

NOVA SCOTIA—EDUCATIONAL STATISTICS FOR THE YEAR ENDED
31st OCTOBER, 1889.—*Continued.*

COUNTY ACADEMIES.

Number of Pupils.	Males.	Females.	Average Age.	Average Attendance.	Number of Teachers and Assistants.
1,482	790	692	16·1	800	34

SPECIAL ACADEMIES.

ACADEMY.	Teachers and Assistants.	Number of Pupils.	Average Attendance.	Income.	Expenditure.
Institution for deaf and dumb	11	74	60	\$ 9,078	\$ 8,948
School for blind	10	36	31	Not given.	Not given.

659. The Provincial Board of Education of New Brunswick Education in New Brunswick consists of the Lieutenant-Governor, the members of the Executive Council, the President of the University of New Brunswick, and the Chief Superintendent of Education.

660. The total number of pupils enrolled during the year was 68,221, being a decrease of 47; and there was also a decrease in the number of schools, though there was an increase in the number of teachers, owing to more assistants being provided in schools where the attendance was large. The average daily attendance for the year was 51·51 per cent., that for the term ended 31st December, 1888, having been 52·54 per cent., and for that ended 30th June, 1889, 51·48 per cent. The proportion of the estimated population attending the Public schools was 1 in 6·14. The Superintendent of Education in his report strongly urges the enactment of a compulsory attendance law.

661. The Government expenditure for the year was \$135,139; the county fund amounted to \$94,508, and the district assess- Expenditure.