

## PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

There are 198 Public Schools in operation in the several Towns and Townships of North and South Simcoe, as follows, namely:—In Adjala, 10; Essa, 14; Flos, 9; Gwillimbury W., 15; Innisfil, 14; Medonte, 7; Mono, 12; Morrison, 3; Monck, 3; Mulmur, 11; Nottawasaga, 17; Oro, 12; Orillia and Matchedash, 6; Sunnidale, 6; Tay, 5; Tecumseth, 14; Tiny, 7; Tossorontio, 4; Vespra, 6; Barrie, 2; Bradford, 1; Collingwood, 1; Orillia V., 1; Stayner, 1. Parry Sound District, 6.

SCHOOL INSPECTORS —South Simcoe, Rev. Wm. McKee, B.A. *Clover Hill*.  
North Simcoe, J. C. Morgan, B.A., *Barrie*.

## BARRIE METEOROLOGICAL STATION.

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Latitude 44°25'; Longitude 79°45'; Height of Station above the Sea, 779 feet; above Lake Simcoe, 59 feet.

ABSTRACT of certain quantities for years 1869-72. (The readings of the Barometer are for 32°F., but have not been reduced to Sea level).

### BAROMETER.

Year.	Mean Bar.	Highest Barometer	Lowest Barometer
1869	28.8849	29.566	28.005
1870	28.6626	29.585	27.788
1871	28.6926	29.660	27.935
1872	28.7196	29.627	27.525

### TEMPERATURE OF AIR.

Year.	Mean Tem.	Highest Tem.	Date.	Lowest Tem.	Date.	Warm't Day.	Mean Tem.	Coldest Day.	Mean Tem.
1869	43.° 83	89.° 1	Sep. 19	--16.5	Feb. 28	Sep. 20	77.43	Mar. 4	1.93
1870	46. 53	95. 6	June 27	--15.9	Dec. 29	June 27	85.00	Jan. 14	--0.73
1871	44. 29	94. 4	Aug. 4	--31.6	Dec. 21	July 13	80.67	Jan. 23	--10.43
1872	42. 50	95. 6	July 2	--22.4	Mar. 5	June 20	82.57	Dec. 24	--10.83

### RAIN AND SNOW.

Year.	No. of Rainy Days.	No. of Snowy Days.	Depth of Rain, inches	Depth of Snow, inches.	Depth of Rain and Mlt. Snow
1869	87	77	21.0643	83.35	29-3993
1870	103	72	22.5008	148.375	37-3383
1871	77	72	13.2917	117.125	25-0042
1872	88	65	20.9456	76.86	28-6316