, but in its design has reference only to the physical, mental and moral training of blind youths of both sexes.

ADMISSION AND DISCHARGE OF PUPILS.

2. All blind youths of both sexes, between the ages of eight and twenty-one, not being deficient in intellect, and free from contagious disease, being residents of the Province of Ontario, may be admitted into the Institution.

3. The period of education and instruction for any pupil shall be determined by the Principal, subject to the approval of the Inspector, but shall not exceed seven years, and no pupil shall remain in the Institution in any case for a longer period, unless under special circumstances, and discretionary power in this respect shall be vested in the Inspector and Principal.