

are nineteen boys and fifteen girls attending this School. It is to be feared this School is not in as flourishing a state as might be desired.

CLIFTON.

The pupils receiving instruction at this School are fourteen boys and sixteen girls, indiscriminately divided into five classes under the charge of Mr. David P. Wetmore, who has replaced the former teacher, Mr. M. Boyd. Of this School, only two years in existence, Rev. W. E. Scovil writes: "The School has been so well conducted as to give all connected with it great satisfaction, Parents and Inspectors being alike convinced of the teachers fidelity and efficiency."

On the 5th August last, the Visiting Committee examined the School and reported: " * * * This School has been taught for the last six months by Mr. David P. Wetmore, and is at present in an efficient condition. There were thirty-five names on the roll on the day of visitation, and present twenty-one, eleven boys and ten girls, whose ages vary from five to seventeen years. These are divided into five classes, which were all examined by your Committee. The first or highest class acquitted themselves well in English Grammar, Spelling and Etymology, Geography and Arithmetic. In this last branch they solved problems with much facility, accuracy and dispatch, in Proportion, Practice, Interest and Vulgar and Decimal Fractions. Their writing, though a little too small and close, was very clean and neat, manifesting considerable care and attention. Their reading was not quite so satisfactory; their deficiency was pointed out and amendment promised. The junior classes also acquitted themselves tolerably well for their age and state of progress. The teacher seems to be diligent, and if he had a little more life and energy in examining his classes, his success would be much more marked. Still the School, as already stated, is in a satisfactory state, and your Committee have no difficulty in recommending it to your continued patronage.

" Respectfully submitted by

" W. DONALD, } COMMITTEE."
" W. SCOVIL, }

SAINT ANDREWS.

As has been already stated, the School at this place has been re-opened since the beginning of this Quarter under the most auspicious circumstances, and no doubt will under the zealous co-operation of the Local Committee, become one of the most important Schools under the supervision of this Board.

The average number of pupils in attendance at all the Schools for the Year ending 30th June, as appears by the respective returns is 1427 as follows:—

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