

XXI. COUNTY OF KENT.

Townships.	£	s.	d.
Camden and Zone,	31	19	0
Dover, East and West,	16	11	6
Howard,	60	15	0
Orford,	30	19	6
Romney,	6	16	6
Tilbury, East,	12	16	6
Tilbury, West,	13	7	0
Chatham, } Harwich, } Raleigh, }	123	0	0
	£296	5	0

* Returns of School population, in the Town of Chatham, not received in time to distinguish the amount apportioned to each township.

XXII. UNITED COUNTIES OF ESSEX AND LAMBTON.

Townships.	£	s.	d.
Anderton,	7	8	6
Colchester,	44	2	0
Goshfield,	45	3	0
Maldstone,	25	2	6
Malden,	22	11	6
Mersen,	40	7	0
Rochester,	18	9	0
Sandwich,	107	5	0
Rosanquet,	32	12	6
Brooke,	9	0	0
Dawn,	12	4	6
Euphemia,	39	4	6
Moore,	26	17	0
Plympton,	25	10	0
Sarnia,	23	13	0
Sombra,	35	12	6
Warwick,	42	19	6
	£580	11	0

[OFFICIAL.]

Circular to the Clerks of the Municipal Councils of the several Cities, Towns, and Incorporated Villages in Upper Canada, notifying the apportionment of the Legislative School Grant for the year 1851.

SIR,—In accordance with the first and second clauses of the 35th section, in connexion with the 6th clause of the same section of the common school Act for Upper Canada, 13th and 14th Victoria, chapter 48, I have the honour to intimate to you for the information of the council of which you are clerk, and of your board of common school trustees, that the sum placed opposite the name of your municipality has been apportioned to it for the current year out of the legislative school grant.

2. By the 42nd section of the school Act, the amount of school money apportioned to each city, town, and incorporated village is payable to the chamberlain or treasurer of such municipality on the 1st day of July next, at the office of the Honourable the Receiver General, Toronto.

3. Should you not have already notified this department of the name of the treasurer of your municipality, you will please do so at your earliest convenience, in order that the warrant may issue to the proper party authorised by law to receive the apportionment. I would, at the same time, direct your attention to the 21st section, in connexion with the second proviso of the third clause of the 27th section, and the fifth clause of the same section of the school Act, and I will thank you to favour the Chief Superintendent from time to time with a copy of the proceedings of your council on school matters.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

J. GEORGE HODGINS,

Deputy Superintendent.

EDUCATION OFFICE,
Toronto, 1st of May, 1851.

APPORTIONMENT OF THE LEGISLATIVE SCHOOL GRANT
TO THE SEVERAL CITIES, TOWNS, AND INCORPORATED VILLAGES
IN UPPER CANADA, FOR THE YEAR 1851.

CITIES.	Toronto,	£497	5	0
	Hamilton,	187	13	0
	Kingston,	196	2	6
		£881	0	6
TOWNS.	Belleville,	54	6	0
	Brantford,	67	14	6
	Brockville,	58	1	0
	Bytown,	96	12	0
	Cobourg,	65	14	0
	Cornwall,	33	0	0
	Dundas,	51	7	6
	Goderich,	15	0	0
	London,	116	8	0
	Niagara,	40	19	0
	Peterborough,	35	9	6
	Pictou,	34	7	0
	Port Hope,	41	2	0
INCORPORATED VILLAGES.	Prescott,	37	13	0
	St. Catharines,	75	7	6
		£829	1	0
INCORPORATED VILLAGES.	Chippewa,	21	1	6
	Galt,	40	2	6
	Oshawa,	19	5	6
	Paris,	31	17	6
	Thorold,	24	10	6
	Amherstburgh,	30	0	0
	Chatham,	29	3	6
	Guelph,	35	9	6
	Perth, (See Township of Drummond)	0	0	0
	Simcoe,	22	14	6
	Woodstock,	32	2	0
		£286	7	0
		£1,977	8	6

Total apportionment to Cities, Towns, and Incorporated Villages, £1,977 8 6

Educational Intelligence.

CANADA.

Items.—A correspondent of the London, U. C. *Times* thus remarks, in regard to the progress of education in Vienna, C. W. A grammar school has lately been established under the superintendence of Simon Newcomb, Esq., one of the best scholars and most successful teachers in the Province. The town council, at a late session, authorized the erection of a new house for the grammar school, at an expense of twenty-three hundred dollars. This, when completed, and Mr. Newcomb established at the head of the school, will furnish means of education unsurpassed, if indeed equalled, in any part of the Province. Mr. N. was formerly a very efficient local superintendent of common schools in Bayham.—Ed. J. of Ed. J.—Hamilton Hunter, Esq., late superintendent of common schools in the county of York, has been appointed by the Board of Trustees, Principal of the Union School London, U. C.—The *Pictou Sun*, of the 13th inst. contains a very gratifying account of the recent examinations in the Pictou Academy, conducted by Mr. and Mrs. Yeomans. The Rev. D. McMullen has retired from its management. The corner stone of 'Trinity College, Church University,' was laid on the 30th ult., by Bishop Strachan. The ceremony was highly imposing. In regard to the Rev. W. Ormiston's classical and mathematical school in Clarke, a correspondent of the P. H. *Watchman* remarks: "The second session of this interesting school closed on Wednesday, the 23rd ult., in presence of a large and respectable assemblage of spectators, by a public examination, which gave the highest satisfaction, both as to the amount of varied and useful knowledge imparted, and the intellectual and thorough method of imparting it. Mr. Ormiston's mode of instruction is entirely new, yet in perfect accordance with known laws of mind. Students are taught to determine the meaning of things, instead of names, words or phrases; the origin, foundation, and principles of science, as well as the facts deduced from them." The sixth session of Knox's College closed on the 16th ult. The examinations were highly interesting and satisfactory. The public examinations of the University of Queen's College, Kingston, took place on the 23rd and 24th ult. The *Argus* remarks: "The result was highly creditable to the Students, and reflected honour on the College and its Professors. The Prizes having been distributed to the most deserving students, the Rev. Principal, Machar, closed the session with an eloquent and impressive address." The Board of School Trustees in the town of Dundas have memorialized the Town Council to provide a sufficient sum of money to erect new school buildings. The Council expressed its cordial concurrence in the wishes of the trustees. The Reeve in supporting the motion of concurrence, eulogized the able manner and efficient management of the school in the hands of the present Trustees, and referring to the public appreciation of the improvement already made, in the large attendance of 319 scholars. A committee was then appointed to confer with the Trustees, and report to the Council. In accordance with the intimation in the Speech from the Throne at the opening of the Legislature, a bill to regulate Common Schools in Lower Canada has been introduced into the Legislative Council by the Hon. James Leslie. Sir Allan McNab will introduce a bill into the Assembly to incorporate Trinity College, Toronto. The Hon. P. B. DeBlaquiere, Chancellor of the University has signified his intention to give a gold medal for the encouragement of the study of the evidences of natural and revealed religion; the competition to be open to all under graduates. The University Commission have passed Statutes establishing several new chairs in the faculty of arts. Mr. D. Buchan, of Paris, U. C., has been appointed Chairman of the University Endowment Board at a salary of £400 per annum. The Hon. F. Hincks formerly held the appointment, but received no salary. The Senate of the University has authorized the sale of £20,000 worth of lands—the proceeds to be devoted to the erection of suitable buildings for the University. The plans heretofore adopted will not be adhered to. In announcing the principles upon which the Montreal *Pilot* shall hereafter be conducted (since the recent retirement of the Rev. Dr. Cramp) the proprietor intimates that free schools will be prominently advocated in its columns. The people of Chatham are about reorganizing the Common Schools of that town, and propose erecting school premises at an expense of £1,200.

Religious Instruction in the University of Toronto.—Arrangements, providing for the religious instruction of the students of the University of Toronto, similar to those in existence in the Normal School, have been made by the visitation commission of the University. The statute on the subject is as follows:

1st. Be it enacted that candidates for matriculation, who at the time of their applications may be students of any affiliated College, must be furnished with testimonials from their respective institutions, and upon admission shall be described as belonging thereto.