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### SCHOOL INSPECTORS.

Names of Inspectors, and Description of each District.	Number of Municipalities.	Population.	Acres of Land owned.	Number of Schools under control.	Salary of Inspectors.
J. B. F. Paluchaud, Magdalen Islands, Gaspé,.....	1	2220		3	£ 31 5 0
Joseph Meagher, Counties of Bonaventure and Gaspé,.....	20	20772	233340	31	250 0 0
J. Lespérance, part of Gaspé,.....	1	000	8000	1	62 10 0
Vincent Martin, County of Chicoutimi,.....	5	4351	69000	15	125 0 0
G. Dauguy, Counties of Kamouraska, Rimouski and Temiscouata,.....	26	34088	584002	150	218 15 0
C. Cunon, County of Charlevoix and part of Saguenay,.....	10	15012	200007	33	125 0 0
John Hume, County of Mégantic and part of Bouches,.....	14	10083	214121	31	187 10 0
P. X. Béland, Counties of Bonaventure, Lévis, Dorchester, and Lotbinière,.....	29	58135	685437	214	218 15 0
J. Crépeau, Counties of Bellechasse, Montmorency, and Islet,.....	18	36720	380134	128	187 10 0
P. M. Bardy, Counties of Quebec, Mouthourey, and Portneuf, Catholic population of the City of Quebec,.....	32	80073	544571	124	250 0 0
Rev. R. Piesse, Protestant population of the City of Quebec,.....	1	0148		35	62 10 0
P. Hubert, Counties of St. Maurice, Maskinongie, and Champlain,.....	21	41181	443000	100	187 10 0
G. A. Bourgeois, part of the Counties of Drummond, Bagot, and Arthabaska,.....	9	0305	175000	35	150 5 0
B. Maurault, Counties of Nicolet and Yamaska,.....	17	34550	339482	05	187 10 0
M. Child, Counties of Stanstead, Richouard, Compton, Wolfe, and part of Drummond and of Arthabaska,.....	25	35848	484143	245	218 15 0
R. Parnelee, Counties of Missisquoi, Brome, Shelburne, and part of Berthier,.....	23	43632	380704	102	218 15 0
J. N. A. Archambault, the Counties of Richelieu, Verchères, Chambly, and part of St. Johns and of St. Hyacinthe,.....	24	00880	473200	120	218 15 0
A. P. L. Consigny, the Counties of Bagot, Rouville, and part of St. Hyacinthe and of Berthier,.....	22	50889	457023	12	150 5 0
M. Lanctot, Counties of Laprairie, Napierville, Beaulieu, and part of Chateauguay and of St. Johns,.....	10	55785	470523	141	18 15 0
John Bruce, County of Huntingdon, part of Chateauguay and of Argenteuil, and the Protestant population of the City of Montreal,.....	15	48530	331139	107	250 0 0
F. X. Valade, Counties of Jacques Cartier, Hochelaga, Vaudreuil, and Soulanges, and Catholic population of the City of Montreal,.....	26	82550	424175	110	250 0 0
A. D. Dorval, Counties of Berthier, Joliette, and Montcalm,.....	34	64558	630008	134	218 15 0
F. Gormain, Counties of Laval, Terrebonne, Two Mountains, and part of Argenteuil,.....	26	40210	393384	114	187 10 0
J. J. Roney, Counties of Ottawa and Pontiac,.....	23	28164	820927	60	218 15 0

### JACQUES CARTIER NORMAL SCHOOL.—MONTREAL.

Rev. Hospice Verreau, Principal, Ordinary Professor and Director of Male Students' Boarding House.  
Leopold Devismes, B.A., Ordinary Professor.  
Dominique Boudrias, Teacher of Boys' Model School.

Patrick Dolaney, Associate Professor, Usher and Teacher of Boys' Model School.  
J. B. Labelle, Associate Professor.

### MCGILL NORMAL SCHOOL.—MONTREAL.

J. W. Dawson, LL.D., Principal and Associate Professor.  
W. H. Hicks and Samson Paul Robins, Ordinary Professors.

Léon Fontenau, B.A., Associate Professor.  
Jas. McGregor and Mary McCracken, Teachers in Model School.

### LAVAL NORMAL SCHOOL.—QUEBEC.

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Andrew Doyle, Associate Professor and Teacher of Boys' Model School.  
Pierre Louis Morin and Ernest Gagnon, Associate Professors.

The Government of Old France had given a great deal of attention to the subject of public instruction in Canada. The first school in this country was the Jesuits' College, opened at Quebec by Father Le Jeune in 1632. The Seminary of Quebec was founded by Mgr. De Laval in 1662. The College of St. Sulpice at Mon-