

## POPULATION.

TABLE V. Education of the people—School attendance and educational status.

| Classes.                                       | 1871.     | 1881.               | 1891.     | 1901.     |
|------------------------------------------------|-----------|---------------------|-----------|-----------|
| <b>CANADA.</b>                                 |           |                     |           |           |
| Total population.....                          | 3,485,761 | 4,324,810           | 4,833,239 | 5,371,315 |
| Population five years and over .....           | 2,976,088 | 3,784,359           | 4,229,634 | 4,728,350 |
| No. at school .....                            | 681,891   | 788,577             | -         | 911,661   |
| Male .....                                     | 351,122   | 408,387             | -         | 463,646   |
| Female .....                                   | 330,769   | 380,190             | -         | 448,015   |
| No. of five years and over can read only ..... | -         | -                   | 207,126   | 129,584   |
| No. can read and write .....                   | -         | -                   | 3,176,667 | 3,918,915 |
| No. cannot read .....                          | -         | -                   | -         | 680,132   |
| <b>British Columbia<sup>1</sup>.</b>           |           |                     |           |           |
| Total population .....                         | -         | 49,459              | 98,173    | 178,657   |
| Population five years and over .....           | -         | 44,602              | 88,337    | 163,336   |
| No. at school .....                            | -         | 4,305               | -         | 20,262    |
| Male .....                                     | -         | 2,219               | -         | 10,305    |
| Female .....                                   | -         | 2,086               | -         | 9,957     |
| No. of five years and over can read only ..... | -         | -                   | 719       | 973       |
| No. can read and write .....                   | -         | -                   | 63,256    | 121,782   |
| No. cannot read .....                          | -         | -                   | -         | 40,581    |
| <b>Manitoba.<sup>1</sup></b>                   |           |                     |           |           |
| Total population.....                          | -         | 62,260 <sup>2</sup> | 152,506   | 255,211   |
| Population five years and over .....           | -         | 52,993              | 130,098   | 219,290   |
| No. at school .....                            | -         | 6,399               | -         | 43,560    |
| Male .....                                     | -         | 3,401               | -         | 22,256    |
| Female .....                                   | -         | 2,998               | -         | 21,304    |
| No. of five years and over can read only ..... | -         | -                   | 2,974     | 3,083     |
| No. can read and write.....                    | -         | -                   | 106,250   | 184,295   |
| No. cannot read .....                          | -         | -                   | -         | 31,912    |
| <b>New Brunswick.</b>                          |           |                     |           |           |
| Total population.....                          | 285,594   | 321,233             | 321,263   | 331,120   |
| Population five years and over .....           | 244,668   | 277,786             | 281,440   | 290,732   |
| No. at school .....                            | 38,511    | 53,809              | -         | 59,273    |
| Male .....                                     | 20,317    | 27,867              | -         | 30,039    |
| Female .....                                   | 18,194    | 25,942              | -         | 29,234    |
| No. of five years and over can read only ..... | -         | -                   | 16,006    | 10,618    |
| No. can read and write.....                    | -         | -                   | 206,819   | 233,060   |
| No. cannot read .....                          | -         | -                   | -         | 47,054    |
| <b>Nova Scotia.</b>                            |           |                     |           |           |
| Total population.....                          | 387,800   | 440,572             | 450,396   | 459,574   |
| Population five years and over .....           | 334,127   | 383,115             | 398,391   | 407,152   |
| No. at school .....                            | 78,488    | 84,915              | -         | 84,365    |
| Male .....                                     | 40,753    | 44,308              | -         | 42,410    |
| Female .....                                   | 37,735    | 40,607              | -         | 41,955    |
| No. of five years and over can read only ..... | -         | -                   | 27,584    | 18,143    |
| No. can read and write.....                    | -         | -                   | 303,137   | 331,007   |
| No. cannot read .....                          | -         | -                   | -         | 58,002    |

<sup>1</sup> Not taken in 1871. <sup>2</sup> See note at page 5.