

Up. Sand Point	97	2027½	25 76	Gillander's Mount	116	779	20 11	Brenton	75	1671	17 62
Shelburne	468	13824	154 85	Gairloch Mount	102	409	14 95	Pleasant Valley.	116	2222½	25 17
Birchtown	112	2846	33 54	West Middle River	116	1801	30 24	Carlton	116	2539½	26 99
Gunning Cove	114	2479½	31 00	Inlet, Baddeck	85	707	16 09	Reynardton	117	1299	19 97
Roseway	91	2824	31 14	Ship Yard	117	1202	24 41	Pinkney's Point	100	2369	24 30
Black Point	117	2914	34 61	North Little Narrows	105	725	18 39	Arcadia	233	8494½	73 73
N. E. Harbor	114	3287	37 10	Lower Watchabukt	117	1755	29 89	Central Cheboque	111	2965	28 90
Indian Brook	104	2367½	29 17	Grant	112	1531	27 13	Salem	116	4594½	38 81
Lower Ohio	113	1222	21 33	South L. Narrows	114	2012	32 13	Brooklyn	114	3872½	34 44
Upper "	109	1451½	22 65	L. Narrows Village	95	650	16 58	Sand Beach	115	3293½	31 23
Churchover	116	1452½	23 41	Cain's Mount	106	1428	25 47	North Kempt	114	2511	26 62
Power's Brook	116	2685	32 76	Grand Narrows	117	2337	35 66	Burnside	114	4223	36 46
Little Port LeHerbert	114	1702	25 08	" "	112	1870	30 49	Middleton	117	3887	34 85
Western Head	117	2255	29 60	Gillis' Point	84	1232	21 18	South Chegoggin	117	3319½	31 59
Granite Village	116	464	15 90	Plaister	111	1982	31 49	POOR SECTIONS.			
POOR SECTIONS.				Red Head	117	1514	27 51	Bloomfield	1.7	2749½	37 74
Enslow's Point	50	650½	13 69	Big Harbour	102	1195	22 74	Forest Glen	51	676	12 43
Mathew's Point	117	959	26 38	Cape Dauphin	113	1985	31 74	West Kempt	116	1321½	26 67
BORDER SECTIONS.				Sea View	117	2300	35 70	Canaan	116	2479	35 52
Clyde River	234	3632½	42 45	Big Bank	117	2294	35 24	Cape Fouchu	116	2274	33 94
Port Clyde	114	441½	5 05	Boulardarie	115	1886	30 93	BORDER SECTIONS.			
DISTRICT OF BARRINGTON.				Fast Kempt Head	117	1367	26 05	Melbourne	114	3335½	29 06
Halifax Institution for the Blind,			14 45	Island Point	115	1579	27 93	Gavelton	117	104	1 14
Cape Negro	106	1598½	27 97	Point Clear	117	2049	32 82	Beaver River	234	905½	9 63
Blanche	50½	678	12 46	Big Hill	90	542	14 99	DISTRICT OF ARGYLE.			
Cape Negro Island	113	2421	37 27	South Gut	117	2165	34 30	Halifax Institution for the Blind			13 77
Green Hill	111	2742½	40 41	English Town	117	4242	54 77	Lower E. Pubnico	105½	4067½	39 91
Port LaTour	107½	3526½	48 20	Black Head	117	1913	31 46	Upper E. Pubnico	103	2875	31 24
Baccaro	115	3435½	48 04	North Gut	61	602	12 48	Pubnico Head	227	6378½	69 12
Hibbard's Brook	234	3705½	63 58	Munroe's Point	117	2304	35 34	Upper W. Pubnico	208	5605	61 67
Passage	222	8244½	109 51	North River	103	1642	27 29	Lower W. Pubnico	114	4165½	41 51
Doctor's Cove	113½	2168½	34 70	Up. North River	90	1948	28 92	Lower Argyle	229	4482	55 69
Bear Point	95	3061½	42 03	Smith's Mount	117	1010	22 51	Central Argyle	114	3267	35 18
Shag Harbour	117	2896½	37 45	Tarbert, N. River	81	1698	25 49	West Glenwood	117	2689½	31 43
Wood's Harbour	195	4908½	71 95	Eel Cove	117	1338	25 76	North Glenwood	112	2040½	26 32
W. Wood's Harbour	117	2124½	34 62	Indian Brook	117	1627	28 63	Eel Lake	114	5812½	53 08
McGray's	111	3751	50 90	Plaister, N. Shore	117	1815	30 50	Argyle Sound	100	4974	45 68
Clark's Harbour	200½	6018½	84 06	French River	61	1842	24 77	Central Kempt	117	3215½	35 13
Stony Island	115	4822	62 50	Wreck Cove	106	1696	28 14	Up. Eel Brook	232	3945	52 54
Head	233	4667½	73 49	Clyburn Brook	117	1824	30 58	Abram's River	114	4947	46 99
POOR SECTIONS.				East Ingouish	117	4126	53 42	Sluice Point	80	3108	30 41
Villagedale	112	1673½	39 17	North Harbour	117	3391	46 13	Amirault's Hill	113	4957	46 95
Oakpark	78	1747½	35 38	Bay Saint Lawrence	81	1813	26 62	Tusket	233½	6682	71 95
BORDER SECTIONS.				New Haven	115	3416	46 16	Plymouth	114	5379½	50 03
Port Clyde	114	2701	38 58	Rear Big Hill	115	1120	23 38	Upper Wedge	231	8396	83 74
Charlesville	90	2650	35 03	Centre	117	3056	42 81	Middle Wedge	87	4612	41 74
Clyde River	234	2458½	35 70	North Smoky	117	2617	38 45	Lower Wedge	228	8355	83 13
VICTORIA,				" "	31	559	8 85	Rockingham	117	1794½	25 12
Baddeck Village	451	10226	150 22	Kemp Head	117	1783	30 18	Lower Eel Brook	105	4059½	39 78
Baddeck Bridge	117	1609	28 45	Black Rock	89	1150	20 90	Middle W. Pubnico	232	6039	67 28
Big Baddeck	114	1547	27 51	YARMOUTH.				East Glenwood	116	2451	29 63
East Baddeck	117	1762	29 96	YARMOUTH DISTRICT.				Hubbard's Point	116	4498	44 05
Mill Brook	117	1507	27 44	Halifax Institution for the Blind		16 23	POOR SECTIONS.				
Upper Baddeck	117	1249	24 87	Rockville	114	3309	31 20	Tusket Forks	75½	2604	35 15
Upper Sett. Baddeck	94	758	17 65	Lower Town	572½	20025½	176 37	Comeau's Hill	95	2554½	37 50
Peter's Brook	117	855	20 97	Central	781½	28687	248 39	Surrette's Island	99	2802½	40 94
Baddeck Bay	113	1595	27 88	Milton	781½	20215	199 69	Bell Neck	105	1998½	33 69
Church, Mid. River	117	1226	24 65	Overton	117	2337	25 93	Morris Island	86	1043½	22 02
McLennan's	115	1156	23 73	Pembroke	127	4193	36 60	BORDER SECTIONS.			
Upper Middle River	114	1700	29 03	North Chegoggin	92½	2972½	26 97	Gavelton	117	2275	27 95
				Sanford	117	5065	41 63	Melbourne	114	774½	7 74
				Maitland	219	9391	77 91	Charlesville	90	770½	7 59
				Richmond	117	3180	30 77				
				Ohio	234	8578½	74 31				
				Wellington	101	3698½	28 62				
				Hebron	234	8879½	76 05				

1. *County organization* does not constitute a natural and defensible basis on which to distribute aid to higher education. Some of the counties are thrice as populous as others, and might with a better show of reason than can be advanced in behalf of the present mode of distribution, claim proportionate grants. The Provincial funds appropriated to the Common Schools in the shape of teachers' grants are not determined or influenced in any way by *County* lines. The amount received within a county depends on the *educational work done*, as measured by the number of teachers employed and their respective grades of licenses. Why should this common sense principle not have universal application?

2. Many centres of population, which furnish as good conditions for maintaining efficient High Schools as most of

the county towns, are excluded from participation in the funds appropriated for higher education. Among these may be mentioned such places as Dartmouth, New Glasgow, Parrsboro', Bridgewater, Milton, Lockeport, Bridgetown, Wolfville, Hantsport, North Sydney, &c.

3. As a method of stimulating local effort, the County Academy grants have not proved very effectual. * * * That the chief financial bearing of the grant is towards the reduction of local assessment is plain beyond dispute. I know of no Academy town whose staff of teachers would legitimately bear reduction were it withdrawn. To be effectual, or even justifiable, a grant to higher education should stimulate local effort, not supersede or stifle it.—*From Superintendent's Report.*