

## RECOMMENDATIONS.

Toronto, 12th June, 1856.

I have carefully examined the Chart of Natural History prepared by Mr. Macallum of the Model School, and consider it well worthy of the favourable opinion and support of all persons feeling an interest in Education. Upon my recommendation, the Board of School Trustees of this City have ordered twelve copies for the use of the Common Schools under their charge. The ability shown by Mr. Macallum, in the arrangement of the divisions and sub-divisions of the subject in question, is calculated to greatly assist the student in acquiring a correct knowledge of the Animal Kingdom: and both as a very ingenious system of imparting a knowledge of Natural History to young people, and as a highly creditable specimen of Canadian lithography, I cordially recommend Mr. Macallum's Chart to public favour.

G. A. BARBER.

*Local Superintendent of Schools,*  
CITY OF TORONTO.

Toronto, June, 1856.

I have examined the "Chart of Natural History" constructed by Mr. Macallum, Head Master of the Provincial Model School, and have no hesitation in recommending it as likely to be very useful in conveying information on the subject, to young persons commencing the study of Natural History.

THOS. J. ROBERTSON,

*Head Master Provincial Normal School.*

TUESDAY MORNING, 17th June.

MY DEAR SIR,—On the recommendation of the Education Committee, the County Council voted £40, or so much thereof as may be required, to procure one copy of your Chart of Natural History for each Common School within these United Counties.

By resolution of the Council it is my duty to attend to their purchase and distribution.

There are, in the several Townships of the two Counties, 214 School Sections reported to the Council last year. Adding three each for the two villages of Yorkville and Brampton, we have 220 schools to supply. May I trouble you to see that the above number of Charts be reserved for our purpose? and as soon as I can find time to visit the Education Office I will attend to the matter.

Yours truly,

JOSEPH HARTMAN.

Toronto, June, 1856.

Having carefully examined a Chart of Natural History, prepared by A. Macallum, of the Provincial Model School, I deem it well calculated to assist teachers in imparting a correct and systematic knowledge of that most interesting subject even to young pupils.

It is compiled with accuracy, and executed with elegance.

It cannot fail of proving a very useful addition to the apparatus of any school-room.

W. ORMISTON.