

## QUEBEC.

Educational matters in the province of Quebec are under the control of the Superintendent of Public Instruction, assisted by a council consisting of 35 members, and divided into committees for the management of Roman Catholic and Protestant schools respectively. The schools are maintained partly by local taxation and partly by Government grants, and are individually controlled by local boards, or by the local clergy.

The following table gives the number of educational institutions of all grades in the province:—

## EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS IN QUEBEC, 1896-97.

INSTITUTIONS.	Under Control of Municipalities.	Independent.	Elementary.	Superior.	Totals.
<i>Roman Catholic Schools.</i>					
Elementary schools .....	4,133	75	4,208	..	4,208
Model schools .....	344	131	..	475	475
Academies .....	35	103	..	138	138
Normal schools .....	..	2	..	2	2
Classical colleges .....	..	18	..	18	18
Universities .....	..	2	..	2	2
Schools for deaf-mutes and the blind. ....	..	3	..	3	3
Total .....	4,512	334	4,208	638	4,846
<i>Protestant Schools.</i>					
Elementary schools .....	899	8	907	..	907
Model schools .....	49	..	..	49	49
Academies .....	27	..	..	27	27
Normal schools .....	..	1	..	1	1
Colleges affiliated to universities .....	..	3	..	3	3
Universities .....	..	2	..	2	2
Schools for deaf-mutes and the blind .....	..	1	..	1	1
Total .....	975	15	907	83	990
Schools of arts and manufactures .....	..	7	..	..	7
Schools of agriculture and dairy schools .....	..	5	..	..	5
Grand total of schools .....	5,487	361	5,115	721	5,848