

## Subsection 1.—The Provincially-Controlled Schools.

It is considered that the best general test of the efficiency of public general education in Canada is furnished by the statistics of Table 2, showing the 1931 age-grade distribution of 1,416,667 pupils in the provincially-controlled schools of seven provinces. Many other tables of this form, analysing age-grade distribution by provinces, by sex, and by rural and urban areas and graded or ungraded schools, may be consulted in the Dominion Bureau of Statistics' "Annual Survey of Education in Canada, 1931", pp. 22-43.

## 2.—Provincially-Controlled Schools in Canada; Distribution of 1,416,667 Pupils in Seven Provinces, by Age and Grade, 1931.

Age.	Elementary Grades.								
	K. and K.P. <sup>1</sup>	I.	II.	III.	IV.	V.	VI.	VII.	VIII.
4.....	-	204	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5.....	6,808	7,548	45	2	-	-	-	-	-
6.....	16,726	62,643	4,236	216	9	-	-	-	-
7.....	6,677	88,253	30,509	4,294	460	16	-	-	-
8.....	1,748	46,495	58,558	25,430	7,861	532	29	5	-
9.....	449	18,431	39,961	42,007	36,606	7,794	738	68	3
10.....	130	7,178	18,566	28,590	49,192	35,037	7,633	812	143
11.....	61	2,900	7,487	13,944	31,793	43,431	27,632	6,557	1,302
12.....	23	1,542	3,271	6,339	17,102	31,536	23,322	24,112	8,422
13.....	13	797	1,535	3,139	8,787	18,200	28,700	33,130	25,809
Totals, 7-13.....	9,101	165,596	159,855	123,743	151,600	136,546	103,054	64,684	35,679
14.....	18	425	753	1,544	4,211	9,912	17,323	25,897	34,827
15.....	-	196	328	600	1,579	4,065	7,968	13,233	23,232
16.....	1	77	115	177	468	1,069	2,365	4,437	10,852
17.....	-	35	29	63	127	234	407	910	2,761
Totals, 14-17.....	19	733	1,225	2,384	6,385	15,280	28,063	44,477	73,672
18.....	-	18	19	23	30	61	82	155	571
19.....	-	25	13	36	40	39	61	56	174
Grand Totals.....	32,149	236,767	165,423	126,404	158,064	151,926	131,269	109,372	110,096

Age.	Secondary Grades.					Totals.		Grand Total.	
	IX.	X.	XI.	XII.	Special.	Unclas- sified.	Elemen- tary.		Second- ary.
4.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	204	-	204
5.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	13,898	-	13,898
6.....	-	-	-	-	-	296	83,830	-	84,126
7.....	-	-	-	-	-	229	130,209	-	130,438
8.....	-	-	-	-	-	243	140,456	-	140,699
9.....	-	-	-	-	-	275	146,056	-	146,332
10.....	30	-	-	-	-	234	147,281	30	147,545
11.....	422	29	-	-	2	217	135,107	453	135,777
12.....	3,609	436	8	-	86	188	130,669	4,139	134,996
13.....	12,262	3,227	391	1	476	140	120,110	16,357	136,607
Totals, 7-13.....	18,324	3,692	399	1	564	1,526	949,883	20,980	972,394
14.....	21,090	10,336	2,926	41	1,051	74	94,919	35,444	130,428
15.....	20,517	16,274	8,730	617	1,379	33	53,201	47,517	100,751
16.....	11,243	13,836	13,684	2,464	814	5	19,561	42,041	61,697
17.....	3,981	7,173	10,742	4,397	544	-	4,566	26,837	31,403
Totals, 14-17.....	56,831	47,619	36,082	7,519	3,788	112	172,238	151,839	324,189
18.....	1,064	2,360	5,333	3,502	406	1	959	12,685	13,645
19.....	535	1,042	2,798	2,801	588	3	444	7,764	8,211
Grand Totals.....	74,774	54,713	44,612	13,323	5,346	1,938	1,231,461	193,268	1,416,667

<sup>1</sup> Kindergarten and Kindergarten-primary.