

AGRICULTURE.

The progress made in Agriculture from 1883 to 1899 was as follows:-

WHEAT.

	Acreage.	Yield.		Acreage.	Yield.
1883	260,842	5,686,355	1895	1,140,276	31,775,085
1887	432,134	12,251,724	1896	999,598	14,371,803
1890	746,058	14,365,769	1897	1,290,832	18,261,950
1893	1,003,640	15,615,923	1898	1,488,232	25,130,745
			1899	1,629,995	27,922,230

OATS.

	Acreage.	Yield.		Acreage.	Yield.
1883	215,431	9,478,964	1895	483,658	22,555,733
1887	155,176	7,265,237	1896	442,445	12,502,318
1890	235,534	9,513,443	1897	468,141	10,629,513
1893	388,529	9,823,935	1898	514,824	17,308,252
			1899	575,136	22,318,378

BARLEY.

	Acreage.	Yield.		Acreage.	Yield.
1883	60,281	1,898,430	1895	153,839	5,645,086
1887	56,110	1,925,231	1896	127,885	3,171,747
1890	60,035	2,069,415	1897	153,266	3,183,602
1893	114,762	2,547,653	1898	158,028	4,277,927
			1899	182,812	5,379,156

EDUCATIONAL PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN MANITOBA.

Year.	Schools.	Attendance.	Teachers
1871	16	816	
1875	26	1,595	
1880	101	3,735	
1890	627	23,956	840
1895	982	35,271	1,093
1896	1,032	37,987	1,143
1897	1,068	39,841	1,197
1898	1,250	44,070	1,301

The above includes the Roman Catholic Schools, working under "The Manitoba Public School Acts".

The Winnipeg Schools are given in the above but to show Winnipeg's progress we give them separately.

LICENSE COMMISSIONERS FOR MANITOBA.

District No. 1—D. A. Reesor, of Brandon; Wm. M. Cushing, of Elkhorn, and A. E. May, of Carberry. J. R. Foster, Inspr., Brandon.

District No. 2—Thos. H. Metcalfe, of Portage la Prairie; Isaac Bolton, of Minnedosa, and John W. Lindsay, of Plumias; William Cox, Inspr., Portage la Prairie.

District No. 3—M. B. Rombough, of Morden; R. Monteith, of Killarney; Chris. Johnson, of Baldur. Jas. Stirton, Inspr., Morden.

District No. 4—T. G. Mathers, Samuel Spink and Henry Cameron, Winnipeg. Jas. Penrose, Inspr., Winnipeg and Province.

Andrew Freeman, Clerk License Department, Winnipeg.