2. Schools and Pupils.

No. of Public Schools in operation,—

Winter Term, 1877	1731
Do. 1876	1594
Increase	137
Summer Term, 1877	1871
Do. 1876	1744
Increase	127

Pupils Registered,—

Winter Term, 1877	80788
Do. 1876	77593
Increase	3195
Summer Term, 1877	83941
Do. 1876	82034
Increase	1907
The Year;—Boys	54738
Girls	45972
Total, 1877	100710
Total, 1876	94162
Increase	6548

Proportion of Population Registered in Public Schools,—

Winter Term, 1877	1 in 4.3
Do. 1876	1 in 5.0
Summer Term, 1877	1 in 4.6
Do. 1876	1 in 4.7
The Year, 1877	1 in 3.9
1876	1 in 4.1

No. of Pupils daily present at Public Schools on an average for the time in Session:—

Winter Term, 1877	46380
Do. 1876	44586
Increase	1794
Summer Term, 1877	47000
Do. 1876	46161
Increase	839