## TWENTY-FIFTH ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

## COLONIAL CHURCH AND SCHOOL SOCIETY.

The Corresponding Committee begs to present this, their twenty-fifth Annual Report, with gratitude to Almighty God for the blessing which has rested upon all their work during the past year. The schools, both in the city and country, have prospered, and have afforded fresh proof that the aid given to them is well and judiciously bestowed.

## MODEL SCHOOL, MONTREAL.

Principal Hicks reports:

In sending in another report on the Model Schools under the care of the Colonial Church and School Society in Montreal, I am led to notice that this is the twenty-fourth which I have furnished since my arrival in this Province as an agent of the Society.

I am pleased to be able to state that there has been a large increase in the number of the scholars of these schools during the past year. The attendance of the pupils has been most satisfactory, and the desire manifested by parents to send their children that they may have the benefit of the course of instruction carried out by the teachers proves that the schools are still doing a useful work, and that their discontinuance would be a subject of regret to many in our city entrusted with the care of the young.

Miss Thornber still retains the position of head teacher, but