

1404. The following particulars relating to the schools of Quebec are taken from the annual reports of the province.

EDUCATIONAL STATISTICS, QUEBEC, 1892 AND 1893.

|   | 1892.              | 1893.              |
|---|--------------------|--------------------|
|   | No.                | No.                |
| Municipalities.....                           | 1,217              | 1,221              |
| School houses.....                            | 5,439              | 5,397              |
| Elementary Schools.....                       | 4,934              | 4,963              |
| Models.....                                   | 491                | 493                |
| Academies.....                                | 150                | 141                |
| Normal Schools.....                           | 3                  | 3                  |
| Classical Colleges.....                       | 17                 | 17                 |
| Universities.....                             | 4                  | 4                  |
| Institutions for blind and deaf mutes.....    | 4                  | 4                  |
| Schools of Arts and Manufactures.....         | 9                  | 9                  |
| <b>Total Schools.....</b>                     | <b>5,612</b>       | <b>5,634</b>       |
| Pupils in Elementary schools.....             | 183,981            | 187,979            |
| “ Model schools.....                          | 79,533             | 79,223             |
| “ Academies.....                              |                    |                    |
| “ Normal schools.....                         | 1,063              | 1,073              |
| “ Classical Colleges.....                     | 5,021              | 5,024              |
| “ Universities.....                           | 1,298              | 1,109              |
| “ Blind and deaf institutions.....            | 488                | 514                |
| “ Schools of Arts and Manufactures.....       | 1,047              | 1,047              |
| <b>Total.....</b>                             | <b>272,431</b>     | <b>275,969</b>     |
| Average attendance in Elementary schools..... | 131,675            | 133,183            |
| Number of teachers “ “.....                   | 4,986              | 5,020              |
| “ “ in all others.....                        | 4,311              | 4,277              |
| Expenditure by Government—                    |                    |                    |
| Elementary schools.....                       | \$ 168,000         | \$ 170,000         |
| All others.....                               | 78,410             | 78,410             |
| Expenditure by People—                        |                    |                    |
| Elementary schools.....                       | 1,095,914          | 1,150,635          |
| <b>Total Expenditure.....</b>                 | <b>\$1,342,324</b> | <b>\$1,399,045</b> |

1405. The Council of Public Instruction in Nova Scotia consists of the members of the Executive Council. There is also a Superintendent of Education. The local management of the public schools is in the hands of trustees, chosen by the ratepayers of the section.