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1st Session, 2nd Parliament, 8 Victoria, 1845.

STATISTICAL REPORT

OF THE

**Superintendent of Education for the
year 1843.**

Printed by order of the Legislative Assembly.

[1000 copies.]

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RETURN

To an Address of the Legislative Assembly to His Excellency, the Governor General, praying His Excellency to cause the proper Officer to lay before the House, copy of the Statistical Report of the Superintendent of Education for the year 1843.

By Command,

D. DALY,
Secretary.

SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
30th January, 1846.

(Copy.)

STATISTICAL REPORT on ELEMENTARY EDUCATION, showing the number of Schools in operation in Canada East, which have a claim to the Government Allocation for 1843, which Report and the following Table are the result of two Tables presented to His EXCELLENCY, THE GOVERNOR GENERAL, by the Superintendent, on the 20th April and the 5th July, 1844.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY,

An Act passed by the Provincial Parliament, (18th September, 1841,) for the establishment and maintenance of Elementary Schools in the Province of Canada, provides a sum of £50,000 Currency, to be divided, in the first place, between the two sections of the Province, Canada East and Canada West; and secondly, to be distributed annually amongst the Municipal Districts in each section, in proportion to the number of children over five and under sixteen years of age, that shall appear, by the census then last taken of the Province, to be resident within each District, respectively.

The same School Act further provides that the Council of each Municipal District shall be a Board of Education, the duties of which, as such, shall be to divide the several Parishes and Townships, within their Municipal District, into School Districts, and to furnish to the Superintendent of Education, a report of such division, and likewise an Annual Report of the Schools in operation; also, to apportion and distribute to each of the Municipal Districts its share of the School Fund in proportion to the number of children residing therein as aforesaid; and to cause to be assessed on the inhabitants of each School District, sums of money sufficient to equal their respective share of the School Grant.

The same Act further provides for the election of School Commissioners in every Parish and Township, to take the charge and direction of the school established in each of them, and placed under their control, according to the same Act, and whose principal duties are to examine and appoint the school teachers; to prescribe to them the books to be used, and the regulations to be followed in their schools; to visit the said schools several times during the period of instruction, and to make a faithful report of the whole, once a year, to the Wardens of the Municipal Districts.

By the same Act, it is further provided, that to entitle any school to the advantages of the Government allocation, the following conditions must have been complied with, viz:

- 1st. The school shall have been placed under the control of School Commissioners.
- 2nd. The school shall have been open nine months during the year, and shall have been daily attended by at least fifteen children.
- 3rd. The Reports required shall have been regularly made to this Office.
- 4th. A sum of money equal to the amount of the Government allocation to each District respectively, shall have been paid by the inhabitants towards the support of the Elementary Schools placed under the control of the School Commissioners.

However, by the sixth clause of the Act, it is provided that, good and sufficient reasons being produced, the Superintendent of Education, in the exercise of his discretionary power, may, in certain cases, release the School Districts from the necessity of compliance with the above conditions.

The Municipal Councils, it is to be regretted, have not generally co-operated, in the lower section of the Province, towards the establishment and maintenance of Common Schools in their Districts, and the schools have not all been kept for the period of nine months in the



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year; and, although Your Excellency was apprized of the case mentioned in my Report on the same subject for 1842, still, having in the meantime, drawn your favourable consideration to several principal facts which were of a nature to prove in a satisfactory manner, that the inhabitants have accepted the Common School Act passed in 1841, until new Legislative Provisions are made for the object of education, Your Excellency was pleased to approve of my Report in Council, and to grant the allocations claimed in behalf of the schools mentioned therein.

Your Excellency will be pleased to observe that the Common School Act having in contemplation, as it appears by the 6th clause quoted above, the possibility of a want of observance of certain forms and requirements, on the part of the local administrators of the said Act, these forms and requirements are not all rendered indispensable. Indeed, the actual operation of the Common Schools in a useful manner, the sums of money necessary for their support being levied upon the inhabitants by voluntary contributions, and the forwarding of the Reports thereof to the Education Office, appear to be the main objects of the law, and I am happy to be able to state, for the information of your Excellency, that these, the principal requirements of the law, have been complied with by the inhabitants generally, for 1843.

The allocations which were granted last year, in behalf of the schools of 1842, have contributed to give a great impulse to the measures which were already in progress for the promotion of education in this section of the Province. The schools which were then in existence are now conducted upon an improved plan; School Commissioners are elected every where, better teachers are procured, more strict regulations are observed; many new schools have been established in localities wherein there were none before; greater sacrifices are making, and the schools are generally operating in a more methodical and useful manner, equally for the better advantage of the children of every origin and creed.

In the above statement, I allude principally to the exertions which are making in 1844 for the establishment and maintenance of good schools throughout this section of the Province; but, as to the progress of education in 1843, especially since the grant of the government allocation, I cannot prove it in a more satisfactory manner than by comparing the total number of the schools which had a claim to the School Grant for 1842, with that contained in the following table:

In 1843, the total number of the said schools is,	1298
In 1842, the total number was, including thirty schools, to which the allocation was distributed from the £500 granted by a responsible warrant,	661

Augmentation in 1843,	637
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Still, the schools are as yet far from being generally what they should be, and what they no doubt would be, with the daily helps of a law better adapted to our wants in that respect, and my humble opinion is, that nothing short of the Legislative measures which were lately introduced in the Provincial Parliament will prove efficacious to our proceedings, with a view of procuring to our youth the benefit of a practical education.

Owing to the want of a proper organization well known to all parties concerned in the Department of Public Instruction, the School Returns for 1843 were again generally very imperfect, and some of them were sent in very late.

The incompleteness of the School Return, for 1843, and the neglect or the impossibility of sending them to this Office in proper time, have been the cause of a great additional labour and delay in the completion of the present Report. An extensive correspondence has been actively carried on during more than three months on the subject of education, merely to obtain the proper information with regard to the schools of 1843.

The preceding mode of action, to which recourse was had for both the years 1842 and 1843, with a view of obtaining satisfactory information to lay before the Government, occasions likewise a great additional expense of postage, which could be avoided, if a proper law were placed in the hands of every person interested in its operation and effect. But, if a final good result can be attained as a compensation in this Office, for additional labour and expense, there can certainly be none for the anxiety deeply felt everywhere, especially in remote localities, with regard to obtaining the allocation, and for the great comparative loss sustained by the poor teachers, for want of receiving, in due time, their small share of the public fund.

In making the foregoing observations, my object is threefold, viz. :—

1st. To expose the great harm done to the inhabitants of this important portion of the Province, by the state of uncertainty, delay and anxiety existing with regard to the means of procuring education for their children, from the want of a proper law sufficiently distributed among them.

2nd. To show how desirable it is to prompt the adoption of Legislative measures of a nature to remedy the evil, by at least removing the cause; that is, the deficiency of the School Act.

3rd. To induce your Excellency to be pleased to order the issue of money in behalf of the schools included in the following Table, which has been made up, nearly after the same principles and limitations which your Excellency was pleased to approve of in Council, as they were established in my Report of the Schools for 1842.

An exact conformity to the requirements of the Common School Act, passed in 1841, has been considered next to impossible on the part of the inhabitants of this section of the Province for 1842, for want of the co-operation of the Municipal Councils; still, desirous to give encouragement to the friends of education, your Excellency was pleased to grant a pecuniary aid to those who, listening to the advice of this Office, had confidence in the liberality of the Government, and in the usefulness of their own endeavours to promote its cause with success.

The Provincial Parliament has sanctioned all the proceedings relative to the Schools of 1842, by an Act passed in its last Session to that effect, and the same Act authorizes the same mode of action with regard to the Schools of 1843; indeed, placed in the same circumstances, and labouring under the same difficulties, the friends of education are in the same embarrassment, and therefore need the same indulgence and aid in behalf their Schools for 1843, which they did in favour of their Schools for the previous year. But in 1843, they have done much more to comply with the requirements of the Common School Law, passed in 1841, according to its true intents and purposes. They much more deserve, therefore, the Government allocation, which I humbly claim in behalf of the Schools mentioned in the following table, and I hope your Excellency will be pleased to grant it readily.

The whole is, however, humbly submitted.

(Signed,)

J. B. MEILLEUR.

TABLE OF THE ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

Which have a claim to the Government Allocation, according to the Population, and to the degree of conformity of the Inhabitants of each locality to the requirements of the COMMON SCHOOL ACT.

MUNICIPAL DISTRICTS.	PARISHES OR TOWNSHIPS.	Number of Schools under the control of School Commissioners.	Number of Independent Schools.	Number of Dissident Schools.	Number of Scholars attending Schools.	Amount paid to the Teachers by the Inhabitants.			Total amount paid for the support of the Schools.			Amount allowed to each Parish or Township from the Public Funds.			Share of £30,000 apportioned to the Municipal Districts.	Sum remaining to the credit of the Municipal District.				
						£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.			£.	s.	d.	
1. BEAUHARNOIS, . . .	1. Hinchinbrooke,	10			372	169	9	6	169	9	6	The total amount apportioned to the Municipal District is allowed.								
	2. Godmanchester,	19			518	550	2	2	581	2	2									
	3. St. Timothé,	5			151	90	1	2	103	16	2									
	4. Ste. Malachie, Ormstown,	10			334	239	19	0	240	1	10									
	5. Hemmingford,	16			346	304	19	9	333	17	4									
	6. Beauharnois,	4	2		230	128	18	8	128	18	8									
	7. St. Isidore,	2			53	39	14	7	52	5	5									
	8. Chateauguay,	4			151	129	10	0	152	10	0									
	9. Ste. Philomène,	2			33	2	1	3	17	11	3									
	10. St. Jean Chrysostôme,	16			329	162	1	8	216	1	8									
	11. Ste. Martine,	10			399	119	16	11	119	16	11									
	12. Dundee,	3			75	101	0	0	101	0	0									
	Total		101		2	2991	2037	14	8	2224	10						11	1260	0	0
2. BERTHIER,	1. St. Ambroise de Kildare,	2			65	34	10	0	34	10	0	32	0	0	The total amount apportioned to the Municipal District is allowed.					
	2. St. Barthélemi de Dusable,	4			108	44	0	0	60	0	0	30	18	10						
	3. Berthier,	8	1		312	179	12	6	183	12	6	165	5	0						
	4. St. Cuthbert,	6			178	107	15	1	107	15	1	79	11	6						
	5. Ste. Elizabeth,	3			90	33	4	0	35	4	0	29	19	5						
	6. Industrie,	2			76	60	0	0	73	0	0	26	13	4						
	7. Laurière,	3			72	47	15	0	47	15	0	47	15	0						
	8. Lavallée,	3			118	67	5	10	76	5	10	45	11	1						
	9. Ste. Mélanie Daillebout,	1			30	24	10	0	24	10	0	20	0	0						
	10. St. Paul,	4			199	70	18	8	70	18	8	51	15	4						
	11. St. Thomas,	1			40	30	0	0	31	0	0	20	0	0						
Total,		37	1		1288	699	11	1	747	11	1	519	9	6	1185	0	0	635	10	5
3. BONAVENTURE,	1. Carlton,	1			25	15	0	0	15	0	0	15	0	0	The total amount apportioned to the Municipal District is allowed.					
	2. New Richmond,	1			27	25	0	0	25	0	0	17	15	7						
	3. Pash-Liac and New Carlisle,	1			25	17	5	0	17	5	0	13	6	8						
Total,		3			77	57	5	0	57	5	0	46	2	3	487	0	0	440	17	9
4. CHAUDIERE,	1. St. Joseph la Beauce,	4			80	4	16	6	7	6	6	4	16	6	The total amount apportioned to the Municipal District is allowed.					
	2. Leeds,	2			44	62	0	0	67	0	0	35	11	2						
	3. St. George, d'Aubert Gallion,	4			128	42	8	11	75	18	11	42	8	11						
	4. Ste. Marie de la Beauce,	4			104	68	3	6	68	3	6	60	13	6						
	5. Jersey,	1			20	15	0	0	20	0	0	15	0	0						
	6. Somerset,	2			65	23	4	6	48	10	10	21	5	7						
	7. Frampton,	4			98	63	1	3	64	11	3	53	15	8						
	8. St. Sylvester,	7			215	133	15	0	150	11	8	125	2	9						
	9. Broughton,	1			25	2	10	0	3	5	0	2	10	0						
	10. Ireland,	2			40	52	15	0	52	15	0	35	11	2						
	11. St. François de la Beauce,	1			24	7	5	0	16	0	0	7	5	0						
Total,		32			628	474	19	8	574	2	8	404	0	3	935	0	0	530	19	8
5. DORCHESTER,	1. St. Jean Chrysostôme,	6			180	78	11	4	97	18	4	75	9	2	The total amount apportioned to the Municipal District is allowed.					
	2. St. Henri de Lauzon,	9			272	117	15	0	170	5	0	115	11	1						
	3. Ste. Croix,	7			169	55	19	5	73	2	11	55	19	5						
	4. Lotbinière,	11			313	75	9	9	98	3	0	75	9	10						
	5. Pont Lévi,	13			330	228	15	9	228	15	9	174	4	4						
	6. St. Nicholas,	8			177	115	9	8	132	13	5	92	16	9						
	7. St. Antoine de Tilly,	17			361	143	6	3	143	6	3	143	6	3						
	8. St. Anselme,	4	1		116	52	17	3	73	5	10	51	19	11						
	9. St. Isidore,	2	1		93	52	18	0	52	18	0	48	5	0						
	10. St. Jean Deshaillons,	1			15	8	6	0	8	6	0	8	6	0						
Total,		78	2		2026	929	8	6	1078	14	7	841	7	9	135	0	0	293	13	2

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						£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
6. GASPÉ,	1. Douglstown,	1			23	21	0	0	30	10	0	16	13	4						
	2. Grand River,	1			15							15	0	0						
	Total,	2			38	24	0	0	30	10	0	31	13	4	293	0	0	261	6	8
7. KAMOURASKA,	1. St. Denis,	4			136	72	10	8	87	14	6	68	3	8						
	2. Rivière Ouelle,	4			155	84	2	6	98	17	6	69	2	6						
	3. Islet du Portage,	2			46	69	4	4	82	2	8	35	11	2						
	4. Kamouraska,	7			241	135	4	2	249	14	2	115	2	6						
	5. Kakouna,	15			336	137	0	0	160	16	9	132	10	5						
	6. Ste. Anne de la Pocatière,	3			81	74	1	2	74	1	2	55	12	6						
	7. Rivière du Loup,		2		44	33	3	9	40	13	5	26	13	4						
	8. St. Pascal,	8			179	179	0	0	233	17	6	150	0	0						
	Total,	43	2		1218	784	7	2	1027	17	8	652	16	1	882	0	0	229	3	11
8. LEINSTER,	1. Kilkenny,	1			22	20	0	0	20	0	0	20	0	0						
	2. St. Henri de Mascouche,	1			25	30	0	0	30	0	0	20	0	0						
	3. St. Jacques d'Achigan,	3			100	63	10	0	83	15	0	48	10	0						
	4. St. Roch d'Achigan,	1			28	16	6	0	16	6	0	16	6	0						
	5. St. Esprit,	1			40	21	5	0	41	1	5	15	11	1						
	6. Repentigny,	3			115	36	8	10	68	3	10	31	7	8						
	7. St. Lin,	5			167	68	15	0	86	11	6	64	15	0						
	8. Lachenaie,	3			86	39	15	6	56	8	0	39	15	6						
	9. Rawdon,	10			204	100	2	5	100	2	5	100	2	5						
	10. L'Assomption,	2	1		86	59	16	3	98	3	9	53	10	0						
	11. St. Sulpice,	2			85	25	13	9	25	13	9	24	2	8						
Total	32	1		958	481	12	9	626	5	8	434	0	4	1303	0	0	868	19	8	
9. MISSISQUOI,	1. Dunham,	13			250	168	16	9	338	2	6									
	2. St. Armand East,	8			165	180	10	10	203	15	10									
	3. St. Armand West,	10			219	266	4	0	266	4	0									
	4. Stanbridge,	2	9		280	196	10	0	228	10	0									
	5. Stukeley,	4			73	56	11	1	56	11	1									
	6. Brome,	9			163	122	13	3	169	7	3									
	7. Farnham,	4			83	30	7	6	61	13	6									
	8. Milton,	2			68	30	16	3	67	12	3									
	9. Bolton,	7			238	83	13	0	155	14	3									
	10. Potton,	6			488	164	18	4	204	6	3									
	11. Granby,	9			174	162	13	4	186	8	4									
	12. Sutton,	8			135	106	8	0	106	8	0									
	13. Shefford,	7	1		186	169	18	0	196	1	0									
Total,	89	10		2522	1740	0	4	2240	14	3	942	0	0	942	0	0				
10. MONTREAL,	1. Lachine,	4			175	141	15	0	179	9	6	80	0	0						
	2. St. Policarpe,	11			418	375	0	0	375	0	0	220	0	0						
	3. Pointe aux Trembles,	3			138	113	15	0	150	15	0	55	11	2						
	4. St. Laurent,	6			141	91	10	0	116	19	10	84	12	3						
	5. Sault au Récollet,	5			193	128	18	4	169	8	4	92	5	10						
	6. Pointe Claire,	2			75	44	10	5	55	17	1	39	10	5						
	7. Isle Perrot,	2			61	50	0	0	50	0	0	35	11	1						
	8. Soulanges,	2			106	79	2	6	111	9	2	40	0	0						
	9. Montreal City,	1	2		171	107	10	0	134	0	0	47	15	7						
	10. Coteau du Lac,	3			101	61	0	0	67	0	0	43	2	2						
	11. Vaudreuil,	7			187	144	18	2	164	3	2	114	4	5						
	12. Ste. Geneviève,	3			81	59	7	6	105	3	4	48	7	6						
	13. Rigaud,	8			198	112	15	8	112	15	8	107	2	4						
	14. Longue Pointe,	2			47	63	0	0	80	10	0	40	0	0						
	15. Rivière des Prairies,	2			53	47	15	0	47	15	0	36	5	0						
	16. Ste. Anne bout de l'Isle,	1			36	17	13	6	29	14	9	16	13	4						
	17. Newton,	2			67	47	0	0	47	0	0	31	2	3						
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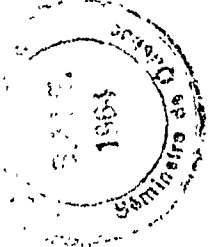


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11. NICOLET, . . .	1. St. Michel d'Yamaska, . . .	2			64	48	1	9	60	14	9	40	0	0						
	2. Acton, . . .		1		22	2	17	6	2	17	6	2	17	6						
	3. Nicolet, . . .	11			340	112	15	2	143	19	1	107	15	2						
	4. St. François du Lac, . . .	10			215	182	8	5	182	8	5	152	19	7						
	5. Gentilly, . . .	4			178	90	16	0	95	2	6½	68	16	0						
	6. Arthabaska, . . .	1			26	3	2	6	3	10	8	3	2	6						
	7. Blandford, . . .	1			20	12	0	0	22	0	0	12	0	0						
	8. Grantham, . . .	1			16	19	0	0	19	0	0	19	0	0						
	9. St. Pierre les Becquets, . . .	6			132	56	8	1½	62	19	1½	56	8	2						
	10. Baie du Febvre, . . .	11			384	188	11	10	227	3	8	152	11	7						
	11. Kingsey, . . .	4			81	69	3	6	77	16	0	53	16	4						
	12. Stanfold, . . .	1			26	1	12	6	3	0	0	1	12	6						
	13. Durham, . . .	6			148	138	10	0	174	6	9	119	0	0						
	14. St. Grégoire, . . .	11			402	169	10	0	169	10	0	154	10	0						
	15. St. David, . . .	1			15	31	5	0	40	15	0	20	0	0						
	16. Becancour, . . .	6			212	75	8	9	91	11	1	66	18	9						
		Total, . . .	76	1		2281	1201	11	0½	1376	14	7	1031	8	1	1487	0	0	454	11
12. PORTNEUF, . . .	1. Ste. Anne laPérade, . . .	1			47	22	0	0	22	0	0	20	0	0						
	2. Cap Santé, . . .	4			191	67	5	10	67	5	10	51	4	2						
	3. Grondines, . . .	2			58	33	2	1	33	2	1	28	2	0						
	4. Deschambault, . . .	2			80	51	9	1	51	9	1	32	4	5						
	5. St. Stanislas, . . .	1			44	6	1	8	14	11	7	6	1	8						
	6. Ecureuils, . . .	1			34	13	10	4	13	10	4	13	10	4						
	7. Batiscan, . . .	1			25	10	0	0	10	15	0	10	0	0						
	8. Pointe aux Trembles, . . .	4	1		205	109	0	0	109	0	0	95	0	0						
		Total, . . .	16	1		684	312	9	0	321	13	11	256	2	7	749	0	0	492	17
13. QUEBEC, . . .	1. Beauport, . . .	8			308	205	0	0	246	0	0	160	0	0						
	2. Charlesbourg, . . .	4			311	125	2	0	162	9	8	80	0	0						
	3. Ste. Foy, . . .	4			163	169	13	1	172	19	1	66	13	4						
	4. Ste. Jean, Isle d'Orleans, . . .	3			132	91	19	0	114	16	7	49	9	0						
	5. St. François, Isle d'Orleans, . . .	1			15	16	2	6	28	17	6	16	2	6						
	6. St. Joachim, . . .	1			27	18	15	6	18	15	6	18	15	6						
	7. St. Ambroise, . . .	2			104	57	0	0	57	0	0	40	0	0						
	8. Ste. Famille, . . .	1			45	26	0	0	35	19	0	20	0	0						
	9. Ancienne Lorette, . . .	3			119	70	0	0	70	0	0	48	17	9						
	10. Quebec City, . . .	45	1		1945	2271	7	2	2271	7	2	813	10	7						
	11. Stoneham, . . .	1		1	67	44	17	6	48	11	6	31	2	3						
	12. St. Laurent, Isle d'Orleans, . . .	2			47	37	0	0	37	0	0	30	0	0						
	13. Chateau Richer, . . .	2			40	41	0	0	41	0	0	40	0	0						
	14. Valcartier, . . .	1			30	20	0	0	20	0	0	20	0	0						
	15. St. Augustin, . . .	2			40	41	0	0	41	0	0	40	0	0						
	16. L'Ange Gardien, . . .	3			111	99	0	0	153	10	5	68	0	0						
	Total, . . .	83	1	1	3504	3333	16	9	3519	6	5	1532	10	11	2877	0	0	1344	9	1
14. RICHELIEU, . . .	1. Verchères, . . .	4			157	240	0	0	240	0	0	80	0	0						
	2. Sorel, . . .	7			211	247	17	6	247	17	6	120	0	2						
	3. Contrecoeur, . . .	2			75	40	0	0	40	0	0	35	0	0						
	4. Boucherville, . . .	2			108	63	0	0	63	0	0	27	13	4						
	5. St. Antoine, . . .	3			80	75	0	0	75	0	0	51	15	0						
	6. St. Marc, . . .	3			110	74	6	9	74	6	9	60	0	0						
	7. St. Barnabé, . . .	3			88	54	16	9	54	16	9	54	16	9						
	8. St. Hilaire de Rouville, . . .	4		1	156	53	15	5	58	0	0	40	6	10						
	9. Belœil, . . .	4			108	92	5	2	119	19	7	74	8	6						
	10. Varennes, . . .	8			243	180	4	3	187	14	3	109	8	3						
	11. St. Jean Baptiste, . . .	5			124	101	5	0	101	5	0	91	5	0						
	12. St. Denis, . . .	7			279	194	8	8	201	8	7	129	8	4						
	13. St. Judes, . . .	2			48	29	0	0	31	0	0	26	13	4						
	14. Ste. Aimée, . . .	6			149	36	4	2	79	5	0	36	4	2						
	15. St. Ours, . . .	3			136	94	10	0	106	5	0	60	0	5						
	16. St. Charles, . . .	4			119	59	3	7	59	3	7	40	12	5						
	Total, . . .	67		1	2185	1635	17	3	1739	2	5	1037	12	1	2033	0	0	995	7	11

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						£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
15. RIMOUSKI, . . .	1. Isle Verte,	3			84	54	3	0	65	0	0	47	8	0						
	2. St. Simon,	1			25	30	11	3	35	13	9	20	0	0						
	3. Rimouski,	4			90	85	0	0	94	5	0	80	0	0						
	4. Matane,	2			46	40	0	0	40	0	0	40	0	0						
	5. Trois Pistoles,	4			92	45	19	0	57	11	0	28	9	0						
	Total,		14			337	255	13	3	292	9	9	215	17	0	560	0	0	344	3
16. SAGUENAY, . . .	1. Petite Rivière,	2			36	21	0	0	34	10	0	21	0	0						
	2. Cote Beaupré,	1			20	9	13	4	12	18	10	9	13	4						
	3. Baie St. Paul,	8			180	89	9	0	155	3	3	84	13	0						
	4. Malbaie,	12			340	222	0	1	354	13	6	169	4	7						
	5. Eboulements,	3			102	84	18	0	84	18	0	58	8	0						
	6. Isle aux Coudres,	4			60							51	13	4						
Total,		30			738	427	0	5	642	3	7	394	12	3	491	0	0	96	7	9
17. SHERBROOKE, . .	1. Stanstead,	29			733	822	1	7	936	14	7	The total amount apportioned to the Municipal Districts is allowed.								
	2. Dudswell and Windsor,	4			58	33	4	10	35	12	2									
	3. Brompton,	2			50	45	0	0	49	0	0									
	4. Tingwick,	1			21	6	10	0	16	5	0									
	5. Hereford,	2			46	19	5	0	22	0	0									
	6. Clifton,	3			50	19	0	0	21	12	6									
	7. Compton,	12			285	267	2	6	289	7	6									
	8. Hatley,	14			331	294	7	1	343	12	1									
	9. Ascot,	5			128	120	10	6	152	9	3									
	10. Bury, Westburg, & Tingwick,	2			33	5	5	0	6	7	6									
	11. Slipton,	11			220	248	5	10	344	18	1									
	12. Eaton and Newport,	11			253	166	10	0	186	10	0									
	13. Barnston and Barford,	16			418	284	0	0	345	19	0									
	14. Melbourne,	9			377	126	8	4	157	2	2									
Total,		121			3003	2457	10	8	2907	9	10	905	0	0	905	0	0			
18. ST. HYACINTHE, .	1. St. Hyacinthe,	12			541	126	19	9	191	3	3	108	13	1						
	2. La Presentation,	2			87	23	0	0	27	10	0	22	15	0						
	3. St. Hugues de Ramsay,	2			134	16	9	3	24	3	5	11	0	10						
	4. Ste. Rosalie,	3			100	41	10	0	63	6	0	41	10	0						
	5. St. Césaire,	6			165	87	14	4	113	9	4	70	1	7						
	6. St. Paul at Abbotford,	2			55	56	5	0	67	5	0	40	0	0						
	7. St. Dominique,	2			68	4	0	0	5	2	6	4	0	0						
	8. St. Damase,	6			121	99	5	7	137	14	10	96	19	10						
	9. St. Pie,	3			267	94	13	9	103	13	9	70	15	7						
	10. St. Simon,	2		1	84	21	18	4	33	3	6	20	16	8						
Total,		40	1		1622	571	16	0	766	11	7	486	12	7	901	0	0	414	7	5

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							£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
19. ST. JOHNS,	1. Blairfindie,	7			226	180 17 7	180	17	7	120	0	0						
	2. St. Athanase,	5			117	107 19 0	128	9	0	78	15	0						
	3. Chambly,	9		1	379	267 18 4	300	6	2	166	6	7						
	4. St. Matthias,	5			159	58 15 10	72	0	0	45	11	5						
	5. St. Philippe,	2			88	67 3 4	80	3	4	40	0	0						
	6. St. Constant,	2		1	152	123 0 0	162	0	0	56	13	4						
	7. St. Thomas de Focault,	3			69	65 17 6	72	10	0	49	7	6						
	8. St. Grégoire de Monnoir,	5			150	45 0 0	70	0	0	45	0	0						
	9. St. Johns, Dorchester,	1		1	132	57 0 0	82	0	0	40	0	0						
	10. Longueuil,	6			294	219 19 8	268	10	8	120	0	0						
	11. St. Jacques le Mineur,	1			35	22 10 0	23	5	0	20	0	0						
	12. St. Luc,	1			36	14 8 9	16	6	9	11	2	3						
	13. St. Remi,	5			145	132 0 0	183	10	0	95	11	2						
	14. Laprairie,	6			228	150 0 0	150	0	0	120	0	0						
	15. Ste. Marie de Monnoir,	8			265	122 10 7	195	1	2	85	7	10						
	16. St. Edward and Sherrington,	6			235	75 16 0	75	16	0	75	16	0						
	17. Ste. Brigitte,	1			56	20 0 0	24	12	0	20	0	0						
	18. St. Valentin,	4			151	91 17 6	91	17	6	61	17	6						
	19. St. George d'Henriville,	10			307	207 18 5	220	8	5	171	2	3						
	20. St. George de Noyan,	6			126	90 7 6	102	7	6	77	5	0						
	21. St. Bruno de Monteville,	3			61	11 5 0	11	5	0	11	5	0						
	22. Lacolle,	7		5	173	173 0 0	188	0	0	91	2	3						
	23. St. Cyprien,	7			240	187 0 0	195	0	0	134	0	0						
	Total,	103		8	3821	2492 5 0	2894	6	1	1736	3	1	3084	0	0	1347	16	11
20. ST. THOMAS,	1. St. John, Port Joli,	6			126	75 13 0½	69	0	6½	75	13	1						
	2. St. Pierre, Rivière du Sud	2			43	39 18 2	42	18	9½	35	6	8						
	3. St. Charles Barroumée,	7			204	131 5 0	215	5	0	127	5	0						
	4. St. Lazare,	1			16	3 14 1	6	2	6	3	14	1						
	5. Isles aux Grues,	2			34	15 15 0	24	8	0	15	15	0						
	6. St. Roch des Aulnaies,	11			309	206 10 0	284	15	0	143	5	0						
	7. St. Michel,	5			189	90 10 0	108	3	4½	75	10	0						
	8. Berthier,	1			40	23 10 0	23	10	0	17	15	7						
	9. St. Gervais,	15			417	258 11 4	336	16	10	206	11	4						
	10. Beaumont,	2			57	25 13 0	47	9	2½	23	8	0						
	11. St. Vallier,	4			105	42 17 0	82	17	11	42	1	6						
	12. Cap St. Ignace,	2			42	26 0 0	28	0	0	26	0	0						
	13. St. Thomas,	9			285	171 16 0	183	1	0	112	0	0						
	14. Islet,	5			162	93 7 1	93	7	1	87	12	1						
	Total,	72			2029	1204 19 9½	1565	15	3	991	17	4	1585	0	0	593	2	8
21. SYDENHAM,	1. Lochaber,	5			91	133 6 8	139	1	8	The total amount apportioned to the Municipal District is allowed.								
	2. Buckingham,	2			37	5 11 3	14	12	6									
	3. Templeton,	2			63	20 15 0	20	15	0									
	4. Hull,	8			229	379 4 0	418	0	6									
	5. Faydley,	1			36	43 0 0	46	2	6									
	6. Bristol and Onslow,	1			33	6 7 6	6	7	6									
	7. Clarendon,	5			91	47 0 0	47	0	0									
	8. Petite Nation,	1			25	10 0 0	10	0	0									
	Total,	25			605	645 4 5	703	3	8	281	0	0	281	0	0			
22. TERREBONNE,	1. Ste Thérèse de Blainville,	4			186	188 11 4	227	15	4	60	17	7						
	2. Terrebonne,	4			181	216 18 8	216	18	8	77	15	7						
	3. Ste. Rose,	3			110	95 12 6	115	17	0	55	0	0						
	4. St. Vincent de Paul,	4			170	147 10 0	163	0	0	80	0	0						
	5. New Glasgow,	4			153	59 18 4	71	5	4	55	18	4						
	6. St. Martin,	5			166	105 2 0	118	19	1	75	13	5						
	7. Ste. Anne des Plaines,	3			56	24 15 0	33	10	0	24	15	0						
	Total,	27			1022	838 7 10	947	5	10	429	19	11	916	0	0	516	0	1

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23. THREE RIVERS,	1. St. Barnabé,	3			112	8	12	0	9	1	0½	8	12	0						
	2. St. Léon le Grand,	3			93	60	0	0	67	3	0	52	0	0						
	3. Yamachiche,	14			675	104	12	11	106	12	11	95	13	11						
	4. Rivière du Loup,	3			111	114	14	3	122	6	9	60	0	0						
	5. Pointe du Lac,	3			127	72	0	0	104	8	6	55	0	0						
	6. Champlain,	1			23	6	18	11	16	18	11	5	11	2						
	7. Three Rivers (town),	3			156	63	0	0	79	0	0	50	0	0						
	8. Maskinongé,	6			174	99	17	6	109	14	2	88	10	1						
	9. Ste. Ursule,	4			105	53	6	4	61	15	3	51	2	9						
	Total,	40			1576	581	1	11	677	0	6½	466	9	11	1092	0	0	625	10	1
24. TWO MOUNTAINS,	1. Isle Bizarre,	1			31	9	18	2	9	18	2	8	17	9						
	2. St. Eustache,	8			244	191	10	2½	197	0	2½	136	17	6						
	3. St. Augustin,	3			79	43	2	6	55	9	6	36	5	0						
	4. St. Colomban,	4			141	77	15	1	87	11	0	62	8	0						
	5. Ste. Scholastique,	9			319	132	4	6	132	4	6	97	15	6						
	6. Grenville and Union,	5			137	117	0	0	170	0	0	87	11	1						
	7. Chatham,	10			228	286	7	1	346	3	4½	157	15	7						
	8. St. Hermas,	2			57	26	12	6	40	7	6	25	12	6						
	9. St. Benoit,	7			228	128	10	11	132	10	11	123	19	3						
	10. Argenteuil,	13	2		385	406	0	10	467	17	6½	252	4	6						
	11. Gore and Wentworth,	5			141	106	0	0	164	15	4	81	13	4						
Total,	67	2		1990	1525	1	9½	1803	18	0½	1073	0	0	1254	0	0	181	0	0	

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1	BEAUHARNOIS	101		2	103	2991	2037	14	8	2224	10	11	1260	0	0	1260	0	0			
2	BERTHIER	37	1		38	1288	699	11	1½	747	11	1½	549	9	6½	1185	0	0	635	10	5½
3	BONAVENTURE	31			31	77	57	5	0	57	5	0	46	2	3	487	0	0	440	17	9
4	CHAUDIÈRE	32			32	628	474	19	8½	574	2	8	404	0	3½	935	0	0	530	19	8½
5	DORCHESTER	78	2		80	2026	929	8	6	1078	14	7	841	7	9½	1135	0	0	293	12	2½
6	GASPE	2			2	38	24	0	0	30	10	0	31	13	4	293	0	0	261	6	8
7	KAMOURASKA	43	2		45	1218	784	7	2	1027	17	8	652	16	1	882	0	0	229	3	11
8	LEINSTER	32		1	33	958	481	12	9	626	5	8	434	0	4	1303	0	0	868	19	8
9	MISSISQUOI	89	10		99	2523	1740	0	4	2240	14	3	942	0	0	942	0	0			
10	MONTREAL	64	2		66	2251	1685	11	2	1997	0	10	1132	3	4	3333	0	0	2200	16	8
11	NICOLET	76	1		77	2281	1201	11	0½	1376	14	7	1031	8	1	1487	0	0	455	11	11
12	PORTNEUF	16	1		17	684	312	9	0	321	13	11	256	2	7	749	0	0	492	17	5
13	QUEBEC	83	1	1	85	3504	3333	16	9	3519	6	5	1532	10	11	2877	0	0	1344	9	1
14	RICHELIEU	67		1	68	2185	1635	17	3	1739	2	5	1037	12	1	2033	0	0	995	7	11
15	RIMOUSKI	14			14	337	255	13	3	292	9	9	215	17	0	560	0	0	344	3	0
16	SAGUENAY	30			30	738	427	0	5	642	3	7	394	12	3	491	0	0	96	7	9
17	SHERBROOKE	121			121	3003	2457	10	8	2907	9	10	905	0	0	905	0	0			
18	ST. HYACINTHE	40	1		41	1622	571	16	0	766	11	7	486	12	7	901	0	0	414	7	5
19	ST. JOHNS	103		8	111	3824	2492	5	0	2894	6	1	1736	3	1	3084	0	0	1347	16	11
20	ST. THOMAS	72			72	2029	1204	19	9½	1565	15	3	991	17	4	1585	0	0	593	2	8
21	SYDENHAM	25			25	605	645	4	5	703	3	8	281	0	0	281	0	0			
22	TERREBONNE	27			27	1022	838	7	10	947	5	10	429	19	11	946	0	0	516	0	1
23	THREE RIVERS	40			40	1576	583	1	11	677	0	6½	466	9	11	1092	0	0	625	10	1
24	TWO MOUNTAINS	67	2		69	1090	1525	1	9½	1803	18	0½	1073	0	0	1254	0	0	181	0	0
	Total	1262	23	13	1298	39397	26399	5	6½	30761	14	2½	17131	18	8½	30000	0	0	12868	1	3½