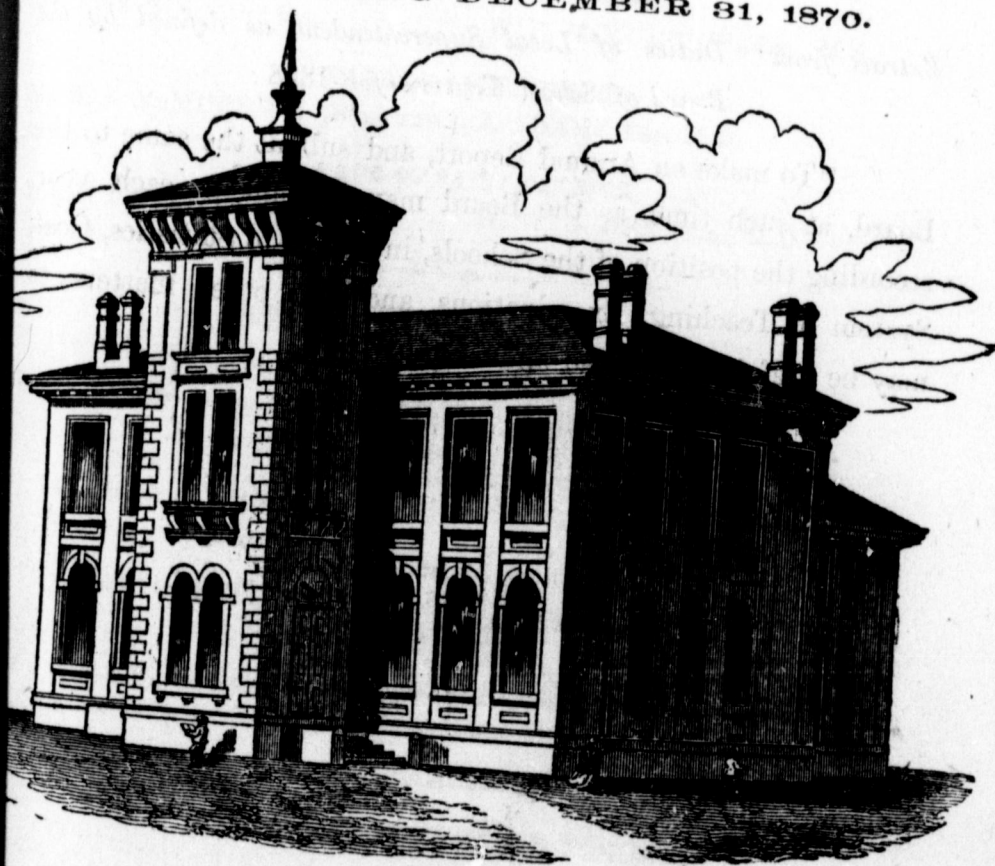


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OF THE
Public Schools of the City of Toronto,

FOR THE
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OF

PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

TO THE CHAIRMAN AND MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC
SCHOOLS OF THE CITY OF TORONTO.

GENTLEMEN,

I have the honour to submit to you my Twelfth Annual Report on the Public Schools of the City of Toronto, which contains an account of their number, organization, cost and progress in the year 1870, and records such other facts or incidents concerning them as may be useful for future reference. In the course of the year under review, four (4) additional teachers have been employed, namely, two Junior Assistants in the primary school recently opened on York Street; one Monitor Teacher in a new Junior Division in the Female Department of the Park School; and another Monitor Teacher in a Sub-

Junior Division, which comprises both boys and girls, in Victoria Street School. Two other Sub-Junior Divisions, one in the Male Department of John Street School, and the other in the Male Department of Phœbe Street School, were placed under the charge of occasional Teachers, and remained so until the end of the year. The aggregate number of pupils entered on the registers of the several schools exceeded by 592 the aggregate number in 1869; the average registered monthly attendance exceeded that of 1869 by 200; and the average daily attendance exceeded that of 1869 by 157.

The unpopular character of the half-day system of attendance in Junior Divisions, which, as an enlightened measure of relief, was introduced into many of the schools in 1869, constrained its abandonment wherever other provision could be made for the reception of younger children both morning and afternoon. In every school in which there was a vacant room or in which a room otherwise used could be adapted to school purposes, additional classes have been formed and the half-day system discontinued. It exists at present only in Louisa Street School, which being situated in the midst of a dense population, is always liable to be crowded with pupils, and especially with younger children; nor can the school premises be enlarged or rendered more commodious. As a necessary sanitary measure, the half-day system is continued in this instance, until further space can be commanded, or temporary accommodation can be found in that locality.

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The year just ended has been somewhat remarkable in connexion with our school affairs, for the many changes of Teachers which have taken place. The unusual number of eight Teachers have resigned their situations in the course of the year, and three others at its close. The attainments and qualifications of many of these will ensure their usefulness and honour whether in professional or in private life.

In my last (Eleventh) Report I had occasion to remark that while in New York, the pupils in the primary schools are a majority of the whole number under instruction, such was not yet the fact in the Junior Divisions of our schools as compared with the Intermediate and Senior Divisions. In 1869 the largest average attendance in our schools was in April and September, being in each month 3,298. The average of these two months in the Junior Divisions was 1,563 pupils, and in the Intermediate and Senior Divisions added together it was 1,735.

The largest average attendance in our schools in 1870, was in September and November. In September it was 3,461, and in November 3,500. The average of these two months in the Junior Divisions was 1,839, and in the Intermediate and Senior Divisions added together 1,641. Thus rapidly has the proportion of Juvenile attendance increased in these schools. We must now say of our Junior Divisions, as has been said in New York of their primary schools: "Their pupils are a majority of the whole number under instruction." A large part of these pupils are not able

to continue their attendance through the higher Divisions. Hence it is unspeakably important that all our junior pupils should be sufficiently accommodated, with proper reference to the laws of health, and should be provided with the best possible opportunities for instruction.

I.—Summary of Schools, School Days, Teachers, and Attendance and Cost of Pupils, for the Year 1870,

The following summary shows the number of Schools, of days during which the Schools were open, of Teachers, and of Pupils in attendance; together with the entire cost of the Schools for the year, and the cost per Pupil.

1. NUMBER OF SCHOOLS.

The Number of Schools was ten (10), namely, the Palace Street, George Street, Park, Victoria Street, Louisa Street, Elizabeth Street, York Street, John Street, Phœbe Street, and Givins Street School; each of which has a separate Male and Female Department.

2. NUMBER OF SCHOOL DAYS.

During the six months, ending June 30th	122
During the six months, ending December 31st, in which the Summer holidays were included	95
Total	217

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3. NUMBER OF TEACHERS.

There have been employed by the Board during the year:

Head Masters	-	-	-	-	9
Male Assistant	-	-	-	-	1
Head Mistresses	-	-	-	-	9
Senior Female Assistants	-	-	-	-	11
Junior Female Assistants	-	-	-	-	18
Monitor Teachers	-	-	-	-	2
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Total	-	-	-	-	50

Two occasional Teachers have been placed in temporary charge of Sub-Junior Divisions, and several Female Teachers have also been occasionally employed, on account of the sickness of any of the regular Teachers.

For particulars, see Appendix I. (Table A.)

4. NUMBER OF PUPILS.

The aggregate number of Pupils entered on the Registers of the several Schools during the year, was,

Males	-	-	-	-	3684
Females	-	-	-	-	3414
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Total	-	-	-	-	7098

Increase, as compared with 1869,—664.

N.B.—For Particulars see Appendix I. (Table B.)

Of these there attended as follows, viz. :

Less than 20 days, -	-	-	-	901
From 20 to 50 "	-	-	-	1177
" 50 to 100 "	-	-	-	1689
" 100 to 150 "	-	-	-	1351
" 150 to 200 "	-	-	-	1310
" 200 to 226 "	-	-	-	670
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Total,	-	-	-	7098

N.B.—For analysis, see Appendix I. (Table C.)

From this gross aggregate we should obviously deduct the following, being the number of Pupils who were transferred to any School from any other of the City Schools, during the year 1870, and whose names appear on the Register of more than one School :

				MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
Palace Street,	-	-	-	13	5	18
George "	-	-	-	23	23	46
The Park	-	-	-	5	9	14
Victoria Street,	-	-	-	25	30	55
Louisa "	-	-	-	23	19	42
Elizabeth "	-	-	-	9	5	14
York "	-	-	-	39	30	69
John "	-	-	-	39	23	62
Phœbe "	-	-	-	24	26	50
Givins "	-	-	-	7	18	25
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Totals, -	-	-	-	207	188	395

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Males,	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,477
Females,	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,226
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Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,703

Increase as compared with 1869,—592.

The average registered Monthly Attendance was:

Males,	-	-	-	-	-	-	2154 $\frac{2}{3}$
Females,	-	-	-	-	-	-	1951 $\frac{1}{4}$
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Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	4106 $\frac{2}{3}$

Increase as compared with 1869,—200.

N.B.—For Particulars, see Appendix I. (Table D.)

The average of average Monthly Attendance was:

Males,	-	-	-	-	-	1750
Females,	-	-	-	-	-	1536
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Total,	-	-	-	-	-	3286

Increase, as compared with 1869,—154

N.B.—For particulars, see Appendix I. (Table D.)

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The average Daily Attendance was:

Males,	-	-	-	-	1754 $\frac{10}{17}$
Females,	-	-	-	-	1534 $\frac{11}{17}$
Total,	-	-	-	-	<u>3288$\frac{21}{17}$</u>

Increase as compared with 1869,—157.

The average Daily Absences of Pupils were:

Males,	-	-	-	-	401
Females,	-	-	-	-	417
Total,	-	-	-	-	<u>818</u>

Increase, as compared with 1869,—44.

The average Half-day Absences were:

Males,	-	-	-	-	74 $\frac{1}{17}$
Females,	-	-	-	-	85 $\frac{11}{17}$
Total,	-	-	-	-	<u>159$\frac{12}{17}$</u>

Decrease, as compared with 1869,—12.

The average Late Attendances were:

Males,	-	-	-	-	143 $\frac{12}{17}$
Females,	-	-	-	-	124 $\frac{11}{17}$
Total,	-	-	-	-	<u>267$\frac{23}{17}$</u>

Decrease, as compared with 1869,—23.

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The Smallest Attendance, on any one day in the several Schools, during the year 1869, was :

	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
Palace Street, July 12,	32	45	77
George " " 12,	101	115	216
The Park, " 12,	66	101	167
Victoria Street " 12,	135	159	294
Louisa " " 12,	144	100	244
Elizabeth " " 12,	42	63	105
York " Sept. 16,	16	13	29
John " March 16,	150	102	252
Phœbe " July 12,	113	181	294
Givins " March 28,	35	12	47
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Smallest Attendance in 1869, 1087 958 2045

At Palace Street, George Street, The Park, Victoria Street, Louisa Street, Elizabeth Street, and Phœbe Street Schools, the smallest attendance was on the 12th of July. At John Street on March 16th, at Givins Street, on March 28th, on each of which days there was a very heavy snow storm; and at York Street, on Sept. 16th, which was an unusually rainy day.

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The Largest Attendance at the several Schools in the year 1870, was :

		MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
Palace Street,	Dec. 22,	204	139	343
George "	Nov. 7,	219	220	439
The Park	May, 31,	200	191	391
Victoria Street,	Sept. 5,	267	256	523
Louisa "	March 8,	314	214	528
Elizabeth "	Feb. 1,	165	179	344
York "	Dec. 21,	60	40	100
John "	Oct. 15,	291	204	495
Phœbe "	June 7,	285	284	569
Givins "	Sept. 20,	107	100	207
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Largest attendance in 1869, 1892 1755 3647

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In Palace Street and York Street Schools, the largest attendance was on the day of the Christmas Examination at each of those Schools; in each of the other Schools it was in a different month, extending from February to October.

5. COST OF THE SCHOOLS.

Regarding the total cost of the Schools for the year as \$32,950.00, then the cost per pupil, calculated as per aggregate number of pupils registered,

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As per aggregate registered Number	-	-	\$3 72
As per average registered Monthly Attendance	-	6	43
As per average Daily Attendance	-	8	03

N.B.—See also Appendix I. (Table H.)

II. Subjects of Instruction.

Subjects of Instruction, and number of Pupils engaged at some time during the year in the study of each :

In Reading, namely—

First National Reader	-	-	-	3089
Second	-	-	-	1289
Third	-	-	-	1414
Fourth	-	-	-	906
Fifth	-	-	-	555
Total	-	-	-	7253

In Arithmetic	-	-	-	6379
English Grammar	-	-	-	2504
General Geography	-	-	-	6467

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History	-	-	-	1507
Writing, (not including writing on slates)	-	-	-	3701
Book-keeping	-	-	-	18
Mensuration	-	-	-	105
Algebra	-	-	-	203
Geometry	-	-	-	137
Vocal Music	-	-	-	5163
Linear Drawing	-	-	-	122
Needlework, (Girls)	-	-	-	2325

For Particulars, see Appendix I. (Table F.)

III. School Books in Use.

The Books used have been the National Readers; Spelling Book, Canadian Series; Smith and Mc-Murchy's Elementary Arithmetic; Davies' English Grammar; Lovell's General Geography, and Lovell's Easy Lessons in Geography; Collier's British History; Hodgins' History of Canada; The National Book-keeping; The National Mensuration; Colenso's Algebra; and various editions of Euclid's Elements.

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IV. School Libraries.

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Male Departments	1286
Female Departments	430
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Total,	1716

The number of Volumes taken out during the year was,

Male Departments	811
Female Departments	425
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Total	1236

For particulars, see Appendix I. (Table G.)

V. Lectures.

The Annual Lecture, required by law, was delivered by the Local Superintendent, in each of the six large School-houses. and in the Palace Street School-house, beginning on 28th November. The subject of the Lecture was, "Our Schools, in Principle and in Fact." The attendance was good in the Western and Eastern sections of the City, but very small at Louisa Street and Victoria Street Schools.

VI. Examinations.

The three usual Examinations were held in the course of the year, namely, the Combined Examination of Pupils selected from each Division of each Department of the several Schools; and the Summer and Winter Examinations of all the Schools.

1. THE COMBINED EXAMINATION.

This Examination took place, by order of the Board on the recommendation of the Committee on School Management, at the Victoria Street School House, on Monday and Tuesday, the 27th and 28th of June. The examiners were Rev. A. Wickson, LL.D., Head Master of the Toronto Grammar School, and the Rev. John M. King, M.A. As on former similar occasions, the pupils examined were three individuals from each Division of each Department, male and female, of the several Schools, selected by their respective teachers for their general proficiency, combined with uniformly good conduct, and approved by the Local Superintendent. They were classed for the purpose of examination, according to the Divisions to which they belonged in their several Schools, as First, (or Junior,) Second (or Intermediate,) and Third (or Senior.) Necessary exceptions to this arrangement are described in the Examiners' Report.

The Examination was partly oral, and in part was conducted by means of questions, copies of which will be found in Appendix II. (A.)

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For List of Pupils arranged in order of merit, who, on the recommendation of the Examiners, received Scholarships, Prizes, or Certificates, see Appendix II. (B.)

As recommended by the Committee on School Management, it was ordered by the Board, that a Public Meeting for the distribution of Scholarships, Prizes, and Certificates of Honour, recommended by the Examiners, be held in the St. Lawrence Hall, on the evening of Friday, July 15th, the arrangements for which should be similar to those of former years.

The Mayor being absent from the City, Alderman Boulton, the President of the City Council, was invited to preside and to distribute the honours to the successful candidates. Alderman Boulton attended accordingly.

As the County Grammar School is now, under the operation of the Grammar School Law, the Grammar School of the City of Toronto, the affairs of which are administered by the City Council through Trustees whom the Council appoints: The President on behalf of the Council, was pleased to accept as beneficiaries of the City, seven of the Senior Pupils of the City Common Schools who were recommended by the Examiners to receive the special distinction of Grammar School Scholarships, and were nominated accordingly by the Board of Common School Trustees.

The following is the substance of the Reports of the Public Meeting held in St. Lawrence Hall, on the even-

ing of Friday, July 15th, taken from the City Daily Papers of July 16th; including the Report of the Examiners at the Combined Examination, and the Report of the Rev. Dr. Wickson, Rector of the Toronto Grammar School, on the conduct and progress of those former pupils of the City Common Schools, who then held Scholarships in the Grammar School.

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THE CITY SCHOOLS.

MEETING IN ST. LAWRENCE HALL.

PRESENTATION OF SCHOLARSHIPS AND PRIZES.

The distribution of Prizes and Certificates to the pupils of the various Public Schools in this city who were entitled to them, took place in the St. Lawrence Hall last evening.

Ald. **BOULTON**, President of the City Council, occupied the chair, and among those present were Rev. Dr. Topp, Hon. Mr. McMurrich, Rev. Mr. Dewart, Rev. Mr. Porter, Ald. Boustead, Mr. Lauder, M.P.P., Rev. Mr. Gemley, Mr. Wallis, M.P.P., and other prominent citizens, besides the teachers of the City Schools and a large number of the pupils. The attendance of parents and rate-payers, however, was small.

The **CHAIRMAN** in opening the meeting referred to the encouragement which had always been extended to educational institutions by the Province of Ontario. The Corporation of this city, especially, were deserving of the highest credit for the amount of money they had always expended on education. It had never been grudged, and he was sure it had always been

most judiciously expended. He was not at all sure, however, that more might not be done towards extending the advantages of education among our citizens. When he looked at the large numbers of children who traversed the streets during school hours, he always thought that it would be well to introduce the compulsory system of education which has met with such marked success in other countries. That, however, was a subject which required a great deal of consideration, and was not one to be discussed at this meeting. He regretted that there was not a larger attendance. This he attributed to the fact that sufficient notice had not been given to those interested in the matter.

Mr. BARBER, before reading the report, stated that every effort had been made to secure a good attendance at the meeting. He had issued two hundred invitations to the judges, clergymen, and every prominent official and man he could think of. Four gentlemen were specially invited to attend and address the meeting. One of these was Rev. Dr. Ryerson, who was unavoidably absent from the city; another was Rev. Dr. Fuller, who was in ill health and has gone to Niagara; and another was Prof. Wilson, from whom he read a letter of apology. The other gentleman, Rev. Mr. Topp, was present. Invitations had also been sent to the reporters of the city press, with the request that a notice of the meeting should be given in the local columns of the papers. He then read the following report:—

REPORT

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REPORT OF THE EXAMINERS

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COMBINED EXAMINATION OF THE TORONTO COMMON SCHOOLS,
HELD ON THE 27TH AND 28TH JUNE, 1870.

The Examiners beg to report in the following terms in regard to the examination of the pupils appearing before them, from the several Common Schools of the City:—

The whole number of pupils submitted for examination was one hundred and forty-one. Of these, fifty-four belonged to the junior, thirty-three to the intermediate, and fifty-four to the senior divisions of the schools. The examination was conducted, as in former years, orally and by written answers; and with results which, while on the whole satisfactory, give evidence of great diversity of attainment reached in the various branches in which the pupils were examined.

FIRST, OR JUNIOR DIVISION.

The fifty-four pupils of the first or junior divisions were subdivided into two classes. The larger class, numbering thirty-three pupils, came from schools in which there are three divisions in each department, with a separate teacher to each division; embracing

George, Victoria, Louisa, John, and Phœbe Street Schools, and the boys' department of the Park School. They read in the Second Book, and were examined in reading, spelling, and the elements of arithmetic and geography. The reading was, on the whole, good, in advance of that of the same class of pupils in former years. In general, the reading of the girls was superior to that of the boys from the same school, the pupils from Phœbe Street taking the first place. The examination showed that great attention is paid to spelling in the teaching of this division, the pupils in Phœbe and George Street schools distinguishing themselves in this branch. The quickest and most correct answers in arithmetic were given by pupils from Phœbe, George, Victoria, and John Street schools, and in geography by George and Phœbe Street Schools.

The Examiners recommend that Prizes and Certificates of Honour be given to the following, viz. :--

PRIZES.

- 1st : Janet Watson, Phœbe Street.
- 2nd: Annie Clemens, “
- 3rd : Florence Irwin, “
- 4th : Laura Webb, Victoria Street.
- 5th : Sarah Gavin, George Street.
- 6th : Frederick Henry Pim, Phœbe Street.
- 7th and 8th : (Equals) Bertha Schadel, John Street,
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- 9th : John George Lovell, George Street.

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10th and 11th: (Equals) Eva M. Hocken, George Street, and Charlotte Thornton, Louisa Street.

12th and 13th: (Equals) Laura Barley and Marion Taylor, Victoria Street.

The other and smaller class, numbering twenty-one pupils, came from schools (Palace, Elizabeth Street, and the Park) in which there are but two teachers in each department; and from Givins Street, in which there is but one teacher in each department. They also read in the Second Book, and generally well. In this subdivision the best reading came from the Park and Elizabeth Street Schools; the best spelling from Elizabeth and Givins Street Schools; and the best answers in Arithmetic and Geography from the Park and Elizabeth Street Schools.

The Examiners recommend that Prizes and Certificates of Honour be given to the following:—

PRIZES.

- 1st: Martha Sanderson, Elizabeth Street.
 2nd: Eliza Ann Ashby, "
 3rd and 4th: (Equals) Florence Duffet, The Park,
 and Mary Ellen Mansell, Elizabeth Street.
 5th: James McGann, Elizabeth Street.
 6th: Matilda Watson, Givins Street.
 7th: Sarah Lang, The Park.

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8th and 9th : (Equals) Jenny Smith, Givins Street,
and Mary Moren, Palace Street.

10th : Alfred Price, Elizabeth Street.

INTERMEDIATE DIVISION.

The Pupils examined in this Division numbered thirty-three, and were selected from the Intermediate Divisions of George, Victoria, Louisa, John and Phœbe Street Schools (three boys and three girls from each), and from The Park School, three boys. They were examined in Reading, Spelling, Writing, Arithmetic, Grammar, and Geography. The Reading may be characterized as fair throughout, no school taking marked precedence of another in this branch. In Spelling, on the other hand, the Pupils showed great diversity of attainment ; those of The Park and Phœbe Street Schools reaching the highest average. The specimens of Writing submitted to the examiners were, on the whole, good, the best coming from George Street, The Park and Victoria Street Schools. The fullest and most correct answers in Arithmetic came from the same three schools, the average excellence being nearly equal. A greater diversity was evinced in Grammar than in any other subject ; George Street School being easily first, The Park and Victoria Street Schools following, though at a long distance. In Geography the highest aggregate was reached by the pupils of Phœbe Street School, the lowest by those of John and Victoria Street Schools. In this Division it

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- 1st : John Morley, George Street.
- 2nd: Thomas H. Briggs, Victoria Street.
- 3rd : Robert Smith, George Street.
- 4th : John Watson, The Park.
- 5th : Emily L. Reeves, Phœbe Street.
- 6th : Janet Fortune, Victoria Street.
- 7th : Helena Snarr, George Street.
- 8th : Jane Blackball, “

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- 9th : Robert Berkinshaw, George Street.
- 10th : Robert Coburn, Victoria Street.
- 11th : John Greer, The Park.
- 12th : John Esson, Phœbe Street.
- 13th : Elizabeth Moffat, Louisa Street.
- 14th : William Thomas Hawthorn, The Park.

SENIOR DIVISION.

The Pupils, 54 in all, examined in Senior Division work, were sub-divided into two classes.

The lower class, embraced 21 Pupils from schools or departments of schools in which there are no intermediate divisions, viz.:—Palace, Elizabeth, and Givins Street Schools, and the girls' department of The Park School. These, though examined in the same work, and by the same questions as the higher class, were

marked as against each other, not being expected to exhibit so high a degree of excellence as the Senior Divisions in the schools which have the advantage of a greater sub-division of classes. The pupils were all examined in Reading, Writing, Spelling from dictation, Definitions and Derivations, Arithmetic, Grammar, Geography and History. Three pupils presented themselves for examination also in Mensuration, Algebra and Geometry, but with one exception, the acquaintance with these subjects, as evinced by the written papers, was not large. The reading was creditable in all, best in Elizabeth Street School. Writing also deserves favourable notice in all the schools. A high standard of excellence was reached in the exercise of spelling from dictation; The Park and Elizabeth Street Schools taking the precedence. In the other branches the standard reached was rather below what might have been anticipated. The first place was taken in Arithmetic by The Park and Palace Street Schools; in Grammar, by The Park and Elizabeth Street Schools; in Geography, by Palace Street School, and in History, by The Park School.

The examiners recommend that Prizes and Certificates of Honour be given to the following:

PRIZES.

- 1st : Elizabeth Y. Sams, Elizabeth Street.
- 2nd: Martin Gill, Palace Street.
- 3rd : Elizabeth Cerberry, Elizabeth Street.
- 4th : Eliza Jane Ross, The Park.
- 5th : Mary Ann Cooper, “

- 6th : Eliza Gra
- 7th : Agnes Lu
- 8th : Margaret
- 9th : Ellen Hu
- 10th : William
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- 6th : Eliza Grady, The Park.
 7th : Agnes Lumsden, Palace Street.
 8th : Margaret A. Lennox, Givins Street.
 9th : Ellen Hulme, Palace Street.
 10th : William L. Beale, “
 11th : William Anderson, Elizabeth Street.

In the higher class of this Division, 33 pupils presented themselves for examination. They came from Departments in each of which there are three Divisions, viz., from George, Victoria, Louisa, John and Phœbe Street Schools (three boys and three girls from each), and from The Park School (three boys.) The subjects of examination were the same as in the former class, and, as was to be anticipated, the standard of excellence reached was much higher. Of the optional subjects, (Algebra, Mensuration and Geometry) all gave in papers on the first, Algebra. The questions were more than usually difficult. It is satisfactory to state, therefore, that while no pupil answered them all, more than three-fourths of the maximum number of marks were obtained by two of the Pupils, both from the boys' department in John Street. Twenty gave in papers of various excellence in Mensuration, one all but perfect; and again by a Pupil from the same school. In Geometry, by far the best answers were given by the Park School. None of the propositions given were demonstrated by any boy from Phœbe Street, and George Street School was in this branch only a little way in advance of Phœbe Street. The

remark made in the report of the previous year may be repeated in this one, that no demonstration of the 5th proposition of the 1st Book was given in, which made it certain that the entire line of argument therein was quite understood. Coming to other and more familiar branches of learning, it is the pleasing duty of the Examiners to report the very general attainment of a high degree of excellence; the highest being exhibited in reading and spelling from dictation, a result which shows a wise direction given to the studies of the Pupils by those entrusted with their superintendence. In Reading, the highest standard was reached by George, John and Louisa Street Schools; and in Spelling, as tested by Writing from dictation, the Park and John Street Schools were slightly in advance of the others. The best specimens in Writing, and the most correct answers in Definitions and Derivations were given in by Louisa Street School. The first place was taken, in Arithmetic, by John Street School; in Grammar, by Louisa Street School; in Geography, by the Park School; and in History, by Louisa Street School.

The Examiners recommend that Scholarships and Certificates of Honour be given to the undermentioned boys; and that Prizes and Certificates of Honour be given to the undermentioned girls:—

SCHOLARSHIPS.

- 1st : William James Gilliland, Louisa Street.
- 2nd: William B. May, John Street.
- 3rd : Thomas R. Foy, John Street.

- 4th : William J
- 5th : Edward L
- 6th : Thomas T
- 7th : John Saul

- 1st : Margaret
- 2nd: Phœbe Joh
- 3rd : Anna Broo
- 4th : Bessie Cly
- 5th : Jessie Bai
- 6th : Eliza Jane
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- 4th: William James Moodie, Louisa Street.
 5th: Edward L. Gilliam, John Street.
 6th: Thomas Tobin, The Park.
 7th: John Saulter, Victoria Street.

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- 1st: Margaret Newton, Louisa Street.
 2nd: Phœbe Johnson, Phœbe Street.
 3rd: Anna Brock, John Street.
 4th: Bessie Clyne, George Street.
 5th: Jessie Bain, George Street.
 6th: Eliza Jane Church, George Street.
 7th: Kate Gram, Victoria Street.

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- 1st and 2nd: (Equals) Fanny Coons, Phœbe Street,
 and William Ryrie, The Park.
 3rd: Annie Alexander, Phœbe Street.
 4th: Thomas Watkins, Louisa Street.
 5th: Georgina Winsor, Victoria Street.
 6th: Samuel Herst, The Park.
 7th: Sarah Gwatkin, Louisa Street.

In concluding their Report, the Examiners can only renew the expression of satisfaction with the proficiency exhibited, which they have made in former years. Pleasing evidence has been afforded of much well-directed application on the part both of Teachers and Pupils. In the highest Division, while no Pupil has equalled the boy who gained the first Scholarship

last year, the general standard of excellence is believed to have been higher this year than last; a point, the Examiners scarcely need to add, of much more importance than the pre-eminent proficiency of one or two pupils. In conducting the examination they have received every assistance from the Local Superintendent, the Rev. James Porter.

(Signed),

ARTHUR WICKSON, LL.D.

JOHN M. KING, M.A.

Toronto, July 5, 1870.

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TORONTO GRAMMAR SCHOOL,

JULY 4th, 1870.

*To the Chairman and Members of the Board of Trustees of the Public
Schools of Toronto.*

GENTLEMEN,—

It affords me pleasure to present a favourable report of the diligence and deportment of the former Pupils of the City Schools, who attended this school during the past year.

Among those who obtained prizes at the present examinations were:—

FREDERICK MANLEY,
WILBUR GRANT,
JOHN L. COX,
HENRY WALLACE, and
W. J. LUDON.

The following became entitled to honourable mention :—

W. E. ELLIOTT,
W. BERRY,
GRANT HELLIWELL,
JOHN THOMPSON, and
WILLIAM BAIN.

These results will, no doubt, prove satisfactory to all who take an interest in the advancement of education, by means of the excellent school system in operation in this city; and particularly to those who originated, or have maintained, the plan of competitive examinations for the advantages of the higher instruction imparted in the Grammar School.

The proficiency of these boys reflects credit upon the teachers to whom their early training was entrusted, and will, I trust, stimulate them in the arduous work in which their energies are devoted.

I have the honour to be,

Gentlemen,

Your most obedient servant,

ARTHUR WICKSON, LL.D.,

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Rev. Dr. Topp was then called on to address the meeting. He rejoiced in being present to express his hearty sympathy with the system of Common School education at present in force in this Province, and his satisfaction at the proficiency of the pupils, which he considered was much greater than had ever been known before. He complimented the pupils on the successful conclusion of the term, and wished them a happy vacation. He trusted those who had received certificates and prizes would not remit their diligence on that account, but go on with renewed vigour in the future. Those who had not received prizes, he hoped would not be disappointed. He reminded them of the old song, "Try, try again!" and encouraged them by the prospect of better success in the future, if they would show perseverance and industry in the pursuit of knowledge. He spoke of the system of education adopted in this country, which experience has shown to be one of the best that had ever been devised. Amendments were being made every year, and others would no doubt be required in the future, for no system framed by mortals could be perfect; but it was, on the whole, an admirable one, and worked well. There was a class of children in every town and city in this Dominion, whose parents were either too negligent or too ignorant to send them to school, and from this class of children might be expected the future criminals. He believed a compulsory system of education would go far towards converting these children to be respectable members of society, and he hoped

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Mr. WALLIS, M.P., expressed his pleasure at hearing the flattering report which had just been read, and which was the best evidence that could be afforded of the judicious manner in which the money appropriated for the maintenance of the educational institutions of the city had been expended. (Applause.)

Rev. Mr. GEMLEY spoke of the superiority of our school system, as evinced not only by the proficiency of the pupils attending the schools in Toronto, but as shown by the progress of education throughout the entire Province. After some further remarks, the reverend gentleman resumed his seat amid much applause.

Mr. LAUDER, M.P.P., regretted the small attendance at a meeting of such importance and interest as the one which he now addressed. He referred to the objections urged against the system of bestowing prizes for the encouragement of competition among the scholars. He was satisfied, however, that it was but fair to reward merit; and he believed that, judiciously exercised, the emulation which it produced would have the result of promoting the interests of education. He spoke of the amendment to the School Law, introduced into the Legislature last session, and which was afterwards withdrawn. The amendment was an important one, and he regretted very much that the Government did not press it. It

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Rev. Mr. DEWART, in a short address, said this question of the education of the masses was of deep importance to all. It was the best preventative to crime, and should be promoted not only by contributions of money, but by the parents of the pupils taking a deep interest in the working of the schools. The encouragement given by their presence at such meetings as this was not confined to the children, but was extended to the teachers as well, and stimulated them to greater exertions in the future.

Hon. Mr. McMURRICH was the last speaker. In the course of his remarks he expressed his approval of the connecting link which had been formed for the boys between the Common and the Grammar Schools. But while he was pleased to see this, he would like to see something done for the girls. (Applause) He hoped the time was not far distant when such a connecting link would be established. He did not wish to be misunderstood. He did not advocate the founding of high schools for girls, such as were proposed a few years ago, in which drawing, music, &c., were to be taught. He believed they should pay for such accomplishments themselves; but what he contended for was a higher education

for the girls, and where an opportunity had been afforded, they had shown equal capacity to the boys. He would certainly like to see them have a chance. (Applause.) He, also, referred to the amendment to the School Bill proposed last year. Through that Bill they came very near having a compulsory system of education, and he was sorry that the Bill had been withdrawn, on that account. He did not wish to have it go abroad that compulsory education was necessary in the country, but he was convinced that it was essential in the cities. After some further remarks he took his seat amid applause.

THE DISTRIBUTION OF CERTIFICATES AND PRIZES
WAS THEN MADE BY THE CHAIRMAN.

The Scholarships were first bestowed—the Chairman complimenting the boys on their success. The highest prizes to the girls were next given. In calling up the recipients of these prizes,

Rev. Mr. PORTER stated that they had shown even greater ability and progress than the boys who had received Scholarships. He regretted very much that they could not be treated as the boys were, for the books, though valuable, were not equal to the Scholarships.

The successful competitors, on receiving their prizes, were loudly applauded by their school-mates who were present, as well as by the audience.

The Prizes were selected as the best they were given of less intrinsic value by those who were

A vote of thanks to the Chairman, the meeting

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The usual Session of the City Schools was held in the usual order of the Session, which was generally given to the Local Schools, 197, and to female Teachers of Honour, for regular combined with the Session, which ended on the day

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The Winter Publication of the City Schools, published at 100 South Street, York, was ordered by the Board of Education on December 21st, and the

The Prizes were splendidly bound books, and were selected as the kind best suited for those to whom they were given. The Certificates of Honour, though of less intrinsic value, were, no doubt, as highly prized by those who won them.

A vote of thanks having been passed to the Chairman, the meeting closed at 9.15 p.m.

2. THE USUAL SUMMER EXAMINATION.

The usual Summer Public Examination of all the City Schools was held on Thursday, July 14th, as per order of the Board. The attendance of visitors was generally good. At the close of the Examinations the Local Trustees distributed to male pupils, 197, and to female pupils, 217; total, 414 Certificates of Honour, for regularity and punctuality of attendance, combined with uniformly good conduct, throughout the Session, which began on Monday, January 3rd, and ended on the day of the Examination.

A Summary of the Certificates distributed in the several Schools will be found in Appendix II. (C.)

3. THE USUAL WINTER EXAMINATION.

The Winter Public Examination of the Park, Elizabeth Street, York Street, and Givins Street Schools, as ordered by the Board, took place on Wednesday, December 21st, and that of all the other City Schools on

Thursday, December 22nd. There were distributed in the several Schools, 451 Certificates of Honour, namely, 230 in the Male Departments, and 221 in the Female Departments, for regularity and punctuality of attendance, combined with uniformly good conduct throughout the Session, which began on Monday, August 22nd, and ended on the day of the Examination. The attendance of parents and visitors was, as usual, small in the forenoon, but numerous in the afternoon.

A Summary of the Certificates distributed in the several Schools, will be found in Appendix II. (D.)

VII.—Special Matters worthy of Record.

1. CHANGE OF ELEMENTARY ARITHMETIC.

In their Report (No. 2), dated May 4th, 1870, the Committee on School Management recommend that, "In view of the correspondence (of the Local Superintendent) with the Department of Public Instruction for Ontario, as herewith submitted, on the subject of Smith and McMurchy's Elementary Arithmetic authorised to be used in the Public Schools of this Province, that, as the use of said book becomes compulsory on and after January 1st, 1871, the same be introduced for use in the City Public Schools after the ensuing Summer Holidays, when our school-teaching year in fact commences." This recommendation was carried by the Board."

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2. INCREASE IN THE NUMBER OF SUB-JUNIOR DIVISIONS.

In the same Report (No. 2) of the Committee on School Management, it was recommended,—and the recommendation was adopted by the Board,—that at the Park School, where there is an unoccupied room, an occasional teacher for the Female Junior Division be temporarily employed, for so long a time as the Summer pressure of juvenile attendance may render necessary; that, at Victoria Street School, where there is also an unoccupied room, an occasional teacher for a class of mixed boys and girls, Junior Division, be, in like manner, temporarily employed; and that, at John Street, where there is also an unoccupied room, an occasional teacher be in like manner temporarily employed in the Boys' Junior Division.

And, in Report (No. 5), June 13th, 1870, the Committee on School Management recommended that "The Local Superintendent having reported the overcrowded state of the attendance in the Junior Division, Male Department, Phœbe Street School, the Board sanction the conversion of two of the cap and cloak rooms in the Female Department, into a class-room, to be occupied by the Intermediate Division of that Department, and thus allow of the room at present used for said Intermediate Division, becoming a Sub-Junior Division room of the Male Department." This recommendation was amended by the Board and adopted, as follows: "That one

of the cap and cloak rooms be used for a Sub-Division of the Gallery Division of Boys, and that a monitor teacher be employed forthwith for said Sub-Division, so long as the Board may deem necessary."

3. EFFORTS TOWARDS INCREASED SCHOOL ACCOMODATION FOR THE WESTERN PART OF THE CITY.

The following is furnished by the Secretary of the Board, as deriyed from the Minutes :

"Referring to page 46 of the Local Superintendent's Eleventh Report, it will be seen that the Board had in view, early in 1869, the necessity of making increased School accommodation in the Western part of the city, and the question was, from time to time during the year, made a matter of discussion."

At the Inaugural Meeting of the New Board, January 19th, 1870, notice of motion was given by Dr. Ogden, and subsequently, February 2nd, seconded by Mr. W. B. McMurrich, it was *Resolved*—"That the Standing Committee on Sites and Buildings be instructed to enquire for a Site in the Western part of the Ward of St. Andrew, on which a School may be erected; and also to enquire for a Building in the neighbourhood of Bathurst or Portlaud Streets, in said Ward, which could be fitted up as a Primary School."

And among the first proceedings of the Standing Committee on Sites and Buildings, May 4th, 1870, was the presentation of a Report (No. 1) which recom-

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mended that the City Council should be applied to for a lease of occupation of the North-west corner of the vacant land known as the Market Reserve, Ward of St. Andrew, as a School Site. The Committee further recommended that, in the event of said Site being so granted, the frame building on Queen Street, recently occupied by H. M. 13th Hussars, should be purchased, with a view of removing the same to the locality mentioned, and converting it into a School House, for which it was well adapted, and could have been thus utilized at a moderate outlay."

This Report having been adopted by the Board, and a suitable appropriation having been put in the estimates to carry the same into effect, the Secretary addressed the following communication to the Council on the subject:—

(COPY.)

TORONTO, May 16th, 1870.

*To John Carr, Esq.,
Clerk of the Council,
&c., &c., &c.*

DEAR SIR,

The marked increase in the School population of this City, as shown by the over-crowded condition of the Schools now in operation, as well as by the demand for further school accommodation (especially as

regards the younger children) so urgently pressed upon the Board of Trustees, has rendered it absolutely necessary to make some provision to meet the requirements of the case in this direction.

Among other means of doing so, it has been determined by the Board, if at all possible, to establish a Primary or Juvenile School in the western part of St. Andrew's Ward, wherein no Local School has as yet been provided.

In looking out for a Site, centrally and conveniently situated, the Board are of opinion that a portion of what is known as the St. Andrew's Ward Market Reserve, would exactly answer the purposes in view; and as said Reserve may not, at all events for some time to come, be required as a Market; and as the temporary use of a portion of the same for School purposes, at present so much needed in that locality, would be a direct benefit to the Western part of the City at large, and the Ward of St. Andrew in particular; and as the occupation of such a Site for a School, would be an economical mode of providing the School accommodation required; it has been assumed by the Board that the Council would be willing, in the interests of public education, as open and free to all, to assist in carrying into effect what the Trustees wish to accomplish, by granting the use of a portion of said Reserve for a School.

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I remain, Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully,

G. A. BARBER,

Secretary B. S. T.

At the meeting of the Council held the same day, Alderman Baxter gave notice of motion in favour of granting the lease of occupation of said portion of ground, in accordance with the request of the Board of School Trustees, and for the purposes intended, as conveyed in the communication read that evening.

After waiting a reasonable time, and hearing nothing on the subject from the Council, the Secretary was instructed to address a second communication to the Council, which he did, as follows:

(COPY.)

TORONTO, June 27th, 1870.

To His Worship the Mayor,
 &c. &c. &c.

MY DEAR SIR,

Sometime since,—five or six weeks I should think,—the Board of School Trustees addressed a communication to the Council, asking permission to occupy, for School purposes, and for such a period of time as might be agreed upon, a portion,—say the North-West corner,—of the St. Andrew's Ward Market Reserve, which is lying idle at present, and may perhaps continue to do so for some time to come, for market purposes.

Alderman Baxter, a member of the Board of Trustees, and Chairman of the Committee of the Board on Sites and Buildings, undertook the charge of our application to the Council, and he gave notice of motion respecting the same. But no further action has been taken; and if the worthy Alderman be not in his place at the meeting of Council this evening, would you have the kindness to have the question brought up, and disposed of, one way or the other.

Although the Ward of St. Andrew has been assessed, *pro rata*, for school taxes, these many years, the Ward has never had a school proper, within its own limits.

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The application before the Council has for its object to establish a Primary or Juvenile School in that section of the Ward adjacent to the Market Reserve; and as it is desirable to economize as much as possible, the free occupation of this piece of ground would of course help us in this direction; while, at the same time, a property which is dormant as a market, would thus be utilized for the benefit of the Ward as a school.

If we can obtain the consent of the Council to use the ground free, it is proposed to have a school (free) ready for pupils after the Summer Holidays; and as, therefore, there is no time to be lost, may I hope the question will be settled this evening?

I remain,

My dear Sir,

Yours faithfully,

G. A. BARBER,

Secretary B. S. T.

And the same, together with his previous communication, was referred to the Committee on Public Markets.

On the 17th October, the Committee on Public Markets not having reported on the subject, Alderman Baxter, seconded by Alderman Boulton, moved, pursuant to notice given May 16th, that it be *Resolved*—“ ‘ That a portion of the St. Andrew’s Market Reserve, in the western part of the city, say the north-west corner, 100 feet square, be granted to the Board of School Trustees, for the purpose of establishing a Primary or Juvenile School—the said grant to be cancelled, should the city require the land for city purposes, by giving six months’ notice,’—which was lost on a division; and so the good intentions of the School Trustees towards the western portion of the Ward of St. Andrew were thus frustrated by the Council.”

4. YORK STREET SCHOOL.

Memorandum supplied by the Secretary of the Board :—

“ On the 4th May, 1870, the Standing Committee on Sites and Buildings reported (No. 1) in favour of utilizing the property, now owned by the Board, at the corner of York and Richmond street, for School purposes, as originally contemplated—and recommending that the present building should be, so soon as possible, put into order as a Primary School. The Report of the Committee was adopted by the Board at the same date; and an appropriation to carry the same into effect was put in the estimates accordingly. During the Summer holidays the building was converted into, and fitted up as, a School, and properly furnished with the

necessary School which will be for Expenditure.”

And on September School Management was adopted by the Board of the York Street Primary School for the present, for girls.”

The York Street School, on September 11th; have been transferred to the York Street Schools, it is not been expected.

5. NEW D

The Committee Report, (No. 10) the Board adopted be established as in every respect according when the same School, a temporary Female Department promptly carried provided for having Superintendent of

necessary School appliances, the details of the cost of which will be found in the Statement of Receipts and Expenditure."

And on September 7th, 1870, the Committee on School Management, in their Report (No. 6) which was adopted by the Board, recommend—"The opening of the York Street School, Ward of St. Andrew, as a Primary School, on Monday, September 12th, with, for the present, two Divisions, one for boys and one for girls."

The York Street School was opened accordingly on September 11th; and although 39 boys and 30 girls have been transferred to it from other more crowded Schools, it is not yet as fully attended as might have been expected.

5. NEW DIVISION IN THE PARK SCHOOL.

The Committee on School Management, in their Report, (No. 10) September 4th, recommended, and the Board adopted the recommendation, "That there be established as soon as possible, as an experiment in every respect according to the precedent recognised when the same experiment was tried at John Street School, a temporary Intermediate Division in the Female Department of the Park School;" which was promptly carried out; the experimental Division thus provided for having been organized by the Local Superintendent on Thursday, September 15th.

The success of this Division, as an experiment, induced the Committee on School Management to recommend in their Report, (No. 10) December 21st, and the Board to *Resolve*—"In favour of the Female Department, Park School, being permanently recognised as on the same footing as other Female Departments with three Divisions; and of the Teachers holding the same grade and receiving the same salary as in similar Divisions."

6. SCHOOL PROPERTY, CORNER OF CHURCH AND ALEXANDER STREETS.

Memorandum furnished by the Secretary of the Board:—

"During the year 1870, the consideration of the use to which this property should be put, occupied a good deal of the attention of the Board, as conflicting opinions existed on the subject. Some members were in favour of disposing of the same and purchasing another Site where, as was thought by them, greater School advantages would be met with; offers were received, and considered, to sell such Site, although no action, beyond this, was taken. But on November 16th, pursuant to notice given, September 21st, Dr. Ogden, seconded by Mr. Winfield, moved, in order to bring the question to a point, that it be *Resolved*,—'That the Standing Committee on School Management be instructed to consider the propriety of opening a Primary School in premises, owned by the Board, at

the corner of Church and
St. James,'—which was
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7. CONTINUED

REV. MR.

The Rev. Mr. [Name] religious instruction in the
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Very Rev. Dean [Name]
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In his 12th Report the
tendent stated "that the
Rev. Dr. Richards [Name]
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The value of the [Name]
thus distributed in [Name]
Yonge Street, was [Name]
from the Bible and [Name]

the corner of Church and Alexander Streets, Ward of St. James,'—which was carried. But owing partly to the late period of the year, and to the fact that no appropriation for such a purpose had been put in the Estimates, the Committee on School Management, though it had the matter under consideration, did not report upon it."

7. CONTINUED RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTION BY THE REV. MESSRS. BODDY AND BALDWIN.

The Rev. Mr. Boddy has continued his weekly religious instruction of the children of his own communion at the Park School, throughout the year 1870; and the Rev. Canon Baldwin, or, in his absence, the Very Rev. Dean Grasset, or his Assistant Minister, has conferred a similar benefit at Victoria Street School.

8. THE LATE MR. KETCHUM'S ANNUAL BOUNTY.

In his 12th Report to the Board, the Local Superintendent stated "that he had recently accompanied the Rev. Dr. Richardson in his distribution of the bounty of the late Jesse Ketchum, Esq., for the current year." The value of the Bibles, Testaments, and other books thus distributed in the several Schools to the west of Yonge Street, was \$126, as per statement furnished from the Bible and Tract Depository.

9. RETIREMENT OF THE HON. JOHN McMURRICH.

Memorandum furnished by the Secretary of the Board :—

“The Hon. John McMurrich, one of the Trustees for the Ward of St. George, and Chairman of the Board for 1870, having declined to be re-elected, inasmuch as his many important public avocations did not permit him to devote that time to his duties as School Trustee which he considered they required, the Board, at its last meeting for the School year, January 4th, 1871, passed, by a unanimous vote, the following resolution, moved and seconded by two of the oldest members of the Board, namely :—

Moved by Mr. Baxter, seconded by Mr. Coatsworth, and *Resolved*—“That bearing in mind the long connection maintained by the Hon. John McMurrich with the City Public Schools, from their earliest commencement to the present time; bearing also in mind his valuable services as a member of this Board, and as its Chairman on various occasions, but especially during the year just ended; this Board, while regretting to lose his practical co-operation with its proceedings, desires to express its sincere respect towards himself personally, and its earnest gratitude for the zealous interest he has always shown in support of the cause of popular education;” and a copy of the same to be suitably engrossed, with the corporate seal of the Board thereto attached, was ordered to be sent to that gentleman.”

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I conclude this my Twelfth Annual Report, by referring to the very considerable growth of the work of our City Schools, as shown by a comparison of a few of our School Statistics recorded in my First Annual Report, for the year 1859, with those which are now reported for the year 1870:—

	1859.	1870.
Number of Teachers employed	38 ..	50
Total number of pupils on School Registers.....	4776 ..	7089
Average registered monthly attendance	2742 ..	4106
Average daily attendance	2150 ..	3288
Estimated cost for the year.....	\$25,213 52	\$32,950 00
Cost per pupil on basis of registered attendance	9 20	8 02
Cost per pupil on basis of average daily attendance	11 73	10 02

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES PORTER,
Local Superintendent.

OFFICE OF LOCAL SUPERINTENDENT
OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS,
TORONTO, January, 1871.

Submitted to the Board, January 18th, 1871, and referred to the Committee on School Management. Reported on by said Committee, on February, and ordered by the Board to be printed for the information of the rate-payers.

I enclose herewith the Fourth Annual Report of the Board of Education for the year 1871-72. This report contains a full and complete statement of the work of the Board during the year, and is published for the information of the public. It is also a valuable record of the progress of the schools, and of the efforts of the Board to improve them. The report is divided into two parts, the first of which contains a general statement of the work of the Board, and the second of which contains a detailed statement of the work of each of the schools. The report is published in the form of a book, and is sold at the price of one dollar per copy. It is also available in the form of a pamphlet, and is sold at the price of fifty cents per copy. The report is published by the Board of Education, and is distributed to all the schools in the city. It is also available for sale at the office of the Board of Education, and at the office of the Superintendent of Schools. The report is a valuable document, and is one of the most important records of the Board of Education. It is a record of the work of the Board, and of the progress of the schools, and is a valuable resource for all those who are interested in the education of the children of the city.

No.	Name	Age	Sex	Color	Religion	Profession	Place of Birth	Parents	Married	Children	Notes
1	John A. Smith	25	M	W	Episcopal	Teacher	Massachusetts	John A. Smith, Mary A. Smith	Yes	2	
2	James B. Jones	30	M	W	Methodist	Merchant	Virginia	James B. Jones, Elizabeth B. Jones	Yes	3	
3	William C. Brown	28	M	W	Baptist	Farmer	North Carolina	William C. Brown, Sarah C. Brown	Yes	1	
4	Robert D. White	35	M	W	Presbyterian	Physician	Ohio	Robert D. White, Ann D. White	Yes	4	
5	Thomas E. Green	22	M	W	Methodist	Student	Georgia	Thomas E. Green, Rebecca E. Green	No	0	
6	Charles F. Black	32	M	W	Episcopal	Lawyer	South Carolina	Charles F. Black, Maria F. Black	Yes	2	
7	Henry G. Gray	27	M	W	Baptist	Teacher	Alabama	Henry G. Gray, Elizabeth G. Gray	Yes	1	
8	John H. King	38	M	W	Methodist	Merchant	Mississippi	John H. King, Sarah H. King	Yes	3	
9	William I. Lee	24	M	W	Presbyterian	Student	Virginia	William I. Lee, Ann I. Lee	No	0	
10	Robert J. Hall	31	M	W	Baptist	Farmer	North Carolina	Robert J. Hall, Elizabeth J. Hall	Yes	2	

APPENDIX I.

TABLE A.

SCHOOLS.	NAME OF TEACHER.	CERTIFICATE HELD.				
		Provincial.			Co. Board.	
		Class 1.	Class 2.	Regist'd No.	Class 1.	Class 2.
Palace Street.....	Martin Gill .....	.....	.....	.....	1 A	.....
	Miss Susan Hamilton .....	.....	.....	.....	1 C	.....
	Mrs. Stevenson.....	1 C	.....	741	.....	.....
	Miss Edith O'Flaherty ...	1 C	.....	1689	.....	.....
George Street.....	Richard Lewis .....	.....	.....	.....	1 A	.....
	Miss M. J. Keown .....	.....	.....	.....	1 A	.....
	Miss A. L. Armstrong.....	.....	2 A	1218	.....	.....
	Miss Emma Fraser .....	.....	.....	.....	1 B	.....
	Miss Catharine Scarlett ..	.....	2 B	1139	.....	.....
	Miss Arnelia Henning.....	1 B	.....	1682	.....	.....

The Park	Alexander McLaren .....	.....	.....	.....	1 A	.....
	Miss M. Robertson .....	.....	.....	.....	1 A	.....
	Miss S. J. Boddy	1 A	.....	1578	.....	.....
	Miss Margaret Buik	1 A	.....	1676	.....	.....
	Miss Jessie Campbell .....	.....	.....	.....	1 C	.....
	Miss E. A. McLaughlin ...	1 C	.....	2510	.....	.....

Victoria Street ...	William Spotton .....	.....	.....	.....	1 C	.....
	Miss G. Round.....	.....	.....	.....	1 A	.....
	Miss M. A. Kennedy .....	.....	.....	.....	1 B	.....
	Miss E. Kennedy .....	.....	2	340	.....	.....
	Miss Mary Campell .....	.....	2 A	2162	.....	.....
	Miss Maggie Sutherland...	.....	1 A	2580	.....	.....
	Miss Jane A. Cruise .....	.....	1 C	2979	.....	.....

Louisa Street.....	Henry Browne .....	.....	.....	.....	1 A	.....
	John Phillips.....	.....	.....	.....	1 C	.....
	Miss J. S. Morrison.....	.....	.....	.....	1 A	.....
	Miss P. S. McGee	1 C	.....	932	.....	.....
	Miss E. A. Williams	1 B	.....	1792	.....	.....
Elizabeth Street.	Miss Charlotte Spotton ...	1 B	.....	2157	.....	.....
	Robert McCausland.....	.....	.....	.....	1 A	.....
	Miss Margaret Greenlees...	1 A	.....	1678	.....	.....
	Miss S. McBride .....	.....	.....	.....	1 B	.....
	Miss S. M. Hamilton .....	.....	.....	.....	1 A	.....
York Street	Mrs. Catharine Rowland...	.....	2 B	413	.....	.....
	Mrs. Annie Carey.....	.....	2 A	1586	.....	.....
John Street	Samuel McAllister .....	.....	.....	.....	1 A	.....
	Miss M. Ferguson.....	1 A	.....	2246	.....	.....
	Miss A. Kelloch	1 C	.....	1116	.....	.....
	Miss M. Elliott.....	1 A	.....	2154	.....	.....
	Miss S. J. Hamilton.....	1 C	.....	1795	.....	.....
	Miss Jessie Gemmell.....	1 C	.....	2161	.....	.....
Phoebe Street.....	John Campbell .....	.....	.....	.....	1 A	.....
	Miss M. C. Churchill	1 B	.....	364	.....	.....
	Miss O. H. Dunn	1 A	.....	2245	.....	.....
	Miss Jessie Rogers	1 B	.....	1684	.....	.....
	Miss Ellen M. Reeves .....	.....	2 A	2361	.....	.....
	Miss M. A. Worth	1 A	.....	2504	.....	.....
	Miss Jennie H. Sutherland	1 A	.....	2248	.....	.....

Givins Street.....	Mr. James Anderson .....	.....	.....	.....	1 C	.....
	Miss R. Thompson .....	.....	2 A	658	.....	.....
Total .....		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

ORIGINAL APPOINTMENT.	Rate of Salary per Annum.
November, 1859	\$600
..... 1858	320
September, 1869	220
..... 1870	220
June, 1869	700
..... 1852	400
July, 1861	250
June, 1866	250
..... 1863	220
January, 1863	220
September, 1869	700
April, 1869	320
January, 1865	250
May, 1865	220
October, 1870	220
September, 1870	140
..... 1856	700
..... 1856	400
..... 1853	250
..... 1855	250
January, 1869	220
October, 1870	220
September, 1870	140
January, 1861	700
July, 1868	500
December, 1861	400
July, 1862	250
October, 1870	220
April, 1866	220
January, 1864	600
December, 1864	320
November, 1863	250
January, 1868	220
September, 1870	220
..... 1870	220
November, 1859	700
March, 1868	400
July, 1861	250
October, 1866	250
January, 1866	220
October, 1868	220
November, 1868	700
..... 1858	400
January, 1864	250
..... 1865	250
..... 1869	220
September, 1870	220
..... 1870	220
June, 1866	600
October, 1859	320
.....	\$16,770

RESPECTING TEACHERS.

Co. Board.		ORIGINAL APPOINTMENT.	Rate of Salary per Annum.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.	REMARKS.
Class 1.	Class 2.				
1 A	November, 1859	\$600	Church of England.	Trained by Ch. Ed. Soc'y, Ireland.
1 C	1858	320	Presbyterian.	
.....	September, 1869	220	Baptist.	Trained at Prov. Normal School.
.....	1870	220	Brethren.	
1 A	June, 1869	700	Congregationalist.	Trained at Liverpool, England.
1 A	1852	400	Church of England.	
.....	July, 1861	250	Methodist.	Trained at Prov. Normal School.
1 B	June, 1866	250	Methodist.	
.....	1863	220	Church of England.	Trained at Prov. Normal School.
.....	January, 1863	220	Methodist.	
1 A	September, 1869	700	Presbyterian.	Trained at Prov. Normal School.
1 A	April, 1869	320	Presbyterian.	
.....	January, 1865	250	Church of England.	Trained in London, England.
.....	May, 1865	220	Presbyterian.	
1 C	October, 1870	220	Congregationalist.	Trained in London, England.
.....	September, 1870	140	Church of England.	
1 C	1856	700	Church of England.	Trained in London, England.
1 A	1856	400	Church of England.	
1 B	1853	250	Methodist.	Trained in London, England.
.....	1855	250	Methodist.	
.....	January, 1869	220	Congregationalist.	Trained in London, England.
.....	October, 1870	220	Methodist.	
.....	September, 1870	140	Church of England.	Trained in London, England.
1 A	January, 1861	700	Brethren.	
1 C	July, 1868	500	Methodist.	Trained in London, England.
1 A	December, 1861	400	Church of England.	
.....	July, 1862	250	Methodist.	Trained in London, England.
.....	October, 1870	220	Church of England.	
.....	April, 1866	220	Church of England.	Trained at Prov. Normal School.
1 A	January, 1864	600	Methodist.	
.....	December, 1864	320	Presbyterian.	Trained at Prov. Normal School.
1 B	November, 1863	250	Congregationalist.	
1 A	January, 1868	220	Presbyterian.	Trained at Prov. Normal School.
.....	September, 1870	220	Methodist.	
.....	1870	220	Church of England.	Trained at Prov. Normal School.
1 A	November, 1859	700	Church of England.	
.....	March, 1868	400	Methodist.	Trained at Prov. Normal School.
.....	July, 1861	250	Baptist.	
.....	October, 1866	250	Presbyterian.	Trained at Prov. Normal School.
.....	January, 1866	220	Church of England.	
.....	October, 1868	220	Presbyterian.	Trained at Prov. Normal School.
1 A	November, 1868	700	Presbyterian.	
.....	1858	400	Brethren.	Trained at Prov. Normal School.
.....	January, 1864	250	Church of England.	
.....	1865	250	Presbyterian.	Trained at Prov. Normal School.
.....	1869	220	Church of England.	
.....	September, 1870	220	Methodist.	Trained at Prov. Normal School.
.....	1870	220	Methodist.	
1 C	June, 1866	600	Presbyterian.	Trained in Edinburgh, Scotland.
.....	October, 1859	320	Church of England.	
.....	\$16,770	.....	.....

TABLE B.

Number of Pupils entered on the registers of the several Schools, during the year 1870.

NAME OF SCHOOL.	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
Palace Street.....	305	274	579
George ".....	418	380	798
The Park.....	350	345	695
Victoria Street.....	486	499	985
Louisa ".....	523	418	941
Elizabeth ".....	327	316	643
York ".....	90	56	146
John ".....	463	412	875
Phœbe ".....	533	559	1092
Givins ".....	189	155	344
Total in all the Schools.....	3684	3414	7098

Of the above, the following were transferred to the Schools under-mentioned, from other City Schools, and their names appear on the Register of more than one School. They should, therefore, be deducted from the gross aggregate on the Registers :—

NAME OF SCHOOL	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
Palace Street.....	13	5	18
George ".....	23	23	46
The Park.....	5	9	14
Victoria Street.....	25	30	55
Louisa ".....	23	19	42
Elizabeth ".....	9	5	14
York ".....	39	30	69
John ".....	39	23	62
Phœbe ".....	24	26	50
Givins ".....	7	18	25
Total.....	207	188	395
Actual Totals in all the Schools...	3477	3226	6703

Analysis of

NAME OF SCHOOL.

Palace Street.....
George ".....
The Park.....
Victoria Street.....
Louisa ".....
Elizabeth ".....
York ".....
John ".....
Phœbe ".....
Givins ".....

Total in all the Schools

Average Registered

1870.

	M.
January.....	20
February.....	20
March.....	20
April.....	21
May.....	21
June.....	22
July.....	19
August.....	20
September.....	22
October.....	22
November.....	23
December.....	22

Divi'd by 12 months

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TABLE C.

Analysis of the attendance at the several Schools.

NAME OF SCHOOL.	Less than 20 Days.		From 20 to 50.		From 50 to 100.		From 100 to 150.		From 150 to 200.		From 200 to whole year.		Combined Total.
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	
Palace Street.....	18	39	48	54	82	71	58	44	51	41	48	25	579
George ".....	51	55	61	49	95	99	76	56	91	80	44	41	798
The Park.....	37	47	69	50	79	92	67	65	75	64	23	27	695
Victoria Street.....	51	60	97	92	129	118	94	114	78	73	37	42	985
Louisa ".....	50	58	75	65	121	97	100	71	116	81	61	46	941
Elizabeth ".....	29	41	58	54	65	78	80	58	74	52	21	33	643
York ".....	23	15	30	25	30	23	...	...	...	...	...	...	146
John ".....	67	66	60	51	104	92	86	76	94	85	52	42	875
Phoebe ".....	65	67	96	99	83	141	128	109	110	86	51	57	1092
Givins ".....	26	36	26	18	53	37	43	26	32	27	9	11	344
	417	484	620	557	841	848	732	619	721	589	346	324	7098
Total in all the Schools	901		1177		1689		1351		1310		670		7098

TABLE D.

Average Registered Monthly Attendance, and Average of Average Monthly Attendance.

1870.	REGISTERED.			AVERAGE.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
January.....	2078	1834	3912	1675	1436	3111
February.....	2096	1839	3935	1751	1453	3204
March.....	2083	1806	3889	1671	1405	3076
April.....	2122	1957	4079	1749	1581	3330
May.....	2195	2100	4295	1761	1624	3385
June.....	2210	2011	4221	1788	1560	3348
July.....	1928	1706	3634	1566	1374	2940
August.....	2060	1946	4006	1718	1617	3335
September.....	2294	2120	4414	1820	1641	3461
October.....	2276	2070	4346	1772	1576	3348
November.....	2310	2112	4422	1879	1621	3500
December.....	2205	1922	4127	1853	1548	3401
Divi'd by 12 months	25857	23423	49280	21003.	18436	39439
	2154 $\frac{2}{3}$	1951 $\frac{1}{2}$	4106 $\frac{5}{12}$	1750 $\frac{3}{4}$	1536 $\frac{4}{12}$	3286 $\frac{7}{12}$

TABLE E.

Average Monthly attendance in the respective Divisions of the several City Public Schools; namely, First or Junior, Second or Intermediate, and Third or Senior, both Male and Female.

JANUARY.

Average No. of Pupils in each Division of each School.

NAME OF SCHOOL.	MALES.				FEMALES.				Combined Total.
	D. 1.	2.	3.	Total.	D.1.	2.	3.	Total.	
Palace Street	66	62	...	128	59	50	...	109	234
George "	80	65	57	202	64	51	50	165	367
The Park.....	77	49	48	174	70	66	...	136	310
Victoria Street	86	63	62	211	70	80	64	214	425
Louisa "	105	88	62	255	74	63	52	189	444
Elizabeth "	95	64	...	159	94	66	...	160	319
John "	86	65	61	212	58	56	54	168	380
Phoebe "	117	75	62	254	137	48	56	241	495
Givins "	34	46	...	80	21	33	...	54	134
Totals	746	577	352	1675	647	513	276	1436	3111
January, 1869.....	782	595	371	1748	689	537	285	1511	3259
Differences; all in fa- vour of 1869..... }	-36	-18	-19	= -73	-42	-24	-9	= -75	148

FEBRUARY.

Average No. of Pupils in each Division of each School.

NAME OF SCHOOL.	MALES.				FEMALES.				Combined Total.
	D.1.	2.	3.	Total.	D.1.	2.	3.	Total.	
Palace Street	73	66	...	139	64	50	...	114	253
George "	91	63	59	212	72	49	47	168	380
The Park	77	51	45	173	86	67	...	153	326
Victoria Street.....	98	68	64	230	76	77	67	220	450
Louisa "	118	91	65	274	73	59	53	185	459
Elizabeth "	94	67	...	161	94	66	...	160	321
John "	92	71	62	225	55	56	55	166	391
Phoebe "	117	73	64	254	140	47	58	245	499
Givins "	35	48	...	83	16	26	...	42	125
Totals.....	795	598	358	1751	676	497	280	1453	3204
February, 1869.....	726	582	367	1675	592	505	272	1369	3044
Differences; the totals } being in favour of 1870 }	69	+16	-9	=76	84	+8	+8	=84	160

Average No. of

NAME OF SCHOOL.

Palace Street
George "
The Park
Victoria Street.....
Louisa "
Elizabeth "
John "
Phoebe "
Givins "

Totals.....

March, 1869

Differences; the com-
bined totals being in
favour of 1870

Average No. of

NAME OF SCHOOL.

Palace Street
George "
The Park
Victoria Street.....
Louisa "
Elizabeth "
John "
Phoebe "
Givins "

Totals.....

April, 1869

Differences; the com-
bined totals being in
favour of 1870

MARCH.

Average No. of Pupils in each Division of each School.

NAME OF SCHOOL.	MALES.				FEMALES.				Combined Total.
	D.1.	2.	3.	Total.	D.1.	2.	3.	Total.	
Palace Street	78	62	...	140	66	46	...	112	252
George "	82	62	56	200	67	45	45	157	357
The Park	72	50	41	163	80	58	...	138	301
Victoria Street.....	94	61	61	216	75	73	64	212	428
Louisa "	130	91	65	286	81	62	51	194	480
Elizabeth "	89	66	...	155	89	66	...	155	310
John "	87	66	60	213	52	53	55	160	373
Phoebe "	110	65	58	233	137	46	58	241	474
Givins "	30	35	...	65	15	21	...	36	101
Totals.....	772	558	341	1671	662	470	273	1405	3076
March, 1869	747	577	359	1683	611	494	264	1369	3052
Differences; the combined totals being in favour of 1870	25	-19	-18	= -12	51	-24	+9	=36	24

APRIL.

Average No. of Pupils in each Division of each School.

NAME OF SCHOOL.	MALES.				FEMALES.				Combined Total.
	D.1.	2.	3.	Total.	D.1.	2.	3.	Total.	
Palace Street	91	59	...	150	79	46	...	125	275
George "	81	66	68	215	79	53	47	179	394
The Park	86	52	39	177	101	61	...	162	339
Victoria Street.....	91	64	64	219	92	75	64	231	450
Louisa "	119	94	65	278	97	64	51	212	490
Elizabeth "	97	64	...	161	101	64	...	165	326
John "	98	66	60	224	65	57	53	175	399
Phoebe "	127	67	54	248	163	53	57	273	521
Givins "	41	36	...	77	28	31	...	59	136
Totals.....	831	568	350	1749	805	504	272	1581	3330
April, 1869	812	583	367	1762	721	534	281	1536	3298
Differences; the combined totals being in favour of 1870	19	-15	-17	= -13	84	-30	-9	=45	32

MAY.

Average No. of Pupils in each Division of each School.

NAME OF SCHOOL.	MALES.				FEMALES.				Combined Total.
	D.1.	2.	3.	Total.	D.1.	2.	3.	Total.	
Palace Street	98	54	.....	152	79	45	.....	124	276
George "	84	63	57	204	86	52	51	189	393
The Park	94	52	39	185	112	62	.....	174	359
Victoria Street... ..	103	63	60	226	99	77	62	238	464
Louisa "	117	89	61	267	92	62	47	201	468
Elizabeth "	99	64	.....	163	99	58	.....	157	320
John "	107	69	58	234	65	62	62	189	423
Phoebe "	124	65	59	248	168	59	53	280	528
Givins "	50	32	.....	82	41	31	.....	72	154
Totals.....	876	551	334	1761	841	508	275	1624	3385
May, 1869.....	804	548	329	1681	738	491	262	1491	3172
Differences ; all in fa- vour of 1870.....	72	+3	+5	=80	103	+17	+13	=133	213

JUNE.

Average No. of Pupils in each Division of each School.

NAME OF SCHOOL.	MALES.				FEMALES.				Combined Total.
	D.1.	2.	3.	Total.	D.1.	2.	3.	Total.	
Palace Street	108	49	.....	157	82	39	.....	121	278
George "	88	63	57	208	83	48	48	179	387
The Park	94	49	36	179	119	58	.....	177	356
Victoria Street.....	108	63	62	233	104	71	56	231	464
Louisa "	120	90	56	266	90	58	51	199	465
Elizabeth "	95	59	.....	154	90	53	.....	143	297
John "	114	66	57	237	65	55	57	177	414
Phoebe "	135	65	63	263	160	53	50	263	526
Givins "	55	36	.....	91	40	30	.....	70	161
Totals.....	917	540	331	1788	833	465	262	1560	3348
June, 1869.....	754	544	334	1632	723	498	263	1484	3116
Differences ; the totals) being in favour of 1870)	163	-4	-3	=156	110	-33	-1	=76	232

Average No.

NAME OF SCHOOL.	Combined Total.
Palace Street	276
George "	393
The Park	359
Victoria Street.....	464
Louisa "	468
Elizabeth "	320
John "	423
Phoebe "	528
Givins "	154
Totals.....	3385
July, 1869.....	3172
Differences ; the totals being in favour of 1870	213

Average No.

NAME OF SCHOOL.	Combined Total.
Palace Street.....	278
George "	387
The Park	356
Victoria Street	464
Louisa "	465
Elizabeth "	297
John "	414
Phoebe "	526
Givins "	161
Totals.....	3348
Sept., 1869. (Nearest comparison)	3116
Differences ; the totals be- ing in favour of Aug., 1870, on re-opening the Schools	232

JULY.

Average No. of Pupils in each Division of each School.

School.

ES.	Total.	Combined Total.
...	124	276
51	189	393
...	174	359
62	238	464
47	201	468
...	157	320
62	189	423
53	280	528
...	72	154
75	1624	3385
62	1491	3172
13	=133	213

NAME OF SCHOOL.	MALES.				FEMALES.				Combined Total.
	D.1.	2.	3.	Total.	D.1.	2.	3.	Total.	
Palace Street	98	43	...	141	68	34	...	102	243
George "	70	54	53	177	69	44	41	154	331
The Park	82	44	31	157	107	54	...	161	318
Victoria Street.....	93	55	53	201	83	54	50	187	388
Louisa "	106	79	53	238	77	51	46	174	412
Elizabeth "	77	53	...	130	71	51	...	122	252
John "	105	59	49	213	55	54	56	165	378
Phoebe "	114	58	57	229	148	52	49	249	478
Givins "	49	31	...	80	31	29	...	60	140
Totals.....	794	476	296	1566	709	423	242	1374	2940
July, 1869.....	671	504	305	1480	631	460	247	1338	2818
Differences; the totals } being in favor of 1870. }	123	-28	-9	=86	78	-37	-5	=36	122

AUGUST.

Average No. of Pupils in each Division of each School.

School.

ES.	Total.	Combined Total.
...	121	278
48	179	387
...	177	356
56	231	464
51	199	465
...	143	297
57	177	414
50	263	526
...	70	161
62	1560	3348
63	1484	3116
-1	=76	232

NAME OF SCHOOL.	MALES.				FEMALES.				Combined Total.
	D.1.	2.	3.	Total.	D.1.	2.	3.	Total.	
Palace Street.....	108	44	...	152	79	48	..	127	279
George "	88	64	43	195	84	56	53	193	388
The Park	98	42	33	173	117	56	...	173	346
Victoria Street.....	124	56	61	241	99	79	54	232	473
Louisa "	113	87	62	262	100	57	45	202	464
Elizabeth "	84	57	...	141	77	58	...	135	276
John "	121	63	41	225	77	62	56	195	420
Phoebe "	134	58	51	243	160	55	50	265	508
Givins "	57	29	...	86	53	42	...	95	181
Totals.....	927	500	291	1718	846	513	258	1617	3335
Sept., 1869. (Nearest } comparison)	839	538	333	1710	753	550	285	1588	3298
Differences; the totals be- } ing in favour of Aug., } 1870, on re-opening } the Schools	88	-38	-42	=8	93	-37	-27	=29	37

SEPTEMBER.

Average No. of Pupils in each Division of each School.

NAME OF SCHOOL.	MALES.				FEMALES.				Combined Total.
	D.1.	2.	3.	Total.	D.1.	2.	3.	Total.	
Palace Street	120	54	.....	174	84	45	.....	129	303
George "	80	62	57	199	84	56	53	193	392
The Park.....	95	37	30	162	120	51	.....	171	333
Victoria Street	129	59	60	248	106	77	57	240	488
Louisa "	121	89	66	276	86	65	52	203	479
Elizabeth "	91	62	.....	153	77	57	.....	134	287
York "	29	.....	.....	29	20	.....	.....	20	49
John "	110	72	51	233	76	63	57	196	429
Phoebe "	138	60	56	254	159	57	51	267	521
Givins "	59	33	.....	92	49	39	.....	88	180
Totals.....	972	528	320	1820	861	510	270	1641	3461
September, 1869.....	839	538	333	1710	753	550	285	1588	3298
Differences ; the totals } being in favour of 1870 }	133	-10	-13	=110	108	-40	-15	=53	163

OCTOBER.

Average No. of Pupils in each Division of each School.

NAME OF SCHOOL.	MALES.				FEMALES.				Combined Total.
	D.1.	2.	3.	Total.	D.1.	2.	3.	Total.	
Palace Street	129	49	.....	178	82	39	.....	121	299
George "	85	62	51	198	84	56	55	195	393
The Park.....	92	39	26	157	68	50	42	160	317
Victoria Street	119	57	48	224	89	72	58	219	443
Louisa "	112	82	64	258	84	62	47	193	451
Elizabeth "	94	57	.....	151	80	53	.....	133	284
York "	44	.....	.....	44	33	.....	.....	33	77
John "	106	70	52	228	77	63	55	195	423
Phoebe "	139	61	54	254	148	51	50	249	503
Givins "	55	25	.....	80	42	36	.....	78	158
Totals.....	975	502	295	1772	787	482	307	1576	3348
October, 1869.....	782	516	322	1620	690	506	268	1464	3084
Differences ; the totals all } in favour of 1870	193	-14	-27	=152	97	-24	+39	=112	264

Average No.

NAME OF SCHOOL.

Palace Street
George "
The Park.....
Victoria Street
Louisa "
Elizabeth "
York "
John "
Phoebe "
Givins "

Totals.....
November, 1869.....

Differences ; the totals all }
being in favour of 1870 }

Average No. of

NAME OF SCHOOL.

Palace Street
George "
The Park.....
Victoria Street
Louisa "
Elizabeth "
York "
John "
Phoebe "
Givins "

Totals.....
December, 1869.....

Differences ; the totals }
being in favour of 1870 }

NOVEMBER.

Average No. of Pupils in each Division of each School.

School.	Total.	Combined Total.
...	129	303
53	193	392
...	171	333
57	240	488
52	203	479
...	134	287
...	20	49
57	196	429
51	267	521
...	88	180
70	1641	3461
85	1588	3298
15	=53	163

NAME OF SCHOOL.	MALES.				FEMALES.				Combined Total.
	D. 1.	2.	3.	Total.	D. 1.	2.	3.	Total.	
Palace Street	142	51	.....	193	71	40	...	111	304
George "	95	64	59	218	92	56	57	205	423
The Park.....	104	41	27	172	68	52	42	162	334
Victoria Street	118	58	51	227	91	74	61	226	453
Louisa "	126	84	63	273	88	63	50	201	474
Elizabeth "	101	61	.....	162	76	54	...	130	292
York "	52	.....	.....	52	38	...	...	38	90
John "	108	70	53	231	75	66	57	198	429
Phoebe "	139	63	55	257	161	54	58	273	530
Givins "	59	35	.....	94	42	35	...	77	171
Totals	1044	527	308	1879	802	494	325	1621	3500
November, 1869.....	808	538	328	1674	710	508	264	1482	3156
Differences ; the totals all } being in favour of 1870 }	236	- 11	- 20	= 205	92	- 14	+ 61	= 139	344

DECEMBER.

Average No. of Pupils in each Division of each School.

School.	Total.	Combined Total.
...	121	299
5	195	393
2	160	317
8	219	443
7	193	451
...	133	284
...	33	77
5	195	423
0	249	503
...	78	158
7	1576	3348
8	1464	3084
9	= 112	264

NAME OF SCHOOL.	MALES.				FEMALES.				Combined Total.
	D. 1.	2.	3.	Total.	D. 1.	2.	3.	Total.	
Palace Street	146	51	...	197	72	43	...	115	312
George "	100	67	56	223	79	53	54	186	409
The Park.....	86	45	29	160	63	45	43	151	311
Victoria Street	112	60	49	221	87	72	56	215	436
Louisa "	124	87	62	273	82	61	48	191	464
Elizabeth "	105	63	...	168	74	55	...	129	297
York "	55	...	...	55	37	...	...	37	92
John "	114	65	53	232	72	61	58	191	423
Phoebe "	123	56	54	233	150	54	56	260	493
Givins "	56	35	...	91	37	36	...	73	164
Totals	1021	529	303	1853	753	480	315	1548	3401
December, 1869.....	803	537	332	1672	717	506	263	1486	3158
Differences ; the totals } being in favour of 1870 }	218	- 8	- 29	= 181	36	- 26	+ 52	= 62	243

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TABLE F.

NUMBER OF PUPILS INSTRUCTED IN THE FOLLOWING SUBJECTS :

NAME OF SCHOOL.	First Book.	Second Book.	Third Book.	Fourth Book.	Fifth Book.	Arithmetic.	Grammar.	General Geography.	Canadian Geography.	History.	Writing.	Book-keeping.	Mensuration.	Algebra.	Geometry.	Natural Philosophy.	Vocal Music.	Linear Drawing.	Needle Work.	Other Subjects.
PALACE STREET :																				
Males	139	66	54	27	19	305	100	305	46	46	166		6	6	6			100		
Females	151	44	46	16	17	274	79	274	79	38	94								274	
Total	290	110	100	43	36	579	179	579	125	84	260		6	6	6			100	274	
GEORGE STREET :																				
Males	143	57	58	60	44	418	200	418	200	200	300	10	12	20	20					
Females	200	103	88	46	58	380	180	380	50	99	200			16					380	
Total	343	160	146	106	102	798	380	798	250	299	500	10	12	36	20				380	380
THE PARK :																				
Males	114	72	53	55	16	251	124	251	71	71	148	6	14	14	14					
Females	177	61	36	43	28	290	105	345	43	71	219									218
Total	291	133	89	98	44	541	229	596	114	142	367	6	14	14	14				218	218
VICTORIA STREET :																				
Males	213	57	96	88	32	466	192	486	246	120	246		7	14	14					
Females	158	80	151	79	31	459	240	499	110	110	288			10					499	341
Total	371	137	247	167	63	925	432	985	356	230	534		7	24	14				499	341

LOUISA STREET :																				
Males	229	70	112	52	60	340	149	364	112	112	272		14	18	35				363	
Females	166	69	89	61	33	281	128	418	94	94	222			5					418	222
Total	395	139	201	113	93	621	277	782	206	206	494		14	23	35				781	222
ELIZABETH STREET :																				
Males	100	104	61	40	22	327	123	123	123	62	123		22	12	12				327	
Females	128	58	74	37	19	316	130	316	130	56	130								316	130
Total	228	162	135	77	41	643	253	439	253	118	253		22	12	12				643	130

VICTORIA STREET :

Males	213	57	96	88	32	466	192	486	246	120	246	7	14	14	363	22	341
Females	158	80	151	79	31	459	240	499	110	110	288	10	10	10	499	22	341
Total	371	137	247	167	63	925	432	985	356	230	534	7	24	14	499	44	22 341

LOUISA STREET :

Males	229	70	112	52	60	340	149	364	112	112	272	14	18	35	363	222	222
Females	166	69	89	61	33	281	128	418	94	94	222	14	5	14	418	222	222
Total	395	139	201	113	93	621	277	782	206	206	494	14	23	35	781	444	444

ELIZABETH STREET :

Males	100	104	61	40	22	327	123	123	123	62	123	22	12	12	327	130	130
Females	128	58	74	37	19	316	130	316	130	56	130	22	12	12	316	130	130
Total	228	162	135	77	41	643	253	439	253	118	253	22	12	12	643	260	260

YORK STREET :

Males	65	15	.....	.....	.....	30	.....	80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	80	56	56
Females	56	10	.....	.....	.....	25	.....	45	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	66	56	56
Total	121	25	.....	.....	.....	55	.....	125	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	146	112	112

JOHN STREET :

Males	220	72	125	79	37	463	191	463	106	106	463	17	16	17	463	412	412
Females	149	95	123	77	34	412	114	408	131	71	248	17	30	30	408	412	412
Total	369	167	248	156	71	875	305	871	237	177	711	17	46	17	871	824	824

PHOEBE STREET :

Males	290	48	95	66	34	503	145	497	100	100	228	2	6	15	533	292	292
Females	237	152	60	59	51	495	170	451	110	110	220	2	26	26	559	292	292
Total	527	200	155	125	85	998	315	948	210	210	448	2	6	15	1092	584	584

GIVINS STREET :

Males	97	23	51	10	8	189	69	189	8	18	69	7	6	4	155	155	155
Females	57	33	42	11	12	155	65	155	12	23	65	7	6	4	155	155	155
Total	154	56	93	21	20	344	134	344	20	41	134	7	6	4	310	310	310

General Totals

Males	3089	1289	1414	906	555	6379	2504	6467	1771	1507	3701	18	105	203	5163	122	2325
Females	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

TABLE G.—*School Libraries.*

NAME OF SCHOOL.	NO. OF VOLS. IN LIBRARY.			NO. TAKEN OUT DURING YEAR.		
	Department.		Total.	Department.		Total.
	Males.	Females.		Males.	Females.	
Palace Street	130	.....	130	.....	.....	.....
George "	59	134	193	.....	.....	.....
The Park	225	.....	225	.....	.....	.....
Victoria Street	140	153	293	.....	217	217
Louisa "	254	94	348	623	.....	623
Elizabeth " .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
John "	165	.....	165	.....	.....	.....
Phoebe "	180	49	229	.....	.....	.....
Givins "	133	.....	133	188	208	396
Totals	1286	430	1716	811	425	1236

N.B.—The Palace Street and Givins Street School Libraries, though kept in the Rooms occupied by the Male Departments of these Schools, are accessible to the pupils of both the Male and Female Departments.

TABLE H.—*Comparative Statement of the City Schools, under Specific headings, from 1844 to 1870, both inclusive.*

Year.	City Population.	Average Registered Attendance.	Average Daily Attendance.	No. of Teachers.	Average Number of Pupils to each Teacher.	Total Cost of Maintaining the Schools.	Cost per Child per an., on basis of Registered Attendance.	Cost per Child per an., on basis of Average Daily Attendance.
1844	18500	.....	1194	12	100	4½ months £1377	.....	\$5 00
1845	19706	.....	1108	12	92	12 " 1921	.....	7 00
1846	20565	.....	1212	15	81	12 " 2011	.....	6 60
1847	21784	.....	1265	13	97	12 " 1871	.....	6 00
1848	23503	.....	1431	13	110	6 " 917	.....	5 50
1849	24126	.....	1325	13	102	6 " 917	.....	5 08
1850	25766	.....	1259	15	91	12 " 1998	.....	6 30
1851	30763	1843	1366	16	85	12 " 2406	\$5 80	7 20
1852	35000	1872	1346	16	84	12 " 2558	5 40	7 40
1853	40000	1886	1402	20	70	12 " 3215	7 00	9 00
1854	41500	1971	1459	21	69	12 " 4176	8 50	11 40
1855	42500	2066	1570	31	50	12 " 5218	10 00	13 00
1856	43250	2318	1747	32	55	12 " 5642	10 00	12 80
1857	45000	2480	1863	36	52	12 " 6054	10 00	13 00
1858	47500	2522	1987	36	55	12 " 6599	9 69	12 50
1859	45000	2742	2150	38	56	12 " 6303	9 20	11 73
1860	45000	2846	2260	38	59	12 " 6511	9 15	11 52
1861	44743	2800	2180	38	57	12 " 6410	9 16	11 75
1862	45000	2825	2183	38	57	12 " 6261	8 94	11 48
1863	47500	3000	2287	38	60	12 " 6409	8 54	11 21
1864	47500	3121	2400	39	61	12 " 6546	8 39	10 91
1865	47500	3248	2251	40	56	12 " 6612	8 11	11 75
1866	47500	3139	2399	41	58	12 " 6887	8 52	11 17
1867	49000	3364	2609	41	64	12 " 6725	7 99	10 31
1868	50000	3657	2810	45	62	12 " 7261	7 94	10 33
1869	55000	3906	3132	46	68	12 " 7615	7 80	9 73
1870	60000	4106	3286	50	63	12 " 8357	8 02	10 02

Examination Papers

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In the Third, or S
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5. How many pounds,
6. Reduce 9 sq. m. 1 a

APPENDIX II.

A.

Examination Papers at the Combined Examination, Monday and Tuesday, June 27th and 28th, 1870.

In the First, or Junior, and in the Second, or Intermediate Division, the examination was entirely oral; with the exception of one paper, namely, that on Arithmetic, in the Second or Intermediate Division.

In the Third, or Senior Division, the examination was conducted altogether in Writing; Reading, of course, excepted.

ARITHMETIC.

2ND DIVISION.

	<i>Values.</i>
1. From four millions seventy thousand and ninety, take six hundred and eighty thousand seven hundred and four.....	15
2. What is the product of $5,858,857 \times 506,007$?.....	15
3. What is the meaning of the arithmetical terms, Integer, Composite Number, Product, Quotient, and Reduction.....	20
4. What number multiplied by 538,362 will make 4,984,155,396?	15
5. How many pounds, shillings and pence are there in \$714.23?	15
6. Reduce 9 sq. m. 1 a. 9 yds. to square inches.....	20
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URING YEAR.

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Attendance.
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per an., on basis
of Average Daily
Attendance.

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ARITHMETIC.

3RD DIVISION.

	<i>Values.</i>
1. A regiment of soldiers contains 1,147 men ; how much cloth would it require to make coats for the whole, each coat taking 4 yds. 1 qr. 3 na. ?.....	10
2. What is meant by a Fraction, a Vulgar Fraction, a Decimal Fraction, a Compound Fraction, and give an example of each ?	10
3. Reduce $\frac{2}{7}$ of $\frac{4}{11}$ of $6\frac{3}{4}$ shillings to the fraction of one pound...	10
4. Reduce 16s. 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. to the decimal of a pound.....	15
5. What are the amount and compound interest of \$714.90 for 2 years at 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. quarterly ?.....	20
6. A post is $\frac{1}{4}$ of its length in the ground, $\frac{2}{5}$ in water, and 9 feet above the water ; what is the length of the post ?.....	20
7. Extract the cube root of 970,299.....	15
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DEFINITIONS AND DERIVATIONS.

Trace accurately the derivation of the following words, giving the meaning of the roots : define the words :—

Aggravate.
Crucifix.
Damask.
Vulgarity.
Gypsy.
Visible.
Anoint.
Centipede.
Tariff.

Eight.
Inimical.
Seem.
Auricular.
Balm.
Perquisite.
Derision.
Mission.
Execute.

Fortify.
Auriferous.
Tripod.
Satiare.
Cadence.
Credible.
Novitiate.

Values.

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1. Write down a list
 2. How many classes each.....
 3. Decline the personal
 4. Write down the following verbs
 5. Define the various
 6. Into what classes they undergo
 7. Parse the words father and the land which the
 8. The boy stood on the
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GRAMMAR.

3RD DIVISION.

	<i>Values.</i>
1. Write down a list of auxiliary verbs.....	10
2. How many classes of adjectives are there? Give examples of each.....	10
3. Decline the personal and the relative pronouns.....	10
4. Write down the past tense and the past participle of the following verbs :—Benefit, shrivel, glorify, shoe, forsake...	10
5. Define the various moods of the verb, illustrating by examples	10
6. Into what classes are adverbs divided? What inflection do they undergo?	10
7. Parse the words in the following sentence :—“ Honour thy father and thy mother that thy days may be long in the land which the Lord thy God giveth thee ”.....	20
8. The boy stood on the burning deck, whence all <i>but</i> he had fled, The flame, that <i>lit</i> the battle's wreck, shone round him <i>o'er</i> the dead ; Yet beautiful and bright he stood, <i>as</i> born to rule the storm ; A creature of heroic blood, a proud, though childish form.	
(1.) Analyse the extract.	
(2.) Parse the italicised words	20
	100

GEOGRAPHY.

3RD DIVISION.

	<i>Values.</i>
1. Name the great mountain chains of Europe	10
2. What islands are there off the south coast of Europe?.....	10
3. What are the principal commercial cities of England?.....	10
4. Where are Reggio, Toulon, Girghenti, Ravenna, Malaga, Scutari, Copenhagen and Cologne?.....	15
5. Mention the names of the Channel Islands and of the Balearic Isles.....	10
6. What are the principal lochs of Scotland?.....	5
7. Give the names and position of the principal rivers of France?	10
8. What are the chief cities of Palestine?.....	10
9. Mention the principal countries of Africa	5
10. State the geographical position of Cape Comorin, Straits of Bab-el-mandeb, Sea of Okhotsk, Straits of Malacca, Calcutta, Mecca, and Singapore.....	15
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1. State what you know of the reign of Edward VI.
2. Trace the genealogy of the British monarchs from Elizabeth I.
3. Mention the names of the principal monarchs of the House of Stuart from Elizabeth I. to George III.
4. Give a brief account of the reign of George III.
5. What were the principal events of the reign of George III?
6. Describe the character of the reign of George III.
7. Give a brief account of the reign of George III, as far as the demands of the people are concerned.
8. What occasioned the American Revolution? Mention the principal events of the war.
9. What renowned statesmen were connected with the American Revolution? Mention the names of the principal statesmen.
10. What are the chief characteristics of the American Republic? Mention the principal features of its government.
11. Give a brief sketch of the history of the American Republic, as far as the reign of George III is concerned.
12. State briefly what you know of the history of the American Republic, as far as the reign of George III is concerned.

HISTORY.

3RD DIVISION.

	<i>Values.</i>
1. State what you know of Somerset, Protector in the reign of Edward VI.....	8
2. Trace the genealogy of Lady Jane Gray.....	8
3. Mention the names of celebrated navigators in the time of Elizabeth.....	8
4. Give a brief account of the Spanish Armada	8
5. What were the claims of James I. to the throne of England ?	8
6. Describe the character of George III	8
7. Give a brief account of the Cato Street Conspiracy, and of the demands of the Chartists	8
8. What occasioned the separation of Hanover from the British Dominions?.....	8
9. What renowned battles were fought during Anne's reign ? Mention the date of each	10
10. What are the chief branches of the British Sovereign's prerogative ?.....	8
11. Give a brief sketch of the administration of the Earl of Elgin, as Governor-General of Canada.....	9
12. State briefly what you know of the municipal institutions of Canada.....	9
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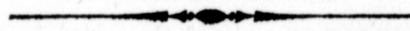
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MENSURATION.

3RD DIVISION.

	<i>Values.</i>
1. What is the number of squares in a partition whose length is 50 feet 6 inches, and height 12 feet 9 inches ?.....	15
2. What cost the roofing of a house at 11s. per square ; the length within the walls being 50 feet 9 inches, and the breadth 30 feet ; the roof being of a true pitch ?.....	20
3. The height of a room, taking in the cornice and mouldings, is 12 feet 6 inches, and the whole compass 83 feet 8 inches ; the three window-shutters are each 7 feet 8 inches by 3 feet 6 inches, and the door 7 feet by 3 feet 6 inches ; the door and shutter, being worked on both sides, are reckoned work and a half. Required the estimate at 6s. per square yard.....	25
4. What is the content of a slated roof, the length being 45 feet 9 inches, and the whole girt 34 feet 3 inches ?.....	20
5. How many rods of standard brick work are in a wall whose length is 57 feet 3 inches, and height 24 feet 6 inches, the wall being $2\frac{1}{2}$ bricks thick ?.....	20
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1. Find the value of	$\{ (a + b + c)^2 - d$
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3. Divide $a^3 - b^3 + c^3$	
4. Find the value of a	(a.) $\frac{1}{5}(x - a) - \frac{1}{24}$ {
	(b.) $\frac{x}{a + x} = \frac{a + x}{x}$
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3RD DIVISION.

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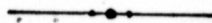
Values.

1. Find the value of $\left\{ a + (b+c)^2 - d \right\} \left\{ (a+b)^2 + (d-c)^2 \right\}$
 $\left\{ (a+b+c)^2 - d \right\}$ when $a=0$, $b=2$, $c=4$, and $d=6$ 15
2. Reduce to its simplest form $1 - \left\{ 1 - (1 - 4x) \right\} + \left\{ 2x - (3 - 5x) \right\} - \left\{ 2 - (-4 + 5x) \right\}$ 10
3. Divide $a^3 - b^3 + c^3 + 3abc$ by $a - b + c$ 15
4. Find the value of x in the equations:
 (a.) $\frac{1}{5}(x-a) - \frac{1}{24} \left\{ m - (a-x) \right\} = \frac{3}{16}(m+x) - \frac{1}{80}(15a+16m)$ 20
 (b.) $\frac{x}{a+x} = \frac{a+x}{x} - \frac{2a-b}{2x}$ 20
5. A and B have the same income. A lays by a fifth of his; but B, by spending annually £80 more than A, at the end of four years finds himself £220 in debt. What was their income? 20
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GEOMETRY.

3RD DIVISION.

	<i>Values.</i>
1. The angles at the base of an isosceles triangle are equal to each other ; and if the equal sides be produced the angles on the other side of this base shall be equal.....	30
2. The angles which one straight line makes with another upon one side of it are either two right angles or are together equal to two right angles.....	20
3. Any two sides of a triangle are together greater than the third side	20
4. In obtuse-angled triangles, if a perpendicular be drawn from either of the acute angles to the opposite side produced, the square on the side subtending the obtuse angle is greater than the squares on the sides containing the obtuse angle, by twice the rectangle contained by the side upon which, when produced, the perpendicular falls, and the straight line intercepted without the triangle between the perpendicular and the obtuse angle.....	30
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LISTS OF PUPILS
as the result of
of June, 1870,

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1. William
2. William
3. Thomas
4. William
5. Edward
6. Thomas
7. John S

1. Margar
2. Phoebe
3. Annie
4. Bessie C
5. Jessie B
6. Eliza J
7. Kate G

- Equal ... {
1. William
 2. Fanny C
 3. Annie A
 4. Thomas V
 5. Georgina
 6. Samuel H
 7. Sarah Gw

B.

LISTS OF PUPILS recommended by the Examiners to receive Honours
as the result of the Combined Examiners, held on the 27th and 28th
of June, 1870, arranged in the order of merit:—

I.

THIRD (SENIOR) DIVISION PUPILS.

Scholarships (Male).

- | | |
|---------------------------------|------------------|
| 1. William Jas. Gilliland | Louisa Street. |
| 2. William R. May | John do. |
| 3. Thomas R. Foy | John do. |
| 4. William J. Moodie | Louisa do. |
| 5. Edward Gilliam | John do. |
| 6. Thomas Tobin | The Park. |
| 7. John Saulter | Victoria Street. |

Prizes (Females).

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|--------------------------|----------------|
| 1. Margaret Newton | Louisa Street. |
| 2. Phoebe Johnston | Phoebe do. |
| 3. Annie Brock | John do. |
| 4. Bessie Clyne | George do. |
| 5. Jessie Bain | do. do. |
| 6. Eliza J Church | do. do. |
| 7. Kate Gram | Victoria do. |

Certificates.

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| Equal ... { | 1. William Ryrie | The Park. |
| | 2. Fanny Coons | Phoebe Street. |
| | 3. Annie Alexander | do. do. |
| | 4. Thomas Watkins | Louisa do. |
| | 5. Georgina Winsor | Victoria do. |
| | 6. Samuel Herst | The Park. |
| | 7. Sarah Gwatkin | Louisa Street. |

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II.

SECOND (SENIOR) DIVISION PUPILS.

Prizes.

- 1. Elizabeth Sams Elizabeth Street.
- 2. Martin Gill Palace do.
- 3. Elizabeth Cerberry Elizabeth do.
- 4. Eliza J. Ross..... The Park.
- 5. Mary Ann Cooper..... do. do.

Certificates.

- 6. Eliza Grady The Park
- 7. Agnes Lumsden Palace Street.
- 8. Margaret A. Lennox .. Givins do.
- 9. Ellen Hulme. Palace do.
- 10. William Beale do. do.
- 11. William Anderson Elizabeth do.

III.

SECOND (INTERMEDIATE) DIVISIONS.

Prizes.

- 1. John Morley..... George Street.
- 2. Thomas H. Briggs..... Victoria do.
- 3. Robert Smith..... George do.
- 4. John Watson..... The Park.
- 5. Emily L. Reeves Phœbe Street.
- 6. Janet Fortune Victoria do.
- 7. Helena Snarr..... George do.
- 8. Jane Blackhall..... do. do.

Certificates.

- 9. Robert Berkinshaw George Street.
- 10. Robert Coburn Victoria do.
- 11. John Greer The Park
- 12. John Esson Phœbe Street.
- 13. Elizabeth Moffat Louisa do.
- 14. William Thomas Hawthorne The Park.

FIRST

- 1. Martha
- 2. Eliza C
- Equals ... { 3. Florenc
- { 4. Mary F
- 5. James
- 6. Matilda
- 7. Sarah I

- Equals ... { 8. Jennie S
- { 9. Mary M
- 10. Alfred I

FIRST (

- 1. Janet W
- 2. Annie C
- 3. Flora Ir
- 4. Laura W
- 5. Sarah Ga
- 6. Frederick
- Equals ... { 7. Bertha S
- { 8. Ida F. S
- 9. John Ge

- Equals ... { 10. Eva M.
- { 11. Charlott
- Equals ... { 12. Laura B
- { 13. Marion T

FIRST (JUNIOR) DIVISION, (CLASS 1.)

Prizes.

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| | 1. Martha Sanderson..... | Elizabeth Street. |
| | 2. Eliza Christina Ashby | do. do. |
| Equals ... { | 3. Florence Duffet..... | The Park. |
| | 4. Mary Ellen Mansell..... | Elizabeth Street. |
| | 5. James McGann..... | do. do. |
| | 6. Matilda Matson | Givins Street. |
| | 7. Sarah Lang | The Park. |

Certificates.

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| Equals ... { | 8. Jennie Smith..... | Givins Street. |
| | 9. Mary Moren | The Park. |
| | 10. Alfred Price | Elizabeth Street. |

FIRST (JUNIOR) DIVISIONS, (CLASS 2.)

Prizes.

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|--------------|----------------------------|---------------|
| | 1. Janet Watson | Phœbe Street. |
| | 2. Annie Clemens..... | do. do. |
| | 3. Flora Irwin | do. do. |
| | 4. Laura Webb | Victoria do. |
| | 5. Sarah Garvin | George do. |
| | 6. Frederick H. Pim..... | Phœbe do. |
| Equals ... { | 7. Bertha Schadel..... | John do. |
| | 8. Ida F. Sharp..... | George do. |
| | 9. John George Lovell..... | do. do. |

Certificates.

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| Equals ... { | 10. Eva M. Hockin | George Street. |
| | 11. Charlotte Thornton..... | Louisa do. |
| Equals ... { | 12. Laura Barley | Victoria do. |
| | 13. Marion Taylor..... | do. do. |

C.

Summary of Certificates of Honour for Regularity and Punctuality of Attendance, &c., granted to Pupils in the several Public Schools at the Summer Examination.

NAME OF SCHOOL.	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
Palace Street.....	16	10	26
George ".....	29	35	64
The Park.....	17	6	23
Victoria Street.....	20	34	54
Louisa ".....	48	30	78
Elizabeth ".....	12	26	38
John ".....	15	21	36
Phæbe ".....	35	51	86
Givins ".....	5	4	9
Total	197	217	414

D.

Summary of Certificates of Honour for Regularity and Punctuality of Attendance, &c., granted to Pupils in the several Public Schools at the Christmas Examination.

NAME OF SCHOOL	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
Palace Street.....	6	5	11.
George ".....	40	27	67
The Park.....	13	6	19
Victoria Street.....	26	19	45
Louisa ".....	59	42	101
Elizabeth ".....	15	15	30
York ".....	5	2	7
John ".....	27	42	69
Phoebe ".....	30	48	78
Givins ".....	9	15	24
Total	230	221	451

*Programme of Studies
City Public School
Pupils from a low
Combined Examination*

I.—E

Division 1.—1st and 2nd part
tion of words
" 2.—Second and Third
words in Reading
" 3.—Fourth and Fifth
derivation of words
Spelling Book,

N.B.—Pupils in Third Division

Division 1.—Pupils to write
" 2.—A plain hand, in
" 3.—A good common

Division 1.—Notation and Numeration, Subtraction
Multiplication
" 2.—Smith and * M
inclusive.
" 3.—The remainder of

IV.—

Division 2.—Davies' Grammar
" 3.—Davies' Grammar

Division 1.—Definitions, according
by Map of the World
" 2.—Lovell's Easy Lessons
to page 42, including
Book Classes, in
" 3.—Lovell's General Grammar
or from Europe,
alternate years.)

E.

Programme of Studies of the Pupils in the respective Divisions of the City Public Schools, having especial reference to the transfer of Pupils from a lower to a higher Division, and to the periodical Combined Examination of selected Pupils.

I.—READING AND SPELLING.

- Division 1.—1st and 2nd parts of First National Reader ; spelling and explanation of words in Readers.
 “ 2.—Second and Third National Readers ; spelling and explanation of words in Readers.
 “ 3.—Fourth and Fifth National Readers ; spelling, definition, and derivation of words in Readers.
 Spelling Book, Canadian Series.

N.B.—Pupils in Third Division to be tested in spelling, by means of dictation.

II.—WRITING.

- Division 1.—Pupils to write on slates.
 “ 2.—A plain hand, including capitals and figures.
 “ 3.—A good commercial or correspondence hand.

III.—ARITHMETIC.

- Division 1.—Notation and Numeration, to nine places of figures. Simple Addition, Subtraction, and Multiplication ; with the Addition and Multiplication Tables.
 “ 2.—Smith and * McMurchy's Elementary Arithmetic to page 69, inclusive.
 “ 3.—The remainder of Smith and McMurchy's Elementary Arithmetic.

IV.—ENGLISH GRAMMAR.

- Division 2.—Davies' Grammar, to page 51 inclusive.
 “ 3.—Davies' Grammar, to the end.

V.—GEOGRAPHY.

- Division 1.—Definitions, according to Lovell's General Geography, illustrated by Map of the World.
 “ 2.—Lovell's Easy Lessons in General Geography, from the beginning to page 42, inclusive ; or from page 44 to the end. (For Third Book Classes, in alternate years.)
 “ 3.—Lovell's General Geography, to the end of South America (page 53) ; or from Europe, beginning on the same page, to the end. (In alternate years.)

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VI.—HISTORY.

Division 3.—Collier's British History, from the beginning to page 168, inclusive ; or from page 169 to the end. (In alternate years). Outlines of the History of Canada, to be communicated by Teachers, according to Hodgins.

VII.—MENSURATION.

Division 3.—Text Book ; National Treatise. The whole of Section 2nd. Section 3rd omitted. Section 4th to Problem 13, inclusive. Also, from page 144 to page 164, on "Artificer's Work."

VIII.—ALGEBRA.

Division 3.—Colenso's Algebra, to Simple Equations, inclusive.

IX.—GEOMETRY.

Division 3.—1st and 2nd Books of Euclid.

N.B.—The study of subjects VII., VIII., and IX., is optional, but credit will be given at the Combined Examination for proficiency in them, which will be taken into account in the award of Grammar School Scholarships.

X.

Instead of the last named three subjects, or, in addition to them, Book-keeping may be taken by any Senior Pupil, at the wish of his parent or guardian. The National Book-keeping to be used for this purpose.

Vocal Music and Drawing are regarded rather as School recreations than as School work to be required.

JAMES PORTER,

Local Superintendent.

Sanctioned by "Board of School Trustees," as revised and amended, October 7th, 1868, September 1869, and May 4th 1870.

Books, &c., required for

See School Regulations,

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Books, &c., required for the use of Pupils in the respective Divisions of the Public Schools of the City of Toronto.

See School Regulations, No. 6, and instructions to Teachers, No. 20. page 11.

FIRST DIVISION.

First part of First National Reader.
Second part of First National Reader.
A Slate.

SECOND DIVISION.

Second National Reader.
Third National Reader.
A Slate.
A Copy-Book.
Smith and McMurchy's Elementary Arithmetic.
Davies' English Grammar.
Lovell's Easy Lessons on General Geography.

THIRD DIVISION.

Fourth National Reader.
Fifth National Reader.
Spelling-Book—Canadian Series.
A Slate.
A Copy-Book.
Smith and McMurchy's Elementary Arithmetic.
Davies' English Grammar.
Lovell's General Geography.
Collier's British History.

FOR PUPILS IN MATHEMATICS.

National Treatise on Mensuration.
Colenso's Algebra.
Euclid's Elements.

FOR PUPILS IN BOOK-KEEPING.

The National Book-keeping.

JAMES PORTER,
Local Superintendent.

Sanctioned by Board of School Trustees, October 7th, 1868, September, 1869,
and May 4th. 1870.

APPENDIX III.

Secretary's Abstract Statement of the Estimated Cost of Maintaining the City Schools, for the year 1870.

1. Annual Interest, at 6 per cent, on permanent Investment of say \$109,000, for the Eleven School Sites, Buildings, and School Furniture, &c., (as set forth in No. IV.) ..	\$6,540 00
2. Annual Estimate as the Average Expense of Dilapidations, Repairs to Buildings, &c.....	2,500 00
3. Salaries of Secretary, Superintendent, and Forty-six Teachers; payments to Auditor and Examiners; and allowances to Ten Caretakers (nine Schools and one Office) ..	20,000 00
4. Rents and Taxes	200 00
5. Election Expenses	150 00
6. Coal, Wood, and Cutting Wood (Winter 1869-70)	1,750 00
7. Insurance on Ten School Buildings, Furniture, &c.	500 00
8. Printing and Advertising; Maps, Prize Books; Pens, Ink and Stationary for the Schools; and Stationary for the Board and Offices	700 00
9. Miscellaneous Expenses	610 00
	\$32,950 00

APPENDIX IV.

Secretary's Statement of the Estimated Value of the School Premises, Sites and Buildings belonging to the Board of Trustees of the City of Toronto, at the 31st December, 1870, namely:

Ward of Saint David. { The Park School	\$9,250 00	
{ George St. "	9,250 00	
	18,500 00	
Ward of Saint Lawrence—Palace Street School, as now enlarged to accommodate 4 instead of 2 Divisions as heretofore.....	8,500 00	
Ward of Saint James. { Victoria Street School.....	15,000 00	
{ House and Lot, corner Church and Alexander Streets, bought for School purposes ..	3,800 00	
	18,800 00	
Ward of Saint John. { Louisa Street School.....	\$9,250 00	} 10,750 00
{ Addition to same.....	1,500 00	
{ Elizabeth Street School.....	7,750 00	
	18,500 00	
Ward of Saint Patrick. { Phoebe Street School.....	15,000 00	
{ Givins " "	3,750 00	
	18,750 00	
Ward of Saint George—John Street School	16,250 00	
Ward of Saint Andrew—New School, York Street.....	3,200 00	
	102,500 00	
Add for Inside Fitting-up, Furniture, and School Apparatus estimated at say	6,500 00	
Total	\$109,000 00	

(Certified,)

G. A. BARBER,
SECRETARY,
B. S. T.

TORONTO, January, 1871.

Brought J

7.—John Street School
Mr. R. Armstrong
Mr. G. Ringham

8.—Phoebe Street School
Mr. L. Ritchey
Mr. Hubbard
Mr. G. Ringham

9.—Givins Street School
Mr. L. Ritchey

10.—York Street School
Mr. R. Armstrong
Mr. G. Ringham
Jacques and Hay,
and Seats, &c.
Boxall, Stoves &c.,

O. Tolliver, Whitewashing
Wm. Berry, emptying
Messrs. Boxall, taking
new pipes &c., and
Mr. J. Greenlees, services,

Reglazing at all the Schools
East.....
West

Centre

Sweeping Chimneys, at all
Moving and Repling Wood
Repairs to Gas Fittings ..
do. to Office Furniture ..
Sundries, Hardware &c

Miscellaneous.....

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7.—John Street School—

Mr. R. Armstrong.....	112 06	
Mr. G. Ringham	8 25	
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8.—Phoebe Street School—

Mr. L. Ritchey.....	174 00	
Mr. Hubbard.....	25 45	
Mr. G. Ringham	7 13	
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9.—Givins Street School—

Mr. L. Ritchey	<hr/>	170 50
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10.—York Street School—

Mr. R. Armstrong.....	154 75	
Mr. G. Ringham	9 75	
Jacques and Hay, new Furniture, Desks and Seats, &c.,	107 84	
Boxall, Stoves &c.,	34 70	
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O. Tolliver, Whitewashing and Colouring, all the Schools	210 00
Wm. Berry, emptying Water-Closets, all the Schools	285 00
Messrs. Boxall, taking down, &c., Stove-pipes; new pipes &c., and Sundries	189 18
Mr. J. Greenlees, services, as Supt. of Works.....	70 00

Reglazing at all the Schools, viz. :

East.....	14 10	
West	13 55	
Centre	8 75	
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Sweeping Chimneys, at all the Schools	8 60	
Moving and Repiling Wood	6 00	
Repairs to Gas Fittings	6 50	
do. to Office Furniture	9 85	
Sundries, Hardware &c	7 91	
Miscellaneous.....	4 00	
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Carried forward.....\$26,092 96

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7. Printing and Advertising ; Stationery ; and other School Requisites, viz. :—	
The GUARDIAN Office, School Report, 1869.....	\$81 91
Mr. H. Rowsell, Printing General, \$62 56 ; do. Special, \$98	160 56
The <i>Globe</i> Company, Printing...	12 00
Copp, Clarke, and Co., Litho- Education Office, Prize Books, \$17 03 ; School Maps, \$34 25 ;	51 28
Mr. H. McElwaine Slate-paint- ing all the School Black- boards	170 00
Messrs. Buntin Bros., Pens, Holders, for School Pupils.	90 00
Messrs. Arthurs and Co., Tow- els and Dusters, for School use	19 66
Messrs. Joseph and Co., Ther- mometers, for School use ; and repairs to School Clocks	9 25
Mr. H. Rowsell, Stationers, Ink, &c., for the Schools, \$71 36—for the Offices and Board, \$30 35 ; and Blank Books, ruled to pattern, \$33 75.....	134 46
Advertising—City Papers	7 25
Chalk, \$5 00—Acid, \$3 50.....	8 50
School Books for an Indigent Pupil	1 40
Sample Box Crayons and charges	1 15
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8. Miscellaneous, viz. :

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8. Miscellaneous, viz. :		
Returning Officers, School Trustees' Elections..	\$107 00	
Messrs Ross, Lauder & Co., Professional servives...	29 58	
Messrs Fulton & Michie, Candles, School Lectures.	16 80	
Cab Hire for Committees, Secretary and I. Supt...	58 25	
Gas account for the year.....	20 20	
Post Office account and postage stamps	11 53	
Copying voters lists, Trustees Election	4 00	
Overpaid account at Dec. 31st, 1869.....	29 60	
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9. Debentures—Principal, Interest, and Sinking Fund, issued for School Buildings, and falling due in 1870		
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1870 Total Expenditure	31,729 08	
Balance to 1871.....	5,553 27	
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TORONTO, January, 1871.

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Audited and Approved,
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