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## REPORT.

Department of the Interior, Bureau of Education, Washington, D. C., June 30, 1885.

Sis-I have the honor to submit my fifteenth Annual Report, for the year ending June 30, 1885.
In all the work of this Office it has been my endearor to regard with the utmost care the spirit and letter of the law proriding for its operations. ${ }^{1}$
The appropriations for the Office hare never been sufficient to enable it to do all the work legitimately required of it within the law.
For the year covered by this Report the items of the appropriation were as follows:

| Salari | , 02260 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Library | 50000 |
| Current educational periodicals | 25000 |
| Other current publications. | 22500 |
| Completing valuable sets | 20000 |
| Collecting statistics.. | 2, 200 co |
| Distributing documents | 2,000 00 |
| Total. | 49,39760 |

## IIBRARY.

The Office may very properly be described as an agency for collecting and disseminating information on the subject of education.
The collected information forms already a professional library of great ralue. This library, its collection, preservation, and cataloguing, hare been objects of my constant care during my sisteen years in this Office. Not a hundred rolumes belonged to the library when I assumed direction. Now there are 17,500 rolumes and 45,000 pamphlets.
There was no official pedagogical library for a model by which to shape my efforts. But the plan which I adopted for the general work of the Office was applied to the collection of this library. Keeping in mind sound pedagogical principles-
First, I sought to answer as far as possible the reasonable demands made for information.
Second, I did not seek to communicate my own opinions, but facts and the opinions of others, and to treat all subjects by historical and comparative methods.

[^0]In this way all data naturally had a habitation and a name, and the organization o. the iuformation became geographical instead of purely logical. Demands came for facts about education as conducted at places. Persons reported education at places. Its history was always located. Necessarily the Annual Reports were made on a geographical basis. All the information, whether about a system or an institution, appeared in connection with its place, whether in descriptive text or statistical tables. The same principles substantially determined the arrangement of the library, the logical element, however, being allowed to come in wherever it could facilitate the work to be done.

The intelligent conduct of the work of the Office, as required by the law for its establishment, demanded, it seemed to me, that there should be at hand all current publications on education. These were, First, reports of systems, State and city, and of institutions of education,-catalogues, announcements, etc. Second, educational periodicals. Third, treatises on educational topics,-pedagogical works. Fourth, dictionaries and encyclopedias and other books of reference in different languages.
Beyond these printed materials imperatively demanded in our work, there was a great variety of other publications to which our inquiries naturally led us, and which we sought to supply as the means furnished the Office permitted. There were, therefore, Fifth, biographies and local histories, for these often supply, in this country especially, the only recorded data of the history of education. Sixth, travels often were the ouly source of information on education in foreign countries. Seventh, general history, although in the main its construction did not give due importance to education. Eighth, works of eminent men who had specially thought or written or spoken on the subject of education. Ninth, looking upon education as I did, as the means given man for changing his condition, I naturally sought to arrange around this agency all the tests of its results as they are to be found in reports or discussions on sanitation, insanity, charity, pauperism, crime, the improvement of labor, or the advancement of health; a great rariety of these publications are statistical, and are now made by general, State, or city governments. Tenth, general magazine and newspaper literature, which occasionally is the exclusive source of educational information. Eleventh, a great variety of ephemeral publications, often the only source of names and dates.

A special embarrassment connected with the organization of the library has arisen from the fact that we never have had suitable room for the installation of books and pamphlets. We have always had to use the rooms of the library for the general clerical purposes of the Office, and several times the removal of the Office from one building to another has necessitated a perilous carrying of the books to and fro.

It is hoped that only one more removal may be necessary, and that when the appropriate building has been erected for the Office, where the library will take its permanent place.

Every opportunity has been improved to add value to the library. The largest amount appropriated by Congress has been $\$ 1,000$ a year for the purchase of books, with additional small amounts to be expended for periodicals, completing sets, etc. For the last several years only $\$ 500$ per annum has been appropriated for books.

The most valuable collection of books and pamphlets in the country relating to eltcation was that made during his life-long labors with mach difficulty by my eminer predecessor, Hou. Henry Barnard, LL. D., and was still in his possession. Fortunatei. he was prepared to sell this collection to the Office and to receive his pay in sma amounts from year to year, as appropriations to the Office warranted and other demanu: permitted. This formed an admirable nucleus for all additions, and saved great expense and labor. Many gifts have been made to the collection by those who have gratuitously aided in furnishing information used annually by the Office. These gifts have been largely reports, pamphlets, catalogues, etc. A large share of the foreign material has been obtained by exchange. Great foreign interest has been shown in the publications of the Office.

There has never been a librarian furnished in terms of law by act of Congress. For the first several years it was impossible to assign the library to the care of any one in particular. Aiter finishing the special report on libraries, ㅅ. li. Warren, A. M., one of the gentlemen that had been assigned to the care of that publication and oue of my most scholarly assistants, in addition to other work, was giren the care of the library. A scheme for a card catalogue by authors and by subjects was developed, and the work of cataloguing was commenced and has been since carried on as the demands upon the Office would permit. This catalogue now contains $\boldsymbol{\pi} 0,000$ cards. Since Mr. Wineren's resignation Henderson Presnell, A. M., has faithfully and efficiently carried on 1he work commenced, aided by competent assistants, as the general demands upon the Office would allow.
Eminent librarians of the country have given more or less special attention to every department of library organization, excepting the pedagogical. Mr. C. A. Cutter, of the Boston Athenæum, however, after much care, in the light of his great experience, developed a scheme for cataloguing a pedagogical collection. His plan has been of special service to us.
It has been my earnest desire that the office of each State and city superintendent of instruction, and especially the large libraries of the country and the libraries of colleges where pedagogical chairs were established, and also normal school libraries, should undertake the organization of pedagogical collections. Wherever any effort of this character has developed it has been my earnest endeavor to aid it so far as in my power. A considerable number of important collections have been commenced.
It is well known that the strength and character of any learned profession may he determined by its literature.
The collection, reading, and cataloguing of educational works would be much more effective in adrancing the vocation of the educator to the position of a learned profession than all the resolutions that all the educational conventions may pass. The interest in the quality and amount of literature touching the different phases of education has increased rapidly in recent years, and it is hoped that the publication of this catalogue will serve to furnish much needed information to those now making these collections for themselves.

It gives me peculiar satisfaction to be able to state that the catalogue of the library is so far adranced that it will soon be ready for print.

## PUBLICATIONS.

The law establishing the Office provides for the annual reports, and the appropriation acts from year to jear provide for special reports, circulars of information, or bulletins. The nature of the work under the geueral law and the specific acts of appropriation may be said to require the communication of information by correspondence. Orer 22,000 letters were sent out during the year, discussing a great variety of topics, and some of them comprising manuscripts of considerable length. The number of reports. circulars, and other docaments distributed was 348,864 .
The preparation of circulars, bulletins, and special reports has always had in view some specitic end. In each case the treatment of the topic has been as thorough and complete as the means at command audother circumstances would permit. The pubiication when thas prepared and made has been reissued as the demands for the information it contains have requiret. A publication of this Ofice issued upon a specific topic just coming into importance in the discussions of the country may be said in all cases to be followed by great growth of information upon that particular topic. New investigations are stimulated and reported, additional experiments are made, modifications are introduced, and thus, after a time, a revision of the publication becomes necessary. ${ }^{1}$

[^1]The information sent in response to special inquiries would often be of interest to the general public, but its communication is impossible in the limited compass of the Annual Report. In this Report, from year to year, while including in the briefest terms some notion of the work of the Office, I have sought specially to include statistical and other condensed statements, giving as correctly as possible a view of the progress of education in this country and elsewhere. The following circulars and bulletins have been published since those recited in my previous Report:

## Circulars-

No. 5, 1884. Suggestions respecting the Educational Exhibit at the World's Industrial and Cotton Centennial Exposition.

No. 6, 1884. Rural schools: progress in the past; means of improvement in the future.
No. 7, 1884. Aims and methods of the teaching of physics.
No. 1, 1885. City school systems in the United States.
No. 2, 1885. Teachers' institutes.
Preliminary circular respecting the exhibit of education at the World's Industrial and Cotton Centennial Exposition.

Educational congress at Havre.
Articles exhibited at the Southern Exposition, Louisville, Ky.
Also new editions of the following have been printed:
Circulars-
Circular No. 4, 1880. Rural school architecture.
Circular No. 5, 1881. Causes of deafness among school children.
Circular No. 4, 1882. Industrial art in schools.
Circular No. 2, 1883. Co-education of the sexes in the public schools of the United States.

Circular No. 2, 1884. The teaching, practice, and literature of short-hand.
Circular No. 5, 1884. Suggestions respecting the educational exhibits at the World's Industrial and Cotton Centennial Exposition.

Circular No. 6, 1884. Rural schools: progress in the past; means of improvement in the future.

Circular No. 1, 1885. City school systems in the United States.

## Bulletins-

The discipline of the school.
Natural science in secondary schools.
Planting trees in school grounds and the celebration of Arbor Day.
Building for the children of the South.
Instruction in morals and civil government.
Of the work of publication by the Bureau, I may say, first, it should be greatly enlarged; secondly, facilities should be furnished the Office so that it can print bulletins,

[^2]circulars, etc., when circumstances demand, more promptly than heretofore, in larger or smaller numbers, with or without illustrations, and in any proper modification of form that may best meet the interests of education. The General Gorernment has always responded in a greater or less degree to the idea that the intelligence and rirtue of the people are essential to its preservation and prosperity. Evidences of the thought in the minds of our statesmen that they hare some responsibility for the intelligence of the people appear in the form and character of the government publications from the earliest date. Our government reports are not made solely for the information of the government oficials to whom they are addressed; they are uniformly expected to contain information of use to the people with regard to the function of the Government which these reports represent. ${ }^{1}$

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## Cnder Commissioner Eaton.

AKETAL REPORTS.
Report of the Commissioner of Education, made to the Secretary of the Interior, for the jear 18\%0, With accompanying papers. Washington,1870. $8^{\circ} .579 \mathrm{pp}$.
Report of the Commissioner of Education for the year 1571. Washington,1872. $8^{\circ}$. 725 pp .
Same for the year 1872. Washington, 1873. $\varsigma^{\circ} .88+1018 \mathrm{pp}$.
Same for the year 1873. Washington, 1874. $8^{\circ} .178+870 \mathrm{pp}$.
Same for the year 1874. Washington, 1875. $8^{\circ} .152+935 \mathrm{pp}$.
Same for the year 1875. Washington, 1876. $8^{\circ} .174+1016 \mathrm{pp}$.
Same for the jear 1876. Washington, 1878. 80. $214+942 \mathrm{pp}$.
Same for the year 1877. Washington, 1879. $8^{\circ} .206+644 \mathrm{pp}$.
Same for the year 18:8. Washington, 1880. $S^{\circ} .202+730 \mathrm{pp}$.
Same for the year 1879. Washington,1881. $8^{\circ} .230+757 \mathrm{pp}$.
Same for the year 18s0. Washington, 1882. $8^{\circ} .262+914 \mathrm{pp}$.
Same for the year 1881. Washington, 1883. $8^{\circ} .2 \pi+810 \mathrm{pp}$.
Same for the year 1882-' 83 . Washington, 1881. $8^{\circ} .293+872 \mathrm{pp}$.
Same for the year 1883-81. Washington, 1885. $8^{0} .271+943 \mathrm{pp}$.
Same for the year 1884-85. In course of preparation.
SPECLAL REPORTS.
Contributions to the annals of medical progress and medical education in the United States before and during the war of independence, by Joseph M[eredith] Toner, M.D. Washington,187. $8^{\circ}$. 118 pp.
Public libraries in the Cnited States of America; their history, condition, and management. Washington, 1876. $8^{\circ}$. Part I, $36+1187 \mathrm{pp}$. ; Part II, 89 pp .
Contributions to the history of medical education and medical institutions in the United States of America, 1770-1876. By N. S. Daris, A. M., M. D. Washington, 1877. $8^{\circ} .60 \mathrm{pp}$.
Industrial education in the United States. 1883.
History of the University of Missouri.
History of the Philadelphia Normal School for Girls.
In press-
History of Indian education and civilization.
Industrial and high art education in the United States. Vol.I.
Educational ezhibits and conventions at the World's Industrial and Cotton Centennial Exposition, 1884-'85.
Outlines for a museum of anatomy.

## GOVERNMENTAL PROVISION FOR EDUCATION.

But the efiorts of the Government for the enlightenment of the people have not been limited to its system of official reports. The Congressional Library, the Smithsonian Institution, the National Museum, the scientific and historical worl carried on under the auspices of the War Department, the foundation and support of the Naral Obserratory, the geological surreys and agricultural investigations under the auspices of the Interior Department, indicate the disposition on the part of the Government to make costly provision for searching out knowledge and preserving and distributing the same for the benefit of the public.
More striking evidence of the view which the Government has taken of its obligation in this respect is furnished by the grants of land and money for the establishment and endormment of schools.

## CIRCULARS OF INFORMCATION.

Circular of Information of the Burean of Education, for August, 1870. 80. 70 pp.-Contents: Illiteracy of 1860 ; educational statistics; Virchow on school-room diseases; education of French and Prussian conscripts; school organization, etc.
Same for July, 1871. 8 . $4 \mathrm{Spp.-Contents:} \mathrm{Public} \mathrm{instruction} \mathrm{in} \mathrm{Sweden} \mathrm{and} \mathrm{Norway;} \mathrm{the} \mathrm{folke-}$ hoiskoler of Denmark.

Same for November, 1871. 80. 14 pp. Methods of school discipline.
Same for December, 1871. $s^{\circ} .17 \mathrm{pp}$. Compulsory education.
Same for January, 1872. $8^{\circ} .43 \mathrm{pp}$. German and other foreign universities.
Same for February, 18i2. $8^{\circ} .77$ pp.-Contents: Public instruction in Greece, the Argentine Republic, Chili, and Ecuador; statistics respecting Japan and Portugal; technical education in Italy.

Same for Marcl1, 1872. $8^{\circ} .93 \mathrm{pp}$.-Contents: Vital statistics of college graduates; distribution of college students in 1570-'71; vital statistics in the United States, with diagrams, etc.
Same for April, 1872. $8^{\circ}$. 125 pp . Relation of education to labor.
Same for June, 1872. $8^{\circ}$. 22 pp . Education in the British West Indies.
Same for July, $1872 . \quad 8^{\circ} .62 \mathrm{pp}$. The kindergarten.
Same for November, $1572 . S^{\circ} .79 \mathrm{pp}$. American education at the Vienna Exposition of 1873.
Circulars of Information of the Bureau of Education for the year 1873. 8 $8^{\circ} 441 \mathrm{pp} .-$ Contents:
No. 1. Historical summary and reports on the systems of public instruction in Spain, Bolivia, Uruguay, and Portugal. 66 pp .
No. 2. Schools in British India. 30 pp .
No. 3. Account of college commencements for the summer of $18 \% 3$, in Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, New Jersey, and Pennsylvania. 118 pp .
No. 4. Lists of publications by members of certain college faculties and learned societies in the United States, 1867-1872. 72 pp .
No. 5. Account of college commencements during 1873 in the Western and Southern States. 155 pp.
Circulars of Information of the Bureau of Education for the year 1874. $8^{\circ}$. 221 pp.-Contents :
No. 1. Proceedings of the Department of Superintendence of the National Educational Association, January, 1874. 77 pp .
No. 2. Drawing in public schools. The present relation of art to education in the United States. 53 pp.
No. 3. History of secondary instruction in Germany. 88 pp.
Circulars of Information of the Bureau of Education for the year 18\%5. S ${ }^{\circ}$. 637 pp.-U'ontents:
No. 1. Proccedings of the National Educational Association, 18\%0. 119 pp .
No. 2. Education in Japan. 64 pp.
No. 3. Public instruction in Belgium, Russia, Turkey, Servia, and Egypt. 108 pp.
No. 4. Waste of labor in the work of education. 16 pp .
No. 5. Educational exhibit at the Centennial in 1876.26 pp .
No. 6. Reformatory, charitable, and industrial schools in the United States. 203 pp.
No. 7. Constitutional provisions in regard to education in the several States. 130 pp .
No. 8. Schedule of students' work for the Centennial Exhibition, 18.6. 16 pp .
Circulars of Information of the Bureau of Education for the year 18\%7. $8^{\circ}$. 105 pp.-Contchts:
No. 1. Education in China. 28 pp.
No. 2. Public instruction in Finland, the Netherlands, Denmark, Würtemberg, and Portugal; the University of Leipzig. $\quad 77 \mathrm{pp}$.

In the Congress of the Confederation Mr. Jefferson was chairman of the committee that in May, 1784, made a report on the organization of the Western territory, which provided "that there shall be reserred the central section of every township for the maintenance of public schools, and the section immediately adjoining the same for the maintenance of religion." The ordinance as adopted on May 28, 1785, read as follows: "There shall be reserved lot No. 16 of every township for the maintenance of pablic schools." The ordinauce in its final form, passed in 1787, prohibited slavery, required the encouragement of liberty and morality, and set apart the sixteenth section in every township of public land for school purposes.

Webster, referring to this great act of patriotism, remarks: "We are accustomed to praise the lawgivers of antiquity, we help to perpetuate the fame of Solon and Lycurgus; but I doubt whether one single law of any lawgiver, ancient or modern, has produced effects of more distinct, marked, and lasting character than the ordinance of 1787 .

[^4]It fixed forever the character of the population in the vast regions north-west of the Ohio." This great grant has shed its benign influence upon every State since organized, and the total amount of money reported as realized and now in hand mainly from this source in these several States reaches nearly serenty-one millions of dollars.

But the care of the fathers for education did not stop with common schools. When Ohio was admitted as a State it received 69,120 acres for superior instruction, and a similar policy has been pursued with other States. The great Universities of Michigan,

## Circulars of Information of the Bureau of Education for the year 1884-Continued.

No. 4. Proceedings of the Department of Superintendeace of the National Educational Association, 1884.176 pp .
No. 5. Suggestions respecting the Educational Exhibit at the World's Industrial and Cotton Centennial Exposition. 28 pp .
No. 6. Rural schools: progress in the past; means of improvement in the future. 90 pp .
No. 7. Aims and methods of the teaching of physics. 158 pp .
Circulars of Information of the Bureau of Education for the year 1885:
No 1. City school systems in the United States. 207 pp .
No. 2. Teachers' institutes. 206 pp .
In press-
No.3. A review of the reports of the British Royal Commissioners on technical instruction in Europe.
No. 4. Education in Japan.
No.5. Physical training in American colleges and universities.
Ready for the press-
Technical education and the apprenticeship question.
other peblications.
Free school policy in connection with leading western railways. 1872.
A statement of the theory of education in the United States of America, as approred by many leading educators. 1874.22 pp .

The National Bureau of Education; its history, work, and limitations. 1875.16 pp .
Educational conventions and anniversaries during the summer of 1876.
The international conference on education, held in Philadelphia July 17 and 18, in connection with the International Exhibition of 1876.
A manual of the common native trees of the Northern United States. 1877.23 pp .
The Brussels congress. 1850.
The Indian school at Carlisle Barracks. 1880.
Industrial education in Europe. 1880.
Vacation colonies for sickly school children. 1880.
Progress of western education in China and Siam. 1830.
Medical colleges in the United States. 1880.
Educational tours in France. 1880.
Comparative statistics of elementary education in fifty principal countries. 1881.
Fifty years of freedom in Belgium, education in Malta, \&cc. 1831.
Library aids. 1881.
Recognized medical colleges in the United States. 1881.
The discipline of the school. 1881.
Education and crime. 1881.
Instruction in morals and civil government. 1882.
Comparative statistics of elementary, secondary, and superior education in sisty principal countries. 1882.
National pedagogic congress of Spain. 1882.
Natural science in secondary schools. 1852.
High schools for girls in Sweden. 1882.
The Bufalini prize. 1883.
Education in Italy and Greece. 1883.
Answers to inquiries about the United States Bureau of Education. 1883.
Planting trees in school grounds. 1883.
Report of the director of the American School of Classical Studies at Athens for the year 1832-'83. 1854.

Building for the children of the South. 1884.
Planting trees in school grounds and the celebration of Arbor Day. 1854.
Preliminary circular relating to the World's Industrial and Cotton Centennial Exposition. 1831. Articles exhibited in the Southern Exposition at Louisville, Ky. 1834.
Educational congress at Earre. 1885.

Wisconsin, and Iorra are examples of the results of these university grants of land, from which have been realized funds now in hand amounting to $\$ 6,720,000$.

Later, when the question of introducing scientific, technical, and industrial education arose, there followed the great land grant, out of which have sprung colleges of agriculture and mechanic arts in the sereral States, whose funds, arising from this source, now amount to $\$ 4,502,000$.

The total of these several large grants for education is put down at nearly serentynine million ( $78,659,439$ ) acres, or more than twice as many acres as are contained in the whole territory of England and Wales ( $37,324,883$ ). A vast mount of these lands is only assigned and not yet sold, so that it is impossible to state what they will ultimately realize in dollars and cents. By various laws a certain per cent. of the sale of lands by the General Gorernment in the new States has been turned orer to these States, sometimes amounting to fire per cent. of the whole. Under this provision Illinois receired, from 1821 to 1869, orer seven hundred thousand dollars. In some of the States this revenue was used for school purposes ; how much it is impossible to determine at present.

In addition to these rarious aids receired from the United States for education by the sereral States, there have been a large number of special grants, as, for instance, 480 acres to Lafayette Unirersity, 160 to the Holy Cross Mission, over 22,000 for the education of the deaf and dumb in Kentucky, 400 to the Pine Grove Academy, and especially large amounts to several towns in Missouri.

In 1836 there was a large surplus in the Treasury of the United States, and an Act was passed proriding that a definite amount of this should be deposited with the several States in proportion to the number of members of Congress. The total was orer fortytwo millions of dollars, of which three installments were turned over. The fourth installment was not paid on account of financial embarrassments. The amount receired was $\$ 95,584$ for each member of Congress. These moneys were all held in trust, to be paid on demand to the United States. A number of States set apart the amount receired as a fund, the income of which was to be used for the schools. This was done definitely by Alabama, which received over $\$ 669,000$; by Georgia, which receired over $\$ 1,051,000$. by Illinois, which received over $\$ 477,000$; and by Indiana, which receired over $\$ 552,000$. $\$ 850,000$ of the share of Kentucky was set apart for this purpose. Louisiana granted a considerable portion received to the colleges of Jefferson, Louisiana, and Franklin, and the Corington Female Academy. Maryland and Pennsylvania, after paying out of it their public debt, set apart a portion for the benefit of education. Missouri and New York set apart the whole amount for common schools. North Carolina transferred $\$ 300,000$ to the literary fund. Ohio prorided that the net income should be used for the encouragement of schools, and Rhode Island did the same. Tennessee set apart her share as a school fund. A number of States distributed the amounts receired among counties or towns, and allowed the money to be used for school or other purposes, at their option; how much thus went to schools it is impossible to determine. The whole amount distributed was twenty-eight million dollars. How largely this great supply of money became a factor contributing to the success of the reviral of education at that period, no one can calculate.

Congress, touched by a humane effort to introduce education for deaf-mutes in this country, gave 23,000 acres in aid of the establishment of the first institution, at Hartford. Moved by a similar sentiment for the blind, it has recently set apart a fund of a quarter of a million, the interest of which is to be "divided equally for the use of the blind in the several congressional districts."

The influence and policy of our Government having been such as is here described, the establishment of a Bureau of Education was ineritable. It is singular that thenecessity for a such a bureau should be questioned by any thoughtful person, more especially when the principal educating countries of the world are making prorision more or less ample for ascertaining and reporting all attainable information with reference to
education, and for collecting all works pertaining to the history and philosophy of the subject and all material illustrating educational methods and appliances. This Bureau has been greatly cramped in the past by reason of inadequate appropriations, and, but for the voluntary co-operation of teachers and school officers throughout the country, a judicious system of international exchanges, and the strictest economy in the use of funds, could not have developed to its presentacknowledged importance. Extravagance in the use of public funds can be deprecated by no one more than myself; but I think no reasonable person can doubt but that the work which the Office is required to perform demands more liberal appropriations, and that the service which it renders in fostering the educational interests of the country justifies a larger expenditure for its support.

## GROWTH AND MMPORTANCE OF EDUCATIONAL REPORTS.

The importance of authoritative and reliable records of the condition of educational systems has been made rery evident by events that have occurred in several countries during the present year.
In Belgium, France, England, and in sections of our own country, education has been recognized as a leading interest in political campaigns, and in the discussions of the subject free use has been made of official reports. They have furnished material for argument, have served to correct false statements, to expose fallacies, to check extravagant speculations, and to indicate the essential conditions of economy and efficiency in the conduct of popular education. In the attention directed by public discussions to the operation of systems of education for a period of years, the value of tabular statistics has been apparent.

Those setting forth the educational condition of the United States have received due attention, and, it is gratifying to note, very general commendation.

On account of this interest, the time seems opportune for considering the origin, growth, and present statns of educational reports in our country. The subject is very fully treated in the following paper submitted to the National Council of Education by the committee on educational literature and approved by it:

## SCHOOL REPORTS. ${ }^{1}$

I. The origin of our State school reports, which antedates that of local reports, is coeval with the origin of the State school funds. The just distribution of the proceeds of these funds for the benefit of schools rendered it necessary to obtain certain statistical facts, well authenticated, such as the number of children of school age for each school district or other school precinct of which the State is composed, the number attending school, the disposition of the school moneys, the amount of local school revenues, etc. The first school reports, therefore, were purely statistical and financial in character. This was the case in Compecticut, the first of our States to establish a State school fund. Such reports were made by the manager of the fund many years before provision was made for a State chief of the common school system, charged with the duty of reporting upon its condition. So, at a later period, in Massachusetts, simultaneous with the act creating a State school fund was the act providing for statistical returns from the school committees of the towns. The first issue of the abstract of these school returns, by the Secretary of State, was printed on royal quarto sheets, and is a curious landmark, as showing how rudimentary and imperfect were the first attempts to exhibit the condition and workings of a school system by printed reports. Three years later, on coming into office as secretary of the board of education, and virtual stuperintendent of public instruction, Horace Manin compiled the abstract in an octaro tolume of upwards of three hundred pages, this being his first task as author of school reports, in which sphere he afterwards became so pre-eminently conspicuons; and, ever since, the statistical portion of the Massachusetts Report has borne the title-"An Abstract of the school returns made by the school committees of the several towns and cities in the Commonmealth." Mr. Mann's first report, which was simultaneously submitted, contained no tabulated statistics, aml was isstied separately, in a pamphlet of fifty pages. This document was a statemeni. for the most part, of envain classes of facts and important viers relating to the condi-

[^5]tion and wants of the school srstem, derired from other sources as well as from the statistical returns, its design being mot merely to reach and influence State and local officials, but to be somerrhat largely distributed among leading citizens in all walks of life; while the abstract, being intended more especially for the use of legislators and other officials, was printed in more limited numbers. This continued to be the plan of reporting for upwards of a decade, except that the volume containing the statistical abstract was accompanied by copious extracts from the written reports of school committees. These tro documents emborlied the essential elements now deemed requisite in erery grod report. namely, statistical information on the one hand. and, on the other hand, statements, observations, suggestions, and views, relating to the intercsts concerned. But althourg the complete report requires these two entirely different classes of statements, the chief object of all reports alike is to disseminate the most useful information in the best form.

Our srstem of education, like our government, is of the people, for the people, and by the r.eople. It is for the benefit of all children alike, and is trolly dependent, both for support and control, upon the will of the people, expressed either directly, by the popular vote, or indirectly, through legislatures, boards of control, and the officials clothed with authority by these bodies. Hence the necessity of diffusing accurate and detailed information as to the condition and working of the school systems, and also in respect to the best means of promoting their progress and development, not only among legislators and public school oficials, but among the people at large.

To insure the maximum utility of this twofold information it must be as fresh as possible; that is, it must be gathered up and made arailable at short intervals-in general, once in each year. Accordingly, we find that, with the derelopment and growth of our State systems of schools, the part relating to reports has rastly increased in necessity, importance, and excellence. The aggregate of the printed school documents, national, State, and local, issued annually in the United States, has become rery great, whether considered as to number or to mass of printed matter. The school statistics exhibited in a large proportion of these reports have become accurate, full, well-arranged, and digested; while the nou-statistical portions of the documents comprise most of the current wisdom relating to school interests.

In this branch of educational economy our country is clearly in the lead, as has been shown in all the unirersal expositions of which education has formed a part. Foreign authorities agree in recognizing the superiority and great utility of this feature of our system.

The peculiar merit of this feature of our system has been pointed out and elucidated by M. Buisson, in the remarkable chapter on school statistics, in his report on education at the Vienna Exposition, and also in his no less valuable chapter on the same topic, in the report on education at our Centennial Lxposition by the French Commission, of which he was president. This eminent educator attributes the success of our statistical reports to tro causes: (1) because the aim is to make them the medium of publicity to those results in which public opinion is most interested; and (2) because they have fixity and uniformity in form and substance, although liberty of change everywhere prevails.

It is important to add, howerer, that we find abroad individual instances of educational reports, both national and local, which are unsurpassed in merit, and may well be studied as models by our ablest experts. As an example of the latter, te may mention the rery extraordinary "Report on the schools of Paris," of 1878, by Director Greard, covering a period of ten years; and Buda-Pesth affords a rery conspicuous example of perfection in arrangement and completeness in detail of school statistics.

In Germany, it is customary for each secondary school to issue an annual report, containing an elaborate statistical statement, the chronicle of the year, the course of study, a detailea account of the work done, and a learned essay. These documents are largely exchanged for the purpose of comparison.

But, notwithstavding our creditable achierement in this particular, in surreying the results of out srstems of reports as a whole, we find rery great imperfections, shortcomings, and desiderata. Orer large areas we find inadequacy, not only in the character and amount of the information disseminated through this channel, but in the means of procuring it and in the method of collating, presenting, and interpreting the results. We find, also, a too general insufficiency of provision for diffising among the mass of the people, by means of general and local reports, the information which they need for inspiration and guidance in the performance of their duties toward scheol interests, loth as parents and citizens.

It is the object of this paper to point out the more important merits and defects in school reports, and to suggest desirable improrements, more specifically, of State, and local school systems.
II. The Fenort of the national Commissioner of Eảucation claims our first attention,
as being a comprehensive summary of all the educational reports of the country, whether of systems or of institutions of instruction.
This document gathers up, condenses, and arranges for comparison the most essential facts relating to our public school systems, State and local, private schools of different grades, and State and corporate institutions of instruction, of all sorts and grades, from the university and professional schools to the kindergarten and schools for feeble-minded youth; and is then distributed to all points of our territory, where its treasures of wisdom and fact become available for the use of all officials charged with the duty of preparing educational reports.
The law being silent as to the character of this Report, and making no provisions for the materials to be embodied in it, it seems almost incredible that the Commissioner should hare been able to make it what it is by the aid of merely voluntary contributions of information afforded by educational officials.
The vast body of statistical information comprised in the series of this Report has been furnished by answers to inquiries embraced in a number of carefully prepared schedules annually sent out by the Bureau.
Schedule Number I, the most general and comprehensive, comprises fifty-one inquiries, which it is deemed that well organized State departments of instruction should hare the means of answering correctly. Number II, more specific in some points, is adapted to reveal the condition of city systems. Besides these, there are upwards of twenty schedules, relating to different kinds of institutions of instruction.
Considering that the answers to these inquiries are wholly voluntary, they are more complete and accurate than could have been expected, and every year shows a gain in the direction of completeness. Still there are too many regrettable failures to respond to the inquiries. But in view of the very encouraging progress made, it may reasonably be hoped that at no distant future a very near approsimation to completeness of returns may be reached.
School statistics are most beneficially appreciable only by comparison, and comparison is practicable only so far as uniformity exists. Notwithstanding the disadrantage under which the Commissioner has labored from lack of authority to demand regular and uniform returns from States, cities, and institutions, he has succeeded, almost from the first, in producing annual reports, in pursuance of the requirements of law in respect to the dissemination of information, far more comprehensive and valuable than have been issued in other countries.
Twelre years ago M. Buisson, in the former of his reports, already referred to, said: "The national Bureau of Education, at Washington, began a few years ago the organization of school statistics for the whole extent of the United States; and, if one seeks to-day to form an idea of the total result of instruction, there is no great country of Europe which affords so complete an exhibit of its educational institutions."

During the period which has elapsed since this was said, the reports of the Bureau, as already intimated, have been constantly improving in every respect, and the large number of copies annually printed and gratuitously circulated has made them accessible to all inquirers, thus keeping before all educational officials an admirable model of logically organized statistical facts and the current transactions relating to educational progress and development, both at home and abroad.

The tendency in educational administration of all sorts to conform more and more to the statistical organization adopted by the Bureau is highly gratifying, and it is desirable that educational bodies should favor this tendency and endeavor to procure the legislation requisite to render a complete conformity practicable.

Besides the annual reports, containing the most useful information that could be gleaned from foreign corntries, together with the educational collections from our own country, already referred to, each giving abstracts of the various classes of instruction, such as primary, secondary, superior, professional, and special, with lists and statistics of all noticeable institutions, and a general summary of the whole educational field, the Bureau has issued several valuable special reports on important topics of current interest, a number of smaller publications on matters of minor importance, and occasional circulars of information, to the number of about sixty. In quantity these publications, up to the year 1883, amounted to 15,577 closely printed large octaro pages.
III. The invaluable Reports issued from the Bureau of Edacation, the institution characterized by the great French authority just cited as the "central establishment of comparative school statistics," could have had no existence but from the large precedent derelopment of State and lecal systems of school reports, which had familiarized the public mind with the recessity and value of comparative school statistics.
In every State ${ }^{1}$ of the Union, Territories not being considered here, legal provision

[^6]paists for tho preparation of a report, either annual or biennial, of the condition of the public schools, either by the board of education or the chief educational ofticer, who is usually styled superintendent of public instruction, though he is sometimes designated :ts commissioner or as secretary of the board of education. As there is no State where a general report of the system of iustruction is not required, so there is no State where there are not specific legal provisions for gathering up the information necessary for the statistical portion of the report, and no State, it is believed, where this class of information is not required to be supplemented in the report by information other than statistical, including suggestions for remed ying defects and promoting success. In some States, Alabama for example, it is enjoined upon the superintendent by statute to study other systems at home and abroad as a preparation for reporting the wisest plans for the improvement of the sysicm.

For procuring the facts requisite for the statistical part of the report, specific, detailed provision is made in almost all cases. These provisions prescribe: (1) what classes of ficts shall be obtained and reported; (2) what local and subordinate officials, both scholastic and non-scholastic, shall procure and make returns of the different classes of facts called for by the schedules of inquiries sent out by the superintendent; and (3) the penalties for non-performance of the duties thus prescribed.

In respect to all these points there is a wide diversity among the school codes of the States. Most of these codes contain excellent provision for some particulars of these requirements, while they are quite deficient in others.

1. Recurring to the first division, we find that while in some States numerous classes of facts are made obligatory for the report, in others it is left mostly or entirely to the discretion of the superintendent to determine this matter. Of the latter class, New Jersey is, perhaps, the extreme example, while Illinois may be taken as a type of the former, the obligatory facts called for being set forth as follows:
"The whole number of schools which have been taught in each county in each of the (2) preceding years, commencing on the first of July; what part of said number hare been taught by males exclusively; what part of said whole number have been taught by males and females at the same time, and what part by males and females at different periods; the number of scholars in attendance at said schools, the number of persons in each county under twenty-one jears of age, and the number of such persons between the ages of twelve and twenty-one years that are unable to read and write; the amount of township and county funds; the amount of the interest of the State or common school fund, and of the interest of the township and the county fund annually paid out; the amount raised by an ad ralorem tax; the whole amount annually expended for schools; the number of school-houses, their kind and condition; the number of townships and parts of tomnships in each county; the number and description of books and apparatus purchased for the use of schools and school libraries under the provision of this act, the price paid for the same, and the total amount purchased, and what quantity and how distributed; and the number and condition of the libraries."

The starting-point of a good system of school statistics is a good plan of school census. For one of the elements of a good census, namely, an annual enumeration, provision is made in most of the State systems. In a few, howerer, it is quite too infrequent, taking place only at intervals of four and even tive years, as in the case of Virginia. In a number of the systems, the information gathered by the census is insufficient. Until recently, the Massachusetts law required but a single fact to be obtained by the enumerators, namely, the number of persons between the limits of the school age; and it now requires, in addition, only the Dame and age of each person enumerated. It has been improred in one other particular, however, namely, by making the school boards of cities and towns responsible for taking the census, whereas previously it was the duty of the tax assessors, who were wholly independent of the school department. In a considerable percentage of the States, this service is still left to officials outside of the educational organization. California is, perhaps, the State which occupies the most adranced position in respect to provision for obtaining the school census. This provision is, in substance, as follows: There are officers in each county for this particular duty, called census marshals. It is the duty of this officer to take the censas, annually, of all children under seventeen years of age, by personal visitation and observation, and inquiry at each dwellias. Fie ranst take the number, age, sex, color, and nationality, of all the children listed, and the names of parents and guardians, and such other facts as the State superintendent of public instruction may designate; and the report must be made under cath, on blanks farnished by the State superintendent.

The census marshal has power to administer oaths to parents and guardians.
Eut, however the school codes may differ in regard to the prescribed items of statistics to be obtained, which may be regarded as constituting the permanent part of the statistical report, they approach to unanimity in properly giving the superintendent discretionary power to include other items in their schedules of inquiries.

There is still another diversity to be noted in respect to the materials for the statistical report. In a fem States the report is limited exclusively to matters pertaining to the public school system. In a considerable number, statistics of private schools are included. In some, the report cmbraces, also, an account of such institutions subsidized by the State as are actually under the supervision of the board of education or the superintendent. In other States, the superintendent is required to include in his report information concerning all educational institutions receiving aid from the State, including the State universities and colleges, where such institutions exist.
2. In every State, the stoperintendent or board of education is required to send to certain local oficials blank schedules of inquiries to obtain the statistical facts requisite for the State report; and it is made the duty of these officials to make returns of the information called for.

In a large proportion of the States, the county superintendent is ihe medium of conmunication between the State department and the local boards, officials, and teachers. This officer is made responsible for the collection, consolidation, and forwarding of the returns of his county.

In the more rudimentary systems, the teachers report the school statistics directly to the county superintendent; while in those more completely organized, the teachers repori certain classes of facts to the town or tormship trustees, who consolidate the facts thus obtained with information obtained from other sources, and report the same to the county superintendent. As a means of securing uniformity and accuracy in the returns, the proper school registers are furnished to the teachers by the State.

The ladiana system is a good representative of this type, and perhaps deserves the distinction of being cited as making the most logical, complete, and liberal provision for the State report of any system in the comatry.

In the New England States, where, unhappily, no office analogous to that of county superintendent exists, the city and town boards are made responsible for reporting directly to the State department the requisite statistical returns obtained from teachers and other sources.
3. And, finally, to secure honesty and panctuality in making the required returns, more or less stringent provision is crery where made. In the most advanced States, the officials of all the orders in the hierarchy concerned in making the returns have to verify their reports by affidavit, and are subject to serious forfeitures and fines for neglecting to report at the time legally specified. In the case of teachers, a portion of the salary is withheld; in the case of town and county officers, fines are imposed on the delinquents, and school moneys withheld from the schools under their charge.

While legal provision, more or less complete, is made, as wre have seen, in all State systems, for exhibiting the condition and progress of public instruction, the superintendent is left more largely to his own resources for the information requisite for that division of the report containing the statements touching the condition, progress, and wants of the system, which cannot be presented in statistical form. One of the sources of this information is afforled, howerer, to some extent, in nearly every State, by local printed and written reports.
We are thus brought to the consideration of the provisions for the other class of school reports besides the general or State reports, namely, the local reports of different kinds, such as county, city, town, and tornship reports. Here tre find scarcely anything approaching to uniformity, either in respect to statatory provision or local practice. In many States the county superintendents are required to make written reports to the State superintendent. In Virginia, the county superintendents and superintendents of cities must make reports to the State superintendent, brief abstracts of which shall he furnished to every newspaper published in the county.

Statutory prorision, requiring city, town, and township reports to be printed, is exceptional. In Massachusetts, however, the school committee oî every city and tomn is required annually to print a detailed school report, in octaso form, for the use of the inhabitants thereof. And in the New England States, generally, the school committees of towns are required to make detailed annual reports to the tomn meeting, thougli the printing of the same generally depends upon the vote of the town.
IV. To attempt to estimate the results, in the promotion of education, of the legal provisions thus briefly reviewed, would be to go beyond the scope of our inquiry, which is concerned with their results only as manifested in the reports produced, viewed in respect both to their quantity and character. As every State has come to hare a pablicschool system, with a State department of supervision, so we find that a report has come to be issued by every State department of schools. The results of an examivation of a set of these documents recently issued, in respect to form, size, number of copies issued, contents, etc., are herewith presented in tabular form:

SCHOOL REPORTS.
Table of facts relating to Slate Reports.

| States. |  |  |  | Accompanied by written reports of county superintendents. | Table of contents or index. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { - rod } \\ & \text { 品 } \\ & \text { ค } \end{aligned}$ |  | By what authority printed. |  |  |  | City and town repors printed. | Township reports printed. |
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| Alabama | $\Lambda$. | 1889 | 115 | No | Neither | No... | Yes.. | Act.. | 3,000 | 315, 000 | No | Few | No. |
| Arkansas | B . | 1881->82 | 137 | Lextrict | ....do | Yes.. | No... | Statute | 5,000 | 935, 000 | No...... | No.. | No. |
| Californi | 13. | 1881-'83 | 177 | .... do. | .. .edo | No... | Yes.. | Act. | 4,500 | 796,500 | No...... | Few | No. |
| Colorado | 33. | 1881-'82 | 159 | $\ldots .$. | $\cdots . . .10$. | No... | No... | ..... do | 3,000 | 177,000 | No....... | Op'ional | No. |
| Comnecticu | $\Lambda$. | 1885 | 290 | Sch. Vis. Extr... | Cote and | No... | Yes.. | Statut | 3,090 | 870, 000 | No...... | Gienerally | No.T.P. |
| Delawarc | $\Lambda$. | 1885 | 71 | IVO | Neither | Yes.. | Yes.. | Act. | 1,500 | 106,500 | No...... | One........................ | No. |
| Florida. | 13. | 188:3-'s. | 29 | . ${ }^{\text {d }}$ | ... .lo | No... | No... | .....do | 5,000 | 145, 000 | No..... | No.......................... | No. |
| Georgia | 13. | 1831-'82 | 112 | .....do. | .....do. | No... | No... | ......d | 2,500 | 280, 000 | No...... | Four ........................... | No. |
| Illinois. | 13. | 1881-85 | 451 | Special............. | Con, and Ind.... | No... | Yes.. | . | 6,000. | 2,706,000 | 2 or $3 .$. | Some | Six. |
| Indiana | 13. | 1879-'80 | 598 | Yes............. ..... | findex ......... ... | Yes.. | No... | Stat | 10,000 | 5,980,000 | Few... | Few. | No. |
| Towa. | 13. | 1881 | 233 | IExtract | Contents | Yes.. | Yes.. | Let | 6,000 | 1,692,000 | NO..... | Citie |  |
| Kansas.... | 1. | 1881-'82 | 151 | No | Index | Yes.. | No... | ...d | 1,600 | 151,000 | No...... | Few | No. |
| Kentucky |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Lonisiana. | 13. | 1882-83 | 27 | No | Neither | No... |  | Statu | ? | a27,000 | No...... | O1 | No. |
| Maino | A. | 1881 | 138 | .....do.. | Contents | Yes.. | Yes.. | .....d | 5,000 | 590,000 | No .... | Yes. | No. |
| Maryland................. | A. | 1884 | 336 | County Board... | Neither | Yes.. | Yes.. | Act. | 3,000 | 1,008,000 | One..... | One | N゙o. |
| Massachnsetts.......... | A. | 1882 | 443 | No | Con, and Ind | Yes.. | Yes.. | ..... 10 | 4,500 | 1,973,500 | No...... | Ye | No. |
| Michigan | $\wedge$. | 188:3 | 480 | $\ldots$ | Con, and Ind | Yes.. | No... | Statut | 2,500 | 1,200,000 | No. | Few | No. |
| Minnesota | 13. | 1881-'82 | 239 | Yes.... | Neither....... | No.. | Yes.. | Act.. | 4,000 | 956,000 | No...... | Citie | No. |
| Mississipl | 13. | 1882-'83 | 79 9 | Speci | .....do. | No.. | No... |  |  | c79, 000 |  |  |  |
| Missouri. | $\Lambda$. | 1881 | 212 | No. | Index | No... | No... | Sup' | 4,000 | 818,000 | No...... | Yes. | No. |
| Nebraska | 1. | 1883-'84 | 13.5 | (ity Supt's | firdex | No... | Yes.. | Let. | 5, 000 | 675,000 | No...... | Few | No. |
| Nevada.. | 3. | 1881-'82 | 4.1 | No.... | Neither | No... | Yes.. |  | 1,000 | 41,060 | No..... | No. | No. |
| New ILamp | $\Lambda$. | 1883 | $30 \cdot 1$ | School Com | Index | Yes.. | Yes.. |  |  | a1,216,000 | No..... | Generally | No. |
| New Jersey | $\Lambda$. | 1831 | 285 | Yes. | Neither | No... | Yes.. | Act. | $6,1.00$ | 1,710,000 | No...... | Citics | No. |
| New York | $\wedge$. | ${ }_{1888}$ | 405 | .....l | Index.. | Yes.. | Yes.. | .....d | 2,500 | 1,012,500 | INo...... | Yes. | No. |
| North Cavo | 13. | 1883-'81 | 219 | No | Index .............. | Yes.. | Yes.. | ..... | 1,000 | 219, 000 | No...... | Few. | No. |
| Ohio... | A. | 1881 | 362 | $\ldots$ | Index.............. | Yes.. | Yes.. | . | 2, 0 ,00 | 8,181,200 | No....... | Yes.. | No. |
| Oregon.... | 33. | 1885 | 129 | ...d | Neither. | No... | Yes.. | - | b1,000 | 129,000 | No...... | No. | No. |
| Ponnsylvani | $\Lambda$. | 1881 | 479 | Yes... | Conterts .......... | Yes.. | No... | . ${ }^{\text {d }}$ |  | 1, 437, 000 |  |  |  |
| Rhode Jshan | $\Lambda$. | 1581 | 297 | Ext. Sch. Con | Con. and Ind... | Yes.. | Yes.. |  | 1,890 | 328,504 | No. | Yes. | No. |
| South Carol | $\Lambda$. | 1881 | 121 | lixtracts. | Neither. | No... | No... |  | 300 | 36,300 | No | Few | Nio. |
| 'Tennessee 'Texas...... | $\wedge$. | $188!$ | 167 | İigest.. | .....do. | No.. | Yes.. |  |  | a167,000 |  |  |  |
| Toxas.... | $B$. | 1883-9 ${ }_{1881}^{18818}$ | 77 126 | No...... | ......do. | No... | No... |  | 3,100 | 81,700 |  |  | No. |
| Verminia | 13. | 1881-2\% | 126 7.1 | Town Supts | Conte | Yes.. | Yes.. | Act | 3,500 3,500 | 411, 000 $2.9,960$ |  | Yes | No. No. |
| West Virgini | 13. | 1881-'82 | 230 | Yes | Neithe | No... | Yes.. |  | ? | (1230, (0) |  | $F$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { No. } \\ & \text { No. } \end{aligned}$ |
| Wisconsin... | A. | 1881 | 452 | İxtraets. | Contents .......... | No... | Yes.. |  |  | a1,356,000 |  |  |  |
| Total. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 38,691,700 |  |  |  |

It appears by this examination of the documents in hand that, iust one-half are annual reports, while the other half are biennial. The pages are of the ordinary octavo size, with the exception of three, which are somewhat larger, namely, those of Pemnsylvania, Ohio, and Michigan. In respect to the number of pages they contain, they range all the way from two-score to six hundred, and in the number of copies printed, from 300 to 22,600 , the State of Ohio taking the lead in issuing this liberal number. It appears that, in general, the smaller the report in size the smaller is the number of copies issued. The arerage number of pages to a report is 229, and the aggregate number in the set at hand is 8,482. The grand aggregate in a single issue or set is upwand of $38,000,000$ pages. If we compare the whole number of pages printed with the number of inhabitants in the extreme States, Ohio and Oregon, we find that, in the former, the ratio is 2.5 to 1 , and, in the latter, .73 to 1 . Very nearly one-half the set are in suitable binding, the rest being in paper covers.

As to the contents, we find, in the first place, about one-half of these documents contain county superintendents' reports, in whole, or in part, or extracts from city ans town reports. We find that about itro-thirds of the superintendents' reports begin with a more or less extended summary of statistics, and that all of them contain a body of statistics in detail. The following may be mentioned as samples of other matters accompanying or embodied in the reports proper of superintendents: The report of the president of the State University; an elaborate illustrated treatise on scbool architecture; a catalogue of the holders of state certificates of qualification for teaching; practical essays by county superintendents, prepared by request; addresses delivered before the State Teachers' Association; reports of the State normal schools, and institutions for the deaf, blind, and feeble-minded; reports of conductors of institutes; report of the State high school board; report of the board of education, and reports of the agents of the board ; report of the manual training school; account of teachers' racation institutes.

Passing from State reports to local, we find that there are no separately issued county reports, there being, as we have already seen, no legal provision therefor.

Although cities are not generally required by law to print reports, as a matter of fact the cities which do not issue annual reports are rery exceptional. These reports are uniformly of octavo size of page, and in aggregate number of pages annually printed far exceed the State reports. In character, these reports differ from the State documents, in dealing more especially with matters pertaining to school organization and methods of instruction and discipline, and also in details of statistical facts. Here the unit of comparison is the school, whereas in the State report it is the county, city, town, or township.

Published annual reports of towns and tomnships are practically limited to the New England States, where they are very general. In Massachusetts, in accordance with the law already mentioned, the school committee of every one of the 346 cities and tornns print, annually, a detailed report of the schools, for the use of the inhabitants thereof. Each year a set of these documents is bound up, making about twelve fair-sized octaro volumes, and placed in the library of the Board of Education.
M. Buisson, in considering our school reports, national, State, and local, characterizes them as an "ineshaustible source of information and judgments," and "a collection of anthentic school documents without a parallel."

V . It remains now to add some criticisms and suggestions.
The most obvious thing to remark as the result of the examination of the set of State documents, and the facts presented, is that while these reports, as a whole, are highly creditable, not only in respect to the quantity and character of the matter which they contain, but in the number of copies printed and circulated; yet there is a number of them which, though in general satisfactory, and in some cases worthy of praise in point of quality, are wholly inadequate, in respect to quantity and variety of material, to serve the purpose intended, and the number of copies printed is far too limited to supply the need, on any reasonable theory of issuing reports.

It seems a surprising fact that just one-half of these documents have been sent out having neither an inder nor a table of contents. To send out such a document as a State school report without an index or table of contents would appear to be an inexcusable omission. Five reports have a table of contents without an index, eight have an index rithout a table of contents, while five only have both a table of contents and an index. An index is hardly necessary to a small document, but to the larger ones it is indispensable for purposes of consultation.

Considering the number and rank of the authorities who have sanctioned the custom, we are warranted in laying it down as a rule that the superintendent's report should contain a statistical summary, and the better taste places it in the foreground, instead of sandwiching it in the middle or appending it to the end. Those which do not contain such a summary must bs regarded as defective. The summary ought to contain a
clearly and logically arranged statement of the final result of every class of tabulated information, set out in comparison, as far as is practicable, with the results of the preceding or other previous year. The summary is usually a fair criterion of the character of the whole document. In some of these, singular omissions are noted; such as the statement of the school age, in comnection with the number of children of school age, the population of the State, the distinction of sex with respect to pupils. We notice in one statistics of towns, both by counties and by State, and yet the number of towns in the respective countics and in the State is nowhere given. In the present set or series, perhaps the fullest and most complete summary is found in the Wisconsin document. It is, howerer, perhaps a little too extended to be accurately described as a summary, as it comprises, wit? some brief explanatory remarks, about twenty-fire pages.

In the best reports, the statictical summary is followed by an interpretation and discussion. more or less extended, of its contents. Here the author finds himself in need of the most thorough knowledge of school economy, as well as a familiar acquaintance with the working of the system under considcration, as the superintendent is not merely an ageut for the collection and diffusion of information, however important this office may be. The essential function of the State superintendent is that of adviser. In the first place, he is the authoritative adviser of the legislators on educational matters. In this capacity it is constantly incumbent on him to handle, in his report, topics which belong to what we may denominate educational statesmanship, that is, the questions of all sorts relating to educational legislation. Educational statesmanship requires especially two things-a knowledge of educational systems and a knowledge of jurisprudence.

Probably no superintendent has surpassed Horace Mann as an educational statesman, and although his style was too rhetorical and discussive for a model for imitation, and many of the topics he treated hare become somerrhat obsolete in our day, it rould be well if his twelre reports could be carefulle read by every superintendent before sitting down to write his first line of adrice to legislators. But it is more especially important that the superintendent should be well informed on the current history of education at home and abroad. Hence the appropriateness of the Alabama provision already cited, respecting the studics and inquiries of the superintendent. But the superintendent is also the legitimate adviser through his reports, especially in States where local reports are fer and far between, of teachers and school oficials in respect to methods and management, and the details of schcol-keeping and local school administration. A considerable proportion of these reports are good examples of what reports should be in this comprehensive, two-fold sphere of adrice and counsel, of opinion and jadgment. But how striking the difference, in this respect, between the crude and provincial utterances of the inexperienced chief and the sound and judicious pages of the later reports of a Wickersham?

Turning again to the statistical portion of these reports, we find them, in general, worthy of great praise, especially in view of their comprehensireness. The majority of them comprise a wide range of classes of information, and are well digested and arranged. In taking up any one of the twenty best specimens, one would justly call it admirable; but in attempting to make a comparison between them, one would soon meet with difficulties, not only on account of deficiencies not at first discorered, but also on account of omissions in each, which ought to be supplied, or some superfluities which ought to be lopped off. It is not necessary that the statistics of all States should be identical in facts and form; but uniformity is desirable up to a certain point, including the elements which are especially useful for interstate compurison. These items should constitute the permanent part of the system. Beyond this point, other classes of facts should be added as the exigencies, from time to time, require. Such a uniformity is recommended and urged, not merely for the purpose of interstate comparison, but because, up to a certain point, which it is not necessary now to attempt to fix, there can be but one best scheme of statistical exhibit for any State, and, this being determined upon, it follows that erery State ought to conform to it as far as is practicable. There is but one practical way of reaching this uniformity, and that is by making the permanent part of the statisties of States and cities conform to the statistical schedules Numbers I and IT, respectirely, of the Bureau of Education. Considerable progress in this direction has already been made. A united and vigorous efiort on the part of superintendents would, no doubt, accomplish, at no distant future, the desired result. Were this theory adopted, there woald be no further room for new schemes of statistics. The logical process of improrement would consist in modifringitemsin the Bureau schedules, as demanded by competent public opinion. One of these items the committee take the liberty to call attention to, namely, that of legal school age. In his last Peport the

- Commissioner of Education states, on this point, that "' there are sixteen different school ages in the States and Territories; the longest, extending from four rears of age to twentyone, corers a period of serenteen years, and the shortest, from eight years of age to fourteen, a period of six years only."

School age may serve one of three purposes: (1) To include the persons entitled to school privileges; (2) to include the children who ought, to be constantly in attendance at school during school time; (3) to include the persons whose number is taken as thic basis for the apportionment of school revenue. It is the attempt to make one age answer these three different purposes which has caused the existing diversity of both lav: and opinion as to its limits. It is evident that it makes very little difference what i. adopted as the school age to serve as a basis for the equal distribution of school funds. The essential thing is, in this case, that the persons between the limits of age fixed upon be accurately enumerated. Again, it is evident that the school age, as indicating the right to school privileges, should not be the same as the school age as indicating the obligation to be in attendance at school. The former might be called the legal school age, the latter the obligatory school age. The enumeration of persons of legal school age, as thus defined, has no useful purpose; while the enumeration of persons of obligatory school age has. It is the opinion of the committee that the obligatory school age, as thus defined, should be the census age, should be taken as the basis for the apportionment of school revenues, and as the basis for school statistics. What should be the limits of this age? It is recommended that the limits be six and fourteen, as the best opinion and practice have adopted these limits of age for compulsory education. In the Bureau schedule the school age is from six to sixteen years. It is evident that this can not be adopted as the legal school age as above defined, nor as the obligatory age, the upper limit being too high for the latter and too low for the former. If, therefore, universally adopted, for the purpose of scbool census, it would serve the purpose only as the basis for the apportionment of school revenues. No State has as yet adopted the school age here recommended; but, on the other hand, only one State lias adopted the age of the Bureau schedule. Two States have followed Massachusetts in adopting fire and fifteen as the limits; but these limits were adopted in Massachusetts for no earthly purpose except as a basis for the apportionment of the proceeds of the school fund, the right to school privileges having no relation whatever to this age. Nor does the compulsory school period, which is from eight to fourteen, conform to it at either extreme.

In the matter of school nomenclature, greater uniformity is desirable, to render both the statistics and the organization and management of different systems intelligible to outsi le inquirers. Who can unravel the mystery of the word "district," as used in all the different States? And who but a New Yorker can understand the meaning of that word, even in the State of New York? Or who can tell what the phrase, "whole number of children," as used in different reports, means? Whether the whole number on the roll at a given date, the whole number of different children enrolled during the year, the whole number enrolled with duplicates, or the whole number of children enumerated? The "number belonging" and "membership" are no\&less indeterminate phrases.

In many State reports, the "whole number of schools" is given. This item seems to be not only useless, but misleading. It is certainly useless, both for home and interstate comparison, as the increase or diminution in the number of schools is not necessarily an indication of an increase or diminution in school accommodations. If this item be included, the kind of school should be indicated.

In respect to comparison of certain statistical matters, we find that, in one State at least, the law requires the superintendent, in his report, to arrange the statistical facts so as to show the comparison between the results of the current year and the preceding, or some previous year, when he may deem it desirable. Many reports contain the former comparison, that is, the results of the current year with the preceding, butvery few show a comparison of the current year with a more remote year, say the fifth, tenth, or twentieth year previous. The comparison between the results of somewhat widely separated periods is often more instructive than the comparison between two consecutive years, which can hardly show the drift of things in any particular. A still more useful form of comparison for occasional presentation is that for a series of consecutive years, say ten, a good example of which is found in the statistical summary of the California report.

Mr. Mann invented two modes of comparing the towns of a State: (1) by ranking them according to the percentage of valuation raised by tax and appropriated to schooi purposes; and (2) by ranking the towns according to the amount raised by taxation per capita of the school population. This device has been perpetuated, and it has had no little effect in stimulating the towns to attain and hold a respectable rank in these lists, and especially to aroid falling to a place near the foot.

In city reports, especially, it is a practical question of considerable importance where to draw the line between the classes of facts appropriate for comparison and we classes inappropriate. Among the latter may be set down the following: a comparison of schools
with respect to the percentages of scholarship in the different branches; the record of tardiness and misdemeanors; the rank of the graduating class, especially if girls. So are rolls of honor inadmissible, at least as far as girls are concerned.

SUMMARI OF RECOMMENDATIONS AND SUGGESTIONS FOR TIE SPECLAL CONSIDERATION OF TIIE COUNCIL.

1. That all State reports be annual, without regard to the fact whether the legislature has aunual or biennial sessions, as the report is not merely for the use of the legislature, but for educational officials, teachers, and such of the inhabitants as might be expected to profit by such a document.
2. That all county superintendents make annual written reports, which, upon the approval of the State board of education, or superintendent, shall be printed in the State report, or separately, for the use of the inhabitants of the counties respectively, or equivalent districts.
3. That all city boards or superintendents print annual reports, withiu reasouable limits as to details and expense, for the use of the inhabitants of the respective cities.
4. That the school boards of towns or tornships, where there are no county superintendents, print annual reports, as in above section, for the use of the inhabitants of their respective towns or townships.
5. That all reports, general and local, be printed in pamphlet form of the ordinary octaro size.
6. That all State reports, and a portion, at least, of city reports, be issued in binding.
7. That all reports hare a table of contents, and that those of the larger size lave also an alphabetical index.
8. That all reports of school systems, State and local, begin with a statistical summary, and that a committee of the council be charged.with the duty of reporting on the best plaṇs of statistical summaries for State and local srstems respectively.
9. That a committce of the council be charged with the daty of reporting on the subject of uniformity of nomenclature.
10. That the items requisite for obtaining the information necessary to meet the requirement of Schedule No. I of the Bureart of Education constitute a permanent part of the blank inquiries annually sent out by State superintendents, and that the returns to the same constitute a permanent part of the State report.
11. That all accounts, records, and registers of city systems of schools be so kept as to afford the statistical information called for by Statistical Schedule No. II of the Bureau of Education, and that the same items be included in the annual reports of the city systems, as a permanent part of the statistics thereof.
12. That in all State systems of statistics, a distinction be made between rural and urban populations, the inhabitants of compact towns or villages containing a population of fire thousand and upward being designated as urban, and all others as rural.
13. That the State reports contain the actual number of persons of each age in all the public schools of the State at an approximate date, say the midalle of the school year, distinguishing between urban and rural schools; and that city reports contain the actual number of each age at a given date: (1) irrespective of grades; (2) in the three different grades, high, grammar, and primary; (3) in each class and school of these three grades.
14. That useless and false averages be eliminated from statistics; for example, the arerage number of months the schools have kept, as reported in the Massachusetts report.
15. That in all the statisties relating to the personnel of systems and schools, the distinction of sex be maintained.
16. That the number of State reports to be printed, and the mode of distribution, be fixed by law in all the States, as it now is in some of them, and that such statute specially provide that a reasonable number, not less than twenty-fire, be sent to the Burean of Education, and that not less than four copies be sent to the Department of Education of erery other State, and that a copy be sent to each of the normal schools, colleges, and public libraries, the newspapers within the State, and the educational press of the country at large, and that a liberal number be left for distribution at the discretion of the superintendent.
17. That the legal and census school age be from four to twenty-onc, and the obligatory school age from sice to fourteen.
18. That a committee of the council be charged with the duty of reporting on the utility and the ways and means of promoting an international comparison of school statistics.

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SCOPE OF REPORTS.
The increased attention paid to educational reports emphasizes the need of uniformity in respect to the classification of schools, and in respect to the statistical schemes employed in State reports and in the several classes of local remorts.

The progress toward these results since this series of national reports has been undertaken has been rery marked, but much more remains to be accomplished. The school statistics of the country should give an annual survey of the child-life of our people. The last decennial census, by reporting the population by years from one to twenty-one inclusive, afforded an opportunity never before available for the study of the schcol period of our people. There are those who hesitate when an annual survey or report is proposed; but if this measure of the life of our population is not of sufficient importance to be taken annually, what accounting can deserve yearly attention? Some States unfortumately take no school census, relying wholly apon the decennial census of the United States for all the knowledge they have of their school population and of the administration dependent upon that knowledge. With all the facts before me, my urgent recommendation would be in favor of an annual survey of our population from one to twentyone inclusive, including a census by years, sex, color, and nativity, by each State. Whatever difierent terins are used for local convenience or to suit local conditions, for the sake of uniformity in a report for general purposes school attendance should be reported by years, each year standing for a grade. In this way all purposes of generalization would be answered, and at the same time all local peculiarities of terminology and tradition be accommodated. An idea of the items that we would include in these reports is illustrated by the schedules on which the tables of this Report are made. Such a report as I have here indicated would show the work absolutely done by the schools, whether adequate or inadequate to the ends proposed.

## RECESS OR NTO RECESS.

The report of a special committee appointed by the National Council of Education to consider the subject of recess or no recess in schools was given in full in my last Annual Report. Aiter discussion before the council the subject was referred back to the committee for further investigation.
The effort made by the committee to render this renewed investigation complete and exhaustive will be seen by the following questions, to which answers were solicited from superintendents of schools, principals, teachers, school officers, physicians, professional men of all classes, and parents.
I. Is the no-recess pian in operation in the schools under your supervision or instruction?
II. If it is not, has any proposition been made toward the establishment of the plan, and what arguments prevailed against the proposition to introduce it?
III. Have you returned to the recess plan after a fair trial of the no-recess plan? and, if so, what causes led to the change?
IV. What coadition existed in and about your schools that prompted the officials to abolish the recess and adopt the no-recess plan, and with whom did the proposition originate to establish in your sehools the no-recess plan-with the superintendent and teachers, with the board of education, or with the patrons?
V. How many hours of continuous confinement within the school-room are required daily, a. m. and p. m., of pupils in the several grades under your no-recess plan?
VI. What are the precise daties and privileges of pupils that have been substituted for those of the recess in the several grades of your school?
VII. Are physical exercises as a practical means of retaining and securing health in the school-room an equivalent under your no-recess plan for the exercise afforded to pupils by an outdoor recess?
VIII. What effect has the no-recess plan upon the management and government of your schools, especially in the matter of the pupils' habits in conduct?
IX. Is the no-recess plan extending among the schools in your vicinity?
I. How is the health of pupils affected in the following particulars by the no-recess plan, so far as your observation and experience extend?

Note.-State explicitly the nature and character of the examinations instituted to arrive at the facts and opinions which you recount in your answer to the questions asked
muder (a) to (c) below. Special inguiry is made about those children that have inkeritell or have developed weaknesses in the points enumerated.
(a) Does or does not the no-recess plan aftect the duties and privileges of pupils in such a way as to develop or aggravate in any of them nerrous irritation-revealed by a tendency to or an absence from cerebral pains, inability to think or to act or to remember, weariness, coldness of extremitics, want of blood in the brain, irritation of the sympathetic system of nerves-owing to continuous sedentary confinement in the schoolroom with its heated and perhaps vitiated air?
(b) Does or does not the no-recess plan affect the pelvic organs-revealed by a tendeucy to derelop or aggrarate irritation and disease of the kidneys, bladder, rectum, or by blood-poisoning from retention of urine-orring to the failure of pupils to comply reularly with the physical necessities under which they rest, to a lack of those physical exercises which tend to keep in a healthy condition the organs enumerated, and to the continuous confinement upon the seats in the school-room?
(c) Does or does not the no-recess plan affect the eye-sight-revealed by dereloping or aggravating enfeebled powers of those organs, owing to deficiency of outdoor exposure?
(d) Does or does not the no-recess plan affect the nasal passages and lungs-revealed by dereloping or aggravating catarrh or irritation of the lungs, owing to too continuous exposure to the dust, heat, and air of the school-room?
(e) How do the physical exercises substituted by the no-recess plan for those of the recess affect, relatively, the rapidity of the pulse of pupils when it is compared to the rapidity developed in the exercises of the outdoor recess?

Very respectfully submitted,
State Normal School, Cortland, N. Y., January 7, 1885.
In response to these questions the committee received thirty-tro communications that discuss the no-recess plan. These communications represent eleren States; they represent, also, public schools and educators that may be called fairly representative of those in the United States. Of these thirty-two communications 56 per cent. favor tine no-recess plan, and 44 per cent. favor the recess. Only 10 or 12 per cent. report that the ro-recess plan is extending, so far as the writers knew. The no-recess plan has been in operation fourteen years in one place, but in the others it has been on trial less than tro years on an average. Two communications report a trial of the no-recess plan and a subsequent abandonment of it or steps to that effect.

The no-recess plan was adrocated originally by the superintendent, aided by the teachers, in most of the places where it has been introduced; in ore or two instances by a member of the board of education; in one case against the opinion of the superintendent, who farored it, however, after a trial of two years.
The further analysis of the answers brought the committee to the conclusion that the no-recess plan is closely connected with a diminution of school hours that is gradually taking place.
In illustration of the tendency they present the hours of school session in nine cities in which the no-recess plan is on trial. From these figures it appears that-
The arerage school-day of the no-recess plan begins at $9 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. , and closes at $3.30 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. ; it is $6 \frac{1}{2}$ hours long over all; 2 hours and 10 to 20 minutes of this time are recess; i. e., just $\frac{1}{3}$ of the average school-day, from the time it begins until it closes, is giren up to rest and recreation. The extreme of this no-recess school-day is reached in a period of 3 hours actually spent in school; yet 5 or 10 minutes of this time are deroted to rest from study; in this case, of the $6 \frac{1}{2}$ hours of the entire dar, only $\frac{1}{3} \frac{5}{5}$ of it less than $\frac{1}{2}$-are spent in school. In the presence of these facts, where orer half the school-day is spent in recesses, how are me gravitating in school affairs?
The old-style school began at $9 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$., closed at 12 m .; began again at $1 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$., and closed at $4 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m} . ; 1 \frac{1}{2}$ hours of these 7 hours were devoted to rest, the other $5 \frac{1}{2}$ hours were deroted daily to actual work; i. e., only $\frac{3}{1 / 2}$ of the entire school-day were given up to rest and recreation, as against $\frac{22}{3} \frac{2}{9}$ of it in the extreme case under the modern norecess plan, where the plan has been established for fourteen years. Return to still earlier customs, those which held school 7 hours per day, and 6 days in the week; here were 33 hours per week of actual work in school, against 15 hours under the last mentioned school organized under the no-recess plan.
These facts reveal the actual problem that is involved in this investigation. It is not the question of recess or no recess in schools, a hygienic question; hut is a very dif-
ferent hygienic problem, that of the maximum time that should constitute a sehoolday of actual work; or, put in another form: What is the maximum time per week that should be spent in actual work in public schools by pupils in order that they may be most benefited by the schools? The question could be stated in another form: What is the maximum number of hours per week for which schools should be maintained by public taxation?
In thus bringing clearly into view the problem that has developed from the no-recess plan, the committee have rendered an important service to the public.
Many reasons, however, still remain for keeping before the attention of teachers and school officers the injurious effects of prolonged sessions of study and recitation without due intervals for recreation and refreshment.
This matter has not been overlooked by Dr. Hertel in his discussion of "Overpressure in the high schools of Denmark." "We must not," he says, "lose sight of the fact that one long spell of work is far more exhausting to the child than the same number of hours would be if divided by a considerable interval."
In this connection Dr. Hertel gives the following report of a discussion of the distribution of school hours before the Swedish Medical Society, Stockholm: By the Education Act of 1878 it is enacted that in the five youngest classes in all the Swedish high schools the pupils must not be worked for more than two hours at a time, after which an interval of two hours is enjoined, though half an hour of this may be devoted to singing or gymnasties. This arrangement was introduced because Swedish pedagogues thought that longer spells of work must fatigue the children. The result of this was that on some days the school hours were divided into three sections, e. g., in summer, from seven to nine, from eleveu to one, and from three to four. In many places this splitting up of the time proved rather a disadvantage, particularly if any of the pupils lived far from school, because the home work was interrupted thereby. Several schools, therefore, applied for permission to extend the limit to three hours at a time, with an interval of two hours, confining the work, however, as much as possible to the early part of the day. Before granting this request the Government demanded the opinion of the Medical Society, of which the following is a résumé: Three hours' consecutive work is permissible if an interval of ten minutes be allowed for every hour, and one hour of the three set apart for easy work, such as singing, writing, or the like. After that there must be two hours' complete rest, not mere nominal rest-devoted to singing or gymnastics, partly to allow the children plenty of time for lunch and recreation, partly to admit of the class-rooms being properly ventilated. After these two hours the work should be recommenced, so that it may be over before the dinner-hour, leaving the afternoon for preparation.

Dr. Ifertel's commenton this opinion deserves our attention. "Such an arrangement," he says, "appears to entirely correspond with pedagogic and hygienic deanands for a proper distribution of work hours, and its main features may well be taken by us as a model. The extreme care with which all such questions are treated in Sweden, and the fact that no change is ever made without the opinion of medical men being taken as to its probable influence on the health of the children, contrast strongly with our educational legislation and regulations, which are committed entirely to the hands of pedagogues, without any such provision on behalf of the children's health as consultation with medical men would insure. The result is that hygienic considerations are with us completely overlooked."

## SCHOOL LEGISLATION.

During the year the legislatures of the several States have given a fair degree of attention to school interests.
The following particulars of legislation in New York are from a full and interesting statement, for which the Office is indebted to Mr. F. G. Mather. Every year the judicial powers of the department of public instruction become more and more evident. According to a recent decision these powers extend to the control of the tax-lists.
The most important enactment of the New York legislature of 1885 relative to educational matters was the amendment to the general school law of 1864, which, after
deducting certain amonnts, divides the remainder of the State school money into two equal parts; one-half of such remainder is divided equally between the school districts and cities (instead of one-third to the districts and two-thirds to the cities, as formerly) from which reports hare been received in accordance with law.

The rural districts thus receire one-sixth more than before, and that one-sixth is talen from the city districts.
The Act is of the greatest consequence to the smaller and poorer school districts of the State, for it strengthens the 9,000 weak rural districts at the expense of the urban districts: this benefit to the rural districts is brought about with a smaller tax lery than that of 1884 ; in that year the $\$ 3,018,000$ for the free-school fund included the usual appropriation of $\$ 2,750,000, \$ 18\} 000$ for the normal schoois, and appropriations for teachers institutes and for the salaries of school commissioners. The rate of the tax lery was 1.055 mills. In 1885 , on an equalized assessment, $\$ 3,000,000$ will be raised at the less rate of 1 mill.
Another rery important amendment to the general school law of 1834 prorides that (instead of a salary of $\$ 500$ to be paid out of the United States deposit fund) after October 1,1885 , every school commissioner shall receive an annual salary of $\$ 1,000$, payable quarterly out of the free-school fund appropriated to this purpose or to the support of common schools, and that whenever a majority of the supervisors from all the towns composing the school commissioner district shall adopt a resolution to increase the salary of their school commissioner beyond the $\$ 1,000$ payable to him from the free-school fund, it shall be the duty of the board of supervisors of the county to gire effect to such resolution, and they shall assess the increase stated therein upon the towns composing such commissioner district ratably according to the corrected raluations of the real and personal estate of such towns.
There were also amendments relative to teachers' institutes, of which the following are of most general interest:
An amendment directing the trustees of erery school district to gire the teacher or teachers employed by them the whole of the time spent by such teacher or teachers in attending any regular session or sessions of an institute in a county embracing the school district or a part thereof, without deducting anything from his or their wages for the time so spent. The latr formerly authorized the trustees in their discretion to give the whole or any part of the time spent, etc.
An amendment providing, in addition, in order to secure to teachers the full exercise of this privilege, that after August 20, 1885, all schools in school districts and parts of school districts not included within the boundaries of an incorporated city shall be closed during the time a teachers' institute shall be in session in the county in which such schools are situated; that in the apportionment of public school money the schools thus closing in any school term shall be allowed the same average pupil attendance during such time as was the arerage during that part of the term when the school was not thus closed; that any school continuing its sessions in violation of the above prorision shall not be allowed any public money based upon arerage pupil attendance during the dars the school was thus kept in session: and that trustees and boards of education in such school districts and parts of school districts shall report in their annual reports to the school commissioners the number of days and the dates thereof on Which teachers' institutes were held in their counties during the school year, and whether the schools under their charge were or were not closed during such dars.
According to a recent decision of the department of instruction the particular cause of the absence of a papil cannot be demanded of a parent. It rirtually declares that the teacher can only find out whether or no the absence was with the consent of the parent. If it had such consent that is the end of the matter.
The powers of State boards of education, or of the chief executive ofmcer of the department, have been extended in several States. In North Carolina, by an enactment of 1885, county boards of education are directed to obey the instruction of the State superintendent and to accept his construction of the school law.

The school law of Nevada, as amendel in the same year, increases the power of the State board of education in respect to the examination of teachers and to the granting and revoking of certificates, and gives to the State board appellate jurisdiction over all questions relating to schools and referred to the county superintendents.

The school law of Wisconsin requires that every school district shall rote a tax sufficient to sustain a school for six months each year, instead of fire months, as heretofore.

## THE NEW ORLEANS EXPOSITION.

The stimulating influence of the educational exhibits and conferences that formed a feature of the New Orleans Exposition is manifest in almost every department of education. As this Office has in preparation a special circular of information respecting the Exposition, no further reference will be made to it in this Report. The circular will include the paper on the subject of school hygiene referred to in my last Report.

## INSTRUCTION IN PHYSIOLOGY AND HYGIENE.

As a result of the efforts made in respect to instruction in physiology and hygiene with special reference to the effects of stimulants and narcotics upon the human system, the saljects hare been added to the list of required studies in 18 States and 1 Territory. ${ }^{1}$

AMERICAN OFPICIAL CORRESPONDENTS OF THE OFFICE WHO FURNISH STATISTICS.
The following summary gires the number of correspondents of the Office at the head of systems and institutions of education in our country who furnish the official information contained in these reports.
Statement of cducational systems and institutions in correspondence with the Bureau of Education in the years named.

|  | 1876. | 187. | 1878. | 1879. | 1880. | 1881. | 1882. | 1583. | 1831. | 1885. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| States and Territories | 48 | 48 | 48 | 48 | 48 | 48 | 48 | 43 | 48 | 48 |
| Cities. | 239 | 241 | 253 | 333 | 351 | 351 | 312 | 306 | 306 | 306 |
| Normal schools | 152 | 166 | 179 | 242 | 252 | 273 | 2:8 | 278 | 304 | 333 |
| Business colleges.. | 150 | 157 | 163 | 191 | 197 | 230 | 305 | 279 | 293 | - 333 |
| Kindergärten | 149 | 177 | 217 | 322 | 385 | 456 | 535 | 539 | 563 | 67 |
| Academies | 1,550 | 1,650 | 1,665 | 1,848 | 1, 869 | 2,113 | 2, 363 | 2,314 | -, 445 | 2,730 |
| Preparatory schools | 114 | 123 | 125 | 138 | 146 | 158 | 178 | $1: 4$ | 190 | 224 |
| Colleges for women. | 252 | 264 | 277 | 294 | 297 | 290 | 200 | 278 | 234 | $9 ¢ 6$ |
| Colleges and universities | 381 | 385 | 389 | 402 | 402 | 396 | 394 | 376 | 387 | 398 |
| Schools of science.. | 76 | 77 | 80 | 86 | 88 | 91 | 91 | 85 | 94 | 10. |
| Schools of theology .. | 125 | 127 | 129 | 146 | 156 | 158 | 166 | 162 | 166 | 174 |
| Schools of law . | 42 | 45 | 50 | 53 | 53 | 51 | 53 | 49 | 54 | 56 |
| Schools of medicin | 102 | 106 | 112 | 125 | 126 | 137 | 143 | 137 | 156 | 104 |
| Public libraries | 2,275 | 2,440 | 2,578 | 2,67S | 2,874 | 3,031 | 4,067 | 4, 936 | 5,384 | 6. 438 |
| Museums of natural histo | 54 | 55 | 55 | 57 | 57 | 57 |  |  |  |  |
| Museums of art. | 31 |  |  | 37 | 37 | 37 | 37 | 37 | 37 | 29 |
| Art schools.. | 30 |  |  | 37 | 38 | 38 | 38 | 37 | 35 | 35 |
| Training schools for nurses |  |  |  | 11 | 15 | 18 | 28 | 24 | 35 | 4:) |
| Institutions for the deaf and dumb.. | 43 | 45 | 52 | 57 | 62 | 63 | 63 | 59 | 6 | 70 |
| Institutions for the blind | 29 | 20 | 31 | 31 | 31 | 31 | 31 | 31 | S2 | 32 |
| Schools for the feeble-minded | 11 | 11 | 11 | 13 | 13 | 15 | 15 | 14 | 17 | 15 |
| Orphan asylums, \&c... | 533 | 540 | 633 | 641 | 651 | cot | 616 | 621 | 655 | 702 |
| Reform schools | 63 | 63 | \% | 79 | 83 | 79 | $\pi$ | 76 | $\pi$ | $\because$ |
| Total | 6,449 | 6,750 | 7,135 | 7,869 | 8,231 | 8,744 | 10,128 | 10,863 | 11,663 | 13, 291 |

[^7]
## Growtil of education in the cinited states.

S!atistical summary of institutions, instructors, and students, as collected by the Unitcd States Burcau of Education, from 1875 to 1885 (1853 omilted).

|  | $15 i 5$. |  |  | 1876. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | $\stackrel{\dot{\delta}}{\overline{2}}$ |  | ¢ $\stackrel{n}{5}$ $\stackrel{\text { en }}{5}$ | $\stackrel{i}{\square}$ |
| City schools. | (a) | 22, 152 | 1,180, £s0 | (b) | 23,501 | 1,343,457 |
| Normal schools | 137 | 1,031 | 29, 105 | 151 | 1, Cas | 33, 921 |
| Commercial and business colleges.. | 131 | 504 | -6,109 | 137 | 509 | 25, 234 |
| Findergärten | 05 | 216 | 2, 809 | 139 | 304 | 4,050 |
| Institutions for sceondary instruction | 1,143 | 6, CS1 | 108, 235 | 1,200 | 5,590 | 108, 647 |
| Preperatory schools .......... | 102 | 746 | 12, 254 | 105 | 730 | 12, 350 |
| Institutione for the superior instruction of women... | 222 | 2,405 | 23, 855 | 225 | 2, 404 | 23, 856 |
| Unircrsities and colleges. | 355 | 8, 999 | 58, 80. | 355 | 3, 920 | 56,481 |
| Scheols of science.. | 74 | -58 | 7,157 | 75 | 793 | 7, 614 |
| Schools of theology-. | 123 | Cl 5 | 5,234 | 124 | 550 | 4,263 |
| Schools of law. | 43 | 204 | 2, 67 | 42 | 218 | 2, CG4 |
| Sehools of medicine, of dentistry, and of pharmacy.. | 105 | 1,1:2 | 9, 271 | 102 | 1,201 | 10, 14.3 |
| Training schools for nurses... |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Institutions for the deaf and dumb. | 41 | 223 | 5, 887 | 42 | 312 | 5,209 |
| Institutions for the blind. | 29 | 423 | 2, 054 | 29 | 550 | 2,083 |
| Schools for fecble-minded children.. | 9 | 317 | 1,372 | 11 | 318 | 1,560 |
| Orphan asylums, industrial schools, and miscellaneous charities. | 278 | 1,780 | 54, $20 \frac{1}{4}$ | 385 | 8,197 | 47, 430 |
| Reform schools .................................................. | 47 | 678 | 10,6\%0 | 51 | 800 | 12,037 |
|  | 1576. |  |  | 1579. |  |  |
|  |  |  | $\stackrel{i}{ \pm}$ |  |  | $\stackrel{i}{\square}$ |
| City schools.. | (c) | 23, 830 | 1,2i0, 271 | (d) | 27.044 | 1.556, 974 |
| Normai schools | 152 | 1,189 | 37,082 | 156 | 1, 227 | 59,669 |
| Commercial and business colleges | 134 | 565 | 23, 435 | 129 | 327 | 21, 048 |
| Findergärten.. | 129 | 333 | 3, 231 | 159 | 3.6 | 4,797 |
| Institutions for secondary instruction | 1,206 | 5, 963 | 38,3.7 | 1,227 | 5, 247 | 100,874 |
| Preparatory schools... | 114 | 796 | 12,510 | 114 | 818 | 12,538 |
| Inslitutions for the superior instruction of women.. | 220 | 2,305 | 23,022 | 225 | 2,478 | 23, 639 |
| Universities and colleges. | 351 | 3,998 | 57,334 | 358 | 3,855 | 57,957 |
| Schools of science. | 74 | \% 81 | 8,559 | 76 | 809 | 15,133 |
| Schools of theology. | 124 | 504 | 3,955 | 125 | 577 | 4,320 |
| Schools of law. | 43 | 17.5 | 2,811 | 50 | 190 | 3, 012 |
| Schools of 青edicine, of dentistry, and of pharmacy.. | 106 | 1,278 | 11,225 | 105 | 1,357 | 11,839 |
| Training schools for nurses..... |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Institutions for the deaf and dumb.. | 43 | 346 | 5, 743 | 52 | 372 | 6,085 |
| Institutions for the blind | 30 | 555 | 2,179 | 30 | 547 | 2,214 |
| Sclools for feeble-minded children... | 11 | 255 | 1, 3 S1 | 11 | 422 | 1, ©S1 |
| Orphan asylums, industrial schools, and miscellaneous charities. |  |  |  | 389 | 3, 6S8 | 67,052 |
| Reform schools. |  |  |  | 63 | $9 ะ 6$ | 13,963 |

[^8]Statistical summary of institutions, instructors, and students, \&\&c.-Continued.

|  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

a 240 cities, of 7,500 inhabitants or more, reported in 1879; their aggregate population was $10,801,814$. $b 244$ cities, of 7,500 inhabitants or more, reported in 1850 ; their aggregate population was $10,700,500$. c 251 cities, of 7,500 inhabitants or more, reported in 1881; their aggregate population was $10.75 \pi .045$. $d 253$ cities, of 7,500 inhabitants or more, reported in $18 \$ 2$; their aggregate population was $10,918,638$.

Statistical summary of institutions, instructors, and students, \&.c.-Continued.

|  | 1 \$54. |  |  | 1555. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \dot{m} \\ & 0 \\ & 0.0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  | \% |
| City schools... | (a) | 33,037 | 1,857,435 | (b) | 35,683 | 1,941,133 |
| Normal schools. | 255 | 1,987 | 60, 663 | 263 | 2, 076 | 55,135 |
| Commercial and business colleges.. | 221 | 1,015 | 44,047 | 232 | 1,099 | 43,706 |
| Kindergairten.. | 354 | 831 | 17,002 | 415 | 905 | 18,832 |
| Institutions for secondary instruction | 1,588 | 7,923 | 152, 354 | 1,617 | 8,186 | 160,137 |
| Preparatory schools | 169 | 1,183 | 18,319 | 179 | 1,218 | 17,605 |
| Institutions for the superior instruction of women.. | 236 | 2,989 | 30,587 | 227 | 2, 862 | 28,868 |
| Universities and colleges......... | 370 | 4,644 | 65,522 | 365 | 4,836 | 65,728 |
| Schools of science.. | 92 | 1,178 | 14,769 | 105 | 1,282 | 17,086 |
| Schools of theology | 146 | 750 | 5,290 | 152 | 793 | 5,775 |
| Schools of law... | 47 | 269 | 2,686 | 49 | 285 | 2,744 |
| Schools of medicine, of dentistry, and of pharmacy. | 145 | 2,235 | 15,300 | 152 | 2,514 | 13,921 |
| Training schools for nurses... | 31. | 156 | 579 | 34 | 153 | 793 |
| Institutions for the deaf and dumb. | 59 | 495 | 7,022 | 64 | 516 | 7,295 |
| Institutions for the blind | 31 | 615 | 2,319 | 32 | 663 | 2,377 |
| Schools for feeble-minded children ................ | 16 | 372 | 2,505 | 17 | 422 | 3,010 |
| Orphan asylums, industrial schools, and miscellaneous charities. | 505 | 4,269 | 65,311 |  |  |  |
| Reform schools | 62 | 1,075 | 14,456 |  |  |  |

a 266 cities, of 7,500 inhabitants or more, reported in 1884; their aggregate population was $10,790,034$. 3276 cities, of 7,500 inhabitants or more, reported in 1885; their aggregate population was 11,054,681.

Legal school ages in the several States and Territories in 1884-'85, with diagram.

| States and Territories. | School age. | States and Territories. | School age. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Connecticut.... | 4-16 | Georgia... | 6-18 |
| Oregon.. | 4-20 | Nevada. | $6-18$ |
| Wisconsin | 4-20 | Utah. | 6-18 |
| Maine.. | 4-21 | Louisiana. | a6-18 |
| Montana | 4-21 | Kentucky | $6-20$ |
| Massachusetts. | 5-15 | Missouri.. | 6-20 |
| New Hampshire... | 5-15 | Arkansas.. | $6-21$ |
| Rhode Island. | $a 5$-15 | Colorado.. | $6-21$ |
| California.. | 5-17 | Delaware. | 6-21 |
| New Jersey. | 5-18 | Florida. | 6-21 |
| Maryland | 5-20 | Illinois., | $6-21$ |
| Michigan. | 5-20 | Indiana.. | $6-21$ |
| Vermont. | 5-20 | North Carolina... | 6-21 |
| Idaho.. | 5-21 | Ohio.. | 6-21 |
| Iowa | 5-21 | Pennsylvania | 6-21 |
| Kansas. | 5-21 | Tennessee. | 6-21 |
| Minnesota. | 5-21 | Washington.. | $6-21$ |
| Mississippi | 5-21 | West Virginia. | $6-21$ |
| Nebraska. | 5-21 | New Mexico. | 7-18 |
| New York. | 5-21 | Dakota.. | 7-20 |
| Virginia. | 5-21 | Alabama | --21 |
| South Carolina. | 6-16 | Wroming | 7-21 |
| District of Columbia. | a6-17 | Texas... | 8-16 |
| Arizona. | 6-18 |  |  |

$a$ Inclusive.

The following diagram shows that there are eighteen difierent school arcs in the States and Territories; the longest, extending from four years of age to twenty-one, covers a period of seventeen years, and the shortest, from eight years of age to sixteen, a period of eight years.

Diagram showing the different school ages in the States and Tcrritories duving 1881-'85.


STATE SYSTEMS.
Table I.-Part 1.-Summary by States (A) of school population, enrollmcint, altcndance, \&゚c., for 1884-'85.

| States and Territories. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Alabama. | 7-21 | 420, 413 |  | 233, 509 | 14.4.5:2 | $\varepsilon \Omega .4$ |
| Arkansas (a).. | c-21 | 316,356 |  | 153, 210 |  |  |
| California (b).. | 5-17 | 250,097 |  | 181, 001 | 116, 028 | 140 |
| Colorado.. | 6-21 | 57, 955 | 41, 245 | $3 ¢, 8 ¢ 5$ | 24,74 | c171 108 |
| Connecticut | 4-16 | 151,069 |  | 125, 213 | cS2, goi | 179.15 |
| Delaware (a) ... | 6-21 | fgit ${ }^{4} 0,569$ |  | 31, 263 | g21,427 | Wivi. 4 |
| Florida.. | 6-21 | i66, 798 |  | C2, 027 | 45, 850 | 35 |
| Georgia. | c-18 | j308, 722 |  | 291, 505 | 195, 035 | ......... |
| Illinois............................. | c-21 | 1,077, 302 |  | 735, 20 | 100. 500 | 152 |
| a For 188\%-'ss. |  |  | or the r | r term. |  |  |
| $b$ The figures for enrollment, school population, attendance, number of teachers, \&c., are for 1884-'s5; all financial statistics, except average monthly pay of teachers, are for 1883-'81. |  |  | Not including colored children in Wilmixic- |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | $g$ Approximatcly. |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | $\hbar$ For white schools only. |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | $i$ School census of 1884. |  |  |  |
| c In graded schools. $j$ |  |  | $j$ Corrected Sinte sehool census of 1882. |  |  |  |

Tadle I.-Part 1.-Summary by States (A) of school population, \&ec. - Continued.

| States and Territories. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Indiana (a).. | 6-21 | 722, 851 |  | 501, 142 | 325, 499 | 126 |
| Iowa (a). | 5-21 | 623,151 |  | 472,966 | 284,498 | 144 |
| Kansas.. | 5-21 | 461, 044 |  | 335,538 | 194,325 | 116.5 |
| Kentucky (b). | 6-21) | 581, 322 |  | 282, 514 | 178, 672 | 102 |
| Louisiana.................................. | c6-18 | d201,049 |  | 99,941 | 70,346 | $\left\{\begin{array}{l} e 110 \\ f 108.02 \end{array}\right.$ |
| Maine. | 4-21 | 213, 863 |  | 144,909 | 99, 239 | 105 |
| Maryland. | 5-20 | a295, 215 |  | 176,393 | 92,963 | 198 |
| Massachusetts | 5-15 | 343,810 |  | 339, 714 | 253,955 | 184 |
| Michigan . | 5-20 | 595, 657 |  | 411, 954 | .......... | 141.83 |
| Minnesota..... | 5-21 | g359, 366 |  | 232, 721 | 118,697 | 116 |
| Mississippi. | 5-21 | 444, 131 |  | 279, 20 | 184, 421 | $\left\{\begin{array}{l}h 78.5 \\ i 180\end{array}\right.$ |
| Missouri.. | 6-20 | 805, 313 |  | 544,147 | 371,896 | 107 |
| Nebraska.. | 5-21 | 233, 233 |  | 161,918 | aj81, 430 | a130 |
| Nerada (a)... | 6-15 | 9,593 | ............ | 7,868 | 5,227 | 148.6 |
| New Hampshire........................ | 5-15 | d60,899 |  | 63,656 | 45,160 | 99.75 |
| New Jersey (a)........................... | 5-18 | 356,061 |  | 216,792 | 122, 930 | 192 |
| New York. | 5-21 | 1, 721,126 |  | 1,024,845 | 611,019 | 179 |
| North Carolina. | 6-21 | 530,127 |  | 298, 166 | 185,578 | $\left\{\begin{array}{l}e 61.67 \\ f 62.50\end{array}\right.$ |
| Ohio.. | 6-21 | 1, 095,469 | 810,028 | 744,660 | 517,569 | 157 |
| Oregon........ | 4-20 | 80,018 | 44,668 | 46,107 | 31,005 | 95 |
| Pennsylvania.. | 6-21 | d1, 422, 377 |  | 982,158 | 657,128 | 155.98 |
| Rhode Island.. | c5-15 | 60,147 |  | k52, 665 | k34, 114 | 186 |
| South Carolina. | 6-16 | d262, 279 | d262,279 | 178,023 | 122,093 | 70 |
| Tennessee.... | 6-21 | 603,831 |  | 373, 77 | 192,403 | 80 |
| Teras (a). | 8-16 | 311, 134 |  | 244,895 |  | $\left\{\begin{array}{l} h 100 \\ i 164.6 \end{array}\right.$ |
| Vermont. | 5-20 | d99, 463 |  | 71,659 | 49,031 | 126 |
| Virginia. | 5-21 | 610, 271 |  | 303, 343 | 176,469 | 118.4 |
| West Virginia | 6-21 | 236, 065 | 178,531 | 171,533 | 109, 177 | 36 |
| Wisconsin. | 4-20 | 545,084 |  | 321, 718 | 174,844 | 170 |
| Total for States... |  | 16, 863, 265 |  | 10, 974,463 | 6,410,557 |  |
| Arizona. | 6-18 | 10,220 |  | 6,010 | 4,232 | 152 |
| Dakota. | 7-20 | 87, 563 |  | 69,075 | a 32.520 | 99 |
| District of Columbia. | c6-17 | d43, 537 | d37, 511 | 28,659 | 23, 296 | $\left\{\begin{array}{l} e 185.5 \\ f 183 \end{array}\right.$ |
| Idaho.. | 5-21 | 15,399 |  | 10,087 |  |  |
| Montana | 4-21 | 16,796 |  | 9, 750 | a4, 465 | 102 |
| New Mexico (d) | 7-18 | 29,255 |  | 4,755 | 3,150 |  |
| Utah................. | 6-18 | 50,633 | ............. | 29,978 | 18,678 | 145 |

a For 1883-'84,
$b$ For 1882-'83.
c Inclusive.
$d$ United States census of 1830 .
$e$ For white schools only.
$f$ For colored schools.
III E
$g$ School census of 1884.
$h$ In the counties.
$i$ In the cities.
$j$ Approximately.
li Includes evening school reports.

## XXXIV REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONEん OF EDUCA＇TION．

Table I．－Part 1．－Summary by States（A）of school population，dec．－Continued．

| States and Territories． |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Washington．， | 6－21 | 37，155 |  | 26，397 | 17，504 | 92 |
| Wyoming（a）．． | 7－21 | 4，112 |  | 2，907 | 1，920 |  |
| Indian： |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Cherokees． |  | 65，000 |  | c4， 798 | c2，925 |  |
| Chickasaws |  | b1，000 |  | c449 | cd183 | ．．．．．．．．． |
| Choctaws． |  | 63，000 |  | c1，163 |  |  |
| Creeks |  | b2，000 |  | c1． 200 | c771 |  |
| Seminoles． |  | 6450 |  | c252 | cd99 |  |
| Total for Territories．．． |  | 306，128 | ．．．．．．．．．．．． | 195， 460 | 109，743 |  |
| Grand total． |  | 17，169， 391 |  | 11，169， 923 | 6，520，300 | ．．．．．．．．． |
| $a$ United States census b For 1882－＇83． |  | ． |  | For 1883－＇84 <br> In boarding | schools on |  |

Table I．－Part 1．－Summary by States（B）of the number of teachers cmployed in the public schools and their average monthly salaries for 1884－＇85．

| States and Territories． | Number of teachers． |  | Average monthly salary． |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Male． | Female． | Male． | Female． |
| Alabama． | 3： 536 | 1，856 | （ $\$^{\$ 3}$－6） |  |
| Arkansas（b） | 2，236 | 663 |  |  |
| California | 1，124 | 3，118 | \＄79 97 | §65 89 |
| Colorado．． | 334 | 863 | 6722 | 5736 |
| Connecticut．， | c546 | d2，625 | 6916 | 3764 |
| Delaware（b） | （624） |  | （es̃2 31） |  |
| Florida． | 92 | 732 | （29 34） |  |
| Georgia． |  | （ 66,970 ） |  |  |
| Illinois．． | 6，804 | 13.815 | 5245 | 4112 |
| Indiana（b） | 6，821 | 6， 491 | （39 66） |  |
| Iowa（b）． | 5，760 | 17，359 | 3740 | 3042 |
| Kansas．． | 3，586 | 5，454 | 4085 | 3028 |
| Kentucky（ $f$ ）． | g3，ז21 | g3， 287 | （ $h 23$ 33） |  |
| Louisiana．． | 994 | 1，126 | $\begin{cases}\text { g } 34 & 82 \\ & \text { 20 }\end{cases}$ | 93175 |
|  |  |  | $\left\{\begin{array}{l}20 \\ \\ 36\end{array}\right.$ | i27 50 |
| Maine．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 2，068 | 7，590 | $j 3207$ | j15 84 |

a For white teachers only；for colored teachers the average monthly salary is $\$ 22.78$ ．
$b$ For 1883－＇S4．
c Number employed in winter．
d Number employed in summer．
$e$ For white teachers；for colored teachers the average salary is $\$ 2 \pm$ ．
$f$ For 1883.
$g$ For white schools only．
$h$ For white teachers in counties；average salaries of white teachers in cities：males，$\$ 103.45$ ； females，$\$ 39.94$ ．
$i$ For colored schools．
$j$ Excluding board，which costs the districts an average of $\$ 8.20$ a month for each teacher．

Table I.-Part 1.-Summary by States (B) of the number of teachers, dec.-Continued.


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Table I.-Part 2.-Summary by States (A) of annual income, expenditure, \&e., for 1884-'85.

| States and Tcrritorics. |  | Annual expenditure. |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { تू } \\ & \text { Ö } \end{aligned}$ |  |
| Alabama.. | $a \$ 511,540$ |  | \$13,938 | \$502,759 | b\$22, 253 | \$538, 950 | \$300, C 00 |
| Arkansas (c). | 931, 404 |  |  |  |  | 561,745 | 921, 829 |
| California (c).. | d3, 920, 228 | \$375, 013 | e52,030 | 2,573,624 | 415,587 | 3, 384, 224 | 7,936, 620 |
| Colorado | 1,016,542 | 160,798 |  | 448,170 | f325, 759 | 934, 727 | 2, 552,100 |
| Connecticut. | 1, 735, 384 | 304,748 | c29, 077 | 1,166,879 | 380,594 | 1,852,221 | 5,456, 694 |
| Delaware (c). | g213, 104 |  |  | 152,591 | 54,327 | 215,161 | g608, 056 |
| Florida.. | 335, 984 |  |  | 247,138 |  | 335, 984 | 300, 242 |
| Georgia | d690, 372 |  | h23, 752 | 602, 931 | 27,185 | 653, 868 |  |
| Illinois | 10, 262, 812 | 1,424,065 | h85, 389 | 5, 897,428 | 2,792,046 | 10, 198, 928 | 22, 340, 669 |
| Indiana (c) | i3, 154, 083 |  |  | i3, 154, 083 |  | 4,660,000 | 13,619,561 |
| Iowa (c)... | 6,321,803 | 732:484 |  | j3,696, 453 | f1, 808, 033 | 6,236,970 | 11,046,802 |
| Kansas | cd3,392, 050 |  |  |  |  | 3,388,652 | 6,547,745 |
| Kentucky ( $k$ ) |  |  |  |  |  | g700,790 | g2,140,111 |
| Louisiana | 571, 139 |  |  | 379,927 | 70,103 | 450,030 | $l 761,000$ |
| Maine. | 1, 666,883 | c82, 873 | c31, 095 | cm1,020,082 |  | c1,134, 050 | 3, 075, 296 |
| Maryland.. | d1,758,585 | 137, 630 | 28,000 | 1,277,887 | 301, 751 | 1,745,258 | 3,000,000 |
| Massachuset | 7,020,430 | 1,208, 225 | 193, 216 | m4,675, 882 | 784, 992 | 7,020,430 | n22, 062, 235 |
| Michigan... | d5, 703, 413 | 1,109,482 |  | j2, 784, 324 | 835,135 | 4,728,941 | 11, 267, 056 |
| Minnesota | 2,639,757 |  | 52, 728 | 2, 238, 073 | 296, 743 | 2,587,544 | 5, 248, 889 |
| Mississippi.. | 872, 320 |  |  |  |  | 872,320 |  |
| Missouri | 4, 232,073 | 920, 014 |  | j2, 906, 539 | 435, 019 | 4, 261, 572 | 9, 488, 178 |
| Nebraska | 3,437,741 | 866,791 | 042, 000 | 1,492,346 | 517,020 | 2, 918,157 | 3, 427, 404 |
| Nevada (c)............. | 165, 762 | p9,694 |  | 133,318 | 19,000 | 162, 012 | 223, 114 |
| New Hampshire... | 634, 873 | 62,102 | 17,640 | 446,841 | f86,616 | 613,199 | 2,388,942 |
| New Jersey (c)...... | q2,413,876 | 383, 317 | 39,179 | 1,597,005 | 402,798 | 2, 422, 299 | 6,350, 807 |
| New York... | 13,487, 237 | 3,181, 923 | 114,600 | 8,762,950 | 1,521, 495 | 13,580,968 | 33, 347,581 |
| Nortlı Carolina. | 631, 904 | c70,689 | c10, 913 | c416, 197 | c37,406 | c535, 205 | 565, 960 |
| Ohio.. | 10, 192,546 | 1,335, 200 | 210, 883 | 6, 035,689 | 2,512,166 | 10,093,938 | 27, 969, 757 |
| Oregon....... | 500, 776 | 121,000 | 10,771 | 342,186 | 39,195 | 513,152 | 1,160,433 |
| Pennsylvania ... | 10,594, 406 | r1, 728,382 | .......... | 5,586,481 | 2,485,542 | 9, 800,405 | 32, 614,446 |
| Rhode Island.. | s780,003 | 168,538 | 13,321 | s471, 212 | s83, 751 | s736,822 | 2, 227, 135 |
| South Carolina. | cd515,580 | c13,581 | ch19, 842 | c374, 257 | c20, 739 | c428,419 | 405, 097 |
| Tennessee.. | d1, 330, 839 | p78,036 | 18,992 | 876,229 | 40, 207 | 1,013,464 | 1,3\%5,781 |
| Texas (c)... | 1,661,476 |  |  |  |  | $t 1,661,476$ |  |

$a$ Excludes the local funds of the city of Mobile, amounting to $\$ 20,540$.
$b$ Includes $\$ 21,500$, total amount expended for normal schools.
c For 1883-'s4.
d Includes balance on hand from previous school year.
$\varepsilon$ Not included in State expenditure for schools.
$f$ Includes amount paid for interest or to cancel debt.
$g$ For white schools only.
$h$ Compensation of county school officers only.
$i$ Amount of tuition revenue only.
$j$ Includes salaries of superintendents.
l In the city of New Orleans only for 1884; no report for the remainder of the State.
$m$ Includes some miscelianeous expenditurc.
$n$ In 1882.
o Estimated.
$p$ Includes expenditure for repairs.
$q$ Amount of school money raised in $1833-{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{S} .4$, but not available for use until 1884-'3).
$r$ Includes expenditure for rent.
$s$ Includes evening school reports.
$t$ Actual expenditure not reported; the amount given is the sum of the State apportionment and the amount paid teachers by cities and from private funds.
2: In 1882-'83.

Table I.-Part 2.-Summary by Slates ( 1 ) of annual income, de.-Continued.

| States and Territories. |  | Annual expenãiture. |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Vermont .. | \$605, 231 | \$55, 833 | as 12,000 | §443, 903 | \$93, 767 | 6\$E11,503 |  |
| Virginia......... | c1, 050, 860 | d175, 038 | e93, 555 | 1,060,621 | ¢5,015 | 1, 424,532 | \$1, 819,257 |
| West Virginia........ | 95\%,150 |  | 12, 750 | 556, 9-11 | 120, 610 | $f 002,331$ | 1,978,510 |
| Wisconsin............. | 4,145, 158 | d525, 638 | 49,285 | 2, 065, 2.41 | C60, 201 | 3,300,455 | 6,132,635 |
| Tutal for States. | 100, 455, 324 | 15, 231,004 | 1,175,256 | 64, 336, 157 | 17,300,17s | 103, 957, 702 | 250, 150, $3: 2$ |
| Arizona. | 109,236 | 752 | 4,400 | 78,839 | 23, 858 | 107, 879 | 212, 885 |
| Dakota.... | 2,141,757 | 694, 660 | g87,653 | 500,081 | 581, 818 | 1,814, 212 | 2,187, 850 |
| Dist. of Columbia.. | 526,575 | G6, 241 | 16,950 | 354, 218 | 114,125 | 581,534 | 1,390,666 |
| Idaho... ................ | 133, 983 | h33, 309 |  | 76,302 | 13, 157 | 123, 363 | i31, 000 |
| Montana ............. | 225, 896 |  |  |  |  |  | 377, 706 |
| New Mesico (i) ..... | 32,171 |  |  | 28,002 | 971 | 28,973 | 13,500 |
| Utah.................... | c277, 127 | 51, 486 |  | 142, 895 | 34, 463 | 225, 844 | 459, 544 |
| Washington........ . | 357, 053 | 30,453 |  | 194, 787 | 33,706 | 287, 029 | 524,163 |
| Wyoming ( $i$......... | 36,161 |  | :............ | 25,891 | 2, 610 | 28, 504 | 40,500 |
| Indian: |  |  |  |  | - |  |  |
| Cherokees (j)...... | 1:81, 730 |  |  |  |  | 81,730 |  |
| Chickasaws ( $j$ )... | kis6, 015 |  |  |  |  | 86,015 |  |
| Choctaws (j)....... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Creeks (j).......... | K46,725 |  |  |  |  | 46,725 |  |
| Seminoles (j)...... | ki2,142 |  |  |  |  | 12, 142 |  |
| Total for Terr.. | 4,066,571 | 906, 901 | 59,003 | 1,401, 018 | 805,333 | 8, 126, 955 | 5, 237, 374 |
| Grand total... | 113,521,895 | 16,137,995 | 1,234, 259 | 65,787, 205 | 18,165,516 | 110, 384, 657 | 255, 395, 746 |

$a$ Estimated.
$b$ Not including expense of normal schools, $\$ 8,558$, and expense of educational meetings, $\$ 258$.
c Includes balance on hand from previous school year.
$d$ Includes expenditure for repairs.
e Includes pay of treasurers and district clerks.
$f$ For current purposes only; does not include expenditure for sites, buildings, \&c.
$g$ Compensation of county school officers only.
$h$ Includes interest paid.
$i$ United States census of $18 s 0$.
$j$ For 1883-'8.4.
$k$ Total income not reported; amount given is that reported as expenditure which, it is stated, was derived from tribal funds.

Table I.-Part 2.-Summary by States (B) of per capita expenditure for 1884-'85.

| States and Territories. |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Dakota.. | \$20 72 | \$26 26 |  |  |  |
| Massachusetts. | 2042 | 2066 | 527 24 |  |  |
| Arizona. | b17 25 | 23584 | 64833 |  |  |
| Nerada. | bc15 91 | b19 43 | 22025 |  |  |
| strict of Columbia................................ 2 | d14 63 | d22 57 | di2 88 | $d \leqslant 1584$ | .. |
|  | el0 84 | e13 65 | e18 00 | e11 57 |  |
| Colorado. | 1357 | 2022 | 3179 | 1778 | §2140 |
| Montana. | 10 ¢0 |  |  |  |  |
| Connecticut. | 1031 | 1240 | 1972 |  |  |
| Ohio... | 975 | 1150 | 1719 |  | 1318 |
| Nebraska. | f947 | $f 1360$ |  |  |  |
| Rhode Island. | 923 | 1163 | 1758 |  |  |
| Iowa., | bcs 90 | bc11 73 | 乙c19 50 |  |  |
| Illinois. | 822 | 1199 | 1806 |  |  |
| Idaho.. | gS 01 | g12 29 |  |  |  |
| New York. | 789 | 1315 | 2222 |  |  |
| Tashington. | 780 | 10 S3 | 1639 | ..... |  |
| Kansas.. | g7 35 | g10 09 | g17 44 | ....... |  |
| Minnesota. | 700 | 1100 | 2100 |  |  |
| Wyoming. | ch6 93 | ch9 81 | ch14 85 |  |  |
| Indiana | bg 645 | $b g 930$ | bg14 32 |  |  |
| Michigan. | 621 | 897 |  |  |  |
| Delaware | bcãj 90 | bc6 83 | bc10 03 |  |  |
| New Jersey. | 6590 | 6973 | L17 23 |  |  |
| Oregon. ........ | 585 | 1015 | 1510 | 1048 | 1406 |
| Maryland. | 547 | 989 | 187 |  |  |
| Wisconsin | 514 | 870 | 1601 |  |  |
| Nissouri. | 502 | 783 | 1146 |  |  |
| Florida. | 501 | 537 | 735 |  |  |
| Maine | 500 | 786 | $10 \%$ |  |  |
| Utah. | g4 52 | $g 763$ | g12 25 |  |  |
| Tezas. | 6450 |  |  |  |  |
| West Virginia. | 336 | 453 | 743 |  |  |
| Mississippi............................................... | 196 | 312 | 472 |  |  |

$a$ In estimating these items only the interest on the amount expended unger the head of "permanent" (i.e., for sites, buildings, furniture, libraries, and apparatus) is added to the current expenditure for the year.
b For 1883-'84.
c Estimated by the Bureau, 6 per cent. being the rate used in casting interest on permancnt ex. penditure.
d For white pupils.
e For colored pupils.
$f$ Esimate of State superintendent.
$g$ Total expenditure per capita.
$\AA$ Based on the Uhited States census figures

Tadle I．－Part 2．－Summary by States（B）of per capita expenditure，for 188．1－＇85．－ Continued．

| States and Territories． |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { A } \\ & \text { B } \\ & \text { en } \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 方 } \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \end{aligned}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Arkansas．． | bc1 ：8 | $\mathrm{bc}^{\text {c }} \mathrm{C}$ |  |  |  |
| ．Tennessee． | c1 56 | c2 51 | ．．．．． |  |  |
| Kentucky． | 155 |  |  |  |  |
| Louisiana | 155 | 450 | 640 |  |  |
| South Carolina． | 152 | 240 | 351 |  |  |
| Georgia．． | 129 | 224 | 335 |  |  |
| Alabsma． | 128 | 212 | 340 |  |  |
| North Carolina | 6119 | 6252 | 6355 |  |  |
| New Mexico． | cd99 | cad 69 | cd9 20 |  |  |
| California． |  | bel7 os | be2t 01 |  |  |
| New Hampshire． |  | $f 963$ | $f 1358$ |  |  |
| Vermont． |  | 853 | 124 |  |  |
| Pennsylvania． |  | 6824 | 61252 |  |  |
| Virginia．．． |  | 414 | 704 |  |  |

$a$ In estimating these items only the interest on the amount expended under the head of＂per－ manent＂（i．e．，for sites，buildings，furniture，libraries，and apparatus）is added to the current ex－ penditure for the year．

6 For 1883－＇84．
c Estimated by the Bureau， 6 per cent．being the rate used in casting interest on permanent ex－ penditure．
d Based on the United States census figures．
$e$ Per capita on current expenses only．
$f$ Total expenditure per capita．

## GENERALIZATION BY YEARS AND BY TOPICS, WITHOUT fEFERENCE TO STATES.

Statistical summary showing the school population, enrollment, attendance, income, expenditure, \&ic., for ten years, from 1876 to 1885, inclusive, as collected by the United States Bureau of Education.


Statistical summary of school population, emollment, \&ec.-Continued.

|  | Year. | $\int_{\substack{\text { Numb } \\ \text { porti }}}$ | er reing. |  | In Territo |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | States. | Territories. | In States. | ries. |
| Number of male teachers............................... $\{$ | 1876 | 32 | 9 | 95, 183 | 678 |
|  | 1874 | 33 | 9 | 97, 638 | 706 |
|  | 1878 | 34 | 8 | 100,878 | 789 |
|  | 1879 | 34 | 8 | 104, 842 | 985 |
|  | 1880 | 35 | 8 | 115, 064 | 948 |
|  | 1881 | 30 | 7 | 107, 780 | 1,018 |
|  | 1882 | 35 | 8 | 105,596 | 1,080 |
|  | 1883 | 35 | 7 | 107, 301 | 1,024 |
|  | 1884 | 34 | 7 | 101,307 | 1,476 |
|  | 1885 | 35 | 8 | 104, 979 | 2,338 |
| Number of female teachers............................... | 1876 | 32 | 9 | 135,644 | 898 |
|  | 1877 | 33 | 9 | 138, 228 | 986 |
|  | 1878 | 34 | 8 | 141,780 | 1,027 |
|  | 1879 | 34 | 8 | 141,161 | 1,342 |
|  | 1880 | 35 | 8 | 156, 351 | 1,306 |
|  | 1881 | 36 | 7 | 158,589 | 1,805 |
|  | 1882 | 35 | 8 | 164,808 | 1,897 |
|  | 1883 | 35 | 7 | 171, 629 | 2,075 |
|  | 1884 | 34 | 7 | 170,620 | 3,156 |
|  | 1885 | 35 | 8 | 186,680 | 4,655 |
| Public school income..................................... | 1876 | 38 | 9 | 86, 632,067 | 717, 416 |
|  | 1877 | 87 | 9 | 85, 959, 864 | 906, 298 |
|  | 1878 | 38 | 10 | 86, 035, 264 | 942,837 |
|  | 1879 | 38 | 10 | 82, 767, 815 | 1, 020,259 |
|  | 1880 | 38 | 10 | 82, 684, 489 | 1,255, 750 |
|  | 1881 | 38 | 10 | 86, 468, 749 | 1,673,389 |
|  | 1882 | 38 | 10 | 92, 587, 205 | 1,739,983 |
|  | 1883 | 38 | 10 | 95, 715, 540 | 2,252,199 |
|  | 1884 | 38 | 10 | 107, 299, 006 | 3,268,561 |
|  | 1885 | 37 | 10 | $109,455,324$ | 4,066,571 |
| Public school expenditure.............................. $\{$ | 1876 | 36 | 10 | 83, 078, 596 | 926, 737 |
|  | 1877 | 37 | 8 | 79, 251, 114 | 982, 341 |
|  | 1878 | 38 | 10 | 79,652,553 | 877,405 |
|  | 1879 | 38 | 10 | 77,176, 354 | 1,015,168 |
|  | 1880 | 38 | 10 | 78, 836, 399 | 1,196, 439 |
|  | 1881 | 38 | 10 | 83, 601, 327 | 1,510,115 |
|  | 1882 | 38 | 10 | 89, 504, 852 | 1,653,187 |
|  | 1883 | 38 | 10 | 95, 770, 712 | 2,073,809 |
|  | 1884 | 35 | 10 | 100,775, 512 | 3,174, 016 |
|  | 1885 | 38 | 9 | 105, 957, 702 | 3,426,955 |
| Amount of permanent school funds.................. $\{$ | 1876 | 20 | 2 | 97, 227, 909 | 1,526,961 |
|  | 1877 | 26 | 2 | 100, 127, 865 | 2,106, 961 |
|  | 1878 | 32 | 1 | 106, 138, 348 | 1,506,961 |
|  | 1879 | 30 | 2 | 110, 264, 434 | 2,776,593 |
|  | 1880 | 33 | 2 | 119, 184, 029 | 3,694, 810 |
|  | 1881 | 34 | 2 | 123, 083, 786 | 1,089, 015 |
|  | 1882 | 35 | 2 | 128, 483, 681 | 1,089,015 |
|  | 1883 | 35 | 2 | 129, 381,454 | 1,130,744 |
|  | 1884 | 35 | 2 | 130, 923, 561 | 1,132,352 |
|  | 1885 | 31 | 1 | 138, 839, 529 | 1,071,967 |

From an examination of Table I it will be seen that six States, Arkansas, Delaware, Indiana, Kentucky, Nerada, and Texas, and three Territories, Indian, New Mexico, and Wyoming, fail to make reports for 1884-'85.

California makes a partial report only for 1884-'85.
After the closing of the summaries and of the table in the Appendix a special return was receired from Iorra and the printed State report from New Jersey. These statistics will be found in the abstracts of State reports following this summary.

For all the States failing to report for 1884-'85 statistics for 1883-'84 hare been used, except in the case of Kentucky, from which State the latest figures are for 1882-' 33.

For New Mexico and Wyoming the U. S. census figures for 1880 are still used, and for the Indian Territory figures for 1883-' 84 are repeated.

## LEGAL SCHOOL AGE.

For 1884-'S5 the legal school age remains the same for every State and Territory an for 1883-'84, except in Arizona, where the age has been shortened by 3 years, having been changed from 6-21 to 6-18.

## LEGAL SCHOOL POPULATION.

Front the preceding summaries it will be seen that fire States, viz, Louisiana, Nem Hampshire, Pennsylrania, South Carolina, and Vermont, still use the U. S. census figures of 1880 for school population; ten use the population for the preceding year (1884); Georgia reports her school census for 1882 and Kentucky hers for 1882-:83; the remaining twenty-one States report school census for 1834-' 85.

Of the Territories, New Mexico, Wyoming, and the District of Columbia use the U. S. census figures, and the Indiau Territory those for 1882-' 83.

The increase of 352,802 in school population in the States, therefore, which appears from the generalization at the close of the summaries, is an increase for trenty-one States only, and the increase of $22,18 \%$ in the Territorial school population an increase for six Territories only.

## ENROLLMENT.

With the exception of the States and Territories noted above as making no report at all for 1884-'85, every State and every Territory makes a report on enrollment for the current year.

AVERAGE DAILY ATtENDAN゙CE.
Arkansas, Michigan, and Texas among the States, and Idaho Territory and the Choctaw tribe in the Indian Territory, gire no figures for average daily attendance.
The decrease for the year in average daily attendance as shown in the generalization above referred to is therefore only apparent.

In the total of the prerious year were included figures for Arkansas and Texas for the year 1882, and for Michigan from the U. S. census of 1830.
If these same figures be added to the total for the thirty-fire other States as made up for 1884 -' 85 ( $6,410,557$ ), the total for the thirty-eight States becomes $6,790,882$, an increase of 200,300 over the previous jear.

## TEACHERS.

All the States and Territories, except Idaho, make some report of teachers. Cases in which the report is not for the year 1884-' 85 have been carefully noted in Table !, part 1, Summary B.
Delaware, Georgia, Missouri, and the Indian Territory fail to report sex of teachers.
The total for the entire country, 319,549 , shows an increase of $11,{ }^{7} 45$ over the jear 1883-'84.

## PER CAPITA EXPENDITURE.

Many States and Territories still fail to make reports of per capita expenditure. For most of those not reporting this has been estimated by the Bureau, the uniform rate of 6 per cent. having been adopted in casting interest on permanent expenditure.

As in 1884, so in 1885, Massachusetts led the States in her expenditure per capita of school population, enrollment, and arerage daily attendance.

Dakota leads the Territories for 1885.
North Carolina of the States and Nerv Mexico of the Territories expend the smallest amount per capita.

## INCOME; EXPENDITCRE; VALUE OF SCHOOL PROPERTY.

These three items all show increase in 1885 as compared with 1884, and such items of expenditure as are summarized in the preceding summaries, viz, expenditure for permanent purposes (sites, buildings, furniture, libraries, and apparatus), salaries of superintendents, salaries of teachers, and miscellaneous expenditure, are all in advance of similar items of expenditure for the preceding year.

A study of the generalization by years and by topics (p. xL) accompanying the summaries of State school statistics for 1884-'85 will show the income and expenditure in the States and Territories for each of the last ten years. These figures show steady increase.

No report of income having been received from Kentucky since that for 1831, it was omitted in the summary of income, and no report of total expenditure haring been received from Montana, it is omitted in the summary of expenditure, which shows a total of $\$ 110,334,65 \%{ }^{1}$

Georgia, Mississippi, Texas, and Vermont still fail to report the value of school property, and no figures for this item can be obtained from Indian Territory.

## permanient available sceool finds.

With respect to permanent available school funds, Texas has made no report since 1878 , when the amount given was $\$ 3,355,5 \pi 1$. The District of Columbia has made no report since 1880, when the amount was $\$ 60,385$. Delarrare, Kentucky, and Mississippi hare made no report since 1881, when the amounts were, respectively, $\$ 495,479, \$ 1,760$,652 , and $\$ 800,000$. New Hampshire and Nerada hare made no reports since 1882, the amounts being then, respectively, $\$ 213,75$ rand $\$ 564,000$. Pennsylvania, South Carolina, and Georgia make no report under this head for the current year.

## SCHOOL POPULATION, ENROLLMENT, AND ATERAGE ATTENDANCE.

According to the rate of increase in our population from $18 \% 0$ to 1880 as shown by the last census, statisticians estimate our present popalation at something above $5 \pi, 000,000$. The legal school population as reported for 38 States and 10 Territories is $17,169,391$, or 30 per cent. of the entire population. This number, it must be remembered, bears to total population a ratio varying in the different States and Territories, by reason of rariations in the legal school age. For the entire country 18 different school ages are reported, the longest being from 4 to 21 , or 17 years, the shortest from 8 to 16 , or 8 years.

There are but 5 States and 2 Territories in which the legal school period is less than 12 years, and none in which it is as limited as the period of obligatory school attendance in places where compulsory school laws exist. In the United States the legal school period is made the basis for the assessment and distribution of the school fand, and the length of the period indicates the disposition of our people to make liberal appropriations for the schools and also to admit all minors to their privileges. The latter is an important consideration, since the social and industrial conditions of our country often

[^9]Men and women employed in this work.
Amount expended annually on this account by the public................................................................ 000,000
Value of property devoted to this use.
\$500, 000, 000
make it impossible for young people to complete their elementary education within the ordinary years of school attendance, and it is desirable that there should be no legal hindrance to their making up this loss at a later period. Moreover, the extension of the school period beyond the ordinary age of elementary school attendance leads naturally to the establishment of public schools of an advanced grade, a matter about which our people are in general very watchful. But while the extended school period is an advantageous feature of our public school system, its use as a basis in comparative statements is extremely misleading. This has been so clear to my mind that I have endeavored to secure from each State the census between 6 and 16 years of age, as affording a liberal estimate of the youth who are the proper subjects of elementary instruction.
Table I, part 1, Summary A, shows how few States are able to make the desired return. From rarious calculations it appears that 23 per cent. of the whole population is a fair approximation to the number, and in the absence of the exact enumeration it is well to employ this percentage in our calculations. Upon an estimated population of $57,000,-$ 000 this would give a school population of $13,110,000$, or $4,059,391$ less than the legal school population. The total public school enrollment for 38 States and 10 Territories $(11,169,923)$ is 85 per cent. of the estimated school population, and the daily attendance $(6,520,300)$ is 50 per cent. of the estimated school population and 59 per cent. of the enrollment.
If to the enrollment in public schools be added the number of pupils in private schools as reported for 25 States and 2 Territories, we have a total school enrollment of 11,831,844.

The average attendanee in elementary schools is not so great as is desirable, and it is important that the reason for this state of things should be thoroughly investigated.
The opponents of free schools find in this deficiency of school attendance an argument against the system, but the argument is not supported by the past history and present condition of private school attendance in our country, nor by the ascertained causes of the irregular attendance upon the public schools.
Among these causes, the scattered nature of our population should undoubtedly be placed first, as will appear from a very slight examination of the census of 1880 . According to this the population numbered more than 100 to a square mile in but five States and one Territory, and from 50 to 100 in six other States. ${ }^{1}$

For the remaining States and Territories the density of population ranged from . 21 in Wyoming Territory to 41.22 in Kentucky.

The last statement includes the frontier States and Territories of the West and Northwest, and all the recent slave States excepting Delaware and Maryland, sections in which schools and school attendance are affected not only by the sparseness of the population, but by peculiar conditions that have been repeatedly set forth in my annual reports and are very generally understood.
The States included in the first two classes are those in which the highest ratios of attendance would naturally be expected. In order to find out the true status of school attendance in these States, it would be necessary to know for each, first, the census of youth who are proper subjects of elementary instruction (in the United States, as I have before stated, $6-16$ is accepted as the period to be embraced in the enumeration); secondly, the total enrollment between those ages in public and in private schools; thirdly, the average enrollment between those ages; fourthly, the total attendance for those ages in pablic and in private schools; fifthly, the average attendance for those ages.

The following table shows the nearest approach to these data that our present information allows:

[^10]Comparative view of school attendance in the more densely populated States．

| States． |  |  | . <br>  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Ratio of average attendance to to－ tal enrollment and to average enrollment． |  |  | Absentees． |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
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| Rhode Island．．．．．． | Apr．30，1835 | $\left\{\begin{array}{r}5-15 \\ 60,147\end{array}\right.$ | \} 47,990 | 35,269 | 31，743 | 56,404 | 79 | 52 |  | 66 | 89 | 93 | 11，222 | 2，355 | 22 |
| Massachusetts．．．． | 1881－1885 | $\left\{\begin{array}{r}5-15 \\ 343,810\end{array}\right.$ | \} 339,714 | 282，15＊ | 253， 055 | 365.340 | 98 | 74 | 91 | 74 | 90 | 107 | ．．．． |  |  |
| Connecticut．．．．．．． | Aug．31， 1835 | $\left\{\begin{array}{r}4-16 \\ 151,069\end{array}\right.$ | $\} 125,718$ | ．．．．．．．．．．．． | as2，654 | 140，198 | 83 | 54.7 | ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 65 | ．．． | 92 | $\cdots$ |  |  |
| New York．．．．．．．．．． | Aug．20，1885 | $\left\{\begin{array}{r}5-21 \\ 1,721,126\end{array}\right.$ | $\} 1,024,845$ | ．$\cdot$ ．．．．．． | 611，019 | ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 59 | 35 | ． | 60 | ． | ．．．．．．．．．． | ， |  | ．．．＊ |
| Now Jersey．．．．．．．． | Aug．31， 1884 | $\left\{\begin{array}{r}5-18 \\ 356,061\end{array}\right.$ | \} 216,792 | ．．．． | 122，930 | 265， 754 | 61 | 34.5 |  | 56 | ．．． | 74 | ．．．．．．．． |  |  |
| Pennsylvania．．．．． | June 1，1855 | $\left\{\begin{array}{c} 6-21 \\ b 1,422,377 \end{array}\right.$ | \} 982,158 |  | 657， 128 |  | 69 | 46 |  | 67 |  |  |  |  | 25 |
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| Maryland．．．．．．．．．．． | July 31，188．5 | $\left\{\begin{array}{r}5-20 \\ 205,215\end{array}\right.$ | $\} \quad 176,893$ |  | 92，963 |  | 59 | 31.4 |  | 52 |  | ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． |  |  |  |
| Ohio．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | Scist．，183：， | $\left\{\begin{array}{r}6-16 \\ 810,028\end{array}\right.$ | $\} 774,660$ | ．．．．．．．．．．． | 517，569 | 786， 463 | 94 | 63.8 | ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 66.8 |  | 97 |  |  |  |
| Indiana．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 1881 | $\left\{\begin{array}{r}6-21 \\ 722,851\end{array}\right.$ | \} 501, 142 | ．．． | 339,972 |  | 70 | 45.7 | 83 | C6 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Illinois．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 1885 | $\left\{\begin{array}{r}6-21 \\ 1,077,302\end{array}\right.$ | \} 738,787 | ．．．．．．．．．．．． | 490，536 | $\ldots$ | 68 | 45.5 | $\ldots$ | 66 | － |  |  |  |  |

From an examination of the preceding table it will be seen, first, that Massachusetts and Rhode Island are the only States that supply sufficient information for our purpose; second, that Connecticut, New Jersey, and Ohio are the only remaining States that approximate the desired information.
In the absence of these exact enumerations we must depend upon the general statements of State and local officers for an idea of the amount and regularity of school attendance in their respective States. These officers admit that the school attendance is not what it ought to be, whether regard be had to the number of youth in the schools, or to the regularity of attendance on the part of those who are enrolled as members.
Steady improvement in these respects is, however, noticeable in nearly every State of the Union.
Means for improving school attendance.-As to the means by which the deficiency of attendance may be overcome all school officers are agreed. These are: increased public interest in the matter and more enlightened public sentiment, better teachers, more intelligent supervision, and obligatory laws.
Evidences of increasing public interest.-Public interest in the matter is undoubtedly increasing and finds expression in high places. State governors, as a rule, give much space to public education in their annual messages, and approve the recommendations of superintendents and boards of education as to practical measures for improving the schools; but legislatures are very slow in giving effect to the suggestions.

The interest manifested by the gorernors of southeru States in behalf of the common schools is especially noticeable. A gratifying example is afforded in the message of Governor McEnery, of Louisiana, dated May 12, 1884. As the condition of the public schools of that State has excited much solicitude among the friends of popular education, I give in full the section of his message upon that subject:

## COMIMON SCHOOLS.

It is encouraging to notice the great interest manifested in the public school system and popular education throughout the State. At no period in the history of the State has there been such outspoken sentiment in faror of the education of the people, the introduction of improved methods in teaching, the employment of educated and trained teachers, and the extension of the means for elementary education. The people of this State are prepared to approve any legislation that will secure an effective system of free elementary instruction. We have a rast number of children whose parents are not only unable to send them to school, but it is to be regretted that we notice an unwillingness to do so, and many are keeping their children out of school for the small sum they get for their labor. Compulsory attendance at school should be required and legislation enacted to enforce it. The attendance of children at school must first be secured, and then the term of instruction should be extended. There should be a resolute and àetermined effort made to increase the amount of money appropriated for school purposes. Erery cent of money not needed for current expenses should be devoted to the maintenance of our public schools.

The State can only give a general superintendence and partial support to public education. That it is the duty of the State to educate its citizens into an intelligent comprehension of the duties of citizenship is undeniable. The best system organized will fail to accomplish the object desired unless actively sustained by the community. individuals, and local authorities. There is danger to popular education in relying exclusively upon the State or national authority for aid. "No community succeeds in educating its children until it faces the hard fact of local taxation, and trains itself to the persistent and generous assessment of all its property for the general good."

I will advise an entire change in the common school system, and recommend that school precincts be presided over by local boards or commissioners, and that the organic law be so changed as to permit each school precinct to tax itself for school purposes. This system, I beliere, has been adrantageously used in Texas and North Carolina.

## IMPORTANCE OF THE LOCAL SCHOOL TAN.

What is here said with respect to local taxation is applicable to every State in the Union. The promptness and fullness with which this tax is met will be the measure of the efficiency of common schools throughout our land. Gorernor Robinson, of Massachusetts, emphasized the point in his annual message for 1884.


#### Abstract

"No argument nor demonstration," lie said, "is needed in support of the fact that the people of Massachusetts have not, in any degree, abated their intcrest in the canse of the education of the young. During the year 1883 there was raiscd by taxation, for all common school purposes, the sum of $\$ 5,499,717.83$. Add to this the income from funds and other sources, $\$ 313,468.19$, and you have a total of $\$ 5,813,186.02$. * * The law makes it the duty of every town containing five huudred families or householders to maintain a high school, to be kept ten months, at least, in each year, and any town not having the stated number of families may provide such a school. It is an interesting fact that seventy-five towns under no obligation by statute, butavailing themselves of the privilege, have maintained high schools during the last year. Ninety per cent. of our whole school population have the privileges of high school instruction."

In his message for 1885 he notes again the liberal support which the people of that Commonwealth give to their schools. "Massachusetts," he says, "has always been deeply interested in popular education, and never more so than at the present time. This interest is manifested by the amount of money voluntarily raised for the support of schools, by the length of time the schools are maintained, and by the attendance of children upon them. The entire amount raised last year for all school purposes was $\$ 6,502,359.24$, providing an allowance of $\$ 19.34$ for each child between five and fifteen years of age."


## DEFECTIVE ADMINISTRATION.

But while all measures for the improvement of the schools depend primarily upon public interest and its practical manifestation in local taxes, it is evident that the school system itself, as it exists among us, needs improvement in many important particulars. In the majority of the States the system suffers from defective administration. This arises chiefly from the multiplicity of school districts and of independent local authorities, with the inevitable result of small schools, low standards, low wages for teachers, poor supervision or none at all, and waste of funds.

These are evils which cannot be eradicated until the petty school sovereignties are abandoned, and local interest in public education is manifested in the united action of communities and formulated in laws binding alike upon all. Such union leads naturally to the appointment of executive officers interested equally in all the districts included in the operation of the law, and invested with sufficient power to secure its enforcement.

Wherever this united action has been secured the schools are flourishing. Wherever it is wanting they are in a bad condition.

These declarations are confirmed by reports from erery State of the Union. A few examples must suffice for illustration. The Connecticut board of education in their report for 1885 use the following language:

It is made by law the duty of this board to give to the legislature "an account of the condition of the public schools." It would be very gratifying in performing this duty to be able to flatter the State pride common to us all by assuring your honorable body that the schools of Connecticut retain that precedence in excellence which used once to be conceded to them. It is important however that the truth should be told, for if the children of this State are not getting as good an education as ought to be and could be given them, this means that the Commonwealth which these children must hereafter sustain will not eujoy the full prosperity which would have been attainable, and it means that life is to be a smaller, a reaker, and a meaner thing for thousands of men and women of the next generatiou.

We make our statement with a full sense of its gravity, and of the concern which it will excite in all thoughtful minds; but we find the fact to be, and we must state it as we find it, that the common school system of this State is in a most unsatisfactory condition.
I. Too many school-houses are unfit to be used, and very many more are insufficiently equipped with appliances for teaching.
II. The attendance of large classes of children is irregular and insufficient.
III. There is too little really first-rate teaching in our schools, and too much that is very, very poor.

We have had the less hesitation in frankly telling facts as they are because of our confidence that if the people of this State once realize the actual extent of the short-comings of our schools it will not be long before radical remedies will be sought and found. We wish especially to suggest to your honorable body the inquiry whether it is not a necessary preliminary to successful reform to make our system of school administration more simple and effective.

There was spent last year on our schools $\$ 1,852,221.45$, of which $\$ 120,855.20$ came from the school fund and $\$ 226,603.50$ out of the treasury of the State. We are not getting our money's worth, and for the failure to do so our methods of administration must be at least partially responsible.

By creating within our towns from ten to twenty little parasitic governments, partially independent in school affairs of one another and of their towns, and by dividing the duties and responsibilities of school administration between town meeting and district meeting, and between school visitors and district committees, we have ritally impaired and paralyzed the self-government of our towns, and have rendered a proper management and control of schools impossible, or at least unlikely. The town is the genuine organic unit of our popular self-government, and we urgently suggest to your honorable body that there be substituted by law for the present confused and unsound system a simple and well ordered town management of schools.

The changes required to this end are not extensive or revolutionary. Nearly all that is necessary is to transfer the powers of district meetings to town meetings, and to unite the powers of school risitors and district committees in the hands of a town committee composed and elected as is now the board of school visitors. Such a change would tend to give us these much-needed results:
(1.) An honester and more skillful selection of teachers.
(2.) An authoritative, constant, and real supervision of the teacher's work.
(3.) The union of the schools of the town into something like a sensible organic system, producing a more economical and effective expenditure of money and a juster distribution of advantages and burdens.

The following is from the report of the Massachusetts board of education for 1884-'85:
The general agents have reported regularly upon the condition of the schools, and their reports have engaged the earnest attention of the board from the disclosure which they make of the state of learning in parts of the Commonwealth which suffer from the evils attendant on isolation and absence of concentrated effort. The following extract from one of these reports will illustrate this point:
"In my work this fall I find poorer buildings, more poorly supplied, smaller schools, cheaper and poorer teachers, and looser and less competent supervision. It is impossible to picture to one who has not seen them some of these schools, so nearly worthless are they. The little moncy that is spent on them and the time of the children are both wasted. I have found but one normal graduate in these towns, and nearly half of the teachers have had only a common school education in the towns where they are teaching. Nearly half also were teaching their first term in the schools in which I found them. The schools are visited by the committee but once or twice during the term, and they are rarely examined. If the pupils are in their seats and quiet, if they read without much stumbling and seem to have learned their lessons fairly well, the committee are satisfied. Few of them are competent to apply any tests of the thoroughness of the work. Nearly all the children learn to read by spelling out the words. The only employment of the little ones is fingering the primer. The older ones study all lessons from the books, and all recitations are conducted by questions and answers. In some towns there is not a globe or a map in a school-room, and the blackboards are scanty and poor. We can only reflect that the teachers could not use more if they were supplied. Almost without exception the buildings are destitute of the means of ventilation. After risiting the schools I have spent a half day with the teachers and committee in suggesting improvements. The criticisms and suggestions are everywhere well received. If I or some one else could risit again in a month and repeat the risits frequently some good would be accomplished. In the present condition I see little to hope for."

Such a state of things as this report indicates calls for serious attention. It is rery evident that the board has not the power, through its agents, to effect rapid or permanent improvement in such cases. It can do scarcely more than awaken interest and make suggestion. Nor is it desirable that the work of raising the standard of education, in any given community, should be committed directly to the board. There is no principle of our educational system more jealously to be guarded than that of local control and supervision, and it is the towns, and towns alone, that can properly be intrusted with the education of their children.
The palpable obstacle to improvement is in the poverty and isolation of the smaller towns. The cities and large towns have found it necessary to establish the system of superintendency, and the results hare shown the wisdom of this course. In the judgment of
the board, no one measure is more imperatively demanded, in the growth of the educational system of the Commonwealth, than the extension of the principle of superintendency to the smaller towns and villages. It is not to be expected nor desired that these places should each be provided with a separate supcrintendent, but it is entirely possible that several neighboring towns and rillages should combine to maintain a superintendent, whose duties would be substantially the same as those of one placed over an equal number of sckools contained within a single large town.
Such an extension of the principle of superintendency would have a marked effect upon the entire educational system of the State. It would call into service those teachers and normal graduates who shoir a special aptitude for pedagogy, and would bring together, in rarines iorms of association, men and women of both theoretical and practical knowledre of the art of teaching. It would, moreover, greatly stimulate the intellectual life of the remoter districts, and do steadily and methodically much of the work which can now be done only spasmodicaily by agents and teachers' institutes.
The time is ripe for such a movement. The country districts invite it; only their porerty stands in the way. if, in the judgment of the legislature, it should be deemed expedient to lay such an additional tax for educational purposes as was proposed at the last session, it is the opinion of the board of education that the first application of the money thus obtained should be torard the support of superintendents chosen by the smaller towns, acting upon some simple plan of combination.
Hon. Le Roy D. Brown, State commissioner of common schools, Ohio, in his report for 1885 , says:
The meager progress of the country schools of the State is not chargeable to school offcers, teachers, or pupils, but to the lamentable deficiencies of that part of the Ohio school system which relates to schools in township districts. Under the present law no township board of education has sufficient authority to enforce the rules and regulations for the government of the schools under their control which they hare sworn to prescribe. The same may be truthfuily said of courses of study. It is not straisge, therefore, that these boards, in a large majority of cases, have entirely neglected to preseribe rules or establish courses of study. The law should be so modified and improved as to define clearly the relations existing amoing teachers, directors in sub-districts, and township boards of education. Responsibility in school management should be fixed somewhere.

With a wise consolidation of the educational forces in township, special, and village districts under a single board of education not large in numbers in each township of the State, efficient supervision could be secured, better teachers would be employed, and in every way the schools outside of the cities would be greatly improved.

## STATUS OF THE TEACHING FORCE.

The improvement of the teaching force is undoubtedly the most direct means of improving the schools. Never before were so many agencies at work for the accomplisbment of this purpose, and their influence is felt even in such districts as are described in the foregoing extracts.

The work of training in normal schools and in teachers' institutes is considered in its appropriate place in this Report. (See p. cxxxvir.)

The important part that teachers' associations perform in stimulating teachers, enlarging their views, and increasing their intellectual and social force, must not be overlooked. Teachers' reading clubs or reading circles have lately come into prominence as an additional means of improvement, but the success of these various efforts is impaired by the faulty administration of which I have spoken.

The rates of wages will be seen by reference to Table I, part 1, Summary B. As regards appointments, although it is required in every State that a teacher should hold a certificate, the local officers with whom the appointing power resides show a very general disposition to be contented with candidates who have only the lowest-grade certificates. As a rule these represent rery meager qualifications. State superintendents make every effort to ascertain the grade of certificate held by the teachers, and as a result of their inquiries we have eridence that in a nurater of States the teachers show a laudable ambition to obtain adranced-grade cerifficacts. ${ }^{\prime}$ ’

In this respect the teachers of Virsinia hare a record of whiche citer may well be proud. From a tabular statement it apnears that more than half of the certricates, held in this

State are professional or of the first grade, and if to these the number of second-grade certificates be added the sum is 85 per cent. of the entire number. A fow other States have an equally good report under this head, but in general conditions similar to those set forth rery forcibly by Hon. J. E. Morrison, State superintendent of schools for New York, affect the standard of the teaching force in all the States. Mr. Morrison says:

One of the most serious obstacles in the way of raising the grade of qualification of the teachers employed in the public schools is to be found in the existing system of examinations upon which the greater part of the teachers receire their licenses to teach.

Of the 31,399 teachers employed in the public schools of the State, over 20,000 are Iicensed by school commissioners upon examinations held by them, which are characterized by no uniformity whatever in different localities. Whether a license is granted or withheld is substantially discretionary with them. They are clective officers in their respective districts, and subjected to rarious political and personal influences, sometimes deflecting them from the straight line of duty, generally amoying, and often resisted only at the risk of losing a renomination or re-election. The consequence naturally follows that numerous incompetent and inefficient teachers are crowded into the schools, who, but for such influences, would remain unlicensed, and their places would be filled by others qualified for the business. I know of no more effectral means of remedying this evil than the system already in successful operation in some of the States, by which this class of certificates to teach issues only upon examinations held by school commissioners, or other local ofincers with similar functions, the questions for which are prepared under the direction of the State superintendent, and sent out simultaneously, in printed form, at proper interrals, to such examiners throughout the State. A plan of subsequent revision, and approral or disapproval of the answers, at the department, on the result of which should depend the granting of the licenses, would give stability and effectiveness to the system, and could be easily arranged.

This plan would require the enactment of some amendments to the present general school laws. I respectinlly recommend the subject to the attention of the legislature.

It is certain that until some such action as that recommended by Mr. Morrison is taken in all the States, no extended, well sustained morement for the perfecting of the teaching service is possible.
The tenure of office has also an unmistakable influence in determining the generel character of the teaching force. In the rural districts appointments are generally made for one term, and although engagements are often renerred over and over again, this is the exception rather than the rule.

The erils of an uncertain tenure are so many and so obvious that efforts are being made in several States to secure the legislatire action necessary for placing the teachers' tenure rpon a more permanent basis. The friends of this measure in Massachusetts hare been particularly active during the year, and a bill will shortly be introduced into the Massachusetts legislature for enlarging the porers of school committees so far as to permait them to elect teachers to serve during the pleasure of the committees, instead of for a term of one year. ${ }^{1}$

## SUPERVISION OF COUNTRY SCHOOLS.

As regards the supervision of the rural schools, eridences are not wanting of improvement in many localities, but on the whole the service is exceedingly deficient in the United States. The subject has been freely discussed during the year in the National Educational Association and in State teachers' associations, and the facts and opinions which I have set forth very fully in previous Reports have been conirmed and emphasizell by the statements made before these rarious bodies.

In the Illinois State Teachers' Association attention was called to the fact that, as the lam now stands, the office of county superintendent is political, and the lucky farorite
1 While this Feport was in progress the bill referred to was introduced into the legislature and passed. The following is the text of thenew law, which, as will be seen, is simply permissive :

[^11]of "blind rotes," be he competent or not, holds the position for four years. No qualification is necessary sare citizenship and ability to furnish the required bond. This statement represents very fairly the present status of this service in our country.

Hon. J. W. Holcombe, superintendent of public instruction for the State of Indiana, in his report for 1884, submits the following statement and recommendations with reference to the county superintendency:

No office in the State has more fully justified its own existence than the county superintendencs. The contrast between the country schools of to-dar and those of a dozen years ago is a sufficient testimonial of its ralue. Its effects have been felt in every branch of educational administration. The elder State superintendents found themselves helpless in the midst of chaos; their roice was as "the roice of one crying in the wilderness." They could do little but exhort and plead. The trustees controlled the schools, the State superintendent and State board of education sat at the capital and beheld the reigu of confusion. The influence they could exert was but feeble, the power nought. There was no medium of commanication between them and the schools; the trustees could not be reached; the examiners were mere functionaries with power confined to one thing. The indispensable link was supplied in the county superintendency, and with its creation begins the period of the most marked and rapid progress that our schools hare ever enjoyed. System, order, organization, with all the improrement that these imply, have appeared in the schools; and the promptness and certainty with which the directions of the central department are executed hare secured an almost equal progress throughout all the counties, and hare given us a State system in fact as well as in name. If in any counties these gratifying results hare not been secured in as full measure as they ought, the fault is with the trustees, in not realizing the possibilities of the office, and so not appointing men of sufficient strength to fill it; or with the county commissioners, in hampering the work of the superintendent throagh mistaken ideas of economy. But I think it safe to say that the incumbents of this office hare, as a rule, accomplished more than could have been expected of them in the short space of eleven years; and it gives me pleasure to bear testimony to the high character, fidelity, and competence of the county superintendents of Indiana.

I shall, therefore, ask of the general assembly a little legislation in matters of detail, which will hare the effect of strengthening this office. And first, as to a standard of qualifications for superintendents. It has been pointed out as a defect in our system, both theoretical and practical, that the men who examine and pass upon the qualifications of nearly all the teachers of the State are themsel res not subjected to any examination whaterer, and the occasional appointment to the office in past years of persons notoriously inferior in scholarship to many of their teachers has seemed to make the establishment of some test of qualifications necessary. Various plans have been proposed, as that the superintendent, or all candidates for the office, must hold college or normal school diplomas, or must be examined by the State board of education. The practical objections to these plans are serious. But I think it would be rery reasonable and entirely practicable to prohibit the appointment of any one as county superintendent who did not hold a ralid teacher's license of not less than twenty-four months' grade. The highest grade of license issued by the superintendent is for thirty-six months; but it would not be well as jet to require him to hold this grade himself. It has been in existence less than two years, and has been issued to but a small number of persons, and in some counties it might happen that no one holding this license would accept the superintendency. But if scholarship were made by law an essential qualification for this office, there is little doubt that trustees would be compelled by public opinion to appoint from the arailable men the one that held the highest license. The objection to be urged against this plan is that the superintendent, being the examiner, might not deal fairly in grading possible rivals for the office. But I think this criticism ought to have no weight. It is theoretical merely; and I beliere the superintendents would be particularly careful in such cases to avoid any suspicion of injustice. Besides, a man who cannot make a sufficiently high grade to merit a twenty-four months' license beyond all question, is hardly qualified for the superintendency; and in the last resort an appeal may be taken by an applicant for license to the State superintendent, on the grading of the examination.

Provision should be made for the necessary expenses of the county superintendent, incurred in the performance of his duties, and he should in all cases be furnished with 2a office. He is the depositary of records and public property of value, which should be safely kept. The proper administration of his office requires stationery, postage, and printing, and these should be supplied by the county. Such is the practice in many counties, but in others allomances for these necessaries are. refused; and there may be
some doubt of the commissioners' right to grant them, under the present lar:. Irecommend, therefore, that section 4433 R. S. be amended in accordance with these suggestions, and that at the same time the proviso permitting the commissioners to limit the number of days for the visitation of schools be omitted, a needless authoritynot much exercised, and when exercised causing only detriment to the schools. It is obrious that the schools need all the visitation the superintendent, with other duties to perform, can give them in one hundred and forty days.

The National Council of Education, in its session of 188j, approved the report on State school supervision submitted by a special committee. The following are the main points in the report:

State supervision is necessary because, having undertaken to tax the people to secure better school adrantages, it must follow up the tax and see that the moner is wisel expended. It is not enough to make a school system possible. The State should compel the location, establishment, and maintenance of a sufficient number of schools to educate all its children. It should fix the minimum time in which the school should be in session, and prescribe a minimum course of study. A State superintendent sbould be employed to take general supervision of schools, and of school funds and revenues, to adrise with subordinate school officers, interpret the law, and report needed legislation. The State board of education should be composed chiefly of professional teachers, and the various public educational interests should be well represented. It should take charge of the issuing of State certificates, supervise State educational institutions, examine and license all local officers authorized to examine and license teachers throughout the State, exercise control over county and district institutes, and appoint the State superintendent. A county or district superintendent should hare his fitness well attested and have a long tenure of office. He should have power to examine applicants for teachership, and issue and revoke licenses. He should be appointed by a county board of education, formed of members of the local boards, and this county board should have oversight of the schools in the county.

The governor of Massachusetts, in the addresses before referred to, dwells particularly upon the subject of superrision. In 1884 he said:

The most promising field for improrement is in the small towns; they cannot make sufficient provision for the highest success; the large towns can. We need more thorough, intelligent supervision, especially in the small country towns. Whaterer can be done to build up and strengthen these struggling communities will bless the State at large. More towns should avail themselres of the statute authority to employ a superintendent, if not alone, then in union with their neighbors. Apply this system generally, and the benefits will quickly appear in better teachers, improved methods of instruction, more satisfactory buildings and appliances, and an increased attendance of pupils.

In 1885 he said:
Intelligent and thorough supervision contributes much to the excellence of the public schools. The advanced condition of the schools in the cities and large towns affords the best proof of this fact. Smaller towns may have the benefit of this important agency by union in districts, and by supporting together a district superintendent. In several instances of trial of this method most successful results have been accomplished, and the need of its wider application has been abundantly demonstrated. Any practicable measure looking to and encouraging the adoption of the system generally throughout the State should receive your earnest support.

It is to be hoped that the agitation of this subject will be continued with increased vigor in every State, until the supervision of the schools is established upon a sound basis.

## GRADED COURSE OF STUDY.

One of the most successful measures employed by county superintendents for the improvement of rural schools is the graded course of study. The adrantages of this measure are illustrated by its excellent effects in Macon County, Illinois, a full report of which has been furnished to the Office.

The plan was first suggested to the county superintendent, Mrr. John Trainer, in 1880, by the perusal of Mr. A. L. Wade's "Graduating system for county schools." Since
then the superintendent has beeu steadily at work improving and extending the original idea. The following are the principal features of tho plan as now developed:

1. A complete course of study.
2. A definite outline of study, based upon the course of study.
(A) A system of examinations (based upon the outline of study): (a) monthly; (b) annual (central); (c) final (annual).
(B) A system of oatlining, based upon the definite work.
3. The grouping of the county into great districts.
4. The county a district composed of the great districts.
5. A system of reports:
(A) Reports to parents.
(B) Reports to county superintendents.
6. A plan for preserving the sereral examinations.
7. A permanent record of the progress of the pupil as determined by the examinations.
8. Certificates of rank in class issued at the central examinations.
9. A county diploma issued at the final examination.

The condition of the ungraded schools in Macon County prior to the adoption of the system may be summarized as follows: the classification was miserable, one teacher actually having thirteen classes in arithmetic alone; the want of uniformity in textbooks was appalling; the entire absence of records was noticeable in many cases, a majority of teachers keeping the attendance in pencil on a sheet of foolscap; the schoolrooms were nothing if not repulsive; less than one-half the scholars were studying grammar, and fewer still pretending to study history; no district knew what its next neighbor was doing.
By the application of the graded course the following results have been accomplished:
(a) A classification which grades the school to the minimum number of classes.
(b) An improved attendance in every grade: the boys starting to school several weeks earlier in the fall; the girls remaining in school through the spring and summer terms, longer than ever before.
(c) All the branches "outlined" are taken up in the proper order, and completed as required before the pupil is promoted.
(d) Pupils are passing directly from district schools to the high schools and to the preparatory course in the State institutions without an examination.
(e) More pupils are preparing to take advanced courses of study-double the number under the old régime.
( $f$ ) Teachers are adopting new and improved methods of doing the work outlined for them; the strong teacher is advancing term after term, the weak teacher is being pushed to the wall; the public are demanding the very best teachers, even at the highest price.
The State superintendent of Illinois, Hon. Henry Raab, who has been exceedingly active in this matter, reports that more than half the counties of the State have, during the last three years, adopted a course of study and manual of work, with excellent results in every case.
The use of the graded course is rapidly extending in all the western States.
In the eastern States the measure has attracted less attention, although no better illustration of its practical adrantage can be found than is afforded by certain counties of New Jersey.

## COMPULSION.

My Report for 1882-' 83 contained a compilation showing the status of each State and Territory with reference to compulsion. The laws compelling attendance upon school have undoubtedly increased the number of youth who are brought under instruction, but at the same time in some instances they hare apparently been the cause of a decrease in the annual enrollment. For instance, in Connecticut the ratio of the number of youth registered to the number enumerated has declined steadily since 1875. In that year
the per cent. registered in public schools was 89.34 , as against 81.85 in 1885 ; registered in loth public and private schools, 95.65 in 1875 , as against 91.53 in 1885. With reference to this decrease Hon. C. D. Hine, the secretary of the board, says:

It is probable that the compulsory law itself has contributed to this result. Under its provisions those orer 14 were legally exempt, and felt that they were morally relieved from school obligations. Those under 8 were also little pressed, and there was no forced regularity. The large class between $S$ and 14 , which is the promising and proper school age, found that the State permitted absence for six of the nine school months; with this high sanction, if there was no desire to attend or no home impulse, the State limit became the standard, and convenience or ทecessity regulated attendance.

As a means of correcting this tendency the law has been re-enforced by an additional enactment, which provides for the attendance of all unemployed children betreen $S$ and 16 years of age.

Similar action has been taken in some other States where there was an apparent tendency on the part of some parents to limit the school attendance of their children to the minimum required by the law.

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NEW ETGLATD STATES-MAINE.
The statistics show, for the first time in several years, an increase in the number of school children, and it is hoped that the limit has at last been reached in the decrease that has been going on in this respect, with one exception, for 10 years. The whole enrollment in public schools $(145,121)$ was over a thousand less than during the previous year; but this, it is believed, was owing to the fact that fewer children of 4 years were sent to school. The average daily attendance increased in summer, but epidemics lessened it in winter. The superintendent thinks that, on the whole, the statistics of attendance show a more intelligent and active parental interest, securing better teaching, better supervision, and more regular attendance. The average school term was 2 dajs longer and the number of graded schools was 50 greater, while ungraded ones decreased, showing that small and weak schools hare been absorbed by larger ones-a reform much needed. The whole expenditure for public schools decreased by over $\$ 47,000$, but this was owing to the fact that less money was paid for new school-houses, in which matter greater economy was observed, without the sacrifice of any essential good.

There was, therefore, an improvement in school organization; a better quality of instruction; comparative increase in work done; and more efficient supervision. There was also an extension of the system of high schools, and a growing adjustment of their work to that of the lower grades; an increase of attendance on normal schools and of the number graduated from them; and a more efficient organization of teachers' associations, with better attendance and better work.

## NEW HAMPSHIRE.

For many years this State has been hampered by an educational system which made long school sessions in the cities and short ones in the country districts the current rule. The schools in the latter, relics of an outworn and always miserable plan of cheap neighborhood instruction, have been comparatively costly, because few children were instructed, and commonly inefficient, because poor pay generally brought to them poor teachers. Superintendent Patterson, stimulated by the action of Massachusetts in doingr away with its old district system at the close of 1832 , labored earnestly as well as wisely in 1885 to effect the same thing for New Hampshire, and happily succeeded, a law of that year abolishing the division of town into school districts, and making each town, except some under special acts, a single district for school purposes. This is the entering wedge for great improvement in the educational condition of the State; with sure resultof better school-honses, fuller attendance on them, a higher style of teachiog, and a better understanding of the subject studied, all with probably less expease than uader the old rule.

## FEEMONT.

The full reports from this State are biennial, and 1834-' 85 is therefore only partially presented. From this cause perhaps 1,085 less children than in 1883-' 84 are reported as enrolled in public schools, and average time of school appears a little shorter, but 10 more schools are presented, and arerage daily attendance in all the public schools of the State was 1,424 greater. Pay of male teachers was somewhat diminished, but that of females was correspondingly increased; the total cxpenditure for all school purposes was $\$ 20,922$ greater than that of the preceding year. From educational papers it is understood that the roting on the abolition of the old school districts with a view to the adoption of a general town system was still going on, with increasing prospect of eventually reaching on this point the position of Massachusetts and New Hampshire.

## MASSACEUSETTS.

With 343,810 children of school age (5-15) this State enrolled 339,714, a noble showing, though a decrease for the jear of over 2,000. The average membership, however, increased by nearly 5,000 , and the average attendance by 5,787 , raising the ratio of average attendance based on membership to 90 per cent. The increased demand for instruction was met by the establishment of 89 new schools, and about $\$ 518,000$ more was expended on all than during the previous year, much of this, howerer, being due to the operation of the free text-book law. There was a gain of 152 in the number of normal graduates employed, and of 122 in teachers that had attended normal schools; but, on the other hand, about 1,300 more teachers were employed during the year than the number necessary to supply the schools, showing too many changes in the corps to be consistent with the welfare of the schools. There was, however, an improvement in all the equipments for teaching, such as school-houses and apparatus; a better supply of dictionaries; free text-books furnished; supplementary reading matter introduced; and better provision made for truants. Discipline, too, was greatly improved, the theory of compulsion having largely given way to that of a healthy stimulation. Ereningschoolsincreased in number, enrollment, and attendance. High schools had an increased attendance, and a number of new and elegant buildings were erected for them.

## RHODE ISLAND.

The figures from this State show advance in all important respects. With about 60,000 children of legal school age ( $5-15$ ), nearly 48,000 , or about 80 per cent., were enrolled in public schools, the average belonging being 35,260 , and the average daily attendance 31,743 , an increase for the year of 1,239 in school population, of 2,349 in enrollment, of 1,147 in the average number belonging, and of 996 in arerage daily aitendance, besides a greater attendance on evening schools and on private schools. Thir-ty-one more graded schools were taught, though the whole increase for the jear in all day schools sustained was only 32. Eight more teachers were from normal schools, while only 16 more teachers than in the previous year were employed; their average monthly pay increased slightly, and the whole amount expended on public schools was more than $\$ 100,000$ greater, while public school property was reported worth $\$ 127,850$ more than in 1885-'84.

## CONNECTICUT.

Encouraging advance during 1831-' 85 is shown by the statistics from this State. About 151,003 children of school age ( $4-16$ ) are reported, of whom 125,718 , or 83 per cent., were enrolled in public schools, besides 14,480 in other schools, showing that nearly 93 per cent. of the school population were in school during some portion of the year. An increase of 463 is reported in the children of school age, while the increase in the number enrolled in public schools was five times as great, the average attendance also increasing. Nineteen new school-houses were bailt, providing 2,247 more sittings. More teachers were continued in the same school, and fewer haring no experience were employed, the average pay remaining about the same. The whole amount
expended on the schools was nearly $\$ 75,000$ more than the previous year. Still it is admitted that the people are not getting all they shonld from this expenditure; that there are too many incompetent teachers, and too many school-houses unfit for use and imperfectly supplied with apparatus.

MIDDLE ATLANTTIC STATES-NEW YORK.
Continuous advance, not fully proportioned to the greatness of the State, butabsolutely large, is presented here almost throughout. Though multitudes of country districts with old and poor arrangements for instruction still made little progress in effective schooling, the enrollment in all public schools was 24,788 greater than in 1883-'81, exceeding by 6,629 the increase in youth of age for school instruction, while average attendance in like schools was 14,859 greater than the year before. These would seem large advances in a smaller State, but here are dwarfed to small percentages by the very greatness of the field. Taking into the account of school attendanco the whole additionel number in private or church schools, in academies, normal schools, colleges, and special schools, there appears a total under some form of instruction very nearly up to the whole number of healthy youth, the cost of such instruction for the year reaching nearly $\$ 14,000,000$.

## NEW JERSEY.

Although State school machinery was considerably hindered in its working by a fire at the State-house in 1884, a full report for 1883-' 84 and 1884-' 85 is presented by Superintendent E. O. Chapman, which shows in the 2 years an adrance at almost all important points beyond the showing of the two preceding years, though here and there appears a slight decline. In the latter of the 2 years, out of 10,256 new school youth, 5,525 were enrolled in the free schools, and 9,087 more than in $1883-$ ' 84 were in arerage daily attendance in such schools, while the number in private and church schools fell off by 452. With 10 fewer State school buildings, there were yet sittings for 6,939 more pupils, 27 of the buildings being newly built and very good; $\$ 29,709$ more were spent for public schools, and valuation of State school property went \$482, 119 ligher than the year before.

## PENASYLVANIA.

The fact that in this State a school census is taken only once in a decade so impairs the value of the percentages based on it that these are omitted from the present brief review. The absolute numbers reported as enrolled and in average attendance daily in State schools in 1884-' 85 were, for the former, 16,119 greater, and for the latter 21,450 greater, than in 1883-'84, while private and parish schools presented 11,957 fewer attendants, indicating a continuance of the drift that has long been swesping the great body of the children into the better officered, better furnished, and generally better taught free schools. The expenditure for these schools was increased by $\$ 254,767$ in the year, and the valuation of all State school property by $\$ 728,348$; but the old school districts, great hindrances to progress, still held their place in the State system, and even somewhat increased, while in these districts were 335 more schools, only 14 of the additional ones being graded. Districts with school libraries were, however, more numerous by 380 , perhaps from the spread of teachers' reading circles; and teachers, as a whole, were increased by 400 in the public schools, those in private and church schools falling off by more than twice that number; but public school teachers with 5 years or more experience and teachers trained in the State normal schools fell off also considerably and unaccountably. The record of the year is in many points a very good one; but it has, as may be seen, drawbacks that still call for remedy.

## DELATARE.

The reports from this State are pablished only biennially, covering apparently the calendar years, and none for 1885 and 1886 can be expected before some time in $188 \%$. The figures for 1883 and 1884, given in the last Report from this Office, must therefore stand for at least another year.

## MARYLAND.

The figures here show an increase of 6,000 in the number of pupils enrolled in public schools, and of 6,477 in average daily attendance, the per cent. of the latter to the former being 1.95 more. There were 7 more schools for the colored race, 1,303 more pupils enrolled in them, and 1,818 more in average daily attendance. The whole number of schools taught in the State decreased by 7, but the average term for the State was 16 days longer. The average monthly pay of teachers increased by $\$ 1.33$, the whole amount paid them being about $\$ 32,000$ more than for the previous year, although the amount expended for all public school purposes ( $\$ 1,745,258$ ) was not quite $\$ 25,000$ more than in 1883-'84. The State is, however, evidently steadily awakening to a sense of its need of better and more effective school work.

## virginia.

The statistics of this State show a progress in education that is very gratifying. There were 15,313 more pupils enrolled in the State free schools, and 13,100 more were in average daily attendance in 1884-'85 than in the preceding year. The public schools in whicin they were thus enrolled were more numerous by 225 ; the school-houses owned by districts, 293 more; the teachers employed, 222 more, with fairly larger pay than previously, men getting about 68 cents more a month and women 49 cents more. There was an increase in public school expenditure of $\$ 102,995$, and one of $\$ 226,822$ in valuation of public school property. A new State normal school was established, under the excellent supervision of ex-Superintendent Raffer.

## gOUTH ATLANTIC STATES-NORTH CAROLINA.

A partial report for 1885 from this adrancing State indicates progress at almost every point: 14,723 more youth of school age ( $6-21$ ); 13,850 more of such youth in public schools, and 12,583 more in average attendance; while school districts increased by 217, and school-houses by 214; the average school term going up from 58 days in 1884 to 62 days in 1835, and the value of public school property from $\$ 483,092$ to $\$ 565,960$, an increase of $\$ 32,863$. Could the figures of the graded schools established in several of the larger towns and cities have been included, these statistics would have presented a still better aspect, and it seems only fair that the State should be able to obtain full information as to the whole school system it is fostering.

## sotth carolina.

The advance presented here at some points is broken by sad gaps in others. With nearly 300,000 school youth to draw upon in 1884-'85, only 178,023 were enrolled in public schools, a falling off from the preceding year of 7,596 , while average school term was shortened by 10 days and the number of public school-houses by 20. School-houses owned by districts were fewer by 75, and school-houses built during the year fewer by 17 , though these last appear to have been more valuable by $\$ 5,353$ than those bailt in 1833-'81. Much of all this is evidently due to insufficiency of funds to provide fairly for public schools, and to the fact that these funds are not available in the school year for which they are designed. This leads to brokerage of the certificates of school dues that are given teachers in the place of present pay, and the brokerage so cuts down the pay that from 10 to 25 per cent. of it is lost. With such losses steadily occurring, and no remedy for them, in the shape of either prompt pay or fuller revenue, discouragement and ill success is natural.

GEORGIA.
No statistics of the Georgia school system, except as respects the schools of the chief cities, are a a ailable for 1885. These show, at Atlanta, a small increase of enrollment in the public schools, with an arerage attendance of 95 per cent. of the enrolled, and a pressure for more room and means; at Augusta, a decline in public school enrollment
and in teachers, but a continuance of special teaching of penmanship in all the grades of schools for whites, and a school term of 177 days; at Columbus, a school session of 188 days, with drawing, penmanship, and music in the course; at Macon, a falling off in enroliment and average attendance, and very many children out of school; at Savannah, a more than usually satisfactory progress on the part of pupils, but much need of greater room for pupils in the lower grades.

## FLORIDA.

With no reported increase in the youth of school age here, there was one of 4,016 in the enroilment of pupils in State schools and of 9,969 in average daily attendance in them, the schools increasing by 220 , the teachers in them by 217 , and the amount expended by the State for the instruction given going $\$ 163,806$ beyond the expenditure of the year before. These are clear evidences of a new and active educational life, which is shown also in well-attended teachers' institutes, in the institution of a teachers' reading circle, and in a clearly demonstrated interest in the improvement of the deaf and dumb.

## GULF STATES-ALABAMA.

With only 649 additional school youth in $1884-85$, this State presents an increase of 18,331 in pupils enrolled in public schools, of 10,162 in average attendance, of 8 in school districts, of 173 in the number of public schools, of 210 in teachers for them, of $\$ 1.84$ in the average annual pay of teachers, and of $\$ 16,223$ in expenditure for the schools under the State system. These figures indicate an educational awakening, that has drawn in very many children not previously enrolled, and which, having thus brought them under instruction, has held them to their studies in a very fair degree. Alabama, indeed, appears to be fast pressing towards a leadership in the educational progress of the South.

## MISSISSIPPI.

This State, reporting for 1884 , shows advance in most points on the figures for 1883 , such as 12,024 more enrolled in public schools, 29,958 more in arerage attendance, the per cent. of this attendance to enrollment going 8.23 beyond that of the preceding year, while teachers were more numerous by 405 and expenditure for the free schools greater by $\$ 68,444$. The legislature in 1884 provided also, for that year and the next, the usual appropriations to the different State institutions, and for the establishment of "an industrial institute and college for white girls," in which such girls may acquire a thorough normal training, with a knowledge of kindergartening, telegraphy, stenography, photography, drawing, painting, designing, engraving, book-keeping, and household industries.

## LOUISIANA.

The reported number of youth of school age has not changed here for several years, but youth of that age (6-18) in public schools increased by 18,917 in 1885 , with an increase also of 12,997 in average attendance, of 35 in the number of public schools, of 117 in teachers employed for them, with large increase in other teachers, apparently through more searching inquiry after them. A State normal school at Natchitoches, provided for in 1884, was organized in October of that year, and another at New Orleans had the foundations of a promising normal work laid for it. The faculty of the former will bring a new life into the institutes held in the State; that of the latter will probably do some like good in the chief city, where Tulane and other universities are laboring efficiently for the promotion of higher education.

TEXAS.
Although in 1883-' 81 reports came in from only a part of the 166 counties in this great State, and although school age in 1884-' 85 was extended by 2 years, giving opportunities for free schooling to a considerably larger number, the figures received for the latter year present an apparently great decline in children of school age, in enrollment of such
children in the State schools, in school communities organized, and in the schools maintained. Later information from counties, communities, and cities slow in presenting their reports may change this disappointing aspect of school affairs; but as far as can be seen from figures presented by State Superintendent Baker in the Texas School Journal of May, 1886, the abore is the seeming outcome of the year.

## southern central states-arkansas.

No statistics of the Arkansas school system for 1884-' 85 hare reached the Bureau of Education up to the time at which this matter goes to press. The State has therefore to stand upon its record for the jears 1882-' 83 and 1883-' 84 , instead of that for the later year, which it was hoped that the Bureau might have material to present.

EANSAS.
With 461,044 youth of school age (5-21) this State reports 335,533 pupils, or nearly 73 per cent., enrolled in public schools, and 194,325, or only about 42 per cent. of the school ponulation, in arerage daily attendance; the number enrolled was nearly 32,000 more than that reported for 1833-'84, while the arerage daily attendance was about 13,000 less. Publia schools were sustained for at least 3 months by 315 more districts; 214 more school-houses with nearly 600 more rooms were used, and 1,189 more teachers employed. The average monthly pay of women teaching was $\$ 2.57$ less, and that of men $\$ 0.15$ more; the whole amount spent for public schools being $\$ 505,689$ more, and the valuation of public school property $\$ 832,163$ more, than the previous year.

## mISSOURI.

A progressire condition of the public schools, on the whole, is shomn by the statistics from this State, although one or two important exceptions to this condition are noted. With about 805,000 5outh of school age (6-20) there was an enrollment in public schools of a little over 544,000 , or about 67 per cent., an increase for the year of 26,474 in school popalation, and of 16,695 in the number enrolled. More schools by 107 were taught, 492 more rooms having been provided. An increase in the number of teachers necessary to supply the schools, and a decrease in the number actually employed, has caused a better proportion between these two items, indicating that about 900 fewer changes in the corps were made than daring the previous year. An increase also appears in the average monthly pay of teachers. On the other hand, a decrease of 26,135 appears in the average daily attendance, the average school term was 6 days shorter, and $\$ 26,563$ less were expended for all school purposes. It must be remembered, however, that the report for 1883-'84 included 15 months, and that for the last year only 12, the law haring been changed so as to make the school year close in June instead of in April.

## KENTCCKY.

In the absence of any late report no public school statistics for 1884 -' 85 can be given; bat the files of the Educational Courant for the year show evidence of continued educational vitality, more especially in the reports of county teachers' institutes held. A note from the State superinteudent says that the expenditure per capita for both races would be increased this year by 15 cents over tinat of $1883-$ ' 84.
Important amendments were made to the school law in 1884, among them one proriding for the election of county superintendents, the levy of county taxes, and for an increase of the distributable State school fund from $\$ 150,000$ to $\$ 200,000$ a year. Indigent and orphan children are to hare text-books free of cost, half-time and third-time schools hare been provided for, and physiology and hygiene added to the course of study.

TENAESSEE.
The information for 1884-' 85 shows that the public schools throughout this State were steadily advancing, both as to interest in them on the part of the people and work done by the teachers and pupils. With 609,028 youth of school age, $373,8 \% \%$, or about 61 per
cent., were enrolled in public schools, not a small figure when the long extent of the legal school age (6-21) is considered, and when it is remembered that a large majority of those over 16 were in higher schools or engaged in employments. Private schools, too, enrolled 25,569 more of the school population. There was an increase during the year of 23,637 in the number of youth of school age, and one of 23,734 in public school enrollment. The average attendance, too, increased, in the opinion of the superintendent, although from a failure of several large counties to report this item the figures show a decrease in it. There were 210 more public and 28 fewer private schools taught; 33 more public schools were graded; 331 more houses were in use by them; and the value of school property was $\$ 8,336$ more. Normal institute work exceeded that done in any previous year, one result of this being a commencement of the plan of grading country schools.

## WEST VIRGINIA.

With 235,345 youth of school age this State reported 176,576 pupils, or about 75 per cent., eurolled in public schools during the year, and 109,177, or 44.46 per cent., in average daily attendance, an increase for the year of about 7,000 in youth of school age, and of an equal number in the average daily attendance, while the number enrolled increased by over 10,000 . The figures also show advance in the enrollment and average attendance of colored jouth, the former numbering about 55 per cent. of the colored school population, the latter 35 per cent. More school-houses were reported, more schools were taught, both graded and ungraded, but the average length of term was 4 days shorter; 631 more teachers had experience, and 157 more were graduates of normal schools, although their average monthly pay was about $\$ 4$ less than the previous year.

## northern central states-orio.

A continuation of the progress that has been going on for many years in the school ffizirs of this State is shown by the statistics for 1884-' 85 , the only exception being a decrease of 27 days in the average term of school. There were in the State over $1,095,000$ school youth ( $6-21$ ), of whom 774,660 , or nearly 71 per. cent., were enrolled in public schools, besides 11,803 in private schools; an increase for the year of more than 13,000 in youth of school age, of nearly 12,000 in public school enrollment, and of 18,352 in average daily attendance. With only 163 more teachers employed, and about as many more schools sustained, there were 841 more teachers continued in the same school. This latter fact, taken with the largely increased average attendance, points significantly towards an improvement in methods of instruction, as well as to an increased interest of parents and pupils in school work. The arerage monthly pay of men teaching decreased by $\$ 1$, while that of women-forming a majority of the teach-ers-was $\$ 2$ more, the whole expenditure being $\$ 409,569$ more. Although the average term for the State was 27 days less than in the previous year, 35 fewer districts are reported in which it was less than the 24 weeks required by law.

## INDIANA.

The reports of the superintendent being biennial, and the last including only 1883-'8.4, little official information is available as to the condition of the public schools durirg, 1884-85. That there was a healthy activity in school work appears from a pernsi: of the educational journals of the State. This is indicated, among other ways, by at increased attendance of teachers on the county institutes, by an improvement in the instruction given therein, and by the success attending the teachers' reading circles, recently organized, nearly all the counties having united in the work. It is said, too, that throughout the State the power and influence of the normal schools and colleges were felt more than ever before.
illinois.
Large gains in the public school system are shown by the statistics for 1884-'85. Out of a school population of a little over $1,077,000$, the age being 6 to $21,738,787$, or about 68 per cent., were enrolled in public schools. While the whole number of pupils en-
rolled increased during the year about 10,000 (against an increase of about 8,000 in school population), the number enrolled in graded schools was 13,754 more, there being, of course, a proportionate decrease in attendance on ungraded schools. This larger proportion of the better class of schools, in connection with an adrance in the arerage pay of teachers, an increase of nearly 5,000 in average daily attendance and of one day in the average school term, shows plainly that better work, as well as more of it, must have been done in the schools. The increase in expenditure for school purposes tras $\$ 5: 0,742$, the value of school property was $\$ 1,301,550$ more, while the amount of the State schocl fund was angmented by $\$ 12,566$.

MICEIGAS.
The statistics from this State are gratifying, showing decided adrance in nearly all important points. Of 595,687 youth of school age ( $5-20$ ), 411,954 , or about 69 per cent., were enrolled in public schools, besides 30,458 in private schools. Public school enrollment increased by nearly 7,000 , against an increase in school children of 18,624 , over two-thirds of the adrance in enrollment being in the graded schools. More districts maintained public schools, more houses were reported, and more teachers were emplored, the increase in the latter item, too, being less than in that of the number required to supply the schools, showing a healthy tendency toward fewer changes in the corps of teachers. More teachers' institutes were beld; the attendance on them was larger than during any prerious year, and further means for improvement were sought by them in the organization of a State teachers' reading circle. Notwithstanding this, there was not only no increase, but eren a slight decrease, in the arerage monthly par of male teachers, which was only about \$46. The average school term for the State decreased.

## WISCOTSIN.

With 544,976 youth of school age ( $4-20$ ), 321,718 , or 59 per cent., were enrolled in public schools, and 174,844 , or 32 per cent., were in arerage attendance, an increase of more than 16,000 in the number of youth of school age and of only 4, 749 in the enrollment. There were 237 more teachers employed during the year, while only $14 i$ more were necessary to supply the schools, an apparent indication of frequent change. An increase appears in the average monthly pay of teachers in the cities, with a decrease in the pay of those employed in the counties. The whole amount, howerer, expended for public schools increased by $\$ 335,594$.

## MISSESOTA.

The reports of the State superintendent to the legislature being biennial, and the last one printed being for the term closing with 1883-' 84 , the information at hand for the present year is limited to that giren by the superintendent in a special return to this Ofice. These figures show adrancement, as far as they go, in many respects, the exceptions being a small decrease in the average monthly pay of teachers, in the whole amount expended for public schools, and in the estimated ralue of public school property. Progress appears from an increase of about 9,500 in pupils enrolled in public schools, and one nearly twice as great in the arerage daily attendance, causing nearly 6 per cent. of advance in the latter based on the former, while the arerage school term for the State was 4 days longer.

IOWA.
In this State the statistics for 1884-' 85 show adrance in many points. With 634,407 jouth of school age ( $5-21$ ), there were 477,663 , or about 75 per cent., enrolled in pablic schools, besides nearly 18,000 more in private schools, an increase for the jear of 4,69 r in pupils enrolled out of over 11,000 more of school age. The number of schools, both graded and ungraded, increased, as did that of teachers, in about the same proportion, and the arerage monthly pay of men adranced slightly, that of women falling off. The arerage school term was, as during the previous year, 144 days; the raluation of public
school property was $\$ 1,882,237$ higher, and the amount of the State school fund $\$ 46,70$ r more than in 1883-'84. There was, however, on the other hand, a decrease of 2,704 in the average daily attendance, and of $\$ 182,658$ in the whole amount expended for public schools.

## NEBRASKA.

The statistics for the year 1884-' 85 indicate progress in the public school system at ail points. With about 233,000 youth of school age (5-21), nearly 162,000 , or 69 per cent., were enroiled in public schools-an increase of 23,802 in school youth and of 24,300 in the number brought into the public schools, the per cent. of the enrollment to school population having advanced by 3.72 . The average monthly pay of teachers was greaier by more than $\$ 2$, and all public school expenditures by $\$ 1,075,527$, the whole amount spent for school purposes reaching $\$ 2,918,157$. The valuation of public school property was orer $\$ 641,000$ more, and the amount of the permanent school fund $\$ 348,421$ more.

## COLORADO.

Here, too, the statistics show an advance during the year at nearly all points. With nearly 58,000 youth of school age ( $6-21$ ), about 39,000 , or 67 per cent., were enrolled in public schools, an increase over the figures given in 1883-' 84 of 1,713 in school population, of 1,023 in the number of pupils enrolled, and of 1,440 in average daily attendance. To meet this greater demand for instruction 74 more teachers were employed, and accommodations were provided for 2,820 more pupils, the valuation of State school property increasing proportionately. This valuation for $1884-$ ' 85 was $\$ 2,052,100$, against $\$ 1,676,130$ the previous year, although from a clerical error in the Report of this Office for that year the annual increase in valuation of school property was given instead of the whole amount. The entire expenditure for public schools also increased during the year, but to an amount less than that of the increased value of school property, and the amount of available State school fund was $\$ 19,609$ more.
states on the pacific slope-nevada.
There appears but little ground for doubt that population in important parts of this wide territory is declining, from depression in the mining districts, which were for several years sources of great wealth. Partly from this cause, and probably some kindred ones, the activities of school work have been affected, and Superintendent Young prefers to wait till 1885-'86 before presenting the statistics of schools, which by that time, it is hoped, may be more satisfactory and fuller than they could be if presented earlier.

## CALIFORNIA. ${ }^{1}$

Through figures furnished by State Superintendent Welcker, in advance of his full biennial report, there is shown, in 1884-'85, an increase of 14,425 in youth of school age (5-17), of 4,200 in public school enrollment, and of 1,566 in private or church schools; also 121 more school districts, 112 more public schools, 170 more teachers in these last, and 633 more such teachers holding first-grade county certificates, with 55 additional graduates from normal schools. The pay of men teaching was somewhat diminished; that of women slightly increased. No figures are given for school expenditure, valne of State school property, or amount of State school fund.

## OREGON.

The legislature having changed its time of meeting from September and October to January 1, all State reports from Oregon are now presentable at that date. The next biennial one for public schools will therefore be submitted to the legislature January 1, 1887. Meanwhile Superintendent McElroy supplies statistics for 1885 which show an increase of 6,151 in school youth (4-20), and of 2,950 in the enrollment of such youth in public schools, but a large decrease in average daily attendance. The average school

[^12]term was $\overline{5}$ days longer, the expenditare for public schools $\$ 34,475$ greater, than in 1884 , and the valuation of all school property, including school lands yet nnsold, was estimated to be far beyond auy before reported.

## THE TEREITORIES-ALASKA.

Dr. Sheldon Jackson, recently appointed United States general agent in Alaska, reports the schools in 1884-'85 in a flourishing condition under missionary supervision. At Sitka the training and industrial school for native children was enlarged, and the girls' industrial school held for some time at Fort Wrangell was removed to and united with it, instruction being given in school studies, household industries, and, for boys, carpentry and woodwork, by 8 teachers. Orer 100 children came under these forms of instruction here. At Haines, 200 miles by water north of Sitka, an industrial school, with from 25 to 30 boarding pupils and about 75 day scholars, was carried on in a new building under 3 instructors. At Hoonah, 130 miles north of Sitka, the school attendance, under 2 teachers, was 69 boys, 76 girls, and 74 adults, making a total of 219. At Jackson. 533 miles south of Sitka by the usual route of travel, about 100 pupils were taught by 1 teacher. At Fort Wrangell, after the remoral of the industrial school to Sitka, a small industrial school for boys has been maintained, under 1 teacher. From the Seal Islands, where the Alaska Commercial Company has schools, no report for 1884-'S5 has been receired.

March 2, 1885, the Secretary of the Interior assigned to the United States Commissioner of Education the duty of providing for educational work in Alaska. This looks towards an enlargement of school training there, which will require additional teachers, buildings, furniture, charts, books, etc., and must require an increased appropriation.

As nearly as can be ascertained from the United States census of 1880 there are 11,23\% children of school age to be provide ${ }^{\text {a }}$ for within the Territory. ${ }^{1}$

[^13]March 1,1886.
SIR: I have the honor to transmit herewith the report of Dr. Sheldon Jackson, general agent of education in Alaska, called for in your letter of the 77 th ult., in accordance with Senate resolution of February 15,18s6.

In forwarding this report, allow me to say that in obeying the order from the Department to organize the common schools required under the provisions of the organic act providing a form of gorernment for Alaska, the first requisite, as it seemed to me, was some one in Alaska possessed of theability, education, honesty, derotion, courage, and willingness to sacrifice his comfort and himself and endure the hardships and perils of undertaking to supervise the establishment of the schools; one who should not only understand the facts in the condition of the youth to be taught, but who should be able to aid in securing the teachers fit for the work. No one, to my knowledge, met these requirements as did Dr. Sheldon Jackson, who had already spent so much time in the Territory, and who had studied the people and their environment so thoroughly, and who had done so much to arouse the country to an effort for the education of their children.

Although I had carefully studied Alaska with reference to the possibilities of education there, and had endeavored to report the facts as I found them with the same care that I had studied and reported all other portions of the country since entering upon the dutics of this office, I could have accomplished little or nothing had not Dr. Jackson accepted the place of general agent of education as named by you. With his aid I beliere that good progress has been made, considering the distances to betrareled and the lack of communication and the other obstaclesencountered. Plans have been matured; the co-operation of benerolent agencies has, as far as possible, been secured, in some cases greatly increasing the amount expended and the good accomplished; the schools hare been started upon methods and principles specially calculated to take the people as they are, on their soil, in their climate, and with all their other peculiar surroundings and all their customs, and give them the benefit of instruction in the virtues of our civilization before they are destroyed by its rices. The people are self-supporting and teachable, and never should be set back by introducing the destructive features long ago admitted into our policy of treating the Indians, and now found at once so obstructive and so expensive in the present efforts for their rise education. Al-

## ARIZONA.

Although this young Territory in 1885 shortened by 3 years its free-school age, making it 6-18 instead of 6-21, it still reported 844 more youth of that age than in 1832'83, enrolled 1,527 more pupils in its public schools than in 1333-' 84 , and held 945 more in arerage attendance mnder a slightly larger corps of teachers. The average term of school, however, was less by 53 days, and the amount expended for the schools was smaller by $\$ 53,983$. A new and much improred school law made the minimum school term 5 months instead of 3 , with other changes, which may be found under the full Territorial matter in the Appendix.

## DAEOTA.

This vigorous Territory, excelling several of the States in expenditure for schools and accommodation for the pupils in them, shows striking growth at almost every point: more youth of school age by 10,084 ; more pupils enrolled in public schools by 19,044 ; more by 10,997 in average attendance daily. School districts increased by 20 ; school townships, by 214 ; schools in the public system, by 1,280 ; teachers, by 1,234 ; expeuditure for public schools, by $\$ 507,533$; and valaation of school property, by $\$ 498,192-\mathrm{a}$ record almost, if not quite, unparalleled in the case of so young a Territory.

## DISTRICT OF COLLMBIA.

No census but a decennial one being taken in the District, the increase of school routh cannot be reported, nor, consequently, the true per cent. of such youth enrolled and in arerage attendance. The enrollment, as may be seen, fell off considerably, notwithstanding an increase of 319 enrolled in colored schools; but arerage attendance in the public schoo's was 978 greater than in the previous year, an indication of more attractive teaching. The average time of school was nearly 4 days less; the teachers, 40 more in number; the expenditure for their pay and all school purposes, $\$ 21,833$ beyond that of 1883-' 84.

IDAHO.
The statistics presented here are few, many trustees of schools having failed to report them to the Territorial superintendent, but, as far as received, they show an increase of 2,259 school youth ( $5-21$ ), of 1,750 such youth in public schools, of 35 in the number of school districts, of 39 in school-houses, of 68 in schools, and of $\$ 33,454$ in expenditure for the Territorial schools. Teachers' monthly pay was reported to be $\$ 61.53$ on an average, the standard of qualification having been raised. Teachers' institutes, marked by good attendance and lively interest, are said to hare been held in sereral counties with excellent results, a new law providing for the attendance of all teachers in the counties where they are held, without loss of pay.

[^14]JOHN EATON, Commissioner.
To the Honorable The Secretary of the Interion,
VIashington, D. C.

INDIAN TERRITORY AEVD INDIAN゙ ECHOOLS.
From the 5 tribes of the Indian Territory proper no report for 1884-' 85 has been received; but for many of the other tribes new and improved arrangements were secured by Mr. John II. Oberly, Indian school superintendent, with $\$ 932,800$ from the general Government. The results of these arrangements were 84 boarding schools and 86 day schools under agency supervision, with an average attendance of 6,008 ; 7 Indian training schools, with an arerage attendance of 1,425 ; and 23 other Indian schools in the States and Territories, with an average attendance of 710, all at a cost of $\$ 887,276$ to the Government, besides large amocnts from friends of the red men in the States and Territories.

MONTANA.
The report from this Territory indicates advance at every point but one; 33 more school districts, 54 more public schools (the number of such graded reaching 76 ), while 45 more teachers were employed at fair pay, that of women lessened, that of men increased, the arerage for both sexes being better than in some large States. School property was rated $\$ 42,395$ higher than in 1883-' 84 . With only 1,714 more school youth, there were enrolled in public schools 1,632 more pupils, which, with 90 more in private schools, a little more than covered the whole increase of persons of school age.

NEW NEXICO.
The new school law of 1884, referred to in the last Bureau Report, shows some good fraits in 1884-'85, no full statistics coming yet from the Territory as a whole, but enough to give promise of faller ones ere long, when the machinery of education shall be brought into better working order. It is something to have a report at all from a regular school officer (the Territorial auditor being ex officio superintendent), those of prerious years, few and far between, haring been from generous volunteers.

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An increase here of $\$ 24,504$ in expenditure for public schools and a still larger one in the estimated value of school property is hardly met by a corresponding adrance at other points. There was indeed an addition of 1,743 school youth; but of this ners material all that appears to hare been utilized was 653 more such youth in the Territorial schools, the average attendance in such schools falling off by 395 from the reported number in 1883-'84, making a loss of . 78 per cent. in youth enrolled and of 2.13 per cent. in arerage attendance.

Under the domestic mission boards of the Presbyterian, Congregational, and Methodist Episcopal Churches, 60 day schools report 7 male and 99 female teachers, and 1,769 male and 1,637 female pupils; 43 of these schools report grounds and buildings owned and valued at $\$ 147,025$, and 22 schools report apparatus valued at $\$ 2,232$.

Of the 60 mission schools thus reporting 32 are Presbyterian, 15 are Congregational, and 10 are Methodist Episcopal. All but two are doing elementary and intermediate school work ; they are supported chieily by the mission funds of their respectire churches ; nearly all bare a nominal tuition fee, bat, from the purpose of their work, do not collect much from their pupils.

From the other mission schools among the Mormons nothing definite has been received ; the Protestant Episcopal Church has a good school at Salt Lake City and another at Logan; there is a flourishing Baptist school in Salt Lake City; the Roman Catholic Missions are at work in Salt Lake City and other places, but of these efforts no authentic particulars are at hand.

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Superintendent Kerr, in charge of Territorial school affairs, reports fair progress here, ${ }^{1} 1$ per cent. of the school youth going into the puiblic schools, and 66.31 per cent. of
${ }^{1}$ The schools in Oregon and Washington Territories have had from the first a wise and faithful riend in Rev. Geo. H. Atkinson, D. D., to whom this Office is specially indebted for information.

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those enrolled in these schools continuing their attendance in them, while children in private or church schools were 1,836 in number. Public school-bouses numbered 71 more than in 1883-'84, pay of teachers in them was from $\$ 2.20$ to $\$ 2.60$ greater, and though total expenditure for the Territorial schools fell off a little, the total school property of the Territory was rated at $\$ 163,742$ more. The average time of schools remained as in the year before, 92 days.

## WYOMING.

A fuller report than usual comes from this Territory for 1885, and shows a satisfactory increase in public school instruction. The number of youth enrolled is said to have been 4,405 , an advance of 1,034 over the enrollment in 1882-'83, while school-houses reported numbered 39 more. Other evidences of progress in educational arrangements are presented, especially a fairly generous rate of teachers' pay, and an outlay of $\$ 13,075$ for new school-houses. But the reports differ so much in plan in different counties that no complete presentation of results is possible till a uniform schedule of items to be presented shall be required of all school officers.

## EDUCATION OF THE COLORED RACE.

Table shoving comparative school population and enrollment of the white and colored races in the public schools of the former slave States, with total expenditure for the same in 188.1-'85.

| States. | White. |  |  | Colored. |  |  | $\stackrel{2}{3}$ <br>  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Alabama. | 233,901 | 143, 037 | 61 | 186,512 | 90,872 | 49 | \$538, 950 |
| Arkansas b................... | 241, 927 | 115,648 | 48 | 74,429 | 37,568 | 50 | 561, 745 |
| Delaware $b$... | 35,069 | 27,037 | $\%$ | cd5,500 | 4,226 | 7 | 215, 161 |
| Florida. | bd34, 106 | d29,917 | 88 | bd32, 692 | d32, 410 | 99 | 335, 984 |
| Georgia... | e265,548 | 181,355 | 63 | e243, 174 | 110,150 | 45 | 653, 863 |
| Kentucky f... | 493,667 | 250,682 | 51 | 87,655 | 31, 832 | 36 | g1, 243, 524 |
| Louisians | h139, 665 | 59, 032 | 42 | h151, 334 | 40,909 | 27 | 450, 030 |
| Maryland..................... | b226, 806 | 143, 203 | 63 | 668,409 | 32,690 | 43 | 1,745,258 |
| Mississippi ................... | 185, 026 | 129,647 | 70 | 259,105 | 149,373 | 58 | 872, 320 |
| Missouri... | 761,098 | 516,469 | 68 | 44, 215 | 27,673 | 63 | 4,201,572 |
| North Carolina. | 330, 890 | 185, 225 | 53 | 199,237 | 112,941 | 57 | 6535, 205 |
| South Carolina. | h94, 450 | 78,458 | 83 | h167, 829 | 99,565 | 59 | 6428, 419 |
| Tennessee.. | 448, 172 | 292, 989 | 65 | 155, 659 | 80,883 | 52 | 1,013,464 |
| Texas b........................ | 231, 069 | 2148,639 | 64 | 80,065 | โ56, 160 | 70 | j1,661, 476 |
| Virginia....................... | 345, 022 | 194, 235 | 56 | 265, 249 | 109,108 | 41 | 1, 424,532 |
| West Virginia............... | k:219,548 | k161, 665 | $k 74$ | 1:8,637 | k4, 607 | 1253 | 2699,331 |
| District of Columbia...... | h29,592 | 19,173 | 65 | h13,945 | 9,486 | 68 | 581,531 |
| Total.... ............... | 4,315,556 | 2,676,911 |  | 2,043,696 | 1,030, 463 |  | 17,227,373 |

$a$ In Delaware, in addition to the school tax collected from colored citizens, the legislature appropriates annually $\$ 5,000$ from the State treasury for educating the colored children of the State; in Maryland, there is a biennial appropriation; in the District of Columbia, one-third of the school funds is set apart for colored public schools; in South Carolina, the school moneys are distributed in proportion to the average attendance, without regard to race; and, in the other States mentioned above, the school moners are divided in proportion to the school population, without regard to race.
6 In 1883-'s1.
c Outside of Wilmington.
d Estimated.
$e$ State school census of $1 \$ 52$ as corrected.
$f$ In 1852-'83.
$g$ For 1851; this is the latest report on expenditure which includes colored schools.
$h$ United States census of 1880 .
$i$ As far as reported; there were also enrolled 40,096 children whose race distinctions were not reported.
$j$ Actual expenditure not reported; the figure given is the sum of the State apportionment for the year and the amount paid teachers by cities and from private funds.
k For 1883-'84; figures of total school population and enrollment in this State for 1851-85 are given in Table I of the Appendir, but race distinctions are not reported.
$l$ Current expenses only.

Statistics of institutions for the instruction of the colored race for 1884-'85.

| Name. | Location. |  |  | 枵 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| NORMAL SCHOOLS. |  | 1 |  |  |
| Rust Normal Institute | Huntsville, A | Meth. | 3 | 103 |
| State Normal and Industrial School. | Huntsville, Ala.............. | Non-sect. | 4 | G7 |
| Lincoln Normal University. | Marion, Ala | Non-se | 11 | :3 |
| Emerson Institute | Mobile, Ala | Cong | 9 | 29 |
| Alabama Baptist Normal and Theological School.. | Sclma, Ala. | Bapt. | $a 8$ | $a 148$ |
| Normal department of Talladega College | Talladega, Ala .............. | Cong ........ | 6 | 51 |
| Tuskegee Normal School. | Tuskegee, Ala............... | Non-sect... | 12 | 207 |
| Southland Collcge and Normal Institute*. | Helena, Ark |  | 4 | 11 |
| Branch Normal College of Arkansas Industrial University. | Pine Bluff, Ark.............. | Non-sect... | 5 | 150 |
| Normal department of Atlanta University . | Atlanta, Ga. | Cong . | 61 | 63 |
| Normal department of Clark University. | Atlanta, Ga | M. E.. | 3 | 20 |
| Paine Institute | Augusta, Ga | M.E.S | 3 | 132 |
| Haven Normal Scho | Waynesborough, | Meth |  |  |
| Normal department of the State University. | Louisville, Ky. |  | a16 | 83 |
| Normal department of New Orleans University... | New Orleans, L | M. E | 3 | 14 |
| Normal department of Straight University.. | New Orleans, La | Cong | 4 | 46 |
| Peabody Normal School for Colored Students ..... | New Orleans, La | Non-sect. | 1 | 10 |
| Baltimore Normal School for Colored Teachers... | Baltimore, Md. | Non-sect... | 5 | 19 |
| Centenary Biblical Institute, normal department.. | Baltimore, Md | M. E. | a8 | 147 |
| Normal department of Rust University*. | Holly Springs, | M. E | a8 | 106 |
| Jackson College. | Jackson, Miss | Bapt. | a5 | 170 |
| Tougaloo University | Tougaloo, Miss | Cong | 14 | 85 |
| Lincoln Institute*. | Jefferson, Mo. | Non-sect | 7 | 217 |
| State Colored Normal School | Fayetteville, N. | Non-sect. | 3 | 127 |
| State Colored Normal School (Albion Academy).. | Franklinton, N. C | Non-s | 8 | 138 |
| Whitin Normal Schoo | Lumberton, N . C |  | 2 | 76 |
| New 'Berne State Normal School* | New Berne, N. | Non | c | 140 |
| Plymouth State Colored Normal School. | Plymouth, N. | Non-s | 5 | 104 |
| St. Augustine's Normal School and Collegiate Institute. | Raleigh, N. C. | P. E | 7 | 130 |
| Shaw University*.. | Raleigh, N. C. | Bapt......... | 8 | 830 |
| Normal department of Zion Wesley College. | Salisbury, N. C | Af.M.E. Z. |  | 41 |
| State Colored Normal School*. | Salisbury, N. C. | Non-se | 2 | 12 |
| Gregory Institute., | Wilmington, N.C | Cong. | 8 |  |
| Wilberforce University, normal department. | Wilberforce, Ohio | M. | 61 |  |
| Institute for Colored Youth | Philadelphia, Pa | Friends |  |  |
| Scholfield Normal and Industrial Scho | Aiken, S. C. |  | 8 | 90 |
| Avery Normal Institute*. | Charleston, S. | Con | 11 | 355 |
| Brainerd Institute | Chester, S. C. | Presb | 5 | 129 |
| Normal department of Allen University | Columbia, S. C | Af. M.E | 9 | 275 |
| Normal School of Claflin University | Orangeburg, S. C | M. E | 5 | 105 |
| Fairfield Normal Insti | Winnsborough, S. | Presb | 5 | 70 |
| The Warner Institute | Jonesborough, Tenn | Friends. |  |  |
| Knoxville College... | Knoxville, Tenn | Presb. | 13 | 5 |
| Freedmen's Normal Institute* | Maryville, Tenn. | Friend | 17 | 15 |
| Le Moyne Normal Institute. | Memphis, Tenn. | Cong. | 10 | 118 |
| Iorristown Seminary and No | Morristown, | M. E. |  | 17 |

* From Report of the Commissioner of Education for 1883-'81.
$a$ For all departments.
6 Assisted by the colloge faculty.

Statistics of institutions for the instruction of the colored race for 1884-'85-Continued.

| Name. | Location. |  |  | 洔 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| mormal schools-Continued. |  |  |  |  |
| Central Tennessee College, normal department... | Nashville, Tenn.. | M. E........ | 4 | 240 |
| Normal department of Fisk University............... | Nashville, Tenn............. | Cong ........ | 8 | 26 |
| Normal department of Roger Williams University.* | Nashville, Tenn............. | Bapt........ | 11 | 230 |
| Tillotson Collegiate and Normal Institute........... | Austin, Tex.................. | Cong........ | 12 | 132 |
| Iampton Normsl and Agricultural Institute....... | Hampton, Va... | Cong..... | $a 46$ | a659 |
| St. Stephen's Normal School*............................ | Petersburg, Va. | P.E. | 7 | 275 |
| Virginia Normal and Collegiate Institute. | Petersburg, Va........ ...... | Non-sect.. | 6 | 123 |
| Colored High and Normal School.. | Richmond, Va .............. | Non-sect.. | 12 | 300 |
| Storer College. | Harper's Ferry, Va........ | Non-sect. | 7 | 199 |
| Miner Normal School | Washington, D. C........... | Non-sect .. | 1 | 16 |
| Normal department of Howard University*........ | Washington, D. C........... | Non-sect.. | 5 | 153 |
| Normal department of Wayland Seminary......... | Washington, D.C.. | Bapt........ | 6 | 115 |
| Total. |  |  | 405 | 8,390 |
| nsstitutions for secondary instrection. |  |  |  |  |
| Trinity Normal School* | Athens, Ala................... | Cong. | 4 | 150 |
| Dadeville Seminary. | Dadeville, Ala. | M. E. | 2 | 170 |
| Lowery's Industrial Academy* | Huntsrille, Ala. | Christian. | 5 | 135 |
| Talladega College. | Talladega, Ala | Cong. | 16 | 365 |
| Forest City School. | Forest City, Ark |  |  |  |
| Cookman Institute. | Jacksonville, Fla | M. | 6 | 252 |
| Florida Institute | Live Oak, Fla | Bapt. | 5 | 134 |
| Atlanta Baptist Seminary*............................... | Atlanta, Ga. | Bapt... | 4 | 145 |
| Spellman Seminary for Girls and Women........... | Atlanta, Ga. | Bapt... | 17 | 620 |
| Storrs School. | Atlanta, Ga. | Cong.. | 10 | 533 |
| The African Methodist Episcopal High School*... | Cartersville, Ga | M. E. | 3 | 104 |
| Howard Normal School..................................... | Cuthbert, Ga... | Non-sect | 2 | 121 |
| La Grange Seminary *................. ..................... | La Grange, Ga. | M. E. | 3 | 143 |
| Lewis Normal Institute.. | Macon, Ga. | Cong.. | 7 | 297 |
| Beach Institute. | Savannah, Ga.. | Cong.. | 7 | 305 |
| Freedmen's Academy of Kansas. | Dunlap, Kans.. | Ass.Presb. | 6 | 135 |
| State University.. | Louisville, Ky. | Bapt...... | 12 | 201 |
| Gilbert Seminary.. | Baldwin, La., | M. E.. | 4 | 296 |
| St. James Academy and Industrial Seminary *..... | New Orleans, La, (35 Derbigney st.). | A. M. E..... | 3 | 82 |
| St. Joseph's Day and Boarding Academv for Young Ladies of Color. | Opelousas, Lan............... |  |  |  |
| St. Francis Academy... | Baltimore, Md |  |  |  |
| Southern Christian Institute | Edwards, Miss... | Christian.. | 5 | 310 |
| Meridian Academy. | Meridian, Miss.............. | M. E... | 3 | 143 |
| Scotia Seminary............................................... | Concord, N. C... | Presb. | 15 | 230 |
| Bennett Seminary | Greensborough, N. C... | 12.E. | 5 | 160 |
| Yadkin Academy.. | Mebanesville, N.C... | Presb... | 3 | 121 |
| Washington School *. | Raleigh, N. C.. |  | 5 | 379 |
| Albany Enterprise Academy *.. | Albany, Ohio.. | Non-sect... | 3 | 58 |
| Polytechnic and Industrial Institute*. | Blufton, S. | Non-sest... | 10 | 337 |

*From Report of the Commissioner of Education for 1883-'84.
$a$ For all departments.

Statistics of institutions for the ins'ruction of the colored race for 1884-'85-Continued.

| Name. | Location. |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| INSTITUTIONS FOR SECONDARY INSTRUCTIONContinued. |  |  |  |  |
| Wallingford Academy. | Charleston, S. C............. | Presb.. | 7 | 666 |
| Benedict Institute | Columbia, S. C. | Bapt.. | 7 | 202 |
| Penn School | Frogmore, S. C.. | Non-sect... | 10 | 2 2 3 |
| Brewer Normal School. | Greenwood, S.C.. | Cong., ...... | 2 | 110 |
| John F. Slater Training School.. | Knoxville, Tenn........... |  | 3 | 354 |
| West Tenncssee Seminary. | Mason. Tenn.. | Meth. | 3 | 114 |
| New Hope Academy *. | Alto, Tex. |  | 5 | 65 |
| Jones Male and Female Institute. | Goliad, Tex. |  |  |  |
| Hearne Academy. | Hearne, Tex.. | Bapt... | 3 | 88 |
| Bishop College. | Marshall, Tex. | Bapt........ | 7 | 256 |
| Wiley University. | Marshall, Tex............... | M. E.. | 6 | 182 |
| Paris School.. | Paris, Tex. | M. E... |  |  |
| School of the Bluestone Mission. | Abbyville, Va. | U. Presb... | 4 | 250 |
| Thyne Institute.. | Chase City, Va. | U. Presb... | 4 | 241 |
| Norfolk Mission College. | Norfolk, Va. | U. Presb... | 8 | 986 |
| Hartshorn Memorial College | Richmond, Va. | Bapt........ | 6 | 70 |
| Richmond Institute | Richmond, Va. | Bapt........ | 6 | 61 |
| Indian University............................................ | Muskogee, Ind. Ter....... | Bapt........ | 6 | 109 |
| Total |  |  | 252 | 9,994 |
| AND COLLEGES. |  |  |  |  |
| Philander Smith College................................... | Little Rock, Ark........... | M. E ........ | 7 | 216 |
| Atlanta University. | Atlanta, Ga. | Non-sect... | 6 | 56 |
| Clark University. | Atlanta, Ga. | M. E......... | 5 | 25 |
| Berea College $a$. | Berea, Ky.. | Non-sect... | 16 | 312 |
| Leland University. | New Orleans, La | Bapt. | 11 | 6265 |
| New Orleans University | New Orleans, La. | DI. E.. | 19 | 190 |
| Squthern University. | New Orleans, La. | Non-scet... | 6 | 6260 |
| Straight University. | New Orleans, La | Cong.. ...... | 8 | 156 |
| Rust University... | Holly Springs, Miss....... | M. E......... | 8 | 304 |
| Alcorn Agricultural and Mechanical College....... | Rodney, Miss................ | Non-sect... | 5 | 211 |
| Biddle University. | Charlotte, N. C. | Presb. | 8 | 179 |
| Shaw University*.. | Raleigh, N. C. | Bapt........ | 16 | 106 |
| Zion Wesley College. | Salisbury, N. C. | Af. M. E... | 16 | 119 |
| Wilberforce University. | Wilberforce, Ohio.......... | Af. M. E... | 10 | 108 |
| Lincoln University. | Lincoln University, Pa... | Non-sect... | 14 | 202 |
| Allen University*... | Columbia, S. C............... | Af. MI. E... | 15 | 58 |
| Clafin University and College of Agriculture...... | Orangeburg, S. C .......... | M.E.. | 10 | 40.5 |
| Central Tennessee College. | Nashville, Tenn............. | M. E. | 5 | 38 |
| Fisk University. | Nashville, Tenn............. | Cong. | 19 | 295 |
| Roger Williams University.. | Nashville, Tenn.. | Eapt........ | 11 | 2ヵヶ |
| Hampton Normal and Agricultural Institute. ..... | Ilampton, Va.... | Cong........ | (c) | (c) |
| Howard University $\alpha_{\text {.. }}$ | Washington, D. C....... | Non-sect... | 7 | 66 |
| Total. |  |  | 222 | 3,795 |

[^15]Slatistics of institutionsfor the instruction of the colored race for 1884-'85-Continued.

| Name. | Location. |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| SCHOOLS OF THEOLOGY. |  |  |  |  |
| Alabama Brptist Normal and Theological School. | Selma, Ala. | Bapt......... | as | a148 |
| Theological department of Talladega College*.... | Talladega, Ala | Cong | 1 | 10 |
| Institute for Training Colored Ministers*........... | Tuscaloosa, Ala. | O.S. P. So.. | 3 | 30 |
| Atlanta Baptist Seminary | Atlanta, Ga. | Bapt.. | 3 | 137 |
| Gammon School of Theology (Clark University). | Atlanta, Ga. | M. E.. | 6 | 32 |
| Paine Institute | Augusta, Ga | M. E. So... | 3 | 146 |
| Theological department of State University........ | Louisville, Ky. | Bapt. | 1 | 18 |
| Gilbert HavenSchool of Theology (New Orleans University). | New Orleans, La.. | M.E.. | 8 | 20 |
| Theological department of Leland University..... | New Orleans, La. | Bapt.. | 3 | U34 |
| Theological department of Straight University*.. | New Orleans, La. | Cong.. | 1 | 20 |
| Centenary Biblical Institute. | Baltimore, Md. | M. E. | 8 | 20 |
| Jackson College. | Jackson, Miss. | Bapt.. | a5 | 12 |
| Theological department of Biddle University...... | Charlotte, N. C.. | Presb. | 2 | 8 |
| Theological department of St. Augustine's Normal School. | Raleigh, N. C................ | P. E.. | 3 | 9 |
| Theological department of Shaw University....... | Raleigh, న. C.. | Bapt... |  | 40 |
| Theological department of Zion Wesley College.. | Salisbury, N. C. | Af. M. E.. | 4 |  |
| Theological Seminary of Wilberforce University. | Wilberforce, Ohio. | Af. M. E... |  | 5 |
| Theological department of Lincoln University*.. | Lincoln University, Pa... | Presb. | 5 | 20 |
| Benedict Institute. | Columbia, S. C. | Bapt. | 6 |  |
| Theological department of Allen University..... . | Columbia, S. C. | Af. M. E... | c2 |  |
| Baker Theological Institute (Claflin University)*.. | Orangeburg, S.C. | M. E. |  | 20 |
| Theological course in Fisk University................ | Nashville, Tenn.. | Cong. | 1 | 0 |
| Theological department of Central Tennessee College. | Nashville, Tenn............. | M. E........ | 3 | 33 |
| Theological department of Roger Williams University. | Nashville, Tenn............. | Bapt........ | 2 | 35 |
| Theological department of Bishop College......... | Marshall, Tex. | Bapt. | 6 | 8 |
| Richmond Institute. | Richmond, Va. | Bapt........ | 5 | 71 |
| Theological department of Howard University... | Washington, D. C. | Non-sect... | 4 | 50 |
| Wayland Seminary.. | Washington, D. C... | Bapt. | 2 | 24 |
| Total. |  |  | 95 | 950 |
| schools of Law. |  |  |  |  |
| Law department of Straight University* ............. | New Orleans, La........... |  | 5 | 55 |
| Law department of Allen University *............... | Columbia, S. C. |  | 2 | 5 |
| Law department of Central Tennessee College... | Nashville, Tenn |  | 4 | 6 |
| Law department of Howard University. | Washington, D. C. |  | 5 | 30 |
| Total |  |  | 16 | 96 |
| SCHOOLS OF MEDICLIE, DENTISTRY, AND PHARMACY. |  |  |  |  |
| Leonard Medical School (Shaw University)*.. | Raleigh, N. C. |  | 5 | 21 |
| Meharry medical department of Central Tennessee College. | Nashrille, Tenn |  | 7 | 38 |
| Howard University: |  |  |  |  |
| Medical department . | Washington, D. C.. |  |  |  |
| Pharmaceutical class |  |  | 12 | $\{$ |
| Dental class | .do |  |  | 2 |
| Total. |  |  | 24 | 151 |

[^16]Statistics of institutions for the instriction of the colored race for 1884-'85-Continued.

| Name. | Location. |  |  | 热 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| SCHOOLS FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB AND THE blind. |  |  |  |  |
| Georgia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb (colored department). | Cave Spring, Ga............. |  | $\alpha 6$ | 31 |
| Georgia Academy for the Blind (colored department). | Macon, Ga.................... |  |  |  |
| Kentucky Institution for Deaf-Mutes (colored department). | Danville, Ky................ |  |  |  |
| Maryland School for Colored Blind and DeafMutes. | Baltimore, Md.............. |  | c | 39 |
| Mississippi Institution for the Education of the Deaf and Dumb (colored department). | Jackson, Miss............... |  | $0 \overline{0}$ | *16 |
| North Carolina Institution for the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind (colored department). | Raleigh, N. C. .............. |  |  | ..... |
| South Carolina Institution for the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind (colored department). | Cedar Spring, S. C.......... |  | .... | 5 |
| Tennessee School for the Deaf and Dumb (colored department). | Knoxville, Tenn........... |  | $a 7$ | 17 |
| Tennessee School for the Blind (colored department). | Nashville, Tenn............ |  | 2 | 612 |
| Total.... |  |  | 26 | 120 |

* From Report of the Commissioner of Education for 1883-'84.
$a$ For both white and colored departments.
$\delta$ Number in attendance during two years ending January, 1835.

Summary of statisiics of institutions for the instruction of the colored race for 1834-'85.


| States and Territories. | Universities and colleges. |  |  | Schools of theology. |  |  | Schools of law. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \dot{x}=\frac{1}{0} \\ & \frac{8}{0} \\ & \frac{0}{0} \end{aligned}$ |  | $\stackrel{\dot{x}}{\underset{\sim}{3}}$ |  |  | $\underline{\text { in }}$ |  | 圱 |  |
| Alabama........ |  |  |  | 3 | 12 | 188 |  |  |  |
| Arkansas., | 1 | 7 | 216 |  |  |  |  |  | .... |
| Georgia.... | 2 | 11 | 81 | 3 | 12 | 315 |  |  | ... |
| Kentucks.... | 1 | 16 | 312 | 1 | 1 | 18 |  |  |  |
| Louisiana... | $\pm$ | 44 | 871 | 3 | 12 | 74 | 1 | 5 | 55 |
| Maryland. |  |  |  | 1 | 8 | 20 |  |  |  |
| Mississippi. | 2 | 13 | 515 | 1 | 5 | 12 |  |  | .... |
| North Carolina.. | 3 | 40 | 404 | 4 | 9 | 57 |  |  | .... |
| Ohio....... | 1 | 10 | 108 | 1 |  | 5 |  |  | ... |
| Pennsylvania. | 1 | 14 | 202 | 1 | 5 | 20 |  |  |  |
| South Carolina. | 2 | 25 | 463 | 3 | 8 | 20 | 1 | 2 | 5 |
| Tennessee., | 3 | 35 | 561 | 3 | 6 | 63 | 1 | 4 | 6 |
| Texas.. |  |  |  | 1 | 6 | 8 |  |  |  |
| Virginia. | 1 |  |  | 1 | 5 | 71 |  |  |  |
| District of Columbia.. | 1 | 7 | 66 | 2 | 6 | 74 | 1 | 5 | 30 |
| Total.. | 22 | 222 | 3,799 | 23 | 95 | 950 | 4 | 16 | 95 |

Summary of statistics of institutions for the instruction of the colored race, \&ec.-Continued.

| States and Territories. | Schools of medicine. |  |  | Schools for the deaf and dumb and the blind. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\dot{2}$ 0 0 0 0 0 0 |  | $\stackrel{\dot{n}}{\underset{\sim}{z}}$ |  | 哏 | \% |
| Georgia...... |  |  |  | 2 | 6. | 31 |
| Kentucky........... |  |  |  | 1 |  |  |
| Maryland........ |  |  |  | 1 | 6 | 39 |
| Mississippi .... |  |  |  | 1 | 5 | 16 |
| North Carolina...................................................................... | 1 | 5 | 21 | 1 |  | ..... |
| South Carolina....................................................................... |  |  |  | 1 |  | 5 |
| Tennessee............................................................................... | 1 | 7 | 38 | 2 | 9 | 29 |
| District of Columbia . | 1 | 12 | 92 |  |  |  |
| Total .. | 3 | 24 | 151 | 9 | 26 | 120 |

Täble showing the number of schools for the colored race and enrollment in them by institutions, without reference to States.

| Class of institutions. | Schools. | Enrollment. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Public schools.. | a19, 051 | - a1, 030, 463 |
| Normal schools. | 58 | 8,390 |
| Institutions for secondary instruction | 47 | 9,991 |
| Universities and colleges.. | 22 | 3,799 |
| Schools of theology. | 28 | 950 |
| Schools of law. | 4 | 96 |
| Schools of medicine. | 3 | 151 |
| Schools for the deaf and dumb and the blind............................................. | 9 | 120 |
| Total. | 19,222 | 1,053,963 |

$a$ There should be added the 661 schools in free States, baving an enrollment of 56,142 , making total number of colored public schools 19,712 and total enrollment in them $1,086,605$. This makes the total number of schools, as far as reported, 19,883 , and total number of colored race under instruction in them $1,110,105$. The figures for the colored public schools of free States are from the United States census of 1880 .

As compared with the corresponding table for 1883-'84 the above table shows some signs of progress.

The census of school youth for the current year is reported from 6 States, and in all but one of these the increase in school enrollment is greater than the increase in school population. Virginia appears as an exception, probably for the reason that the school population reported in 1883-' 84 was that given in the United States census of 1880; whereas since the publication of my last Report the State census has been taken, so that the present Report shows the school population up to date. The total white and colored school population, according to the State census, is 610,271 , as against 555,807 in 1880 , and the total enrollment in white and colored schools is 303,343 , as against 220,736 in 1880. This gives an increase of $9 \frac{1}{2}$ per cent. in the school population since 1880 , and of 37 per cent. in the school enrollment.

The expenditure for schools has increased in all the States from which the item is reported for the year. Of even more importance is the fact that in eight of the sixteen States of the table the local school tax has increased, the total increase being $\$ 705,148$.

In Delaware the total of the local tax is the same as last year; the local tax in Georgia is not reported apart from the State tax; and for the remaining six States no comparison can be made, oll account of their failing to report the local tax, either for the present or for the previous year. The progress indicated by these statistics is confirmed by the reports of school officers, by the agents of the Peabody and Slater Funds, and by the statements of many teachers and professors.

In the cities and larger villages graded schools are rapidly replacing the ungraded, school-houses are multiplying, and the work of normal schools is increasing. It would, lowever, be wrong to infer that the improrement affects all localities, or that it has placed the southern States on an equality with the northern States as regards provision for the instruction and enlightenment of the entire population. While recognizing what las been accomplished, it is of the utmost importance that we should keep in mind the deficiency of provision that has yet to be overcome. Complaint is still heard of opposition to the school tax in many localities, and even where the tax is promptly collected the funds are not equal to the necessities of the case.
According to Hon. S. M. Finger, State superintendent of North Carolina, 1,500 districts of that State are destitute of school-houses. One county commissioner of South Carolina reports the closing of schools during the year to save money for building, and the same thing has been done elsewhere.
Hon. R. R. Fair, superintendent of education for Tirginia, states that 1,095 schools are still needed to give to all the children of his State equal school facilities.
In many districts the school fund is not sufficient to maintain schools for more than two months. Under these circumstances the white people often manage to prolong their schools by voluntary contributions; this the colored people are unable to do, and unless missionary societies or some other charitable organizations come to their help, their children are turned adrift for nine or ten months, to forget amid ignorant parents and companions the little they have managed to learn in the brief school term. It is obvious that the short duration of the school year in the South greatly increases the disadrantages under which education is pursued in that section. The average length of the public school jear in Alabama, Florida, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, and West Virginia, is 98.5 days; in 25 northern and western States which report the item, the a verage length is 145.9; in other words, the children in the former States for whom accommodation is provided hare ouly two-thirds as much schooling per annum as those in the latter States.

## TEACHERS FOR COLORED SCHOOLS.

The South also suffers particularly from the want of qualified teachers in the elementary schools. In his report to the trustees of the Slater Fund, Doctor Haygood, the general agent, writes as follows:
Many of the teachers in the colored public schools are pitiably incompetent-the statement need not be qualified by the word "colored ", if we were considering the whole case of the public schools in the southern States. Many of them lack not only scholarship and training. but moral character. As a rule, there is good reason to believe that they do the best they can; not a ferr of them do admirably well; some do their work so efficiently and usefully as to justify the belief that the colored people are canable of furnishing fit material for making teachers of the most approred quality. The defects of these colored teachers are so great as to create an urgent necessity for training better ones; their excellences and their successes are sufficient to justify the best hopes of success in the effort, and to rindicate the judgment of those who make large investments of moner and service to give to colored students opportunity for thoroughly preparing themsel res for the work of teaching the children of their people.

As I hare before stated, the provision for training teachers continually increases, but it is far below the requirement, and only a small proportion of the well-trained teachers go into the rural districts, which, with their short terms, miserable school-houses, and utter lack of appliances, offer no inducenent to competent teachers. While both races are af-
fected by these drawbacks, it is the colored people whose welfare is most seriously threatened. In my judgment there is no graver problem before us than the adequate and appropriate training of these people, who after years of servitude were suddenly invested with the rights and duties of citizenship. They require a training specially adapted to their wants, a training in which the moral and industrial aptitudes shall receive equal attention with the intellectual. These conditions are well understood; the methods, the subjects of instruction, the material appliances required for the development of the colored population of the South, have been fully considered, and I am satisfied that if the means were forthcoming the work would go rapidly forward to satisfactory results.

## ILLITERACY IN THE SOUTH.

The fact of steady progress in the educational system of the South has given rise to the belief in many quarters that the deficiency in the means of public education which existed in that section at the close of the civil war has been very nearly orercome, and that the States in question are amply able to rid themselves of the evils of illiteracy, which made such an alarming showing in the census of 1880 .

On account of this erroneousimpression, which some find it for their interest to foster, it is to be regretted that we have not from all of the southern States more recent statistics than those of 1880 , setting forth the various conditions by which literacy and illiteracy are determined. In accordance with the law of Virginia, during the months of June and July, 1885, a census was taken in that State of all persons residing within the school districts between the ages of five and twenty-one years. This census enables us to form the following comparisons with the showings of the United States census of 1880: Census of 1880.
Population 10 to 20, both inclusive: White, 205,360; unable to write, 43,688 ; percentage, 21. Colored, 160,338; unable to write, 101,320; percentage, 63.
Census of 1885.
Population 10 to 20, both inclusive: White, 212,524; unable to read, 26,374; percentage, 12. Colored, 135,975; unable to read, 55,368 ; percentage, 40.
Census of 1885.
Population 7 to 15 years of age: White, 189,382; unable to write, 72,492; percentage, 38. Colored, 145, 663 ; unable to write, 98,132 ; percentage, 67.

Of the white population between 7 and 15 years of age who cannot write, 29,846, or 15.7 per cent., are between 10 and 15 years of age, and of the colored population, 50,705 , or 34.8 per cent. The State census of 1885 does not give precisely the same data as the United States census-inability to write having been made in the former the test for persons between 7 and 15 years, and in the latter for those betreen 10 and 20 . It cannot, howerer, escape notice that the proportion of illiterates between 7 and 15 years of age in 1885 is greater than the proportion between 10 and 20 in 1880; also that the number of colored illiterates between 10 and 15 years in 1885 bears to the colored population between 7 and 15 a larger ratio than that of the colored illiterates between 10 and 20 years of age to the colored population between those years in 1880. The corresponding comparison for the whites indicates a slightly more farorable condition in 1885 . With respect to this census Hon. R. R. Farr, the State superintendent, says:

The percentage of illiteracy of each class and sex is giren, and afiords a curious study, and admonishes us that it will take a steady and persistent fight to meet and overcome the army of illiterates which is embraced within the school period, to say nothing about those who are under the prescribed age, and who will soon require school facilities. We know of no way to generally remove the illiteracy of our adult population; as a rule, that will stand as a canker in the body-politic-a source of much danger and of inestimable loss to the State. But there is every reason why the Slate and Nation should remove the illiteracy from our young generation by furnishing ample school facilities for all the different classes and conditions of the present and future school population, and then, by some practicable method, compel them to acquire at least the rudiments of a
common education. The safety and progress of the State and Nation demand this, to say nothing of humanity and religion. It is not remarkable that the percentage of illiteracy of the colored school population is so much greater than that of the white. The one is the oftspring of an ancestry of illiteracy, and consequently without any opportunity of home training; the other, the descendants of au intelligent and refined people, surrounded by all those home influences which are such potent factors in the education and clevation of a people. It may be safely assumed, as a rule, that all the education, be it ever so little, that is possessed by the colored scliool population, has been derived from one class or another of public education; and when we remember that in this State they have only had the advantage of some fifteen years' school facilities, their progress is wonderful, deserving of the highest praise, and shows conclusively that they have the capacity to acquire an education, and that all they need is fair school facilities to enable them soon to remove the burden of their illiteracy from the body-politic.
It should be remembered in this connection that Virginia is one of the most favored of the States included in the table before us. In deusity of population it is surpassed by two of those States ouly; in the amount of taxable property by four; and in the amount of school income by two. The school system has been administered by superintendents of great energy, and the teaching force includes an unusually large proportion of qualifed teachers, from all of which it may be inferred that Virginia is making as rapid progress in the struggle against illiteracy as any one of the southern States.
The summary of all public schools, normal schools, secondary schools, colleges, etc., for the instruction of the colored race, gives a total of 19,222 schools and $1,053,963$ pupils. As compared with $1883-84$ this is an increase of 1,455 schools and 27,844 pupils, and as compared with $187 \%$, the first year for which the summary was giren, it is an increase of 8,343 institutions and 473,946 pupils. This seems the more remarkable when it is considered that the greater part of the work of secondary, superior, and professional education here represented is the result of denominational or of private zeal and benerolence.
The aims and operations of the secondary and superior institutions included in this summary show on the part of their founders a clear and comprehensire understanding of the needs of the colored people, whose future destiny is to be largely determined by their influence. Even before the close of the civil war, attention was turned to the necessity of provision for the training of colored teachers and preachers to be leaders of their people. Provision for other professional training followed.

Industrial training in its simpler forms was a feature of the earliest schools for the colored people, but its supreme importance as a means of their development is of recent recognition.

The great success achiered by the Hampton Normal and Agricultural Institute of Virginia, under the wise efforts of Gea. S. C. Armstrong, is undoubtedly due in large measure to the able management of the industrial department and the special attention given to training for the conduct of the practical affairs of life.
So important do I consider the industrial part of the educational work among the colored people, especially since the tendency of some trades-unions to exclude colored citizens from industrial training and employment has become manifest, that I would urgently recommend all persons and organizations, State, local, or corporate, having colored instruction in charge, to promote industrial training by erery means, both as a substitute for the trade-apprenticeship when it is denied them, and as the most effective means of preparing the working neople of the South for the new and remunerative occupations which must inevitabily dirersify and round out the social requirements and industrial derelopment of the future of that region.

## INDUSTRIAL INSTRECTION IN SOME COLLEGES FOR COLORED YOUTH.

As an illustration of what denominational efforts may do in this direction, I append the following statements from two colored seminaries engaged in this industrial instruction:

C'ark University, Allanta, Ga.
The industrial school of Clark University, Atlanta, Ga., consists of eight departments: 1, carpentry: 2, wheelwright and body-making; 3, blacksmithing; 4, painting; 5, print-
ing; 6, harness-making; 7, housekeeping; 8, sewing and dress-making. The aim is twofold: to secure education through the training of the hands, and to teach the trades. The carpentry department has been in operation five years, the sewing and housekeeping two, and the others are just entering on their second year. The work accomplished can best be seen by taking each department separately.

The carpenter shop, a two-story building, contains a four-horse-power Baxter engine, three saws, a planer, and two lathes. The young men have erected eight frame dwellings on the college grounds and other buildings outside. Tables, book-cases, and other articles of furniture are made, and all repairs done by them.

The carriage shop, including the distinct departments of body-making, blacksmithing, and painting, is constantly engaged with work. Several fine buggies and carriages have been completed, and a large number of wagons and drays. Orders from manufacturers and private parties keep us fully employed. A light buggy and a fine express wagon attracted much attention at the New Orleans Exposition.

The harness shop has already completed several fine sets of harness, and has large orders ahead.

The printing office publishes an eight-page paper every fortnight, issues the annual catalogue of the university, and does a large amount of job printing for the college and other parties.

The model home is a neat cottage, where a class of girls make their home with a matron and learn the art of housekeeping. All the young ladies are required to take plain and fancy sewing, and the most expert are taken into the dress-making department. Much work is done for the students and for other parties.

In all these departments a large number of students are anabled to earn considerable on their school expenses. Each of the departments has already attained near enough to self-support to demonstrate that entire success in this line can be reached. Several of the students have already discovered that wages are higher and more certain in the pursuit of a good trade than at school teaching.

## Central Tennessee College.

The industrial department of the Central Tennessee College consists of (1) a girls' department having 3 instructors, and (2) a male department with 2 instructors.
The young women have had instruction in mending, darning, patching, plain sewing, fancy work with needle, machine sewing, and cutting and making their own and others' garments. Some of the young women wore dresses at the last commencement cut and made by themselves. A building is nearly completed for industrial work for the young women. When this is occupied housekeeping, laundry-work, preparation of food for the sick, etc., will be added to this department.

The young men have at present but two kinds of mechanical work, carpentering and printing. They have made wardrohes, tables, book-cases, wash-stands, and many smaller articles; have built with the aid of the teacher two large buildings-a shop and industrial building-and done much work on smaller buildings and repairing. The instruction is given by an experienced workman, who constantly exercises an oversight of the workers.
The printing is done on two small hand-presses; two monthly papers are printed-the Palladium and the Central Tennessee College Record. Programmes, circulars, cards, handbills, and general jobs are done. The instruction is given by a practical printer. The pay for instruction and the financial support of this department is mainly derived from the Slater Fund.
The number engaged during the year was about 25 in the carpenter shop, and about 20 in the printing office. The department has no endowment.
Thus far the work has been purely voluntary. Some small amount has been allowed as aid in compensation for their work out of the Slater Fund. To help them who help, themselves is the principle on which aid has been given.

The buildings are two frames, costing between twelve and fifteen hundred dollars, built by the students and teacher of the department. The young men work an hour a day. The girls meet for sewing once a week or once in two weeks. The need of the department is for more room and more means to equip it with instruction and apparatus.

## PEABODV FUND.

Table shoring the amount and disposition of the sums disbursed from the Pcabody Fund from 1868 to 1885 , inclusive.

|  | 1563. | 1869. | . 1870. | 187. | 1872. | 1873. | 1874. | 1875. | 1876. | 1877. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Virginia.. | \&4,750 | \$12, 700 | \$ $\$ 10,300$ | 0 \$15,950 | \$ 529,700 | §36,700 | \$31,750 | \$23.350 | 0 \$17,800 | \$18,250 |
| North Carolina. | 2, 700 | 6,350 | 7,650 | - 8,-50 | - 8,250 | 0 9,750 | 14,300 | 16,900 | - 8,050 | 4,900 |
| South Carolina | 3,550 | 7,800 | 3,050 | 0 2,500 | 500 | 0 1,500 | 0200 | $0 \quad 100$ | - 4,150 | 4,300 |
| Georgia. | 8,562 | 9,000 | 6,000 | - 3,800 | 6,000 | 13,750 | O 6,500 | 9, 750 | 0 3,700 | 4,000 |
| Florida |  | 1,850 | 6,950 | 6,553 | 6,200 | -7,700 | 0 9,900 | 1,800 | 0 1,000 | 6,500 |
| Alabama | 1,000 | 5,700 | - 5,950 | 5,500 | 9,900 | 0 6,000 | 0 9,700 | 2, 200 | 5,500 | 3,700 |
| Mississipp | 1,238 | 9,000 | 5,600 | 3,250 | 4,550 | 0 6,800 | 0 6,700 | 5,400 | O 9,950 | 5,990 |
| Louisian | 8,700 | 10,500 | 5 5,000 | 12,400 | 11,500 |  | 2,750 | 1,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 |
| Tex |  |  | 1,000 |  |  |  | 1,000 | - 1,350 | 0 4,450 | 10, 800 |
| Arkansas |  | 4,300 | 0 11,050 | 9,200 | 12, 250 | 11,400 | 0 3,600 | 1,500 | 0 1,000 | 6,300 |
| Tennessee | 4,800 | 11,900 | 0 15,050 | 22,650 | 23,250 | 0 -27,800 | 33,100 | 27,150 | 0 10,100 | 15,850 |
| West Virgini |  | 10,900 | 0 13,000 | 9,150 | , 17,900 | - 15, 250 | - 15,100 | 10,500 | - 8,600 | 6,810 |
| Total. | 35,400 | 90,000 | 90,600 | 100,000 | 130,000 | 137, 150 | 131,600 | 101,000 | 76,300 | 89,400 |
|  |  | 1878. | 1879. | 1880. | 1881. | 1882. | 1883. | 1884. | 1885. | Total. |
| Virginia |  | 15,350 | \$9, 850 | \$6, 800 | \$5,150 | \$3, 234 | \$4, 125 | \$6, 200 | \$6,75 | \$258, 734 |
| North Caro |  | 4,500 | 6,700 | 3, 050 | 4,125 | 6,485 | 8,350 | 6,075 | 5,430 | 132, 315 |
| South Carolin |  | 3,600 | 4,250 | 2,700 | 4,050 | 5,3\%5 | 4,225 | 4,400 | 5,000 | 61,250 |
| Georgia. |  | 6,000 | 6,500 | 5,800 | 5,300 | 8,590 | 5,900 | 4,900 | 4,1\%5 | 118,227 |
| Florida. |  | 3,900 | 3,000 | 2,600 | 2,000 | 3, 225 | 2,925 | 2,100 | 2,375 | 71,075 |
| Alabama |  | 1,100 | 3,600 | 1,200 | 1,800 | 5,075 | 5,7\% | 5,000 | 5,300 | 84, 300 |
| Mississippi |  | 600 | 4,000 | 4,200 | 3,950 | 4, 275 | 4,400 | 3,650 | 2,250 | 85,903 |
| Louisiana |  | 8,000 | 7,650 | 4,200 | 1,700 | 5,900 | 2,125 | 2,645 | 1,800 | 89,8\%0 |
| Texas. |  | 8,550 | 7,700 | 27,500 | 10,800 | 17,500 | 13,600 | 5,750 | 7,150 | 117,150 |
| Arkansa |  | 6,000 | 5,600 | 7,200 | 4,000 | 5,0:5 | 4,050 | 2,950 | 3,100 | 98,575 |
| Tennessee |  | 14,600 | 12,000 | 10,900 | 5,500 | 12,800 | 12,600 | 13,475 | 11, 850 | 285,375 |
| West Virginia.. |  | 5,050 | 4,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,300 | 3,100 | 2,850 | 2,500 | 131,510 |
| Total |  | 71,250 | 74,850 | 78,150 | 50,3\% | 80, 334 | 71,175 | 59,995 | 57,705 | 1,534, 284 |

The trentr-fourth meeting of the trustees of the Peabody Fund was held in New York, October 7, 1885. In his address on that occasion Mr. Winthrop, the chairman, alluded in appropriate terms to the death of Samuel Wetmore and of General Grant, two of the sixteen original members of the board. Mr. Winthrop also suggested that in view of the unexpected resignation of the general agent, Dr. J. L. M. Curry, to accept the appointment of minister to Spain, the board consider whether it might not be best that, for the present at least, the trust should be administered without the service of a general agent. Referring to the able manner in which Doctor Curry has conducted the work, Mr. Winthrop said:

Most happily for this emergency he has so arranged and organized our work and so mapped out all its details for at least a year to come, and ererything has become so systematized and simplified under his auspices, that we may not need the full measure of service which has thus far been required, and the salary which he has so richly earned may serve for a time toincrease our restricted resources for general educational purposes. The machinery which he has constructed and set in motion will, I am assured, carry our mork along in its accustomed groores, with no danger of its running off the track or stopping short of its destined terminus. While Doctor Curry has thus made it hard for us to part with him, be has made it easier for us to do without him. In my own best judgment the correspondence of the board may safely be left for the present to our worthy secretary, Doctor Green, under the superrision of the chairman and executire committee, with authority for him to sign checks and certificates in place of any general agent.

From the report of the general agent we learn that since the preceding meeting of the board he has addressed the legislatures of North Carolina, South Carolina, Florida, Alabama, Arkansas, and Tennessee. He notes the improvement in the material resources of the South, which while more decided in particular localities and in some branches of industry than in others, may yet be said to characterize the entire section. This improvement is accompanied by a more general interest in the cause of popular education, and by an increased disposition to appropriate money for its support. Gratifying as is this progress, it is not in the judgment of Doctor Curry a reason for ceasing the appeal for national aid, with reference to which he says in his report:
The needs of the South, and especially of the freedmen and their descendants, give increased emphasis and weight to the arguments which the trustees, through committee, chyirman, and indiridual members, have urged in behalf of national aid for the remoral or prevention of illiteracy. The failure of the House to pass the Senate bill at the last session of Congress is ascribable not so much to hostility to the measure-for a majority was unquestionably farorable to such legislation-as to other causes, which need not be mentioned in this paper. It is to be hoped that what the chairman characterized as "this greatest of our national needs and obligations" will receive prompt and favorable action when Congress shall assemble.
The policy of concentrating the appropriations from the fund upon the training of teachers has been maintained, and the general agent, by correspondence and public addresses, as well as by the directire and stimulating use of the income, has sought to secure the establishment of normal schoois in all the States. The detailed report of the distribution of the income for the year ending October 1, 1884, shows that out of a total of $\$ 57,705$, the amount expended for normal schools, teachers' institutes, aud Na:liville scholarships was $\$ 52,305$, the balance, $\$ 5,400$, having been expended upon public schools.

JOHN F. SLATER FUND.
Table showing the amount and disposition of the sums disbursed from the John F. Shater Fund from 1883 to 1885, inclusive.

|  | 1883. | 1884. | 1885. | Total. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Alabama.. | \$2,100 | \$2, 4.50 | \$5,000 | \$9, $=50$ |
| Georgia | 6,200 | 500 | 6, 814 | 13,514 |
| Kentucky |  | 1,000 | 1,000 | 2, 060 |
| Louisiana. |  | 502 | 1,400 | 1,902 |
| Mississippi. | 1,000 | 2, 600 | 2, 000 | 5, 000 |
| North Carolina. | 2,000 | 740 | 4,400 | 7, 140 |
| South Carolina. | 2,000 | 750 | 3,500 | 6,250 |
| Tennessee........................................ ...................................... | 950 | 4,325 | 7, 6C0 | 12, 8 ¢ |
| Tesas. |  | 600 | 600 | 1,200 |
| Virginia. | 2,000 | 2,000 | 3,000 | 7, 000 |
| District of Columbia. |  | 1,000 | 1,000 | 2,000 |
| Special... | ... | 550 | 450 | 1,000 |
| Total. | 16,250 | 17,107 | 36, 764 | 70,121 |

The disbursements from the John F. Slater Fund in 1885 amounted to $\$ 36,764$, or more than double the total for 1884.
In accordance with a resolution passed October 3, 1884, Dr. A. G. Haygood, the geiieral agent of the fund, has deroted his entire time to the work since January 1, 1835.
The policy adopted by the trustees of giving special attention to the fostering of manual training for the freedmen has been steadily maintained. At a meeting of the trustces held January 17, 1885, the secretary, Daniel C. Gilman, I.L. D., submitted a statement embodying the following among other suggestions:
The subject of manual training in connection with mental discipline is so important. so specific, and so difficult, that it requires very careful attention. A great amount of
experience has been acquired upon this subject in different cities of this country and abroul, which ought to be brought together. There is a great diversity of opinion as to the inethods which should be employed. llaving given emphasis to manual training, in their prerious action, the trustees shonld now take measures to explain what they think is feasible among the schools for freedmen.
On motion, it was resolved, "that a special committee of five be appointed, with power to carry out the suggestions made in the paper above referred to, and that they be requested to make a full report with reference thereto, for the further consideration of the trustees at their next ruecting." Aud also "that the general agent be requested to risit at an canly day schools and institutions in different places where manual training is now providel, and report his obscrvations to the board at their next meeting."

At a meeting of the trustees held May 20, 1885, it was reported that sereral members of the committee had giren much attention to the subject of manual training, and had visited schouis engaged in such work, and that much data on the subject had been collected by the chairman of the committee with reference to publication. At this meeting it was resolved, "that the appropriations for the next school year to be allotted by the general agent shall be $\$ 30,000$, including a special appropriation, not exceeding $\$ 1,000$, to meet a request from General Armstrong for a special purpose mentioned in his letter to this board;" and "tiat anadditional sum of $\$ 5,000$ may be expended in the general work of the trustees, if, as the jear advances, the finance committee think that such a course will be wise."

## VI E

Table II.-Summary of school statistics of cities

|  | Cities. |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\square$ |  | ils. <br> 岗 <br>  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
| 1 | Montgomery, Ala. | 16, 713 | 7-21 | 4,928 | 5 | 1,670 | 32 | a156 | 1,900 |  |
| 2 | Little Rock, Ark. | 13,138 | 6-21 | 7,338 | 10 | 2,458 | 43 | 177 | 3,302 | 2,150 |
| 3 | Los Angeles, Cal.. | 11,183 | 5-17 | 5,584 | 19 | 3,200 | 68 | 162 | 4,148 | 2, 808 |
| 4 | Oakland, Cal.............. | 34,555 | 5-17 | 10,115 | 15 | 7,031 | 142 | 206 | 7,915 | 5,609 |
| 5 | Sacramento, Cal. | 21,420 | 5-17 | 7,816 | 13 |  | 83 | 190 | 4,348 | 2,972 |
| 6 | San Francisco, Cal | 233, 959 | 5-17 | 69,000 | 62 |  | 734 |  | 43,265 | 32,183 |
| 7 | San José, Cal.............. | 12,56، | 5-17 | 3,690 | 6 |  | 41 | 190 | 2,738 | 1, ¢19 |
| 8 | Stockton, Cal ${ }^{\text {*.. }}$ | 10,282 | 5-17 | 2, 498 |  |  | 39 | 186 | 2,508 | 1,560 |
| 9 | Denver, Colo. (50f city)* | 35, 629 | 6-21 | 9,000 | 11 | 3,867 | 83 |  | 5,743 | 3,765 |
| 10 | Leadville, Colo f......... | 14,820 | 6-21 | 2,067 | 4 | 2, 200 | 30 | 180 | 1,712 | 943 |
| 11 | Bridgeport, Connf..... | 29,148 | 4-16 | 8,188 | 16 | 5,150 | 107 |  | 5,975 | $g 4,483$ |
| 12 | Danbury, Conn f......... | 11,666 | 4-16 | 3,146 | 16 | 2,185 | 48 |  | 2,487 | g1,784 |
| 13 | Derby, Conn*............. | 11,650 | 4-16 | 3,558 | 9 | 2, 443 | 55 |  | 3,033 | g1,963 |
| 14 | Greenwich, Connf..... | 7,892 | 4-16 | 1,963 | 19 | 1, 702 | 30 |  | 1,794 | 9886 |
| 15 | Hartford, Conn j......... | 42, 5.51 | 4-16 | 10,097 | 18 | 6,487 | 162 |  | 7,428 | $g 4,880$ |
| 16 | Meriden, Conn.... | 18,340 | 4-16 | 5,019 | 13 | 3,194 | 69 | 197 | 3,819 | 2,432 |
| 17 | Middletown, Conn* $h . .$. | i11,732 | 4-16 | 1,595 | 6 | 991 | 22 | 198 | 914 | 600 |
| 18 | New Britain, Conn...... | 13,979 | 4-16 | 3,817 | 10 | 2,215 | 45 | 187 | 2,184 | 1,458 |
| 19 | New Haven, Conn...... | 61, 388 | 4-15 | 16, 782 | 35 | 11, 344 | 279 | 200 | 14,067 | 9, 623 |
| 20 | New London, Conn*... | 10, 537. | 4-16 | 2,009 | 10 | 2, 000 | 40 |  | 1,847 | g1,181 |
| 21 | Norwalk, Conn........... | 13,956 | 4-16 | 3,208 | 12 | ....... | 43 | 195 | 2,748 | 1,512 |
| 22 | Norwich, Conn*.......... | 21, 143 | 4-16 | 5, 043 | 23 | 4,227 | 99 |  | 3,992 | g2, 827 |
| 23 | Stamford, Conn f......... | 11, 297 | 4-16 | 2, 836 | 18 | 1,750 | 39 |  | 1,971 | g1, 215 |
| 24 | Waterbury, Conn*....... | 20,2\%0 | 4-16 | 5,688 |  |  | 60 | 199 | 4,071 |  |
| 25 | Windham, Conn f........ | 8,264 | 4-16 | 2,164 | 13 | 1,289 | 33 |  | 1,190 | g755 |
| 26 | Wilmington, Del ......... | 42, 478 | 6-21 |  | 23 | 7,228 | 169 | 198 | 8,915 | 6, 073 |
| 27 | Key West, Fla ${ }^{\text {\% }}$ j........ | 10,940 | 6-21 |  | 6 |  | 21 | 180 | 1,129 | S00 |
| 28 | Atlanta, $\mathrm{G}_{2}{ }^{*}$.............. | 37, 409 | 6-18 | 12,000 | 21 | 6,000 | 81 | 200 | 5,676 | 5,226 |
| 29 | Augusta, Ga................ | 21, 891 | 6-18 | 6,056 | 10 |  | 42 | 177 | 2,978 | 1,660 |
| 30 | Columbus, Ga..... | 10,123 | 6-18 | 3,562 | 6 | 1,460 | 32 | 188 | 1,7\%1 |  |
| 31 | Macon, Ga................. | 12,749 | 6-18 | 3,413 | 7 | 1,520 | 36 | 175 | 1,770 | 1,300 |
| 32 | Savannah, Ga*.. | 30,709 | 6-18 | 6,056 | 7 | 3,000 | 59 | 175 | 3,163 | 2,025 |
| 33 | Alton, Ill* .................. | 8,9\%万 | 6-21 |  | 5 | 1,819 | 25 | 193 | 1,425 | 1,075 |
| 34 | Belleville, Ill ............... | 13, 404 | 6-21 | 4,774 | 5 | 2,400 | 43 | 198 | 2,489 | 1,805 |
| 35 | Bloomington, 111 ......... | 17,180 | 6-21 | 6,868 | 10 | 2,900 | 72 | 176 | 3,106 | 2,303 |
| 36 | Chicago, Ill f............... | 503,185 | 6-21 | 169,384 | 62 | 60,780 | 1,299 | 195 | 83, 401 | 57, 550 |
| 37 | Danville, Il1.............. | 7,733 | 6-21 | 3,545 | 6 | 2,500 | 42 | 190 | 2,317 | 1, डS9 |
| 38 | Decatur, IIl................. | 9,547 | 6-21 | 4,323 | 6 | 1,814 | 35 | 175 | 2,453 | 1, 557 |

[^17]containing 7,500 inhabitants and over for 1884-'S5.

$h$ These statistics are for the Middletomn city $k$ Total expenses per capita.
school district only.
$i$ Total population of the town.
$j$ Including Monroe County.
$l$ These figures are for the whole countr.
$m$ Includes total cost of evening schools.

Table II.-Summary of sehool

|  | Cities. |  |  |  |  |  | -ธıəழ઼઼ว јо xəquinN |  |  | ils. <br> $\stackrel{3}{6}$ <br>  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1 | 2 | \$ | 4 | 5 | c | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
| 39 | Elgin, | 8,787 | 6-21 | 3,695 | 8 |  | 35 | 185 | 1,965 | 1,365 |
| 40 | Freeport, IIl. | 8,516 | 6-21 | 4,168 | 5 | 1,860 | 35 |  | 1,600 | 1,300 |
| 41 | Galesburg, III* | 11,437 | 6-21 | 4,678 | 7 | 1,900 | 37 | 175 | 2,096 | 1,536 |
| 42 | Jacksonville, 11. | 10, 027 | 6-21 | 3,775 | 8 |  | 36 |  | 1,613 | 1,42\% |
| 43 | Joliet, III*. | 16,149 | 6-21 | 5,783 | 10 | 2,359 | 51 | 198 | 2,038 | 1,995 |
| 44 | Moline, III*. | 7,800 | 6-21 | 2,353 |  |  | 32 |  | 1,863 | b1,159 |
| 45 | Ottawa, IIl. | 7,834 | 6-21 | 3,218 | 8 | 1,415 | 30 |  | 1,648 | 1,258 |
| 46 | Peoria, III*.. | 31,086 | 6-21 | 11,803 | 12 |  | 106 | ...... | 5,972 | 4,031 |
| 47 | Quincy, Ill. | 27, 268 | 6-21 | 9,993 | 9 | 3,261 | 60 | 196 | 3,887 | 2,540 |
| 48 | Rockford, 111 | 13,129 | 6-21 | 5,000 | 11 | 2,000 | 52 | 195 | 2,000 | 1,660 |
| 49 | Rock Island, 111 | 11,659 | 6-21 |  | 11 | 2,010 | 42 | 176 | 2,159 | 1,614 |
| 50 | Springfield, Ill... | 19,743 | 6-21 | 9,936 | 8 |  | 63 | 180 | 3,140 | 2,496 |
| 51 | Evansville, Ind... | 29,280 | 6-21 | 17, 206 | 12 | 5,888 | 143 | 198 | 5,931 | 4,744 |
| 52 | Fort Wayne, Ind......... | 26,880 | 6-21 | 14,712 | 9 | 4,174 | 107 | 193 | 3,829 | 2,988 |
| 53 | Indianapolis, Ind... | 75,056 | 6-21 | 40,286 | 23 | 12,387 | 276 | 186 | 18,188 | 10,453 |
| 54 | Jeffersonville, Ind. | 9,357 | 6-21 | 3,682 |  | 1, 950 | 39 |  | 1,901 | 1,364 |
| 55 | La Fayette, Ind*. | 14,860 | 6-21 | 7,600 | 7 | 2,150 | 51 | 190 | 3,065 | 1,700 |
| 56 | Logansport, Ind.... | 11,198 | 6-21 | 4,159 | 6 | 1,770 | 36 | 178 | 2, 002 | 1,470 |
| 57 | Madison, Ind*...... | 8,945 | 6-21 | 3,926 | 7 | 1,700 | 31 | 177 | 1,670 | 1,117 |
| 58 | New Albany, Ind* ...... | 16,423 | 6-21 | 6,364 |  |  | 55 | 170 | 3,071 | 2,123 |
| 59 | Richmond, Ind.. | 12,742 | 6-21 | 5,610 | 9 | 2,378 | 54 | 177 | 2,512 | 1,925 |
| 60 | South Bend, Ind... | 13,280 | 6-21 | 6,312 | 7 | 2, 250 | 43 | 178 | 2,258 | 1,680 |
| 61 | Terre Haute, Ind... | 26,042 | 6-21 | 10, 002 | 12 | 4, 286 | 94 | 195 | 4,605 | 3,483 |
| 62 | Vincennes, Ind........... | 7,680 | 6-21 | 2,517 | 4 | 926 | 21 | 196 | 1,062 | 827 |
| 63 | Cedar Rapids, Iowa*... | 10,104 | 5-21 | 3,993 | 13 | 2, 422 | 48 | 179 | 2,645 | 1,769 |
| 64 | Clinton, Iow2* ........... | 9,052 | 5-21 | 3,363 | 6 | 1,779 | 42 | 187 | 2,200 | 1,500 |
| 65 | Council Bluffs, Iowa... | 18,083 | 5-21 | 7,522 | 15 | 2,718 | 52 | 199 | 2,763 | 1,747 |
| c6 | Davenport, Iowa......... | 21,831 | 5-21 | 9, 412 | 11 | 4, 264 | 89 | 196 | 5,332 | 3, 407 |
| 67 | Des Moines (west side), Iowa. | $g 22,408$ | 5-21 | 6,018 | ...... | 3,082 | 75 | 177 | 3,512 | 2,894 |
| 65 | Dubuque, Iowa........... | 22, 254 | 5-21 | 10,204 | 12 | *3,550 | 78 | 196 | 4,088 | 2,817 |
| 69 | Keokuk, Iowa.... | 12,117 | 5-21 | 4,931 | 9 | 2, 302 | 52 | 178 | 2,398 |  |
| 70 | Muscatine, Iowa.... | 8,295 | 5-21 | 2,800 | 9 | 1, 000 | 38 | 182 | 1,552 | 1,352 |
| 7 | Atchison, Kans*..... | 15,105 | 5-21 | 4,985 | 5 | 1,740 | 30 | 168 | 2,570 | 2,333 |
| 72 | Lawrence, Kans ......... | 8,510 | 5-21 | 3,343 | 11 | 1,650 | 31 | 159 | 2.360 | 1,691 |
| 73 | Leavenworth, Kans..... | 16,545 | 5-21 | 7, 321 |  | *3, 00 | 51 | 188 | 3,412 | 2,812 |
| 74 | Toneka, Kans*........... | 15, 452 | 5-21 | 7,081 | 13 | 3,258 | 53 | 157 | 4, 095 | 3,083 |
| 7 | Corington, Ky........... | 29,720 | 6-20 | 10,910 | 0 | 3,500 | 61 | 197 | 3,926 | 2,891 |

[^18]statistics of cilics, © Continued.

| Pupils. |  | Estimated real valuo of propertyused for sehool purposes. |  |  | Expenditures. |  |  | Arerage expenses per capita of daily average attendance in publie schools. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\begin{aligned} & \\ & \\ & \\ & 0 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Incidental expenses. |  |
| 13 | 12 | 13 | 11. | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |  |
| 757 | §7, 114, 515 | \$ $\$ 3,250$ | 15.1 | \$52, 652 | §23,412 | \$12,958 | \$49,321 | §10 37 | § 61 | 30 |
|  | 6,500,000 | 95,100 | 16.12 | 44,620 | 8,326 | 13,902 | 29,233 |  |  | 40 |
|  | $8,330,285$ | 127, 150 | 6.5 | 26,527 |  | 18,788 | 23,304 | 1223 | 291 | 41 |
| 500 | 12,000,000 | 300,000 |  | 45,626 | 551 | 17,143 | 25,73 |  |  | 红 |
| 600 | a2, 099, 227 | 137,300 | 1.15 | 67, 490 | 21,153 | 21,630 | 69,306 | 1164 | 447 | 43 |
|  |  |  |  | 56, 335 | 4,403 | 14,946 | 39,650 | 1400 |  | 41 |
| 261 | 5,352, 08S | 60,000 | 1.55 | 26, 290 | 30 | 15, 325 | 24, 256 | 1314 | 617 | 45 |
| 1,345 |  |  |  | 105, 064 | c10, 053 | 45,515 | 107, 477 | d10 59 |  | 45 |
| 2,100 | 18,000,000 | 201, 640 | 6.5 | 45,654 | 314 | 30,073 | 46,117 | 1184 | 425 | 47 |
| 150 | 7,050,000 | 136,000 | 1 |  | 7,050 | 32,000 | 42,952 | 1929 | 656 | 45 |
|  | 7,441, 209 | 100,000 | 11.28 | 35,596 | 583 | 20,510 | 34,496 | 1438 | 458 | 49 |
| 1,343 | $a 4,839,913$ | 162, 000 | 1.33 | 65, 844 | 11,076 | 31,055 | 60, 422 | 1318 | 602 | 50 |
| 1,690 |  | 571,500 |  | 97,144 | 36,000 | 70,000 | 119,945 | 14.6 |  | 51 |
| 3,800 | 12,308,295 | 241,500 | 3.9 | 186, 258 | \&,111 | 48,790 | 72,019 | 1822 | 317 | 52 |
| 2,047 | a53, 9 -3, 910 | 857,300 | 2 | 293,189 | 57, 839 | 151, 750 | 275, 927 | 1618 | 353 | 53 |
|  | 3,000,000 | 73,450 |  | 36, 688 | 84 | 16,343 | 22,831 | 1293 | 304 | 54 |
| 1,200 | 21,000, 000 | 203,000 |  | 46,314 | 24,000 | e26,004 | 58,624 | 1535 |  | 55 |
| 900 | a $4,000,000$ | 143,500 | 3 | 25, 246 | 1,603 | 14,080 | 22,167 | 1118 | 281 | 56 |
| S30 | 2, 290, 500 | 81,090 | 8 | 31, 424 |  | e12,158 | 19,113 | 1081 | 332 | 57 |
| 593 | $7,000,000$ | 158, 000 |  |  |  |  | f2,900 |  |  | 53 |
| 980 | 10,000,000 | 100,500 | 3.5 | 123,293 | 36,611 | 26,609 | 80,500 | 1528 | 430 | 59 |
| 800 | 18,000,000 | *145,000 | 2.5 | 5S, 426 | 3,197 | 18, 511 | 31,048 | 1148 | 27 | 60 |
| 990 | a14, 850,695 | 188,774 | 3.7 | 133, 627 | 26,3*3 | 50,350 | 89,342 | 1515 | 290 | 61 |
| 853 | *5,500,000 | 59,100 | . 5 | 52,059 | 14,050 | 11,233 | 28,363 | 1456 | ....... | 62 |
| 250 | 6,000,000 | 142, 500 | 15 | 58, 598 | 23, 529 | 16,180 | 52,689 | 1005 | 479 | 63 |
| 325 | 4,800, 000 | 90,500 | 19 | 40,377 | 9,325 | 17,848 | 37, C88 | 1300 | 333 | 64 |
| 200 | 12,000,000 | 231, 500 | 14.85 | 122, 856 | 49,919 | 25,962 | 99,544 | 1600 | 903 | 65 |
| 1,000 | 18, 000,000 | 291, 500 | 17 | 81,818 | 3,515 | e56,517 | 73,877 | 1659 | 406 | 65 |
|  | 17,400,000 | 2:0,000 | 1.5 | 101, 934 | 21,081 | 40,379 | 98,511 | 1468 | 608 | 67 |
| 2,530 | a5, 359, 015 | 200,000 |  | 60, 905 | 1,865 | 37,300 | 55, 817 | 1412 | 502 | 68 |
| 300 | a3, 275,895 | 100,000 | 9 | 42,659 |  | 26, 870 | 41,316 |  |  | 69 |
| 200 | 3,471,324 | 81,000 | 10 | 23, 737 | 156 | 19,513 | 27,914 | 1443 | 567 | 70 |
| 1,143 | 6,000,000 | 182, 000 | 10 | 22,686 | 325 | 15,350 | 22,022 | 710 | 110 | 7 |
| 400 | 4,000,000 | 110,000 | 10 | 30, 237 | 6,049 | 13,326 | 26,690 | 860 | 210 | i2 |
| 1,249 | 14,000,000 | 200, 000 | 6.25 | 38,868 | 741 | e23,493 | $h 36$, 598 | 1015 | 262 | 73 |
| 450 | 12,000,000 | 186,000 | 7 | 55, 498 | 1,433 | 22,314 | 41,415 | 772 | 27 | 74 |
| ....... | 16,000, 000 | 239,000 | 3 | 73,162 |  | 37,380 | 60,650 | 1355 | 250 | \% |

$g$ For the entire city.
$h$ Exclusire of amount paid for indebtedness.

Table II.-Summary of school

|  | Cities. |  |  |  | Number of school buildings. |  |  |  |  | ils. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
| 76 | Louisville, Ky. | 123, 758 | 6-20 | 58,978 | 33 |  | 372 | 204 | 22,057 | 15,227 |
| 77 | Newport, Ky*.. | 20,433 | 6-20 | 6,923 | 5 | 2,540 | 45 | 200 | 2,617 | 1,953 |
| 78 | New Orleans, La | 216,090 | 6-18 | 63,000 | 49 | 18,000 | 379 | 185 | 23,180 | 13,138 |
| 79 | Auburn, Me.. | 9,555 | 4-21 | 3,061 | 32 | 2,180 | 52 |  | 1,414 | 1,203 |
| 80 | Augusta, Me, | 8,665 | 4-21 | 2, 226 | 26 | 1,655 | 42 | 170 | 1,289 | 971 |
| 81 | Bangor, Me... | 16, 856 | 4-21 | 5,253 | 36 | *3,626 | 89 |  | 2,943 |  |
| 82 | Bath, Me *. | 7, 874 | 4-21 | 2, 850 | 15 |  | 35 |  | 1,950 |  |
| 83 | Biddeford, Me ... | 12,651 | 4-21 | 4,321 | 20 | 1,928 | 44 | 154 | 1,590 | 1,186 |
| 84 | Lewiston, Mieb.. | 19,083 | 4-21 | 6,672 | 30 |  | 61 | 185 | 2, 789 | 1,795 |
| S5 | Portland, Me... | 33, 810 | 4-21 | 11,662 | 24 | 6,414 | 151 | 189 | 7,027 | 4,603 |
| 86 | Rockland, Me.. | 7,599 | 4-21 | 2, 227 | 12 | 1,525 | 33 | 158 | 1,402 | 1,097 |
| 87 | Baltimore, Md.. | 332, 313 | 6-21 | c86,961 | 67 |  | 930 |  | 52,548 | 31,024 |
| 88 | Attleborough, Mass b .. | 11,111 | 5-15 |  |  |  | 63 | 180 | 2,300 | 1,545 |
| S9 | Beverly, دlass b.. | S,456 | 5-15 | 1,505 |  |  | 36 | 196 | 1,491 | 1,166 |
| 90 | Boston, Mass*... | 362, 839 | 5-15 | 66, 560 | 160 | 60,558 | 1,297 | 206 | h58,649 | i51, 477 |
| 91 | Brockton, Mass... | 13,608 | 5-15 | 62,715 | 22 |  | 661 | 6183 | b3, 254 | L2, 3:0 |
| 92 | Brookline, Mass. | 8,057 | 5-15 | 1,409 | 12 |  | 39 |  | 1,681 | 1,258 |
| 93 | Cambridge, Maśs. | 52,669 | 5-15 | 10,682 | 33 |  | 228 | 200 | 9,187 | 7,865 |
| 94 | Chelsea, Mass .... | 21,782 | 5-15 | */5, 000 | 16 | 3,778 | 89 | 200 | 4,736 | 3,401 |
| 95 | Chicopee, Mass*. | 11,286 | 5-15 | 1,908 | 10 | 1,590 | 36 | 195 | $\stackrel{2}{2} 027$ | 922 |
| 96 | Clinton, Mass*..... | 8,029 | 5-15 | 1,742 | 12 |  | 30 | 197 | 1,657 | 1,351 |
| 97 | Fall River, Mass*... | 48, 961 | 5-15 | 11,128 | 38 | 9, 363 | 227 |  | m11,6\% | 7,284 |
| 98 | Fitchburg, Mass... | 12,429 | 5-15 | 2, 793 | 20 | 3,328 | 58 | 190 | 3,120 | 2, 262 |
| 99 | Gloucester, Mass. | 19,329 | 5-15 | 4,310 | 23 | 4,420 | 95 | 195는 | 1,193 | 3, 3S0 |
| 100 | Haverhill, Mass ${ }^{\text {L... }}$ | 18,472 | 5-15 | 3,651 |  |  | 98 | 203 | 3,270 | 2,4\%2 |
| 101 | Holyoke, Mass .... | 21,915 | 5-15 | 5,836 | 14 | 3,262 | 106 | $196 \frac{1}{2}$ | 4,680 | 2,826 |
| 102 | Lawrence, Mass........... | 39,151 | 5-15 | 6,917 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 103 | Lowell, Mass..... | 59,475 | 5-15 | 11,168 | 44 |  | 215 | 200 | $n \overline{7}, 548$ | n6, 320 |
| 104 | Lynn, Mass... | 38, 274 | 5-15 | 7,380 | 29 | 6, 814 | 173 | 195 | 7,302 | 5,736 |
| 105 | Malden, Mass..... ..... | 12,017 | 5-15 | 2,643 | 10 | 2, 494 | 69 | 134 | 2,285 | 1,853 |
| 106 | Marlborough, Mass ..... | 10,127 | 5-15 | 2, 250 | 12 | 2,500 | 52 | 1\% | 2,100 | 1, £36 |
| 107 | Medford, Massb........... | 7,573 | 5-15 | 1,489 |  |  | 33 | 195 | 1,475 | 1,184 |
| 108 | Milford, Mass* ........... | 9,310 | 5-15 | 1,750 | 19 | 2,414 | 41 | $p 174$ | 1,758 | 1,598 |
| 109 | Natick, Massb .......... | 8,479 | 5-15 | 1,572 |  |  | 50 | 176 | 1,771 | 1,356 |
| 110 | New Bedford, Mass* ... | 26,845 | 5 | 5,150 | 24 | 5,450 | 125 | 175 | 4,653 |  |

* From Report of the Commissioner of Educa- $e$ Total of reported items only.
tion for 1883-'81.
$a$ Assessed valuation.
$b$ These statistics are for the year 1883-' 84.
c School census of 1879.
$f$ Amount raised by taxes for wages of teachers board, fuel, and care of fires and school rooms.
$g$ Amount paid for all school purposes from, money raised by taxation.
$d$ Includes total cost of Manual Training School, $h$ Average number belonging in February, 1854. amounting to $\$ 7,000$.
statistics of cities, \&ec.-Continued.

| Pupils. |  | Estimated real value of propertynsed for sehool purposes. | ت00000000000000000000 |  | Expenditures. |  |  | Arerage expenses per capita of daily average attendance in public schools. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11 | 12 | 13 | 1.4 | 15 | 16 | 17 | IS | 19 | 20 |  |
|  | \$62, 763,461 | \$ 598,192 | 3 | §257, 462 | \$5, 257 | §196, 075 | §284, 015 | \$14 96 | \$3 34 | 76 |
|  | 12,000,000 | 131,500 | 2.8 | 29,319 |  | 20,299 | 28, 354 | 1121 | 206 | :7 |
| 13, 000 | 120,000,000 | 761,000 | 2.25 | 204, 554 | 0 | 216,000 | 243,000 | 1667 | 223 | \% 8 |
| 20 | 5,100,000 | 80,000 |  | 21, 832 |  | 15,698 | 21,468 |  |  | 70 |
| 40 | 5, 780,839 | 52, 800 | 4 | 24, 5 \% 4 |  | 12,325 | 21,5.4 | 1308 | 799 | 80 |
|  | a9,431,500 | 125,000 |  | 38,075 |  | 28, 537 | 38,075 |  |  | 81 |
| 50 | 6,817,955 | 97,000 |  | 19,245 |  | 13,531 | 18,793 |  |  | 82 |
| 450 | 10,000,000 | 103, 500 | 2.83 | 23, 993 | 875 | 17,035 | 23,705 |  |  | 83 |
| 1,213 | a10,679,926 | 179,000 | 1.8 | 30,626 |  | 22,146 | 30, 269 | 1317 | 369 | 54 |
| 1,300 | 32, 808,735 | 341,410 | 2.5 | 95,748 | 8,722 | 66, 361 | 95, 747 | 1491 | 401 | 85 |
| 45 | 4,000,000 | 44,700 | 3.33 | 12,504 | 1,711 | 9,663 | 12, 485 | 906 | 247 | 86 |
|  | a250, 000,000 | 1,195, 811 |  | 650,129 | 40, 915 | d550,030 | 701,353 | *15 7 | * 465 | 87 |
| 75 | a5, 367,099 |  |  | e31,5:7 | 910 | f21,000 | 923, 914 |  |  | 88 |
|  | a $9,630,850$ |  |  | e20,487 |  | f17,5:9 | g12, 835 |  |  | 89 |
| 7,319 | a682, 432, 671 | 7,702,650 |  | 2, 006, 136 | 455,732 | 1, 147, 663 | 1, 203,556 |  |  | 90 |
| 625 | aj10, 467, 956 |  |  | 30,338 |  | 25,700 | 36, 585 |  |  | 91 |
| 200 | a26, 646, 500 | 254,100 | 1.64 | 41,223 |  |  | 43,771 |  |  | 92 |
| 1,501 | a53, 518, 692 | 644,317 | 4 | 223,429 | 17,991 | 150,969 | 223, 428 | 1970 | 642 | 93 |
| 435 | a18,103, 497 | 480, 000 | 1. SC | 164,155 | 11,308 | 49,186 | 283, 083 | 1514 | 600 | 94 |
| 1.065 | 6,735, 25\% | 98, 835 | 4.7 | 26, 716 | 1,121 | 16,1\% | 26, 716 | 1928 | 848 | 9 |
| $2 J$ | a5, 125, 543 |  |  | 23,496 |  | 15,700 | 23,408 |  |  | 93 |
| 1,131 |  |  |  | 106,000 | 17,943 | 93,203 | 151, 156 |  |  | 97 |
| 0 | a11, 054, 378 | 212, 253 | 5.25 | 58,048 | 8,839 | 30,361 | 58,044 | 1430 | 744 | 93 |
| \% | 12, 5:2, 105 | 189, 360 | 4.38 | 78,855 | 16,72 | 38,099 | 78,855 | 19 ع2 | 554 | 99 |
| 75 | a13,265, 404 | ............ |  | eSI, 877 | 25,000 | $f 50,000$ | g81,447 |  |  | 100 |
| 2,539 | 22, 467, $59{ }_{4}$ | 216,727 | 4. 83 | 77,989 | 15,814 | 38, 909 | 77,939 | 1606 | 592 | 101 |
| 2,200 | 68,000,000 | 713,000 | 2.8 | 1:8,469 | 37,530 | 119,900 | 213,143 | o18 08 | 0776 | 103 |
| $7 \%$ | 27,548,581 | 549, 383 | 4.1 | 115,298 | 2,049 | 76,270 | 115, 002 | 014 53 | 068 | 101 |
| 700 | 11, 951,200 | 183, 809 | 4.3 | 52,124 | 0 | 31,612 | 52,124 | 197 | 836 | 105 |
| 300 | a4,171,095 | 71,000 | 7 | 29,347 | 500 | 20,000 | 29,199 |  |  | 106 |
|  | a7, 590, 524 |  |  | eS4, 265 | 6,122 | $f 26,118$ | 934, 265 |  |  | 107 |
| 290 | 5,200,000 | 78,500 | 4.4 | 23, 265 | 201 | 15,317 | 23,129 | 1207 | 433 | 108 |
| 31 | a4, 598,775 |  |  | e22, 122 |  | $f 20,000$ | g22, 122 |  |  | 109 |
|  | a30, 289, 605 | 399,600 | ......... | 92, 527 | 6,000 | 63,482 | 91, 299 | 1811 | 619 | 110 |

[^19]Table II.-Summary of schoor

|  |  |  |  |  |  | $\stackrel{\stackrel{\rightharpoonup}{3}}{\underset{\sim}{2}}$ |  |  |  | is. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Cities. |  |  |  |  |  | Number of teachers. | Number of deys schoo |  | 官 <br>  |
|  | 1 | 2 | 8 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
| 111 | Newburyport, Mass a.. | 13,538 | 5-15 | 2,631 |  |  | 42 | 195 | 1, 533 | 1,113 |
| 112 | Newton, Mass*........... | 16, 995 | 5-15 | 3,56: | 20 | 4,025 | 101 | 190 | 4,102 | 2, 5.1 |
| 113 | North Adams, Mass..... | 10, 191 | 5-15 | 2,765 | 13 | 2,500 | 55 | 182 | 2, 657 | 1,744 |
| 114 | Northampton, Mass..... | 12,1:2 | 5-15 | 2,383 | 25 | 2,580 | 63 | c174 | 2,384 | 1,818 |
| 115 | Peabody, Mass*.......... | 9,023 | 5-15 |  | 7 | 1,900 | 40 | 195 | 1,707 | 1,323 |
| 116 | Pittsfield, Mass.... | 13,334 | 5-15 | 2,870 | 27 | 2,500 | 70 | 196 | 3,017 | 2,17.1 |
| 117 | Quincy, Mass $a$.. | 10,5:0 | 5-15 | 2,446 |  |  | 50 | 200 | 2, 370 | 1, C81 |
| 118 | Salem, Mass a.. | 27,563 | v-15 | 5,212 | 16 | 4,282 | 92 | 199 | 3,979 | 3, 022 |
| 119 | Somerville, Mass........ | 24,933 | 5-15 | 6,032 | 20 | 5,960 | 114 | 190 | 6,014 | 91,533 |
| 120 | Springfield, Mass... | 33, 340 | 5-15 | 6,327 | $2 J$ | 5,747 | 131 | 198 | 6,465 | 4,622 |
| 121 | Taunton, Mo.ss .. | 21, 213 | 5-15 | 4,173 | 32 | 4,693 | 90 | 195 | 4,402 | 3,248 |
| 122 | Waltham, Mass.... | 11, 712 | 5-15 | 2, 332 | 15 | 2,858 | 60 |  | 2,792 | 2, 353 |
| 123 | Westfield, Mass.......... | 7,587 | 5-15 | 1,557 | 20 |  | 61 | $h 175$ | 1,642 | 1,237 |
| 124 | Weymouth, Mass ........ | 10,570 | 5-21 | 3,475 | 23 | 2,500 | 53 | 195 | 2,173 | 1,544 |
| 125 | Woburn, Mass............ | 10,931 | 5-15 | 2,629 | 14 | 2,485 | 57 | 195 | 2,530 | 1,737 |
| 126 | Worcester, Miass......... | 53, 291 | 5-15 | 13, 269 | 38 | 12,607 | 263 | 195 | 12,981 | 9,608 |
| 127 | Adrian, Mich a............ | 7, 849 | 5-20 | 2,469 | 5 | 1,583 | 31 | 1923 | 1,522 | 969 |
| 128 | Ann Arbor, Mich.... | 8, 061 | 5-20 | 2,876 | 7 | 1,800 | 41 | 190 | 1,930 | 1,525 |
| 129 | Bay City, Mich....... | 20,693 | 5-20 | 7,5:8 | 9 | 3,065 | 59 | 196 | 3,519 | 2,344 |
| 130 | Detroit, Mich.............. | 116, 340 | 5-20 | 45,641 | 31 | 15,429 | 315 | 196 | 19,751 | 13,450 |
| 131 | East Sacinaw, Mich..... | 19,016 | 5-20 | 7,734 | 11 | 3,525 | 74 | 193 | 4,023 | 3,204 |
| 132 | Flint, Mich *.............. | S,409 | 5-20 | 2,443 | 7 | 1,893 | 39 | 195 | 1,989 | 1,362 |
| 123 | Grand Rapids, Mich..... | 32,016 | 5-20 | 12,218 | 22 | 7,570 | 168 | 196 | 8,136 | 5,720 |
| 134 | Jackson, Mich : <br> District No. 1 <br> District No.17........ | 16,105 | 5-20 | $\left\{\begin{array}{l} 2,714 \\ 2,339 \end{array}\right.$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \\ & 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,843 \\ & 1,136 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3! \\ & 21 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 192 \\ & 190 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,123 \\ & 1: 881 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,418 \\ 863 \end{array}$ |
| 135 | Muskegon, Mich......... | 11, 262 | 5-20 | .... | 9 | 2,780 | 62 | 197 | 3,610 | 2,381 |
| 136 | Port Huron, Mich........ | 8,883 | 5-20 | 3,724 | 6 | 1,725 | 32 | 198 | 2,018 | ......... |
| 18 ? | Saginaw, Mich.. | 10,525 | ¢-20 | 4,430 | 7 | 2, 018 | 41 | 195 | 2,350 | 1,779 |
| 138 | IIinneapolis, Minn ..... | 46,887 | 6-21 | 31,450 | 97 | 10, 251 | 278 | 183 | 14,515 | 9,665 |
| 130 | St. Paul, Minn............. | 41,473 | G-21 | ........... | 25 | 10,580 | 198 | 103 | 9,491 | 6, 039 |
| 140 | Winona, Minn*............ | 10,203 | 5-21 | 1,934 | 3 | 1,585 | 38 | 196 | 1,457 | 1,313 |
| 141 | Vicksburg, Miss*......... | 11,814 | 5-21 | 3,760 | 3 | 1,100 | 21 | 170 | 1, 320 | 1,120 |
| 122 | Hannibal, Mo............. | 11, 074 | m6-20 | 4,347 | 7 | 1,600 | 34 | 173 | 2,205 | 1,473 |
| 143 | Kansas City, Mo.......... | 55, 785 | c-20 | 25,485 | 16 | 9,121 | 147 | 180 | 10,こit | 6,738 |

*From Report of the Commissioner of Education for 1883-'84.
$a$ These statistics are for the year 1883 -' 84.
$b$ Assessed valuation.
c Total of reporied items only.
d Amount raised by tares forwages of teachers, board, fuel, and care of fires and school rooms.
$e$ In the high school, 194 days.
f Amount paid for all school purposes from móney raised by tazation.
staristics of citics, sec.-Continued.

| Pupils. |  |  |  |  | Expenditures. |  |  | Average expenses per capita of daily aver. age attendance in publie schools. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 |  |  | 荡 |  |  |
| 11 | 12 | 13 | 1.4 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |  |
| 728 | bs $7,518,108$ |  |  | c $\$ 26,842$ |  | ds22,098 | \$25, 983 |  |  | 111 |
| 500 | 27,124, 083 | \$443,500 | 5.43 | 147,157 | \$32, 253 | 70,623 | 145, 075 | \$24 82 | \$13 37 | 112 |
| 80 | 7,500,000 | 131,000 | 5.9 | 28,029 |  | 20,391 | 29, 303 |  |  | 113 |
| 158 | $68,136,220$ | 128, 000 | 3.9 | 33, 972 |  | 23,279 | 33, 883 | 1317 | 516 | 114 |
| 25 | L6, 70.250 | 116, 000 |  | 21,699 | 642 | 18,500 | 24, 244 | 1421 | 389 | 115 |
| 203 | 7,886,943 | 81,300 |  | 37, 975 |  | 25, 267 | 37,134 | 1231 | 477 | 116 |
| 60 | 67, 725,938 |  |  | c48,136 | 1,556 | d33,000 | $f \frac{12}{2}, 347$ |  |  | 117 |
| 1,383 | 625, 373, 915 | 336,167. |  | 84, 351 |  | 61,061 | 80, 530 |  |  | 118 |
| 500 | 624,331,100 | 376, 325 | 3.7 | 127, 056 | 22,855 | 72, 712 | 197000 | 1643 | 655 | 119 |
| 1,200 | 685, 835, 728 | 571,739 | 3 | 118,643 | 3,002 | s0, 635 | 113, 613 | 1810 | 691 | 120 |
| 108 | 20, 412, 673 | 232,000 | 3.5 | 57, 758 | 500 | 41,410 | 57, 558 | 1333 | 429 | 121 |
| 100 | b10, 391, 660 | 270,385 | 3.6 |  |  |  | 67,000 |  |  | 122 |
| 50 | 6,159, 202 | 134,100 | 3.7 | 29,010 | 9,990 | 17,223 | i25, 676 | 1441 | 634 | 123 |
| $\omega$ | 8,421, 222 | 143, 600 | 18 | 35,057 | 400 | 23, 200 | 35, 461 | 1356 | 546 | 124 |
| 420 | bi, 925,642 | 172,500 | 5 | 41, 496 |  | 28,157 | 40, 043 | 1714 | 591 | 125 |
| 1,500 | 51, 2S1, 210 | 1,021,065 | 4.09 | 208, 821 | 61,396 | 155,127 | 200,850 | 1648 | 490 | 126 |
| 365 | t3, 800, 818 | 104, 000 |  | 21, 319 | 535 | 12,030 | 20,515 | 1427 | 635 | 127 |
| 2 CO | 4,989,090 | 160,000 | 5.5 | 36, 969 | 2,992 | 21,401 | 35, 946 | 1508 | $4 \%$ | 128 |
| 600 | 29, 612, 146 | 176,518 | 4.7 | 52,419 | 12,559 | 23,555 | 47,924 | 1090 | 382 | 129 |
| 8,378 | 110, 221,995 | 1,001, 950 | 2 | 328,675 | j41,132 | 186,312 | 310,012 | 1415 | 562 | 130 |
| 475 | 10,000,000 | 212,000 | 5.4 | 67,355 | 12, 841 | $33,5 \%$ | 65,165 | 1145 | 443 | 131 |
| 175 | 4,761, 461 | 129,100 | 6.1 | 40, 587 | 4,370 | 15,196 | 37,237 | 1207 | 496 | 132 |
| 1,100 | 20, 040, 411 | 628, 490 | 5. 7 | 249,076 | 59,308 | 7, 271 | 230,206 | 1401 | 1360 | 133 |
|  | 61, 800, 000 | 55, 000 | 6.6 | $\begin{aligned} & 35,604 \\ & 1 \bar{i}, 403 \end{aligned}$ | 1,556 | $\begin{array}{r} 19,145 \\ 8,833 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 25,945 \\ & 15,925 \end{aligned}$ | $14 \pi$ | 353 | \}134 |
|  | * $61,889,075$ | 127, 500 |  | 70,014 | 2:17, 813 | 30,233 | 60,414 | 134 | 394 | 135 |
| 500 | 4,500,000 | 108,000 |  | 39,093 | 3,500 | 12, 826 | 23, 409 |  |  | 136 |
| G:1 |  | 128,000 |  | 45, 833 | 15,038 | 16,C43 | 45,111 | 1003 | 385 | 137 |
| 2,680 | 677, 405, 043 | 1,032, 035 | 3.2 | 3:3,965 | 125, 198 | 7160, 409 | 338,827 | 1060 | 492 | 133 |
| 4,200 | 120, 000,000 | 737,905 | 5 | 3 3 , 270 | E5,620 | [127,775 | 297, 245 |  |  | 133 |
| 560 |  | 175,000 |  | 30,099 |  | 20,532 | 31,563 |  |  | 10 |
| 600 | 5,000,000 | 10,600 | 4 | 14,830 | 150 | 9,375 | 14,830 |  |  | 141 |
| 250 | 5,000,000 | 53,700 | 5 | 34,921 | 2,472 | 13,615 | 23,691 | 1026 | 242 | 142 |
| *2, $\mathrm{C00}$ | 100,000,000 | 540, 210 | .... | 2s6, 694 | 61,320 | $n 147,910$ | 222,835 |  |  | 43 |

$g$ Average daily attendance for the month of December.
$h$ In the high school, 195 days.
$i$ Exelusive of expencliture for permanent objects amounting to $\$ 9,990$.
$j$ The library expenditure of $\$ 15,005$ is not included in school expenditura.
$k$ Includes expenditure for repairs.
$l$ Includes cost of supervision.
$n$ Inclusive.
$n$ Includes cost of supervision and incidental expenses.

Table II.-Summary of school

|  | Cities. | Total population (ecnsus of 1880). |  |  |  | Number of sittings for study. |  |  |  | ils. <br> $\stackrel{3}{3}$ <br>  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1 | 2. | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
| 144 | Si. Joseph, Mo | 32,431 | 6-20 | 13,007 | 19 | 4,055 | 78 | 198 | 4,551 | 2, 993 |
| 145 | St. Louis, Mo a | 350, 518 | 6-20 | 106,372 |  | 45,000 | 1,032 | 195 | 53,127 | 36,007 |
| 146 | Sedalia, Mo. | 9,561 | 6-20 | 3,918 | 9 | 2,340 | 44 | 179 | 2, 882 | 1,883 |
| 147 | Lincoln, Nebr*. | 13,003 | 5-21 | 3,503 | 8 | 2,800 | 34 | 174 | 2,404 | 1,8c0 |
| 148 | Omaha, Nebr. | 30,518 | 5-21 | 11,202 | 14 | 5,634 | 120 | 198 | 6,418 | 4,320 |
| 149 | Virginia City, Nev...... | 10,917 | 6-18 | 1,808 | 2 |  | 20 | 294 | 1,408 | 868 |
| 130 | Concord, N. $\mathrm{H}^{*}$... | 13,843 | 5-15 |  | 30 |  | 84 |  | 2,549 | 1,872 |
| 151 | Dover, N. H\% | 11,687 | 5-16 | 1,900 | 19 | 1,933 | 46 | 185 | 2,500 | 1,424 |
| 152 | Manchester, N. H. | 32,630 | 5-21 |  | 23 |  | 87 | 184 | 3,918 | g2, 8,2 |
| 153 | Nashua, N. H.... | 13,397 | 8-14 | i2, 102 | 17 | 2,354 | 71 | 165 | 2,759 | 1,897 |
| 154 | Portsmouth, N. H. | 9,690 | 5- | 2, 400 | 13 |  | 35 |  | 1,913 |  |
| 155 | Bayonne, N.J*... | 9,372 | 5-18 | 3,286 |  | 1,564 | 33 |  | 1,852 | 1,052 |
| 156 | Bridgeton, N. J a ........ | 8,722 | 5-18 | 2,510 | 5 | *1,442 | 30 | 187 | 1,564 | *963 |
| 157 | Camden, N. J*.. | 41,659 | 5-18 | 13,022 | 15 |  | 129 | 200 | 8,891 | 8,000 |
| 158 | Elizabeth, N.J.. | 28,229 | 5-18 | 8,389 | 4 | 2,453 | 54 | 194 | 3,617 | 2,489 |
| 159 | Hoboken, N.J..... | 30, 999 | 5-18 | 10, 907 | 6 | 4,216 | 116 |  | 6,407 | 4,004 |
| 160 | Jersey City, N. J*. | 120, 722 | 5-18 | 52, 207 | 22 | 14,694 | 318 | 195 | 23,397 | 13, 831 |
| 161 | Millville, N. J a ........... | 7,660 | 5-18 | 2,616 | 12 | 1,680 | 36 |  | 1,942 | 1,144 |
| 162 | Newark, N.J.............. | 136, 508 | 5-18 | 43, 263 | 60 |  | 420 | 201 | 24, 659 | 16,259 |
| 163 | New Brunswick, N. J.. | 17,166 | 5-18 | 4,731 | 6 | 2,175 | 46 | 199 | 2,679 | 1,951 |
| 164 | Orange, N. J... | 13,207 | 5-18 | 4,415 | 4 | 1,468 | 34 | 197 | 1,659 | 1,137 |
| 165 | Paterson, N. J a .. | 51,031 | 5-18 | 16,381 | 12 | 6, 930 | 2159 | 200 | 12,575 | 6,675 |
| 166 | Plainfield, N. J a ......... | 8,125 | 5-18 | 2,224 | 3 | 1,158 | 24 |  | 1,314 | 917 |
| 167 | Trenton, N.J.............. | 29,910 | 5-18 | 8,641 | 13 | 4,090 | 78 | 200 | 4,090 | 2,702 |
| 168 | Albany, N. Y.............. | 90,758 | 5-21 | m35, 900 | 24 | 12,286 | 250 | 197 | 13, 720 | 9,740 |
| 169 | Auburn, N. Y.............. | 21,924 | 5-21 | 7,259 | 12 | 3,710 | 82 | 194 | 3,607 | 2,740 |
| 170 | Binghamton, N. Y....... | 17,317 | 5-21 | 5,954 | 11 | 3,449 | 76 | 198 | 3,709 | 2,755 |
| 171 | Brooklyn, N. Y............ | 566,663 | 5-21 |  | 61 | 65,962 | 1,437 | 208 | 96, 927 | 59,093 |
| 172 | Buffalo, N. Y.............. | 155, 134 | 5-21 | 69,500 | 55 |  | 503 | 197 | 27,611 | 17,152 |
| 173 | Cohoes, N. Y.. | 19,416 | 5-21 | 7,135 | 9 | 2,123 | 53 | 202 | 3,252 | 1,912 |
| 174 | Elmira, N. Y.............. | 20,541 | 5-21 | 6,558 | 8 | 03,950 | p79 | 196 | p3, 931 | p2, 959 |
| 175 | Hudson, N. Y.... .......... | 8,670 | 5-21 | 3,700 | 8 | 1,450 | 24 | 203 | 1,404 | 903 |
| 176 | Ithaca, N. Y................ | 9,105 | 5-21 | 2,733 | 6 | 1,841 | 32 | 196 | 1,809. | 1,265 |
| 177 | Kingston, N. Y. ( ${ }_{6}^{2}$ of city). | q18,344 | 5-21 | 3,015 | 5 | 1,690 | 33 | 196 | 1,861 | 1,151 |

[^20]statistics of cities, dec.-Continued.

| Pupils. |  |  |  |  | Expenditures. |  |  | Average expenses per capita of daily average attendance in publie schools. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |  |
| 700 | \$15,000,000 | \$106, 375 | 5 | \$57, 5 | \$593 | 843,475 | \$71,148 | \$15 19 | \$497 | 14 |
| 621,000 | c211, 814, 940 | 3,048, 631 |  | 856, 006 | 92,567 | 632,973 | 943,523 | 1758 | 505 | 145 |
| 300 | c3, 146, 650 | 110,000 | 10 | 32,321 | 1,000 | 17,921 | 28,342 |  |  | 146 |
| 50 |  | 82,375 | 10 | 37,149. | d14,658 | 14,410 | 37, 057 |  |  | 14 |
| 1,800 | 60, 000, 000 | 527, 000 | 5 | 262, 960 | 54,150 | 81, 850 | 216, 745 | 2030 | 780 | 148 |
| 1,550 |  | 20,500 |  | 18,557 | d199 | 15,140 | e18, 557 |  |  | 149 |
| ..... |  | 181,590 |  | 40,633 | 2,323 | 21, 981 | 38,834 | ( $f 10$ | 82) | 150 |
| 50 | c8, 283, 648 | 115, 000 | 2.9 | 25,304 | 350 | 17,602 | 25,255 | 1348 | 400 | 151 |
| 2,500 | 30, 000, 000 | 317,725 |  | 55, 325 | 1,508 | h41,002 | 53,477 |  |  | 52 |
| 511 | c9, 333, 800 | 232,395 |  | 37, 234 |  | 26,932 | 36,254 | $j 1590$ | j472 | 153 |
| 150 | 10,000, 000 | 84,000 |  | 22,164 |  | k16,124 | 22,164 |  |  | 15 |
| 700 |  | 203,000 |  | 30, 292 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 200 | 5, 497, 500 | 45,000 | 2.5 | 15, 976 | 302 | 12, 205 | 15,657 |  |  | 5 |
| 2,000 | 21, 738,865 | 262, 600 | 4.5 | 117,091 | 12, 955 | 58,765 | 255, 992 | 735 | 222 | 15 |
| 2,300 | 12,000,000 | 79,600 | 3. 64 | 67,650 | 3,349 | 26,046 | 45,291 | 1271 | 414 | 158 |
| 1,496 | ᄂc15, 065, 800 | 124,465 |  |  |  | 66,771 | 82,677 |  |  |  |
| 14,215 | 95,000, 000 | 628,820 | ....... | 222, 520 | 1,050 | ............ | 183, 687 |  |  |  |
| 35 |  | 47,300 |  | 19,800 | 2,448 | 14,160 | 19,843 |  |  |  |
| 6,000 | c88, 416, 550 | 1,085,500 | 1.5 | 402,035 | 114, 867 | 212,458 | 397, 769 |  |  |  |
| 3,500 | 8, 163, 700 | 125, 200 | 3 | 30,183 | 24 | 20,045 | 30,143 | 1200 | 261 | 163 |
| 1,200 | c5, 159, 000 | 105, 000 | 1 | 28, 934 | 3,148 | k:20,397 | 28, 934 | 1794 | 474 | 16 |
| 1,500 | 33, 597,000 | 304, 000 | 5.04 | 111, 251 | 14,730 | 55, 226 | 111, 251 | 1028 | 407 |  |
| 300 |  | 85, 500 |  | 27,046 | 10,791 | 15, 418 | 30,819 |  |  |  |
| 1,555 |  | 164,800 |  | 58,382 |  | 41,050 | 52,470 | ...... |  |  |
| 5,000 | 67,300, 882 | 802, 000 | 2.5 | 314, 954 | 29,505 | 149, 226 | 219, 923 | 1558 | 397 | 168 |
| 1,200 | 15, 000, 000 | 243,500 | 4.7 | 68,732 | 17,541 | 35, 059 | 67,679 | 1354 | 477 | 16 |
| 545 | 14,618,987 | 236, 661 | 1 | 63,365 | 9,839 | 36,614 | 56,606 | 1329 | 369 | 17 |
| ........ | 428,000,000 | 3,649,000 | 4.4 | 2, 432, 224 | $n 445,867$ | k884, 267 | 1,598,427 | 1473 | 452 | 1. |
| 12,000 | c108, 374, 145 | 1, 014, 280 |  | 734, 624 | 111,197 | 329,841 | 514,162 | 1959 | 389 | 17 |
| 600 | 12,146, 961 | 128, 718 | 8.62 | 65, 738 | 4,304 | 23,713 | 36,907 | 1299 | 380 |  |
| 600 | 11, 924, 692 | 315,000 | 4 | 66, 902 | 5,883 | 36,575 | 61,199 | 1337 | 493 |  |
| 650 | 7,250,000 | 55,000 | 1.22 | 18,635 | 456 | 9,817 | 13,010 | 1176 | 215 |  |
| 400 | 6,000,000 | 126,000 | 6.5 | 68,279 | 47,215 | 13,197 | 67,173 | 1200 | 316 |  |
| 316 | 5,970,835 | 172,500 | 4.19 | 31,460 | 536 | 18,039 | 31,459 | 1658 | 656 | 17 |

$j$ In day schools; in evening schools the average $m$ Estimated. expenses per capita are $\$ 7.77$ for tuition and $n$ Includes expenditure for insurance and re-
$\$ 1.02$ for incidentals.
$k$ Includes cost of supervision.
iExclusive of evening school teachers, the $p$ There is also a night school, with 3 teachers, a greater number of whom taught also in the day schools.
pairs.
o Ezclusive of 300 in a building not used.
registry of 204, and an average attendance of 102.
$q$ For the entire city.

Table II.-Summary of school

statistics of citics，\＆ec．－Continued．

| Pupils． |  | 这 |  |  | Expenditures． |  |  | Average ex－ penses per capita of daily aver－ age attend－ ance in pub． lic schools． |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11 | 12 | 13 | 12 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 19 | 19 | 20 |  |
| 500 | §3，112，000 | \＄105，000 | 3.7 | \＄33， 991 | \＄8：2 | §20， 543 | \＄20， 163 | \＄11 39 | \＄3 51 | 178 |
| 355 | ＊21，478， 812 | 70，200 |  | 80，530 | 3，205 | 27， 474 | 43，463 |  |  | 1.3 |
| 681 |  | 184，000 |  | 75，350 | 18，187 | 31，057 | 53，633 |  |  | 180 |
| 35，000 | ＊ $61,276,677,164$ | 12，499，000 |  | 3，625，323 | 251， 091 | c2，756，140 | 3，626，32S | 2051 | 474 | 181 |
| 560 |  | 71，000 |  | 32，850 | 2，056 | 14，526 | 20，916 |  |  | 182 |
| 1，142 | 12，250， 490 | 179，230 | 3.8 | 49，062 | 334 | 28，217 | 46， 784 | 1214 | 681 | 183 |
| 75 | 4，300，000 | 55， 700 | 8.8 | 21，322 | 99 | 8，634 | 21，321 | 1131 | 400 | 184 |
|  | b12，012，035 | 128，005 | 2.35 | 55，781 | e2， 228 | 27，081 | 35，398 | 1349 | 323 | 185 |
| －，500 | 86，000， 000 | 586， 930 | 4.74 | 250，452 | 58， 022 | 151， 320 | 275， 704 | 1440 | 602 | 136 |
| 375 | 7，918， 250 | 81，000 | 3． 36 | 19，649 | 540 | 13， 860 | 19，649 | 1222 | 304 | 187 |
| 7 | 63，715，400 | 100，000 | 6 | 53， 500 | 2，901 | 19，258 | 34， 071 |  |  | 183 |
| 803 |  | 91，000 |  | 39，672 | 15， 89 | 20，231 | 39，672 |  |  | 189 |
| 2，4is | 35，050，000 | 787，500 | 3.24 | 137， 535 | 11，042 | 98， 714 | 137， 483 | 1345 | 437 | 190 |
| 2，500 | 50，000，000 | 410，000 | 7.73 | 141，244 | 4，112 | c92， 159 | 119， 874 |  |  | 191 |
| 2，191 | 25，409，000 | 371，766 | 3.44 | 110， 220 | 22， 557 | 59，627 | 104． 625 | 1581 | 506 | 192 |
| 125 | 8，000，000 | 107， 621 | 4 | 32，973 | 8，184 | 18，874 | 58，176 | 1591 | 785 | 193 |
| 1，800 | 18，650，485 | 169，000 | 2.7 | 78，867 | 14，051 | 37，557 | 70，078 | 2118 | 783 | 194 |
| 791 | 20，000，000 | 355， 000 | 9 | 189， 273 | 47，916 | 39， 015 | 119，602 | 1240 | 493 | 195 |
|  |  |  | 8 | 24，613 |  | 10，320 | 29，257 |  |  | 196 |
|  |  |  |  | 67， 702 |  | 25， 213 | 41，533 | 1029 |  | 197 |
| 325 | 8．248，6，2 | 150，000 | 5 | 47，065 | 1，839 | 23， 719 | 35，451 | 1642 | 506 | 198 |
| 16.855 | 700，000，000 | 2，200，000 | 4 | 831， 651 | 83， 010 | 504， 345 | 762，954 | 2052 | 372 | 199 |
| 11，729 |  |  |  | 673， 886 | 205， 418 | 322，137 | 652，339 | 1492 | 382 | 200 |
| 1，820 | 65，000，000 | 843，508 | 5.5 | 253，973 | 12， 794 | 136，445 | 210， 703 | 1806 | 757 | 201 |
|  |  | 423， 950 |  | 174，544 | 27，537 | 99， 220 | 169，553 | 1752 |  | 202 |
| 400 | 3，300，000 | 55，000 | 5 | 22， 237 | 100 | 10，693 | 14，681 | 1486 | 330 | 203 |
| 1，100 | 8，695，005 | 150，000 | 5 | 66， 241 | 15，730 | 27，369 | 55，974 | 1653 | 430 | 204 |
| 355 | 63，000，000 | 75，000 | 7 | 28，351 | 7，683 | 15，805 | g26，590 |  |  | 205 |
| 350 | \％3，278， 795 | 91，500 | 3 | 32， 918 |  | 12，025 | 20，173 | 981 | 400 | 205 |
|  |  | 200，000 |  | 50，687 |  | 17，406 | 33，595 | 1132 |  | $20 \%$ |
| 200 |  | 80，500 | 2.2 | 56，678 | 9，850 | 17，100 | 33， 550 | 1347 | 342 | 203 |
|  | 64，600，000 | 200，000 | 5 | 44，781 |  | 20，127 | 33， 278 | 1300 | 308 | 209 |
| 1，010 | 12，000，000 | 128，000 | 7 | 71，582 | 6，018 | 25，383 | 51，396 | 1235 | 390 | 210 |
| 1，200 | b14，758， 074 | 193，093 | 4.4 | 118，095 |  | 45，393 | 91， 038 | 14 39 | 987 | 111 |
| 500 | ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 160，000 | 6.9 | 55，074 | 13，220 | 23，784 | 52，022 | 136 | 397 | 212 |
| 850 | 8，000，000 | 125，000 | 6.5 | 45，625 | 12，458 | 13，406 | 37，115 | 1460 | $5 \%$ | 213 |
|  |  | 665，000 | ．．．．． | 251，313 | 57，075 | 69， 368 | 198， 423 | 1066 |  | 14 |
|  |  | 320，000 | ．．．．． | 81， 341 | 12，258 | 23，0．4 | 49，045 |  |  | 215 |
|  |  | 250，000 |  | 59， 451 |  | 31，791 | 45，845 | 1288 |  | 216 |
| ．．．．．．．．． | 17，500，000 | 314，200 | 5 | 93， 278 | 24，143 | 60，346 | 113， 669 | 2022 ！ | 719 | 217 | e Includes incidental expenses for libraries．$g$ Total of reported items only． $f$ Estimated．

Table II.-Summary of school

|  | Cities. |  |  |  |  | 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 |  | Number of days schools were taught. |  | ils. <br>  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
| 218 | Allegheny, P | 78,682 | 6-21 |  | 20 |  | 224 | 182 | 10,781 |  |
| 219 | Allentown, Pa | 18,063 | 6-21 |  | 10 | 3,700 | 62 | 193 | 3,675 |  |
| 220 | Altoona, Pa | 19,710 | 6-21 |  |  | 3,678 | 66 | 193 | 3,691 | 3,126 |
| 221 | Bradford, Pa | 9, 197 | 6-21 |  | 6 |  | 37 | 218 | 1,896 | 1,300 |
| 222 | Carbondale, P | 7,714 | 6-21 | 2,500 | 8 | 1,440 | 24 | 198 | 1,794 | 1,00s |
| 223 | Chester, Pa. | 14,997 | 6-21 |  | 8 | 2,536 | 51 | 195 | 2,719 | 1,842 |
| 224 | Easton, Pa.. | 11,924 | 6-21 |  | 10 | 2,645 | 54 | 198 | 2,364 | 1,750 |
| 225 | Erie, Pa.. | 27, 737 | 6-21 | 8,319 | 18 | 4,500 | 116 | 195 | 5,174 | 3,650 |
| 226 | Harrisburg, Pa... | 30,762 | 6-21 |  | 25 | 5,920 | 115 | 198 | 6,123 | 4,046 |
| 227 | Johnstown, Pa... | 8,380 | 6-21 | d2, 050 | 9 |  | 33 |  | 1,752 | 1,287 |
| 228 | Lancaster, Pa.... | 25, 769 | 6-21 |  |  |  | ${ }^{\text {e74 }}$ | 198 | 4,259 | 2,932 |
| 229 | Lebanon, Pa... | 8,778 | 6-21 | 2,685 | 9 |  | 33 | 187 | 1,685 | 1,294 |
| 230 | McKeesport, $\mathrm{Pa}^{*}$ | 8,212 | 6-21 |  | 4 | 1,560 | 30 | 169 | 1,760 |  |
| 231 | Meadville, Pa... | 8,860 | 6-21 |  | 5 | * 1,900 | 37 | 73 | 1,691 | 1,316 |
| 232 | New Castle, Pa.. | 8,418 | 6-21 |  | 4 | 1,800 | - 35 | 170 | 1,868 | 1,290 |
| 233 | Norristown, Pa.... | 13,063 | 6-21 | 4,300 | 6 | 2,232 | 45 | 198 ${ }^{\frac{1}{2}}$ | 2,366 | 1,656 |
| 234 | Philadelphia, $\mathrm{Pa}^{*}$. | 817,170 | 6-21 | d250, 000 | 284 |  | 2,524 | 205 | g105,424 | 99, 364 |
| 235 | Pittsburg, Pa ....... | 156,389 |  |  | 58 |  | 543 |  | 27,440 | 19,875 |
| 236 | Reading, $\mathrm{Pa}^{*}$.... | 43, 278 | 6-21 | 7,556 | 26 | 7,750 | 157 | 220 | 6,806 | 5,7\% |
| 237 | Scranton, $\mathrm{Pa*}$... | 45, 850 | 6-21 | 12,000 | 30 | 7,936 | 190 | 220 | 8,797 | 6,140 |
| 238 | Shenandoah, Pa... | 10,147 | 6-21 | 3,500 | 5 | 2,010 | 33 | 190 | 2,383 | 1,469 |
| 239 | Titusville, Pa...... | 9,046 | 6-21 |  | 4 | 1,622 | 33 | S7 | 1,648 | 1,265 |
| 240 | Wilkes Barre, Pa. | 23,339 | 6-21 |  | 16 | 4,800 | 95 | 189 | 5,900 | 3,600 |
| 241 | Williamsport, Pa. | 18,934 | 6-21 | 5,362 | 25 | 3,573 | 70 | 185 | 3,689 | 2,504 |
| 242 | York, Pa............ | 13,940 | 6-21 | 3,264 | 14 | 2,750 | 60 | 183 | 2,864 | 2,002 |
| 243 | Lincoln, R.I*.... | 13,765 | 5-15 | 3,306 |  |  | 41 |  | 2,566 | 1,312 |
| 244 | Newport, R.I....... | 15,693 | k5-15 | 3,651 | 11 | *2,447 | 55 | 193 | 2,078 | 1,463 |
| 245 | Pawtucket, R. I......... | 19,030 | 5-16 | 4,814 | 18 | d3, 255 | 92 | 193 | 3,869 | 2,596 |
| 246 | Providence, R. I....... | 1.04,857 | 5-15 | 22,515 |  |  | 342 | 196 | 16,803 | 12,043 |
| 247 | Warwick, R. I *........ | 12,164 | 5-15 | 2,537 | 18 | 1,608 | 36 |  | 2,062 | 1,105 |
| 248 | Woonsocket, R. I..... | 16,050 | 5-15 | 3,630 | 16 | 1,090 | 39 | 174 | 2,501 | 1,482 |
| 249 | Charleston, S. C....... | 49,984 |  | $n 7,000$ | 6 | 5,000 | 100 | 198 | 4,514 | 4,121 |
| 250 | Columbia, S. C......... | 10,036 | 6-21 | 2,160 ${ }^{\circ}$ | 3 | 1,017 | 23 | 176 | 1,364 | -99 |
| 251 | Chattanooga, Tenn... | 12,892 | 6-21 | 5,058 | 6 |  | 43 | 178 | 3,458 | 2,071 |
| 252 | Knoxville, Tenn..... | 9,693 | 6-21 | 4,817 | 8 | 2,580 | 45 | 189 | 2,781 | 2, 054 |
| 253 | Memphis, Tenn ....... | 33,592 | 6-21 | 13,169 | 11 | 3,296 | e70 | 167 | 5,143 | 3,016 |
| 254 | Nashville, Tenn...... | 43,350 | - | 14,816 | 13 | 5,359 | 121 | 185 | 7,05 | 5,554 |

[^21]statistics of cities, \&.c.-Continued.

| Pupils. |  | Estimated real value of propertyused for school purposes. |  |  | Expenditures. |  |  | Averag pens capit daily age ance lic se |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |  |
| 1,500 | \$ $16,000,000$ | \$994, 336 | 4.9 | §337, 672 | \$44,605 | \$125, 339 | \$311, 259 | \$12 50 |  | 218 |
| 200 | $a_{7}, 859,610$ | 460, 0 | 6.5 | 60, 853 | 339 | 24,898 | 57, 292 |  |  | 219 |
| 1,000 | 6,900,000 | 145,000 | 20 | 48, 861 | 9,071 | 23, 044 | 48,860 | 777 | \$2 09 | 220 |
| 350 | a1, 963, 108 | 62, 150 | 19 | 41,103 | 4,939 | 17,871 | 36,383 |  |  | 221 |
| 150 | 2, 0,000 | 27,000 | 16 | 11,803 | 1,051 | 8,363 | 12,879 |  |  | 222 |
| 500 | $a 7,156,515$ | 130,000 | 4 | 32, 788 | 5,202 | と21, 998 | 33,670 | 1194 | 272 | 223 |
| 100 | a7,195, 286 | 237, 900 | 5 | 84,760 | 22,734 | 24,047 | 81, 989 | 1466 | 520 | 224 |
| 2,500 | a16,500,000 | 338,700 | 5.5 | 87,695 | c13, 859 | 44,876 | 80,049 |  |  | 225 |
| 900 | 24, 824, 780 | 314, 025 | 13 | 82, 674 | 2,169 | 54,507 | 81,036 | 1384 | 299 | 226 |
| 143 |  | 120,000 |  | 20,624 | 3,800 | 14,011 | 23,596 |  |  | 27 |
| 500 | a12, 450,000 | 225, 800 | 3 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 228 |
| 375 | 4, 500,000 | 81,000 | 10 | 18, 563 | 118 | 10,064 | 18, 4.2 | 81 | 200 | 229 |
| 300 | a5, 500,000 | \%5, 000 | 5 | 25,323 | 7,955 | 10,702 | 23,608 | 850 | 267 | 230 |
| 300 | a2, 005,3s0 | 80,000 | f10 | 33,259 | 2,800 | 14, 427 | 31, 522 | 1320 | 497 | 231 |
| 375 | *3,750, 000 | 53, 200 | 6.5 | 20,976 |  | 11,751 | 16, 257 | 988 | 274 | 232 |
| 300 | a7, 200,000 | 159, 600 | 4 | 34, 726 | 178 | 21, 387 | 36,693 | 1339 | 593 | 233 |
| 18,000 | 577, 198,087 | 6, 934, 789 | 22 | 1,618,447 |  | 1,121,445 | 1,499,618 | 1180 | 525 | 234 |
| ........... | a121, 174, 714 | 2, 229, 028 |  | 841, 807 | 113, 494 | 300,685 | 628, 215 | (19 | 0) | 35 |
| 750 | 30,000,000 | 318,300 | $h 3$ | 146, 293 | 32,5:8 | 56, 395 | 112,560 | 976 | 330 | 236 |
| 1,240 | 50,000,000 | 332, 000 |  | 133,504 | 6,574 | 78,390 | 109,128 | 1300 | 291 | 23. |
| 50 | a1, 487, 950 | 63,000 | 15 | 24, 996 | 181 | 11,863 | 22,582 | 910 | 365 | 233 |
| 300 | a1,680,000 | 64,275 |  | 33,785 |  | 13,231 | 32, 850 |  |  | 239 |
| 1,800 | 20,000,000 | 202, 672 |  | 99, C39 | 29,179 | $i 46,513$ | 93,371 | 1123 | 317 | 10 |
| 1,350 | 12, 625, 000 | 153, 990 | 6.5 | 45, 644 | 3,016 | 28, 9S1 | j $\ddagger 55,568$ | 1213 | 605 | 241 |
| 300 | 10,797,089 | 150,000 | 3.5 | 50,606 | 1,597 | 21, 944 | 51, 089 | 1161 | 382 | 242 |
| 410 |  | 91,700 |  | 32, 935 | 3, 297 | 17,113 | 32,699 |  |  | 43 |
| 897 | a27, 492, 200 | 128,139 | 1.14 | 60, 921 |  | 32, 812 | 48,268 | . |  | 44 |
| 600 | a17, 227, 833 | 217, 427 |  | 70,435 | 19,874 | 31,009 | 60, 264 | [11 84 | 1289 | 45 |
| 4,176 | a122, 496, 500 | 974,455 |  | 347, 289 | 92,601 | 203,743 | 317, 290 |  |  | 246 |
| 73 | a10, 302, 0.50 | 36, 913 | 0.68 | 11,188 | 2, 424 | 10,549 | m14,334 | 92 | 84 | 247 |
| 1,183 | a9, 000, 000 | 140,000 | 3.11 | 28,096 | 105 |  | 2S,096 |  |  | 48 |
|  | a24, 800, 000 | 145,000 | 1.75 | 71,805 | 300 | 62, 8:0 | 70,344 |  |  | 49 |
| 150 | a3, 200, 000 | 30, 510 | 2 | 15,224 | 615 | 8,091 | 11,392 | 1247 | 143 | 50 |
| 400 | a6, 653,638 | 90,100 | 2.25 | 27,281 | 9,184 | 21,074 | 26,921 | 1104 | 183 | 251 |
| 300 | 6, 871,544 | 51, 950 | 2.25 | 31,899 |  | 22, 321 | 26,616 | 1163 | 133 | 252 |
| 2,190 | *021, 256, 276 | 181,403 | 1.5 | 48,699 | 167 | 31, 661 | 47,643 |  |  | 253 |
| 600 | 30,000,000 | 231,000 | 2 | 107, 497 | 259 | 67,095 | 85,753 | 1329 | 215 | 254 |

## $i$ Includes janitors" wages.

$j$ Exclusire of expenditure for permanent objects amounting to $\$ 3,016$.
$k$ Inclusive.
ใFor đay pupils only.
$m$ This is the sum of the items given, though the reported total is but $\$ 12,945$.
$n$ Estimated number between 6 and 16 yearsold.

- Total taxable property of city and countr.

TABLE II.-Summary of school

|  | Cities. |  | Legal school age. |  | -s.au!pi!nq Iootps jo rəquanN |  |  |  |  | pils. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
| 255 | Galveston, Tex.. | 22,248 | 7-19 | 9,000 | 9 | 3,000 | 64 | 175 | 3,375 | 2,525 |
| 255 | Houston, Tex*.. | 16, 313 | 8-18 | 3,973 | 13 | 1,800 | 20 | 180 | 1,937 | 1,173 |
| 257 | Burlington, Vt a........ | 11,365 | 5-20 |  |  |  | 43 |  | 1, 603 | 61,058 |
| 258 | Rutland, Vt $a$............. | 12,149 | 5-20 |  |  |  | 70 |  | 2,776 |  |
| 259 | Alezandria, Va*... | 13,659 | 5-21 | 4,582 | 5 | 1,800 | 27 | 200 | 1,717 | 1,219 |
| 260 | Danville, Va*. | 7,526 | 5-21 | 2,126 | 2 | 1,260 | 22 | 198 | 1,209 | 604 |
| 261 | Lynchburg, Va. | 15,959 | 5-21 | 4,907 | 6 | 2,150 | 44 | 195 | 2,510 | 1,801 |
| 262 | Noriolk, Va.. | 21, 966 | 5-21 | 6,695 | 7 | ........ | 28 | 185 | 2,022 | 1,270 |
| 263 | Petersburg, Va*.. | 21,656 | 5-21 | 6,392 | 9 |  | 39 | f1S6 | 2,684 | 1,838 |
| 264 | Portsmouth, Va.. | 11,330 | 5-21 | 3,210 | 3 | 1,300 | 19 | 201 | 1,274 | 1,016 |
| 265 | Richmond, Va... | ¢3, 600 | 5-21 | 21,536 | 14 | 6,674 | 162 | 183 | 8,285 | 6,998 |
| 266 | Wheeling, W. Va.. | 30, 737 | 6-21 | 10,053 |  | 5,000 | 107 | 193 | 5,000 | 4,500 |
| 267 | Appleton, Wis............ | S,005 | 4-20 | 3,938 | 7 | 2,450 | 43 | 176 | 2,097 | 1,817 |
| 268 | Eau Claire, Wis........... | 10,119 | 4-20 |  | 13 | 3,050 | 46 | 180 | 2,870 | ....... |
| 269 | Fond du Lac, Wis... | 12,091 | 4-20 | 5, 407 | 17 | ¢, 800 | 45 | 200 | 2,123 | 1,477 |
| 270 | Janesville, Wis........... | 9,018 | 4-20 | 3,829 | 11 | 1, CO 5 | 35 | 180 | 1,374 | 1,280 |
| 271 | La Crosse, Wis .. | 14,505 | 4-20 | 6,298 | 13 | 2,625 | 54 | 196 | 3,191 | 2,282 |
| 272 | Madison, Wis..... | 10,324 | 4-20 | 3,802 | 8 | 1,000 | 37 | 185 | 1,871 | 1,535 |
| 273 | Milwaukee, Wis........... | 115, 587 | 4-20 | 49,804 | 27 | 16,060 | 200 | 102 | ij14,943 | j13,613 |
| 274 | Oshkosh, Wis.............. | 15, 748 | 4-20 | 7,056 | 10 | 3,200 | 57 | 196 | 2,197 | 1,987 |
| 275 | Racine, Wis................ | 16,031 | 4-20 | 7,031 | 8 | 2,900 | 57 | 200 | 2,069 | 2,087 |
| 276 | Watertown, Wis*........ | 7,883 | 4-20 | 3,361 | 5 | 1,100 | 24 | 198 | 1,134 | 924 |
|  | Total. | 11,054,681 | ....... | 3,169,027 | 4,287 | 1,160,469 | 35, 683 | ...... | 1,941,133 | 1,315,695 |

[^22]statistics of cities, \&ec.-Continued.

| Pupils. |  | Esthmated real valuo of propertyused for school purposes. |  |  | Expenditures. |  |  | Arerage expenses per capita of daily average attendance in public schools. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Incidental expenses. |  |
| 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |  |
| 800 | \$ $810,000,000$ | 2200,500 | 2 | \$146,000 | \$105,100 | \$42, 000 | ¢152,500 | §1758 | \$1 19 | 235 |
| 400 | 7,000,000 | 38,100 |  | 25, 866 | 5,470 | 14, 511 | 25,735 | 1407 | 294 | 256 |
| 1,000 |  |  |  | 23, 119 | 320 | 16,118 | 24, 239 |  |  | 257 |
| 523 |  |  |  | 24,676 | 1,720 | 16,760 | 24, 500 |  |  | 258 |
|  | 4,000,000 | 53, 900 | 2.2 | 19,657 | 2,245 | 10,201 | 16,695 |  |  | 259 |
| 326 |  | 20,000 | 1.5 | 12,206 | c3,643 | d3,445 | 12,083 |  |  | 260 |
| 387 | e9, 99,8662 | 75, 0:0 | 1.9 | 39,223 | 13, 263 | 18, 759 | 39,073 | 1198 | 219 | 261 |
| 2,671 | e11, 543, 659 | 68,000 |  | 22,571 | 450 | 17, 835 | 21, 969 | 1451 | 243 | 263 |
|  |  | $6 \cdot, 000$ |  | 23,650 | g1, 737 | 16,106 | 23,330 |  |  | 263 |
| 819 | e3, 600, 000 | 31,500 |  | 13,541 | 1,729 | 9,050 | 12,561 |  |  | 264 |
| 2,285 | e43, 241, 164 | 301,051 | ....... | 94, 083 | 4,683 | 59,044 | 95, 622 | 1071 | 229 | 265 |
| 800 | 30,000,000 | 303,500 | 3.5 | 69, 259 | 3,754 | d46, 789 | 65, 847 |  |  | 266 |
| $5 \geq 0$ | 9,500,000 | 142,100 | 10 | 52,340 | 13,784 | d16,406 | 46, 484 |  |  | 267 |
|  | 5,772, 227 | 58,700 |  | 63,331 | 16,562 | 11,488 | h39, 537 |  |  | 263 |
| 600 | 5,000,000 | 125,500 | 3.7 | 24,638 | 30 | 15,460 | 21,540 | 10 S1 | 375 | 269 |
| 300 | 6,000,000 | 100,000 | 4 | 22, 825 | 350 | 12, 312 | 19, 997 | 1079 | 456 | 270 |
| 1,273 | 12,000,000 | 133, 000 | 5 | 36,560 | 9,876 | 27,847 | 45,344 | 1255 | 430 | 271 |
| 300 | 10,000,000 | 100,000 | 4.2 | 28,639 | g1, 309 | dili, 873 | 24,610 | 1164 | 438 | 272 |
| 13,010 | e\%0,787,582 | 863, 800 | 3.5 | 318,657 |  | 17,633 | 237, 819 | 1:14 52 | k220 | 273 |
| 1,550 | e7, 276, 303 | 102, 500 | 5.5 | 55, 952 | 6,134 | 25,700 | 42,136 | 1298 | 494 | 274 |
| 963 | 8,242,180 | 112,000 |  | 35, 748 | 272 | 27,313 | 38,743 | 1366 | 490 | 275 |
| 800 | 3,000,000 | 36, 000 | 6 | 18, 997 | 1,244 | 7,432 | 10,510 | 844 | 160 | 276 |
| 401,365 | 9,003,670,601 | 105,667,07- |  | 36, 082, 543 | 5,257,692 | 10,503,643 | $33,0 ¢ 4,874$ |  |  |  |

$g$ Includes expenditure for repairs.
$h$ Total of reported items onl $\vec{y}$.
$i$ Arerage of the whole number enrolled each month.
$j$ Erclusire of evening schools.
R. For day pupils only.

VII E

Table II.-Average expenses per capita based on daily average attendance in city public schools.

| Cities. |  |  | Cities. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Newton, Mass... | §24 82 | \$13 37 | Chicago, ml . | \$15 18 | \$307 |
| Oakland, Cal. | 2452 | 445 | Terre Haute, Ind. | 1515 | 290 |
| Leadville, Colo. | 2336 | 1125 | Chelsea, Mass | 1514 | 600 |
| Savannah, Ga | 2243 | 196 | Ann Arbor, Mich. | 1508 | 475 |
| Yonkers, N. Y. | 2118 | 783 | Louisville, Ky | 1496 | 334 |
| Cincinnati, Ohio | 2052 | 372 | Bloomington, Ill | 14.92 | 35 |
| New York, N. Y. | 2051 | 474 | Cleveland, Ohio. | 1492 | 382 |
| Omaha, Nebr | 2030 | 780 | Portland, Me. | 1491 | 401 |
| Portland, Oreg | 2022 | 719 | Fremont, Ohio | 1486 | 330 |
| Middletown, Conn | 2010 | 620 | Jackson, Mich., District No. 1... | 1477 | 353 |
| San Francisco, Cal | 2009 | 330 | Evansville, Ind. | 1476 |  |
| Malden, Mass | 1977 | 836 | Brooklyn, N. Y. | 1473 | 452 |
| Cambridge, Mass. | 1970 | 642 | Des Moines (west side), Iowa... | 1468 | 668 |
| Buffalo, N. Y | 1959 | 389 | Easton, Pa | 1466 | 520 |
| Rockford, Il I | 1929 | 656 | Tiffin, Ohio.. | 1460 | 576 |
| Chicopee, Mass. | 1928 | 848 | Meriden, Conn. | 1456 | 254 |
| San José, Cal . | 1839 | 534 | Vincennes, Ind.. | 1456 |  |
| Fort Wayne, Ind. | 1822 | 317 | Lynn, Mass.. | a14 53 | a637 |
| New Bedford, Ma | 1811 | 619 | Milwaukee, Wis. | al4 52 | a2 70 |
| Springfield, Mass. | 1810 | 691 | Norfolk, Va | 1451 | 243 |
| Lowrell, Mass. | als 08 | a7 76 | Muscatine, Iowa | 1443 | 567 |
| Columbus, Ohio. | 1806 | 757 | Westfield, Mass. | 1441 | 634 |
| New Haven, Conn | 1796 | 440 | Rochester, N. Y. | 1440 | 602 |
| Orange, N. J.. | 1794 | 474 | Springfield, Ohio.. | 1439 | 987 |
| Los Angeles, Cal | 1789 | 649 | Lockport, N. Y | 1439 | 351 |
| St. Louis, Mo. | 1758 | 505 | Rock Island, Ill | 1438 | 458 |
| Galveston, Tex | 1753 | 119 | Fitchburg, Mass | 1430 | 744 |
| Dayton, Ohio. | 1752 |  | Adrian, Mich. | 1427 | 635 |
| Woburn, Mass.. | 1714 | 591 | Peabods, Mass. | 1421 | 389 |
| New Orleans, La | 1667 | 228 | Detroit, Mich. | 1415 | 562 |
| Minneapolis, Minn | 1660 | 492 | Dubuque, Iowa. | 1412 | 502 |
| Davenport, Iowa. | 1659 | 406 | Houston, Tex | 1407 | 294 |
| Kingston, N. Y. (2) of | 1658 | 656 | Moline, Ill. | 1406 |  |
| Hamilton, Ohio | 1653 | 430 | Grand Rapids, Mich | 1401 | 1360 |
| Worcester, Mass | 1648 | 490 | Harrisburg. Pa. | 1384 | 299 |
| Somerville, Mass. | 1643 | 655 | Racine, Wis ... | 1360 | 490 |
| Chillicothe, Ohio | 1642 | 505 | Steubenville, Ohio | $13 \mathrm{C5}$ | 397 |
| Indianapolis, Ind. | 1618 | 353 | Weymouth, Mass | 1356 | 546 |
| Holyoke, Mass. | 1505 | 592 | Corington, Ky | 1355 | 250 |
| Council Bluffs, Iow | 1600 | 903 | Auburn, N. Y. | 1354 | 47 |
| Watertown, N. Y. | 1591 | 785 | Poughkeepsie, N. Y. | 1349 | 328 |
| Nashua, N. H.. | a15 90 | $a 472$ | Dover, N. H. | 1343 | 400 |
| Utica, N. Y | 1581 | 506 | Muskegon. Mich. | 1347 | 394 |
| Baltimore, Md. | 1571 | 465 | Newark, Ohio. | 1347 | 342 |
| Albany, N. Y | 1558 | 397 | Syracuse, N. Y | 1345 | 437 |
| La Fayette, Ind. | 1535 |  | Norristown, Pa. | 1339 | 593 |
| Richmond, Ind.. | 1528 | 430 | Elmira, N. Y .. | 1337 | 493 |
| St. Joseph, Mo. | 1519 | 497 | Taunton, Ma | 1333 | 423 |

a For day pupils only.

Table II.-Average expenses per capila based on daily average attendance, \&e.- Cont'd.

| Cities. |  |  | Cities. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { a } \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & \text { un } \end{aligned}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Binghamton, N. Y | \$13 29 | §3 69 | South Bend, Ind . | \$1148 | §271 |
| Nashville, Tenn. | 1329 | 215 | East Saginaw, Mich | 1145 | 443 |
| Meadville, Pa . | 1320 | 497 | Augusta, Ga | 1140 | 093 |
| Springfield, Ill. | 1318 | 602 | Mansfield, Ohio. | 1132 |  |
| Northampton, Mass................... | 1317 | 516 | Plattsburg, N. Y.. | 1131 | 400 |
| Lewiston, Me.......................... | 1317 | 369 | Wilkes Barre, Pa | 1123 | 317 |
| Ottawa, Ill.. | 1314 | 617 | Newport, Ky........................... | 1121 | 206 |
| Augusta, Me. | 1308 | 799 | Logansport, Ind | 1118 | 281 |
| Scranton, Pa | 1306 | 294 | Decatur, 111. | 1117 | 300 |
| Clinton, Iowa | 1300 | 333 | Chattanooga, Tenn | 1104 | 183 |
| Portsmouth, Ohio. | 1300 | 308 | Bay City, Mich. | 1090 | 382 |
| Cohoes, N. Y. | 1299 | 3 ¢0 | Fond du Lac, Wis. | 1081 | 375 |
| Oshkosh, Wis. | 1293 | 494 | Madison, Ind.. | 1081 | 332 |
| Jeffersonville, Ind | 1293 | 304 | Janesville, Wis. | 1079 | 456 |
| Zanesville, Ohio. | 1288 |  | Richmond, Va | 1071 | 229 |
| Gloucester, Mass. | 1282 | 554 | Toledo, Ohio. | 1066 |  |
| Elizabeth, N.J. | 1271 | 414 | Peoria, Ill... | 61059 |  |
| La Crosse, Wis. | 1255 | 430 | Elgin, 111. | 1037 | 861 |
| Allegheny, Pa. | 1250 |  | Canton, Ohio. | 1029 |  |
| Columbia, S. C. | 1247 | 143 | Paterson, N. J........................... | 1028 | 407 |
| Akron, Ohio.. | 1240 | 493 | Hannibal, Mo.. | 1026 | 242 |
| Sandusky, Ohio. | 1235 | 390 | Leavenworth, Kans | 1015 | 262 |
| Pittsfield, Mass.. | 1231 | 477 | Cedar Rapids, Iowa. | 1005 | 479 |
| Galesburg, 11. | 1223 | 294 | Saginaw, Mich. | 1003 | 385 |
| Rome, N. Y.. | 1222 | 304 | Montgomery, Ala..................... | 1000 | 140 |
| Oswego, N. Y.. | 1214 | 681 | New Castle, Pa ........................ | 988 | 274 |
| Williamsport, Pa.. | 1213 | 606 | Lima, Ohio . | 981 | 400 |
| Flint, Mich... | 1207 | 496 | Reading, Pa ... | 976 | 330 |
| Milford, Mass. | 1207 | 433 | Warwick, R. I . | 922 | 081 |
| Ithaca, N. Y... ......................... | 1200 | 316 | Shenandoah, Pa | 910 | 366 |
| New Brunswick, N. J................ | 1200 | 261 | Atlanta, Ga | 910 |  |
| Lynchburg, Va | 1198 | 219 | Rockland, Me ......................... | 900 | 247 |
| Chester, Pa... | 1194 | 272 | Lawrence, Kans...................... | 860 | 210 |
| Macon, Ga .............................. | 1187 | 100 | McKeesport, Pa | 850 | 265 |
| Quincy, Ill ... | 1184 | 425 | Watertown, Wis ... | 844 | 160 |
| Pawtucket, R. I ....................... | all 84 | a2 89 | Lebanon, Pa. | 816 | 200 |
| Philadelphia, Pa...................... | 1180 | 525 | Altoona, Pa .... | 777 | 209 |
| Belleville, Ill... | 1180 | 240 | Topeka, Kans......................... | 772 | 271 |
| Little Rock, Ark...................... | 1176 | 455 | Camden, N. J........................... | 735 | 2 |
| Hudson, N. Y .......................... | 1176 | 215 | Atchison, Kans ....................... | 710 | 110 |
| Joliet, Ill................................ | 1164 | 447 | Pittsburg, Pa ... |  |  |
| Madison, Wis.. | 1164 | 438 | Norwalk, Conn. |  |  |
| Knosville, Tenn...................... | 1163 | 133 | Concord, N. H... |  |  |
| York, Pa................................ | 1161 | 382 | Key West, Fla ............ |  | 42) |

## SCHOOL POPULATION, ENBOLLMENT, AND ATTENDANCE.

Table II presents the school statistics of 276 cities having each a population of 7,500 or more.

The importance of these statistics may be more fully realized when it is considered that the total population of these cities is more than one-fifth the total population of the United States, and the expenditure for school parposes about one-third of the total school expenditure. The legal school population reported for 247 cities is $3,169,704$; the total enrollment reported for all the cities save one is $1,941,166$; the average daily attendance reported for 258 cities is $1,315,695$, or 70 per cent. of the enrollment in those cities.
Legal school population, total enrollment, and average attendance are all reported for 235 cities, the totals being respectively $3,101,996,1,693,747$, and $1,186,715$, or an enrollment equal to 54 per cent. of the school population and an average attendance equal to 70 per cent. of the enrollment. The estimated enrollment in private schools for the cities reporting that item is 13 per cent. of the school population of those cities. This estimate is probably less than the actual proportion, as many private schools are entirely omitted in the calculation; but at least 13 per cent. of the school population should be added to the enrollment in public schools to show approximately the proportion of youth under instruction in schools of elementary grade. This would give for the 235 cities referred to abore a school enrollment equal to 67 per cent. of the school population.

As a rule the legal school period in cities corresponds to that of their respective States, and, for reasons stated in the consideration of Table I, the comparison of school enrollment with the legal school population is misleading. As in the case of States, howerer, so also in respect to cities, the census of youth of 6 to 16 years, which is accepted as a fair basis of comparison, is not generally attainable. For instance, of the ten largest cities of the United States, only four report the census between 6 and 16 years, while in Boston, one of the ten, the legal school population includes only the youth from 5 to 15 years of age.

The following table, drawn from the statistics of these five cities, shows that the comparison of school enrollment with the population 6 to 16 years of age gives a very different impression of the amount of school attendance in the cities from that which is conveyed by a comparison of enrollment with legal school population.


If to the curollment in public schools in the five cities specified the estimated enrollment in prirate schools be added, the ratios that school enrollment bears to the population 6 to 16 are as follows:

Per cent.





A mistaken idea of the regularity of school attendance in our cities is often formed from the unwarrautable comparison of arerage attendance with total enrollment, whereas the comparison should be made between average attendance and average enrollment, or the total attendance and total enrollment for a specified period.

Examination of the latest returns from 40 cities haring each a population abore 25,000 shows that the per cent. of arerage attendance estimated upon average enrollment fell below 85 in but one city, in which it was 74 per cent.; for the remaining 39 cities it ranged from 85 to 99 per cent. This indicates the extent to which the schools maintain the interest of their pupils and the co-operation of their patrons, a matter quite apart from that of securing the attendance of the entire school population.

To sum up the eridence regarding these two distinct considerations, viz, the regularity of school attendance and the amount of school attendance, it appears that in respect to the former the record of our city schools is creditable, bat in respect to the latter it is far from satisfactory. It is the opinion of the most competent authorities on the subject that an obligatory law is necessary to secure the attendance of all children at schools. The absence of such a law, or of its efficient execution, is regarded as the chief cause of insufficient school attendance. A second and scarcely less potent cause of the eril is inadequate school accommodation, a matter toward which public attention is gradually turning. I might cite a long list of superintendents and other officials whose recorded utterances confirm these statements, but on account of limited time and space must confine myself to a few extracts from very recent reports.

## From the Report of the Board of Education of the City of New York for 1834.

The right to compel parents to educate their children is a necessary complement of the duty of the State to provide education for those who desire it. "The State has the same right to compel the ignorant to learn that it has to compel the penurious to pay for that learning." In order to perform its duty consistently with these principles, and pursuant to the Act of the legislature of May 11, 1874, entitled an Act to secure to the children the benefits of elementary education, and its amendments, this board has made provisions, arrangements, rules, and regulations concerning habitual truancy in the city of New York. The children here between the ages of 8 and 14 years who may be found wandering about the streets and public places of the city during school hours, having no lawful occupation, and growing upin ignorance, are compelled to attend the sessions of our schools by the agents of truancy. The principal of every school is required to keep a register of all children between the ages of 8 and 14 years who have been reported to the agents of truancy for the violation of the law, and whenerer a truant agent brings to the school any child between these ages who is not registered as a pupil, it is the duty of the principal to enter his or her name upon the register, and all the facts relating to such child as may hare been communicated by the agent of truancy. These agents not only apprehend all truants, deroting their whole time to the duties of their office, but certain of them are designated by this board, in the months of September and February of each year, and at such other timesas it is necessary, to make an examination into the situation of children employed in manufacturing and other establishments in violation of the laws of 1874 and 1876 .
The board now has in its employ trelve agents of truancy, whose entire time is deroted to this work, and who are in receipt of an annual salary of $\$ 1,250$ each. During the past year the agents hare returned to school 2,247 truants and hare placed in school T8: non-attendants. This board, through the agency of the truant officers, has, during the past year, made a school census of the Fifth, Sixth, and Eighth Wards, which sets out the fall details of the character of the school popalation of those wards with refer-
ence to age, color, nativity, and nativity of the parents, of all children between the ages of 5 and 14 years, and which, so far as details of attendance and non-attendance are concerned, may be summarized as follows:

| Ward. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Fifth Ward | 2,534 | 1,766 | 384 | 2 | 2, 152 | 382 |
| Sixth Ward. | 3,342 | 2,532 | 402 | 26 | 2,960 | 382 |
| Eighth Ward. | 5,224 | 3,480 | 886 | 49 | 4,415 | 809 |
| Total. | 11,100 | 7,778 | 1,672 | 77 | 9,527 | 1,573 |

This census is being perfected, and by its means it will be possible to learn exactly the extent to which parents fail to avail themselves of our public schools and disregard the provisions of the law. The failure to send their children to the schools is confined almost entirely to the cases of very poor or illiterate immigrants, and of the vagrant and criminal classes. Those who are themselves sufficiently educated to know the value of our schools, as well as those who have themsel res profited by them, almost invariably compel the attendance of their children for a sufficient length of time to give them a fair educational start at least, and it is believed that the system itself will ultimately render any attempt at compulsory education unnecessary. The people of this city are so generally persuaded that voluntary ignorance is a cause of shame and danger, and that the compelling by any parent of his or her child to remain in ignorance is a crime both against the child and against society, that the power of public opinion is itself to-day almost sufficient to render a compulsory law unnecessary in this community. It is because of this that with so large a school population it is possible to comply practically with the terms and requirements of the law by so small a body of truant agents as the board now finds it requisite to employ.
The insufficiency of school room is itself, in large measure, the cause of the nonattendance of the greater portion of those of our children who are not to be found upon the public school registers. To endeavor to increase the efficiency of our truant agents, and to enlarge in any way the system for the more exact observance of the law for compulsory education, is not only useless, but absolutely harmful, solong as the board is left without the means to provide the requisite accommodations for those children who really desire to attend the schools. Until it is possible to say that not only for every child who desires to go to school sufficient room and facilities are afforded, but that for every child who shall be compelled to go the proper school room is at the disposal of the board, it is in the last degree illogical for the board to make any further expenditure of either energy or money than it at present does in the effort to compel the attendance of delinquent scholars.

## From the Report of Hon. E. P. Seaver, Superintendent of Public Schools, Boston, for the half year ending March, 1885.

By the school census taken in May, 1884, there were in Boston 66,560 children between the ages of five and fifteen. Of these, 52,932 went to the public schools, 7,319 to private schools, and 6,309 were reported as not having attended any school during the year.
This last number, 6,309 , invites some investigation; for it is important to know the causes of such non-attendance, and to discover how well or ill the laws relating to school atiendance are obeyed. Let no one hasten to say that 6,309 children in Boston are growing up in ignorance, because the census-taker found that number who had not attended school during the year; but let the facts be examined a little more closely. To any one who will have the patience to do so it will become clear that a very different conclusion is to be drawn.
To begin with, the census books show that 4,357 of these non-attendants were only five and six years of age. With regard to these it is to be remembered that their parents are under no legal obligation to send them to school; and the opinion is quite prevalent that children of those ages are too young to be kept in school-rooms. Although I do not share in this opinion, I own that it is entitled to respect. This class of cases, then, may be set aside without further inquiry; for there is reason to believe that most of the children were well cared for at home, and that a considerable number had good instruction there or in private kindergartens.

Next, there were 846 non-attendants reported as fourteen years old, concerning whom it would have been interesting to know what kept then oui of school; but, as the statutory obligation no longer held in their cases, it was deemed unwise to trouble the truant oflicers with the investigation of questions possessing only a historical interest. On this point it is to be borne in mind that the law is fulfilled the moment a child has attended school for twenty weeks subsequently to his thirteenth birthday. In other words, the statutory obligation may run out-often does run out-when the child is thirteen years and five months old; but the child would be called thirteen years old for seven months longer; so that if he were fourtcen years and fire months old and had not been in school for a whole year, he still might have complied with the law. In the cases, therefore, of non-attendants reported at the census date as fourteen years old (the months over not being stated), it may or may not have happened that the law was disobejed; this would only follow necessarily from the two facts of age and non-attendance in those cases where the age was less than fourteen years and fire months; that is, by the doctrine of chances in less than half of the whole number of cases. But when account is taken of the invalids, the already sufficiently instructed, and others excepted by the statute, it must be admitted as probable that the cases of real disobedience to the law are less than one-third of the whole number reported. On the other hand, some allowance may be made for cases of disobedience where the evidence does not prove it. On the whole, I believe it entirely safe to conjecture that the cases of real disobedience to the law included among those reported as fourteen years old do not exceed 300 in number.

After the two deductions abore noted had been made there remained 1,106 cases of children, from seven to thirteen years of age, reported as non-attendants. More than a third of these-402, to be precise-were reported as seven years of age; but as many of them would soon be eight, it was thought best to give their names with the others to the truant officers for investigation. Accordingly the names, residences, and ages of the whole 1,106 children were copied out of the census-books upon cards, and the cards were distributed to the truant officers, in September last, with a reguest that the reason for non-attendance in each case be ascertained and reported. I'he results of this inquiry, to be clearly presented, will necessitate going somewhat into details; but the details are instructire in sereral ways.

Out of the 1,106 cards issued, 922 were subsequently returned, bearing the truant officer's report in that number of cases. The lack of intormation caused by the failure to return all the cards relates particularly to Wards 17, 18, and 23. For Ward 13 only three cards were issued, the census-taker apparently having found only three children in that ward from seren to thirteen years of age not attending school. The case of Ward 21 is still more remarkable, the census-taker haring found no children of any age who had not attended school the past year. In the other twenty wards the truant officers' reports cover all, or nearly all, the cases reported by the census-taker.

From the analysis of these reports the conclusion is dramn that there were notover 600 children who failed to comply with the law.

From Circular of Information ${ }^{1}$ on City School Systems, prepared by Dr. John D. Philbricli.
Public instruction cannot be considered as having falfilled its mission until it secures the rudiments of education to every child. To accomplish this object coercion is necessary. No community has ever been known to secure absolutely unirersal education without the application of the principle of coercion. It is right to make the schools attractive and use all arailable moral means to secure the attendance of pupils, but these means have never proved wholly adequate; experience has proved the necessity of supplementing them by compulsion. When non-attendance is due to the dereliction of the parent, then the parent must be held responsible by the strong arm of the law; if the child absents himself contrary to the wish and intention of the parent, then the child must be held responsible. All arguments against compulsion have been triumphantly refuted by accomplished facts.

The rapid growth of city population has made it rery difficult for many cities to keep pace in the supply of school sittings with the increase of children waiting to be instructed in the schools. So great is this difficulty in not a few important cities that inadequacy of school accommodations has become a chronic eril. As a mitigation of this evil the makeshift has been resorted to of limiting the attendance of a portion of the pupils to one session a day.

[^23]The city of Denver deserves to be mentioned as an example of a very young city of marvelously rapid growth of population, which has courageously and successfully met the demand for school accommodations sufficient for all its schoolable children, and in quality these accommodations are of the first order. Among the cities of the first order Saint Louis may be mentioned as one which has successfully grappled with the problem of school accommodations. In a recent report the president of the board states that the funds of the board "are ample for all necessary school accommodations required now or in the near future. * * * There is now, happily, no question of the financial ability of the board to provide all necessary school facilities." The school law of Massachusetts empowers school boards to provide needed temporary accommodations if their request for the same is not complied with by the municipal authorities. This provision of the statutes has proved a sure guarantee against the evil of insufficiency of accommodations. Where the school board is invested with such authority, it is never necessary to limitattendance to the capacity of the school-houses erected or to submit to the evil of chronic overcrowding.

The rapid growth of urban population in all parts of the country has of course rendered necessary a correspondingly rapid increase of school accommodations; and although there are not a few cities where this necessity has been only partially met, on the other hand, in general, cities of all classes and in all sections of the country have made liberal sacrifices to provide the requisite school accommodations.

The acting school visitor of the town of Meriden, Conn., in his report for 1885, complains of a difficulty that is experienced in many places where an obligatory school law is in force. He says:

It is to be regretted that the carelessness of employers makes it necessary, about twice every year, to cause an inspection of shops and factories to be made, to ferret out children who have been taken from school and put to work, contrary to the law of the State. If employers would make it a rule, in every case, to demand the requisite certificate of school attendance lefore employing a child, whether at hisown solicitation or that of his parents, almost all this trouble and expense might be saved. There is probably no intention to defy the law, but only a carelessness that suffers the matter to pass unheeder?. A rigorous application of the law in a few cases might work a wholesome reform.

An interesting feature of the year's record is the increase in the enrollment and in the average attendance of scholars in the public schools of southern cities; the progress here is not, however, as rapid as it would be if the school provision were equal to the demand.

## LENGTH OF SCHOOL YEAR.

By reference to Table II, in the Appendix, it will be seen that, omitting Virginia City, Nev., the number of days the schools were taught in the cities ranged from 156 to 220 . In Virginia City the number was exceptionally high, viz, 294 days.

## FINANCES.

The financial status of the city system is very fully set forth in the table of the Appendix referred to above; the columns showing the salaries of superintendents and the cost of supervision are particularly deserving of attention. The salaries of superintendents are reported from 230 cities. In 60 of these the salaries ranged from $\$ 2,000$ to $\$ 3,000$. In 18 , from $\$ 3,000$ to $\$ 4,000$.

The highest salaries reported are as follows:


By reference to the part of the tal)? showing the per capita expense of the city schools, it will be seen that no one of the live cities sqecified reports an exceptionally hirh rate, so that the payment of liberal salaries to superintendents does not appear to be an ex: traragant policy.

In connection with the showing of per capita expense it is interesting to uote the corresponding ligures for certain foreign cities.

In Lowdon the cost of the maintenance of efiecent elementary schools for the current year was $3 l 0 s 3 l$ (about $\$ 14.60$ ) per capita of attendance; in Glasgow $2 l 2 s 1 d$ (about $\$ 10.25)$; in Edinburgh (18ミ3-'84) $2 l 9 s \mathrm{Sd}$ (about $\$ 11.50$ ); in Berlin the cost of maintenance of elementary schools in $188-1$-'S5 per capita of attendance was, for teachers' salaries, $\$ 9.15$; for incidentals, $\$ 11.09$; or a total of $\$ 20.21$; in Tienna, $1831-' 35$, the per capita expenditure was about $\$ 15.72$.

## EXAMINATIONS.

Experience seens to prove that examinations are an indispensable feature of any system of education, but it is of the atmost importance that they should be judiciously conducted and properly subordinated to the true end of education. Screral experiments in respect to the conduct of these exercises are reported for the year.
Hon. John B. Peaslee, superintendent of schocls, of Cincinnati, in his report for 1885-'86, says:
The subject of examinations and transfers of papils is one of the most dificult of solution of any connected with our city school systems. A few years ago educators thought that they lad found the true solution in per-cented written examinations. Such examinations were held in every subject in which it was possible to hold them. The per cents were posted up in the offces of superintendents, exlibited and commented upon in the different schools, carried around in triumph by the principals, paraded in the daily papers, and published in the school reports. But it has been found thatattaching undue importance to per cents leads to the driving and cramming process; to narrom, rut teaching; offers an inducement to teachers to resort to improper derices and expedients, which keep the children from thinking for themselves; to adopt pernicious nethods, that contract rather than expand the mind, that retard rather than derelop the reasoning faculties. For these reasons there is a growing sentiment in farorof their abolishment. But, on the other hand, it has been found that, where per-cented written examinations have been discontinued in any study, the teachers are apt to neglect the instruction-to let the pupils go over the subject in a slipshod manner, discreditable to both teachers and pupils. Detween the two crils the question arises, what should be done? Should we drop the percentage system altogether, or retain it in part? Not seeing my way clear to dispense wholly with the system, I have endeavored, during my superintendency, to relieve as much as possible the pressure formerly brought to bear upon per cents, by not publishing them, by not eren requiring the teachers to report them, by attaching very little importance to them, and by throwing them off of object lessons, history, and plysics, in the district and intermediate schools-off of studies that had better never be touched than to be taught by the pernicious methods the teachers were compelled to resort to, in order to obtain high per cents in written examinations. And, that these non-percented subjects may not be neglected, I have directed the principals to give especial attention to them, and have required them to make a written report twice a year, not only of the results obtained, bat of the methods pursued in imparting the instruction. While, on the whole, there has been great improvement in the teaching, candor compels me to admit that, on the part of many of the teachers, there is still too much driving for per cents, with all its attendant erils, in those branches in which the percentage sjstem is retained, and too little attention paid to those in which it has been abolished. Teachers are conservative. Haring once gotten into a way of teaching a subject, it is very dificult to get them out of it, howerer important it may be to do so. Haring once taken a pride in having their classes arerage in the nineties, it is almost impossible to induce them to adopt better methods and do broader teaching, if thereby their classes would only arerage in the eighties.
As a rale, the best teachers do not obtain the highest per cents from their pupils. Of course on a fair examination in a properly graded school their classes will rank higher, but they will be beaten every time by classes taught by inferior teachers who follow in narrow ruts. Good teachers will obtain good per cents; but to judge teachers wholly
by per cents, as has been so generally done in years past, is to commit an injustice. As my predecessor, Superintendent Hancock, once said: "Per cents show some things, but they do not show all." The methods pursued in obtaining the per cents are the important factors.

Again, much injury to the schools has resulted from the great importance put by trustees, principals, and teachers upon passing all the pupils remaining at the close of the year in the highest grade of the district and in that of the intermediate schools; that is, upon passing pupils from the district to the intermediate, and from the intermediate to the high schools. In a school justly graded and properly taught, from 80 to 90 per cent. of the pupils in these grades should pass a successiul examination upon the questions usually submitted. To pass more than 95 per cent. upon a fair examination is prima facie evidence that the teaching or the grading (probably both) is bad.

Hon. H. B. Dall, superintendent of schools, Oshkosh, Wis., reports that the semi-annual system of examinations and promotions has been changed for the annual system, so that now the plan is uniform for the five largest cities of Wisconsin. Written examinations have been discontinued in a number of cities; though the general experience tends to prove that when judiciously conducted they are beneficial, at least in the higher grades.

SPECIALIZING INSTRUCTION.
In Newport, R. I., an experiment has been made in the direction of specializing the teacher's work, with reference to which Superintendent Littlefield says in his report for 1884-'85:

In the first two grammar classes, which occupy adjacent rooms connected by a doorway, the departmental plan of instruction has been continued, whereby each teacher, passing to and fro, instructs both classes in certain subjects. The plan greatly economizes the teacher's time and strength, enabling her to present lier few subjects most exhanstively and entertainingly. There is no substantial reason why the same plan should not be tried in the two second classes, occupying as they do similarly situated rooms.

AN EXPERIMENT IN DISCIPLINE.
At the suggestion of Hon. A. J. Moulder, superintendent of schools, San Francisco, Miss Hannah Cook, principal of the Pacific Heights School of that city, gives the following account of the operation and effects of an experiment in school discipline known as the deportment class. Her statement is embodied in the superintendent's report for the year ending June 30, 1885.

The original germ of the class came into notice under the board of 1882 , when I assumed control of the so-called Jackson Street School. The chairman of the classification committee, upon my report, gave me an extra teacher for 26 pupils, when the whole school numbered but 145 . These 26 were of such a type that the necessity of their segregation was admitted, and this was considered by the board the best aid they could render.

In September, 1884, on moving into the new building, the attraction of a new house drew largely on the floating pupils of neighboring districts, and a large class gathered in our building, representing some of the most dangerous characters I ever dealt with, including representatives all the way from the accredited street gangs to the milder type of Young America at the head of the family. At this time, by accident, I was brought before the joint committees of classification and rules, when I made a statement of affairs in my building, and especially of this disturbing element. You will recollect you very readily entered into the idea, and, after a brief review of similar cases in our public schools, made the motion, which was at once seconded, that a deportment class be formed. A teacher was appointed to take charge of it, and from that time till the present the class has shared my constant attention, I feeling convinced it would ultimately solve the great problem of our schools. And let me say right here, an innovation so marked would naturally raise opposition, especially from those who had contributed largely to it; but in very many cases the more intelligent parents, on seeing the practical benefits to their own children, have voluntarily given me their unqualified support.

The entire enrollment has been 86. They have been divided as follows: 38, tiring of us and being at liberty to leave, took their departure and probably now report in other schools; 34 have so far changed their minds (which means conduct) that they have again
joined their former classes; the remainder still are trying with differing success to be good children-a small fraction of these will probably never succeed, though hope is always held out to them.

I consider the class no longer an experiment; under certain conditions certain results can certainly be predicated. It seems at ouce to solve the problem of the rod. The whole thing is simply this: that the deportment of scholars should be classified as carefully as their scholarship, and for the same reason; and I speak safely when I say that the failure of either classitication will subrert the other. Many of these children, on their first trial, regain their lost seats and never return to the class; more fail and need a secoud chance; ferv take three trials, they feeling and we knowing it to be useless. The lessons are the same daily as their classmates are pursuing, so no time is lost; and as they are usually the most "brainy boys," they frequently distance their old classes, and only lose again throngh their own bad conduct, which takes the teacher's time. The best of feeling alwass exists between these children and their teacher, they hare coufidence to beliere she too is hoping they will reach their classes again, and we frequently hear and know of marked expressions of gratitude to her for her endearors in their behalf.

This class acts as a constant but quiet check orer all the other classes, and so, while reducing punishment to a minimum, gives the most happy results in scholarship to the entire school.

Though our school has the disadrantage of being new and partially formed, as compared with older institutions, I feel that the united testimony of my teachers and my closest observation for the past year in regard to the benefits to the school cannot be very incorrect. The teachers teach, the children learn, and the deportment pupils try and frequently win. The corporal punishment possible in the ordinary class-room gires a reight to a misdeed greater than to many good ones, and the distraction of many vorthy minds on acount of the misdeeds of one. This should not be. Another objection to punishment is that, instead of the misdeed being prevented, it is actually accomplished, and the following punishment gives the whole aftair the air of a sort of quits on both sides, after which they (the teacher and pupil) are again ready to enter on another skirmish; and so the days and deeds follow through all our schools.

Discipline which is not self-government does not deserve the name; and when the culprit finds he has to deal with himself instead of a second person, that his success is a direct measure of his personal exertion, and that no teacher can cancel his bad conduct by punishment, then, and then only, will he try to help himself; and all this necessitates a separate room and irregalarity of time.

A teacher might as well try to make a child grow physically by taking his meals for him as to make him grow mentally or morally by depriving him of those conditions on which mental or moral fibers thrire; 'tis a personal matter, and admits no second party.

The importance of our city systems of public schools, and the constant inquiry respecting them on the part of school officers and teachers all orer the world, led to the publication by this Office of a special circular of information, entitled "City school systems in the United States." (See note, p. criI.) It was prepared by Dr. J. D. Philbrick, whose opinions were eagerly sought wherever popular education is a subject of national interest.

This circular has been in great demand, and it is in the bands of a large number of those in our own and other countries practically interested in the subject of which it treats; but as the information that it contains is brought up to date, I deem it adrisabie to present here the following extracts having reference to topics of current interest:

## SUPERTISION. ${ }^{1}$

In nearly all cases the school board is aided in the care and management of schools by a superintendent. This officer generally depends on the board for his election and acts subject to its control. He is selected as an educational expert, having usually receired a liberal education, haring had successful experience in teaching, and haring acquired, by observation and study, information more or less extended as to approred methods of instruction and school economy in its rarious departments. He is required to devote himself wholly to the interests of the schoo!s under his charge. His tenure of office is precarious, being subject to an annual or at best a biennial election. Perhaps in a rery

[^24]few exceptional cases the period of tenure is a little more extended. The salary in general does not difier materially from that of the principal of the high school, though probably in the majority of cases it is somewhat higher. In a few cities no superintendent is employed, the entire supervisory and directing service being performed by the members of the board. Such cities are justly regarded as being behind the times. Until recently the great city of Philadelnhia belonged to this exceptional category. There are still belonging to it three cities of considerable importance in Essex County, Massachusetts, ranging in population from 13,000 to 27,000 . In a vast majority of the cities a single superintendent is employed. In all the cities of the first class, however, with possibly one exception, one or more assistant superintendents are employed. The number of assistants in New York has risen to seven. In cities of the second class, also, assistant superintendents are beginning to be employed.

The duties of the superintendent are prescribed by the board, and are usually set forth in considerable detail in the rules and regulations. He is commonly regarded as the chief executive oficer of the board, although this idea of the functions of his office is seldom, if ever, declared in prescribing its duties. The essential duties of the office are everywhere substantially the same, although in matters of detail there is considerable diversity among the city systems. The first permanent city superintendency was established in Providence in 1840. The duties prescribed for this officer I hare not the means of knowing. One of the first cities to follow this example, although at a distance of more than a decade, was Boston, and at the head of the list of duties prescribed for the new officer was this:
"He shall devote himself to the study of our school system and of the condition of the schools, and shall keep himself acquainted with the progress of instruction and discipline in other places, in order to suggest appropriate means for the advancement of the public schools of this city."

Thus clearly and definitely was enunciated at the outset the highest and most characteristic function of the city superintendent as a professional expert in matters pertaining to public instruction. The supreme importance of this requirement has very generally been recognized by school boards in prescribing the duties of this official.

The duties of superintendents vary considerably according to the size of the system in charge; but personal supervision of the instruction and discipline and of the internal economy and management of the schools are the common requirements of superintendents in cities of all classes. In the smallest cities, the superintendent, being the only agent of the board, is necessarily a man of all work. He not only acts as adviser of the board and of its individual members, and supervises, inspects, and examines the schools, but he has to provide, under the direction of the board, for all the material wants of the school. He superintends the repairs on the school-houses and assists in devising plans for new ones; he attends to the providing of fuel; he procures and distributes the supplies, not only of materials and apparatus for instruction, but also brooms, mats, dippers, and such like; audits the bills; prepares the pay rolls of teachers; acts as the secretary of the school board, and makes an annual report exhibiting the progress and condition of the schools. The usefulness of an energetic officer in such a situation, with the versatility of talent requisite for such varied duties, can scarcely be overestimated. In cities of a larger size, the specialization of the executive work is begun by the employment of additional agents for such branches of service as do notrequire the qualifications of an educational expert. This specialization goes on with the increase in the size of cities, the functions of the superintendent being correspondingly restricted until, in the very largest cities, as in New York, for example, his duties are mostly limited to what pertains to instruction, discipline, and school management. And even here-that is, in the large cities-we find again further specialization, not only in the employment of assistant superintendents, as above noticed, but also in the employment of special experts, as superintendents and directors of certain branches of instruction, such as modern languages, penmanship, drawing, gymnastics, singing, vocal culture, etc., these specialists being of course subordinate to the superintendent.

The one specific and coroprehensive duty expected of every superintendent is to see, so far as practicable, that all the rules and regulations of the board are faithfully observed, not only by the pupils, but by all teachers and employés within the sphere of his authority.

A further analysis of the subject shows that city systems differ, not only in the range of the duties assigned to the superintendent, but in the very considerable diversity which exists in respect to the degree of power and authority with which this officer is invested; and this difference in respect to the limits of power is found to exist eren where the sphere of duties is substantially the same. For instance, the superintendents of Boston and St. Louis are alike chiefly occupied with matters pertaining to instruction and school
management, but the superintendent of the latter city practically excreises much larger powers than the superintendent of the former. He performs the duties and exercises the powers to a large extent which are assigned in the former, and indeed in most cities, to subcommittees on individual schools or districts. In connectiou with the committeo on teachers he nominates candidates to fill vacancies in the corps of teachers and transfers both teachers and pupils from one school to asother, and this means that practically the chief responsibility of this important part of the administration is in his havds.

There is no longer occasion to seek arguments to prove the expedieucy of employing expert supervision of city systems of schools. The day for that service to the cause of education is in the past. That the superintendency has been the most effective instrumentality in bringing about the existing advanced condition of things in our city systems is beyond a doubt. Men of exceptional ability and derotion hare been employed from time to time, in some cases for a series of years, in the more conspicuous situations in different sections of the country. These men, by their practical wisdom, their indefatigable labors, and their unselfish devotion to the best interests of the schools under their charge, have afforded noble models for imitation, whose widespread influence has largely inspired and shaped city supervision throughout the country. In a large number of less prominent positions, and even in humble places, superintendents possessing in no small measure desirable qualifications have been secured and retained for a longer or shorter period. But we are a long way yet from perfection in the matter of supervision. Too many school boards, through incompetence or indifierence to the public interest, have employed superintendents of inferior qualifications. Incompetent teachers and inefficient schools are the inevitable result. Like produces like: as is the school board, so is the superintendent; as is the superintendent, so are the schools. It is hardly too much to say that the chief use of school boards is to get and retain and sustain good superintendents. Forty years ago there were no city superintendents, or next to none. Instruction in city schools then was scarcely better than instruction in country schools. The immense superiority of city instruction over country instruction at the present time is due mostly to the introduction of supervision. But the capabilities of this instrumentality have thus far been but partially utilized. Public sentiment should hold school boards to the strictest accountability in the choice and treatment of superintendents.

FREE TEXT-BOOKS AND STATIONERY.
Gratuity of text-books and stationery is the natural and inevitable sequel to gratuity of tuition. Indeed, a system of instruction cannot be properly reckoned as free which does not supply free books as well as free tuition and free accommodations. Something may be said to the purpose against every possible arrangement. The opponents of this provision tell us that it is communism. The only proper answer to this charge is that gratuitous instruction is in exactly the same sense communism. They say that it is detrimental to the development in the pupils of the spirit of self-reliance. To this assertion the reply is that the same objection has been urged against free tuition, but experience has shown it to be without foundation. Moreover, it is said, the pupils will not take proper care of the books which they do notown. Experience refutes this assertion, too. In fine, it is claimed that it is a good thing for pupils to own their books and keep them after leaving school as mementos and for the purpose of reference. This is no doubt a just claim, but it is of little importance compared with the great adrantages of free bcoks. The two chief arguments in favor of free books are (1) the economic consideration: the saving of expense and the great saving of the time of the teachers and pupils; (2) the moral consideration: an invidions distinction between the children of the well-to-do and the indigent, as far as school provision is concerned, is obliterated. The policy of furnishing free books was long ago adopted by New York. Its success here has led to its adoption in a number of other cities, and it appears to have been generally approved wherever it has been applied. In Philadelphia the average yearly cost for each pupil has been less than one dollar. At the recent session of the Legislature of Massachusetts, 1884, an act was passed requiring all the tomns and cities in the State to furnish all the pupils in the public schools with free books and stationery. There is, however, one danger to be guarded against to which the free-book system is liable, namtly, that school committees may be tempted to permit the principals of schools to select textbooks from an approved list, as is the case in New York City, instead of requiring an absolute uniformity in all the schools of the same city or town. The Massachusetts act referred to is defective in not embodying this safeguard. There can be no doubt that ultimately gratuity of school books wili be coextensive with grataity of tuition, as they
rest on one and the same foundation, and a conclusive argument in favor of one is equally conclusive in favor of the other.
"Remove all possible distinction between the children of the rich and the children of the poor man. Let the children go into the school-house that is free for all of them. And the teachers-they, too, are free, certainly. But why withhold the books? So the legislature said there shall be free text-books for all the children of this Commonwealth. Those are good things and they are in the laws." - (Extract from a speech by His Excellency George D. Robinson, governor of Massachusetts.)

## GYMINASTICS.

Within the last twenty or twenty-five years the physical exercises commonly called free gymnastics have been introduced into a great number of city schools. By free g.mnnastics is meant such exercise of the muscles of the limbs and trunk as is practicable without the aid of any apparatus whatever. These exercises are taken by pupils either in their seats or in a standing posture; and marching, which may be regarded as an exercise in free gymnastics, is much practiced. To a certain extent simple apparatus, such as wands and dumb-bells, mostly of wood, are used. In some cities use has been made more or less extensively of a system of rocal gymnastics. This system comprises the special exercise, development, and training of the muscles employed in respiration and the production of vocal sounds. It aims particularly to promote expansion of the chest and the habit of fully inflating the lungs in breathing. All these physical exercises are good in theory, and good in practice too, if given with skill and discretion by the teachers. It is desirable that some form of free gymnastics-that is, the most appropriate muscrlar exercises without apparatus, which are sometimes called calis-thenics-should be introduced into schools of all grades. Great care should be taken, however, that the exercises should be of the right kind and taken in the right way. They should be supervised and directed by competent experts.

But physical exercises of this description are not sufficient; no city system of schools can be considered as up to the standard of the day that has not gymnasiums and teachers of gymnastics sufficient for the pupils of all grades. It is to be regretted that no one of our American cities can be named where such prorision exists. A ferw high schools, as elsewhere stated, are provided with commodious and well equipped gymnasiums, but high school gymnasiums of this class, or indeed of any description, are few and far between, while gymnasiums for grammar and primary schools are, it is believed, wholly wanting. This is a grave defect in our city systems of education. It precedes logically the hand training about which so much is said at present. If the history of education has made anything certain, it has made it certain that the gymnasium is an essential appendage of the school-house. It is well known that Germany took the lead in making gymnastics one of the branches of public instruction. Physical training was introduced into the public schools of Germany in the early part of the present century as one of the essential means of the regeneration of the nation. After Sadowa the statesmen of Austria followed the example.

## TENURE OF OFFICE OF TEACHERS.

In our country we have * * * undertaken to develop and build up an efficient system of instruction whle acting on the assumption that the teacher cannot be recognized as having a claim to any ownership in a position of service.

In our system, therefore, there has been provided as yet no solid foundation upon which to build up a desirable status for the teacher; consequently little has been done to environ the teacher's office with the subsidiary guarantees requisite to constitute a career of teaching service. This condition of absolute insecurity and dependence in respect to position is necessarily compensated, in some degree, by the rate of salary. In fact, our system, instead of taking permanency of tenure as the point of departure from which to develop a competent teaching corps, in accordance.with the opinion and practice prevailing in all other enlightened countries, has relied primarily and mainly upon compensation in money as the mainspring in the scheme for securing the desired teaching service.

I cannot help thinking that this uncertainty of tenure, this absolute dependence of teachers, both in respect to livelihood and reputation, upon the will of local committees, is the most serious defect in our school system. Reform in this particular is most urgently demanded; not that, as a matter of fact, teachers are displaced by wholesale when the anmual election comes round, bat becaase they are all liable to displacement
by this process. The actual summary dismissals without just cause are not numerous, but even in the best managed city systems they occur with sufficient frequency to inspire too many of the teachers who are spared with a sense of humiliation and insecurity.
But the eflect produced on the minds of the mass of teachers by unjustifiable removals through the machinery of the annual election-our barbarous school guillotine-is, perhaps, less pernicious and regrettable than the effect resulting from what is sometimes called the "blackballing" process. A teacher is said to be "blackballed" when he has failed to receive a full rote at the clection. It is no uncommon thing for the best of masters to be elected by a small rote, for which no possible reason could be assigned except that they had some indiridual opinions with regard to educational matters. What could be more disheartening to a corps of teachers than such unjust treatment? Capable men hasten to quit a situation which exposes them to such humiliation. To render the permanent tenure effectual, it must be accompanied bs a permanent, that is, an irreducible, salary, as control of salary is rirtually control of tenure.

We know what the objector to this plan will say: Your permanent tenure, with its irreducible salary, constitutes without doubt a desirable status for the teacher, proriding the rate of salary is not too low. Whaterer other tribulation may arrait the teacher, he has no longer any risks to run ; he has no longer to submit to an annual humiliation in the shape of an annual election; his reputation and his living are no longer at the mercy of incompetent or prejudiced school officers ; his status is inrested with dignity and independence; he can hold up his head like a man and look the whole world in the face. But in all this what bare you done but shift the risk from the employé to employer, from the teacher to the public? You have insured the teacher against risk, but what guarantee has the public that the teacher will do his duty when he has no longer the fear of losing his situation to act as a spur to effort? Are not the annual election and the porwer of summary dismissal necessary means of stimulating teachers to rigorous and sustained effort and of removing those who are delinquent and incompetent? and, besides, is not this permanency of tenure contrary to the spirit of our free institutions and too un-American to find faror with us?
To these questions, which embody the substance of all that can be said in favor of annual election and the power of summary dismissal, it may be said in reply : First, that the precarious tenure has not been found necessary for the end in riew in any other enlightened country on the globe; and, second, in our own country the annual election is unknown outside of the public school system, so that this odious annual election has no place in the civilized world except in the public schools of the United States. But it is not denied that the public should be guaranteed against risk as well as the teacher. In the adjustment of compensation and serrice the relation of risks must always be taken into account. In this case the guarantee of the public against risk is perfectly feasible, as experience has satisfactorily proved.

This guarantee consists of six distinct provisions:
(1) A thorough professional training of teachers in normal schools suited to their destined functions. This is necessary as the primary guarantee against the appointment of teachers without the requisite qualifications. And it is evident that the State could afford a more liberal expenditure for the education of a teacher who is to serre the public thirty or forty fears than for the teacher who is to serve only three or four years. Only a small fraction of the teachers now engaged in the service are graduates of normal schools, there being no one State that has not recoiled before the task of securing to the whole body of teachers a professional education; and this is because of the very great number of teachers which teaching as a temporary employment necessitates.
(2) Another guarantee should be provided by a system of examining and certificating teachers by experts wholly under the control of the central authorities; besides, the local certificate, the only one, with ferr exceptions, now issued, does little for the establishment of the standing and reputation of the holder. But a certificate granted by the central authority, and valid throughout the State, would create a professional rank and standing which would elerate the status of the holders.
(3) As a third condition requisite to the permanent tenure, probationary service must be prorided for. The candidate must not only hare his certificate, but he must prove his capacity by actual service in teaching before he can claim a definitive appointment. The period of probation should not be less than tro years and it might well be three or four. The judgment on the result should be rendered by one or more approred experts. If a further guarantee against failure is deemed expedient, it may be obtained by an examination at the end of probation, bearing especially on the practical work of the school room.
(4) is to the choice to be made among candidates thas prepared, the most judicious method appears to be for the superior school authority to nominate three or four candi-
dates, having regard both to seniority and merit, and that the selection from this list should be left to the local committee.
(5) Provision for a suitable hierarchical situation for the teacher. Such a situation would comprise a competent supervision and the other means requisite for stimulating the teacher to the best efforts, by recognizing his worth and rewarding his merits; and such a situation would also comprise the necessary machinery for administering just and salutary diseipline in cases of delinquency. In France the hierarchical situation is so well contrived that the young man of talent, entering upon his career as primary teacher in the remotest mountain hamlet, may hope to reach, by well earned promotions, the principalship of a metropolitan school, or to become director of a normal school or even inspector.
"It is the function of a good administration," says the eminent Belgian publicist and educator, Emile de Laveleye, "to seek by fixed rules, which science indicates, to ascertain merit and to class individuals according to their aptitudes; then there would be an end of solicitations, of subserviency, of intrigues, of protections, of favors, of injustices." And this is the paradise for which the teacher prays. He wants to feel that he owes his position to his merit, and not to favor, and to be sure that his efforts will be appreciated and recompensed. It is, perhaps, in rain to hope that the public school teacher's pathway may be strewn with roses; hitherto it has been too much hedged up with briers and thorns: but the supreme misery of his lot is to be judged by incompetents. This would necessarily be mitigated by the better supervision which the permanent tenure would require.
(6) A retiring pension is requisite, not only as a security for old age, but as a means of rendering practicable the retirement of the aged and fatigued public servant without refiecting on his reputation or abandoning him to destitution.
These six conditions are logicaily involved in the full and complete application of the principle of fixity of tenure. Moreover, they are at the same time the means of producing an equilibrium of risks and authorities which experience has proved to be indispensable to the most effeient, economicai, and harmonious working of a school system.

In every point of view this reform in our system seems to me fundamental in its importance; all others are but secondary, subordinate, accessary. It may seem to the timid to be a bold undertaking, but it is not more bold in the present circumstances than the project of State normal schools or the project of a State board of education fifty years ago. Every epoch has its peculiar tasks. This reform I rerily beliere to be the task of the hour for the friends of educational progress. Public sentiment is now everywhere drifting in this direction. In the powerfal movement which has been begun to reform the civilservice I see plainly the dawning of a new and better day for the public school and the public school teacher. The press is daily teeming with arguments for this cause, for the principles of a good civil service are essentially the same as the principles of a good educational service. Hence the achievement of the civil service reform will prepare the way for this reform. The spoilssystem and the annual election are twin barbarisms, and with the abolition of the former the latter must go.

But permanent tenure is not to be brought into successful operation by a single legislatire act. This radical reform must be reached by a series of steps. Initiatory steps have already been taken in various quarters. It is worthy of mention that, at a late session of the Massachusetts legislature (1874), the chairman of the committee on public service oilered to include the teaching service in the provision of the civil service reform bill reported by this committee. This reform must begin practically in the cities and larger towns. Teachers have their duty in connection with this task. Everywhere they should pour in their petitions and memorials upon the legislatures throughout the country, and do their share of the work in creating a publie opinion which shall demand this reform.
To our metropolitan city belongs the credit of taking the lead, and of setting a good example to cities cf less importance, in respect to the reform in the tenure of oflice of teachers. In New York the position of the public school teachers is reasonably secure. This security is provided for in the lav creating a department of public instruction for the city and county of New York. In the first place, teachers are elected once for all, presumably to serve during eficiency and good belavior. There is no recurrence of election whatever. The barbarism of annual election is utterly unknown in the system. There are three modes of remoring teachers: (1) By the board of education, upon recommendation for cause by the city superintendent, or a majority of the trustees for the ward, or a majority of inspecters for the district; but not without a threcquarters vote. (2) The koard of trastees for the ward, by the vote of a majority of the whole number of trustees in office, may remove teachers, other than principals and viccprincipals, provided the removal is approved in writing by a majority of the inspectors of the district; but the teacker so removed has the right of appeal to the board of edu-
cation, and may be reinstated if the board so decides. (3) By revocation of license by the city superintendent, for cause aflecting morality or competency, and the written concurrence of two of the inspectors of the district in which the teacher is employed, the teacher having the right of appeal to the state superintendent and the revocation taking effect only after the contirmation of the state superintendent. In short, the principle of fixity of tenure is fully recognized in the New York system. There is no such thing as summary dismissal or arbitrary removal. The teacher once appointed is not subject to removal except for cause touching his morality or competence, upon charge of responsible officers and sustained by competent evidence. And thus the lun-damental-requisite for a good status for the teacher has been provided.
On the other hand, in the Boston school system, the oldest in the country and that which has been most commonly ranked with New York as a representative system, the teachers hold their position by a tenure as insecure as it can well be inade. In the infancy of the system the famous Master Cheever was inducted into the office of principal of the Latin School with much pomp and ceremony. He had come to stay; and he did stay unil "time took him off," after he had got well into the nineties. He had probably never heard of the absurdity of electing schoolmasters annually; but in an evil day some short-sighted reformer introduced this bungling contrisance of getting rid of incompetent teachers, and, as time has gone on, the condition of teachers in respect to security of position has grown worse instead of better. There is nowhere, either in statutory provision or in the by-laws and regulations ordained by the school board, any recognition of the principle that the teacher has any right to continuancein the service, no matter how unexceptional in conduct or capability. Every principal is liable to be dropped from the service at the end of the year unless he obtains the votes of a majority of the whole number of members of the board, this majority being the legal quorum. Hence, the loss of a single rote would cost the master his place, if there happened to be only a quornm present at the time of voting. The case of the subordinate teachers is still worse. Unless nominated to the board by the majority of their district committees, their re-election is not eren considered by the board. In fact, no teacher is accorded the right of being notifed of any intention to drop him from the serrice, and, when dropped, has no redress, not even the poor satisfaction of being informed for what cause he has been deprived of his means of livelihood.
This precariousness of tenure has been aggravated and rendered less endurable by the system of supervision inatgurated by the supervisors, described in another part of this report.
Reform of this feature of the system, which has been so discouraging and demoralizing to the teachers, has of late been considerably agitated, and it is to be hoped that the time is not distant when not only in the Boston system, buthbroughout our city systems generally, teachers will be made secture in their situations during efficiency and good behavior.
The citizens of Brooklyn, Jersey City, and Newark are reported as haring taken the adranced position, by the side of New York, in reforming the tenure of office of teachers. The superintendent of Jersey City, Mr. George H. Barton, writes as follows:
"Teachers once appointed in this city hold office during the will of the board or during good beharior. One or two principals have held their positions for thirty years. Teachers can only be remored for cause after a fair trial."
Superintendent William N. Barzinger, of Nerrark, says:
"Our teachers are all appointed during, good belavior and cannot be dismissed except for good cause. We settle them for life."

## ADMINISTRATION.

The schools of cities are controlled and managed by local boards, variously designated in different sections of the country as school committees, school visitors, school directors, school trustees, school commissioners, and school boards. These boards differ not only in name, but they differ very considerably in respeet to number, mode of election, tenure of office, powers, and duties, but for the most part they directly represent the opinions and will or the people themselves in reference to the maintenance and condition of their schools. The American school system is largely founded on the idea of local competency in the management of educational affairs; hence the most important factor in the success of city systems is found in the character of the school boards; and there is no one problem connected with the economy of these systems so important and so dificult of solution as that of securing competent school boards. In Prussia they say, "As is the teacher, so is the school;" in Holland they say, "As your inspection is, so is your school;" with us it would be more fundamentally true to say, "As is your school board, so are your
schools." Nobody denies that the men chosen to serve on a city school board ought to be the foremost citizens in respect to intelligence, integrity of character, public spirit, sound judgment, and social standing. In practice it has been found extremely difficult to reach this standard. The school boards are probably ferv and far between among whose members there are not some persons unqualifed for a trust of such importance. This office is not unfrequently used by young politicians and old politicians of the inferior order as a stepping-stone to coreted political places. In too many instances it is sought for by patientless doctors and clientless larryers as a means of professional advertising. It is too often traded off by politicians, for assistance in running the political machine, to incompetent persons, who are gratified by the local notoriety which it affords. And yet, on the whole, great credit must be accorded to our city school boards: the great and undisputed success of the city systems, generally speaking, is the measure of their merit. The worthy and the competent have far outnumbered the unworthy and incompetent. The roll of every school board bears the names of members who deserve the lasting gratituie of their fellow-citizens for their faithful, self-sacrificing, judicious, and perserering labors in behalf of the pablic school interest.

All boards, with perhaps the exception mentioned below, are probably alike in one particular, namely, in being limited by law, or by the action of some other city authority, as to the amount of money they may expend for school purposes. The school boards of Massachusetts, though invested with less power in some respects than those in some other sections, possess one power which is peculiar and highly important: they have the right to determine absolutely the number, the grade, and rates of salaries of teachers, without regard to the amount appropriated for this purpose by municipal authorities. On the other hand, the municipal authorities have the power to stop school expenses and close the schools at the end of six months in each year if they think the scale of expenditure is too high for the approval of the popular will. This balance of power, which has long been a feature of the school system, has worked most satisfactorily, giving to the board suficiency of independence in the matter of expenditures and to the administrators of the public revenue the power to check any extravagance on the part of school boards. This wise, far-reaching, and fruitful prorision is doubtless one of the very best features of the system. The result has been a liberal support of the schools, while the tendency to extraragance on the part of school boards and the tendency to parsimony on the part of city councils hare been kept under wholesome restraint. As a matter of fact, the schools have in no case been actually suspended from lack of funds.

Another important power which is believed to be peculiar to the school boards of this State is that oi providing school accommodations temporarily without regard to municipal appropriations therefor. The result of this power is that, as a rule, no children are deprived of schooling from lack of school accommodations.
School boards may be divided into three classes respecting their power in purchasing sites and building school-houses, namely: (1) the class exercising all the power in purchasing sites and building school-houses, (2) the class which dirides this power with the city council, (3) the class which has no authority whaterer in providing school accommodations.
St. Louis affords an example of the first class; Chicago and Boston, of the second class ; Philadelphia and Hartford, of the third. In Chicago the sites are purchased by the city council; the rest is done by the school board. In Boston, until 1875, the school board had no authority in determining the location or character of the schoolhouses; since that date they have had the veto power, both in respect to location aud plans, and this division of power has thus far proved very satisfactory. Had this reto power been giren twenty years earlier, the four-story school-houses in that city mould have been fewer.
The history of city systems of schools makes it evident that in the matter of administration the tendency is towards a greater centralization and permanency of authority, and that this tendency is in the direction of progress and improvement. No doubt excessire decentralization of administration has been one of the chief obstacles to improrement in erery department of our free school system.

THE TEACHING OF VOCAL MUSIC IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS.
At the request of the Music Teachers' National Association this Office, in the spring of 1885 , made an inrestigation as to the amount and kind of rocal-music teaching in the cities and principal towns of the United States. The results, so far as attained, formed part of an address delivered at the annual meeting of that association during
the summer. I design further to co-operate with the purposes of the Association by completing at least this part of the inquiry, and by publishing the statistics with sereral useful articles relating to the teaching of singing in our public schools as a circular of information.

## CITY SUPERINTENDENTS.

The following table, compiled from recent returns to this Office, exhibits the details regarding the mode of appointment, term of service, etc., of the superintendents of a large number of cities.

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"ij city superintendents.
affirmative, or "yes."

$g$ Also traveling expenses.
$h$ Confirmed by city council.
$i$ Appointed by city council.
$j$ Superintendent receives 2 per cent. on all receipts, so that $\$ 1,500$ may some years be more or less than actual sum.
7. Appointer! by mayor and conflrmed be city coune?

Service, compensation, \&c. ,
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| 36 | Springfield, Ill................ | F.R.Feitshaus |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | Sept. 1,1886 | \$1, 800 |
| 37 | Fort Wayne, Ind. | John S. Irwin |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | June 19,1886 | 2,500 |
| 38 | Indianapolis, Ind ............ | Lewis S. Jones |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | July 1,1887 | 2,750 |
| 39 | Jeffersonville, Ind ... | R.W.Wood |  | $\times$ |  | 1 |  | 1,300 |
| 40 | Logansport, Ind... | John K. Walts. |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | Sept. 1,1886 | 1,600 |
| 41 | Richmond, Ind... | J.N.Study . |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | July 1,1886 | 2,000 |
| 42 | Terre IIaute, Ind.. | William H. Wiley |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | Sept. 1,1886 | 2,500 |
| 43 | Vincennes, Ind.. | Edward Taylorb.. |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | June 20,1886 | 1,700 |
| 44 | Clinton, Iowa.. | Henry Sabin. |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | June -, 1886 | 1,900 |
| 45 | Council Bluffs, Iowa.. | James McNaughto |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | Sept. 1,1886 | 2,000 |
| 46 | Davenport, Iowa.. | J. B. Young. |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | June 30,1886 | 1,800 |
| 47 | Kcoikuk, Iowa .. | W. W. Jamieson |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | July 1,1886 | 1,400 |
| 48 | Ottumwa, Iowa... | A. W. Stuart. |  | $\times$ | ........ | 1 | July -, 1886 | 1,700 |
| 49 | Muscatinc, Iowa. | F.M. Witter |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | June -, 1886 | 1,500 |
| 50 | Leavenworth, Kans... | F. A. Fitzpatrick |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | Sept. -, 1886 | 2,500 |
| 51 | Lawrence, Kans... | E. Stanley. |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | May -, 1886 | 1,200 |
| 52 | Topeka, Kans., | D. C. Tillotson |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | Apr. -, 1886 | 1,700 |
| 53 | Covington, Ky.. | Alva T. Wiles. |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | June 30,1886 | 1,800 |
| 54 | Louisville, Ky ... | George H. Tingley, jr. |  | $x$ |  | 3 | June 30,1886 | 2,500 |
| 55 | Paducah, Ky....... | Eli F. Brown. |  | $\times$ | ......... | 1 | Aug. 1,1886 | 1,500 |
| 56 | New Orleans, La | Ulric Bettison |  | $\times$ |  | 4 | April 1,1889 | 3,000 |
| 57 | Augusta, Me... | J. O. Webste |  | (d) |  | 1 | Mar. 14, 1887 | 300 |
| 58 | Bath, Me.. | A triumvirate |  | (d) |  | 3 |  | 300 |
| 59 | Biddeford, Me.. | R. E. Gould. |  | $\times$ |  | 5 | 1890 | 1,400 |
| 60 | Lewiston, Me... | L. H. Marvel | $\times$ |  |  | 1 | Sept. 1,1886 | 1,500 |
| 61 | Portland, Me.... | Thomas Tas |  | $\times$ | ......... | 1 | Mar. 31, 1887 | 2,250 |
| 62 | Baltimore, Md.. | Henry A. Wise |  | $\times$ | ......... | 4 | Feb. -, 1888 | 2,500 |
| 63 | Boston, Mass... | Edwin P.Seav |  | $\times$ |  | 2 | Mar. 1,1888 | 4,200 |
| 64 | Brookline, Mass..... | D.H. Daniels.. |  | $\times$ |  |  | July -, 1886 | 2,500 |
| 65 | Cambridge, Mass............. | Francis Cogswell |  | $x$ |  | 1 | Sept. 1,1886 | 2,800 |
| 65 | Chelsea, Mass.. | E.H. Davis. |  | $\times$ | ........ | 1 | Sept. 1,1886 | 2,200 |
| 67 | Chicopee, Mass... | R. H. Perkin |  | $\times$ | ......... | 1 | Sept. 1,1886 | 1,500 |
| 63 | East Somerville, Mass..... | J.H. Davis. |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | Feb. -, 1887 | 2,000 |
| 69 | Fall River, Mass....... | William Connell. |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | Aug. -, 1886 | 2,000 |
| 70 | Fitchburg, Mass... | Joseph G. Edgerly. |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | Aug. 1,1886 | 2,000 |
| 71 | Gloucester, Mass.... | M. L. Hawley.. |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | Sept. -, 1886 | 2,200 |
| 72 | Haverhill, Mass.... | William E. Hatch. |  | $\times$ | ...... | 1 | June 2,1886 | 2,000 |
| 73 | Holyoke, Mass... | E. L. Kirtland. |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | July 1,1886 | 1,900 |
| 74 | Lynn, Mass. | O. B. Bruce |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | July 1,1886 | 2,000 |

a Also serves as librarian.
c Superintendent of German.
$\checkmark$ Also teaches one-half of each day.
of city superintendents-Continued.
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e Two truant offcers, at $\$ 300$ and $\$ 775$. respectively.
fTest-book clerk, at $\$ 600$.

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| 75 | Malden，Mass．． | Charles A．Daniels ．．． |  | $x$ |  | 1 | Jan．1，1887 | ¢2，1C0 |
| 76 | Marlborough，Mass． | G．T．Fletcher． |  | $x$ |  | 1 | Minr．15，1887 | 1，\％C0 |
| 77 | Milorora，Mass ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | W．T．Leonard． |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | Aug．1，15S6 | 1，500 |
| 78 | North Adams，Mass．．．．．．．．．． | Anson D．Miner． |  | $x$ |  | 1 | Tunc 2Ј， 1886 | 1，700 |
| 79 | Attleborough，Mass．．．．．．．．．． | H．M．Maxson． |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | Apr．－， 1856 | 1，500 |
| 80 | Northampton，Mass．．．．．．．．． | George B．Drury．．．．．． |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | July 1，1886 | 1，CCO |
| 81 | Pittsfield，Drass．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | Thomas H．Day． |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | Apr．1，1836 | 1，500 |
| 82 | Taunton，Mass．． | J．C．Bartlett．．．．．．．．．．．． |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | Scpt．1，18S6 | 2， 000 |
| 83 | Waitham，Mass．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | Henry Whittemore．． |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | Jan．1，1887 | 2，000 |
| 81 | Westfield，Mass．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | Ienry Fuller | $6 \times$ |  |  | 3 | Har．1，1887 | 400 |
| 85 | Weymouth，Mass | G．C．Fish |  | $x$ |  | 1 | Mar．10，1857 | 1，800 |
| 86 | Woburn，Mass．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | F．B．Richardson |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | June 30， 1856 | 1，350 |
| 87 | Worcester，Mass． | A．P．Marble． |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | Oct．－， 1886 | 3，000 |
| \＆S | Adrian，Mieh．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | George W．Walke |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | June－，1886 | 1，C60 |
| 89 | Ann Arbor，Mich．．．．．．．．．．．． | W．S．Perry |  | $x$ |  | 1 | July－，1886 | 2，000 |
| 90 | Detroit，Nich．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | J．MI．B．Sill |  | $\times$ |  | 3 | July 1，18ss | 4， 000 |
| 91 | East Saginaw，Mich．．．．．．．． | C．B．Thomas |  | $x$ |  | 1 | Sept．1，1856 | 2，250 |
| 92 | Flint，Mich ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | Wesley Scars．．．．．．．．．．． |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | July 15，18S6 | 1，500 |
| 93 | Grand Rapids，Mich．．．．．．．． | I．N．Mitchell． |  | $x$ |  | 1 | July 2，1886 | 2，2ご0 |
| 04 | Jackson，Mich．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | J．B．Glasgow．．．．．．．．．． |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | Sept．1，1857 | 1，5c0 |
| 95 | Jackson（Dist．No．1），Mich | F．M．Kendall．．．．．．．．．． |  | $x$ |  | 1 | July 1,1886 | 1，sĩo |
| 96 | Muskegon，Mich．．．．．．．．．．．．． | C．L．Houseman．．．．．．．． |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | July 1，1885 | 1，SCO |
| 97 | Port Huron，Mich．．．．．．．．．．． | H．J．Robeson．．．．．．．．．．． |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | June 25， 1885 | 1， 500 |
| 98 | Saginaw，Mich．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | S．G．Burkhead． |  | $x$ |  | 1 | June－， 1886 | 1，3C0 |
| 99 | Winona，Minn ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | H．T．Gillette． |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | JuIy 1，18s5 | 1，8C0 |
| 100 | Vicksburg，Miss．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | H．T．Moore． |  | （c） |  | 2 | Feb．1，1858 | $266 \frac{7}{3}$ |
| 101 | Hannibal，Mo．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | H．K．Warren．．．．．．．．．．． |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | July 1，1886 | 1，500 |
| 102 | Kansas City，Mo．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | J．M．Grcenwood．．．．．． |  | $\times$ |  | 1 |  | 3，000 |
| 103 | Saint Joseph，Mo．．．．．．．．．．．． | Edward B．Neely．．．．． |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | July 31， 1886 | 2， 000 |
| 104 | Sedalia，Mo．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | William Richardson |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | July 1，1es6 | ］，803 |
| 105 | Saint Louis，Mo．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | Edwin H．Long．．．．．．． |  | $x$ |  | 3 | Mar．－，1888 | 3，600 |
| 106 | Lincoln，Nebr．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | E．T．Hartley．．．．．．．．．．． |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | June 11，1386 | I，\＆0） |
| 107 | Omaha，Nebr．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | H．II．James．．．．．．．．．．． |  | $x$ |  | 3 | 1ug．－，185\％ | 3，000 |
| 108 | Concord，N．H．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | L．J．Rundlett．．．．．．．．．． |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | Aug．1，1556 | 1，200 |
| 109 | Dover，N．H．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | Channing Folsom．．．．． |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | Feb．－，185\％ | 1，cos |
| 110 | Manchester，N．H．．．．．．．．．．．． | William E．Buck |  | $\times$ |  | 2 | July－， 1888 | 1，800 |
| 111 | Nashua，N．H．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | Frederic Kelsey． |  | $\times$ | ．．．．．．．．． | 1 | Jan．－，1887 | 1，000 |
| 112 | Bridgeton，N．J．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | William E．Cox．．．．．．． | $\times$ |  |  | 3 | Mar．10，1ss7 | 160 |
| 113 | Camden，N．J．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | M．V．Bergen． |  |  |  | 1 | Mar．10，1587 | 90 |

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c Appointed by the State board of education,
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| Cits. |  | Name. | Superintendent. |  |  |  |  |  |
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| 114 | Elizabeth, N. J.. |  | J. A. Dix. |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | Dec. 31,1886 | $\$ 600$ |
| 115 | Jersey City, N. J. | A. W. Edson |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | May -, 1888 | 2,600 |
| 116 | New Brunswick, N. J | Charles Jacobs. |  | $\times$ |  |  |  | 2,500 |
| 117 | Newark, N. J. | William N. Barringer.. |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | Jan. 1,18s6 | 2,500 |
| 118 | Orange, N. J. | Usher W. Cutts 6. |  | $\times$ |  | 1 |  | 2, 200 |
| 119 | Paterson, N. J. | C.E. Meleney.. |  | $\times$ |  | 3 | June 1,1886 | 2,000 |
| 120 | Plainfield, N. J. | Jease L. Hurlbut |  | $\times$ |  |  |  | (c) |
| 121 | Trenton, N. J.. | T.H.Mackenzie. | $\times$ |  |  | 1 | Apr. 14, 1886 | 500 |
| 122 | Albany, N. Y.......́. | Charles W. Cole |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | June 1,1886 | 2,500 |
| 123 | Binghamton, N. Y.. | MI. W.Scott |  | $\times$ |  | (d) |  | 2,000 |
| 124 | Brooklyn, N. Y.. | Calvin Patterson |  | $\times$ |  | 3 | July -, 188s | 5,000 |
| 125 | Buffalo, N. Y.. | J. F. Crooker | $\times$ |  |  | 2 | 1885 | 2,500 |
| 126 | Cohoes, N. Y.. | Alex. J. Robb |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | July 1,1886 | 1,500 |
| 127 | Elmira, N. I. | G.V.R.Merrill |  | $\times$ |  | (c) |  | 1,600 |
| 128 | Hudson, N. Y. | W. P. Snyder |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | July -, 1886 | S00 |
| 129 | Ithaca, N. I . | L. C. Foster. |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | July 1,1886 | 2,000 |
| 130 | Kingston, N. Y. | Charles M. Ryon |  | $\times$ | $\ldots$ | 1 | July 1,1886 | 1,400 |
| 131 | Lockport, N. Y............... | George Grifith. |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | Sept. 1,1886 | 1,400 |
| 132 | Long Island City, N. Y.... | Charles IV. Gould |  | x |  | 2 | June -, 1887 | 1,500 |
| 133 | Newburg, N. Y.............. | John Miller. |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | Mar. -, 1887 | 1,500 |
| 134 | Ogdensburg, N. Y............ | Barney Whitney |  | $\times$ |  | 3 | Sept. 1,1887 | 1,500 |
| 135 | Plattsburg, N. Y.. | Fox Holden. |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | July 1,18s6 | 1,600 |
| 136 | Poughkeepsie, N. Z........ | Edward Burgess |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | Jan. 1,1887 | 1,600 |
| 137 | Rochester, N. Y............... | S. A. Ellis. |  | $\times$ |  | 2 | July -, 1886 | 2,200 |
| 138 | Rome, N. Y.................... | M. J. Michael. |  | $\times$ |  | (e) | July 15,1886 | 1,500 |
| 139 | Saratoga Springs, N. Y.... | Edward N. Jones |  | $\times$ | ......... | (e) |  | 1,300 |
| 114 | Schenectady, N. Y........... | Samuel L. Howe |  | $\times$ |  |  |  | 2, 000 |
| 111 | Syracuse, N. Y................ | Edward Smith |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | Mar. 1,1857 | 2,200 |
| 142 | Troy, N. Y..................... | David Beattie |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | Nov. 15, 1886 | 2,000 |
| 1:3 | Aitica, N. Y................... | Andrew McMillan |  | $\times$ | ......... | (e) |  | 2,500 |
| 144 | Watertown, N. Y............ | Frederic Seymou |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | July -, 1886 | 1,200 |
| 145 | Yonkers, N. Y... | Charles E. Gorto |  | $\times$ |  | (e) |  | 3,300 |
| 146 | Virginia City, Nev .......... | J. W. Whitcher f......... | $\times$ |  |  | 2 | Dec. 31, 1886 | 600 |
| 117 | Akron, Ohio............. | Elias Fraunfetter |  | x |  | 2 | Aug. 31, 1886 | 2,500 |
| 148 | Chillicothe, Ohio.... | John Hancock |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | July 1,1886 | 2,000 |
| 149 | Cincinnati, Ohio... | J. B. Peaslee... |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | May -, 1886 | 3,500 |
| 150 | Columbus, Ohio... | R. W. Sterenson. |  | $\times$ | ...... | 2 | Aug. 31,1886 | 3.000 |

$b$ Also principal of high school. $d$ At the pleasure of the board.
of city superintendents-Continued.
amrmative, or "yes."

$f$ Really county superintendent.

Servicc, compensation, dic.,
NoTe. $-x$ indicates an

|  | City | Name. | Superintendent. |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | How appointed. |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 151 | Dayton, Ohio.. | J. ${ }^{\text {J. }}$ Burns... |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | Aug. 31,1896 | §2,500 |
| 152 | Hamilton, Ohio...... | L. R. Klemm |  | $\times$ |  | 2 | Sept. 1,1886 | 1,850 |
| 153 | Ironton, Ohio............ | R.S.Page... |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | July -, 1885 | 1,850 |
| 154 | Lima, Ohio... | J. M. Greenslade . |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | May -, 1885 | 1,500 |
| 155 | Newark, Ohio..... | J.C.Hartzler.. |  | $\times$ |  | 3 | June 20, 1887 | 1,800 |
| 156 | Sandusky, Ohio... | Alston Ellis. |  | $\times$ |  | (a) | Aug. 31,1886 | 2,500 |
| 157 | Springfield, Ohio...... | W.J. White. |  | $\times$ |  | 2 | May -, 1856 | 2,000 |
| 158 | Steubenville, Ohio ... | Henry N. Mertz |  | $\times$ |  | (a) | Aug. 31, 1886 | 1,750 |
| 159 | Tiflin, Ohio....... | J. W. Knott.. |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | Aug. 31,1880 | 1,800 |
| 160 | Toledo, Ohio ..... | John W. Dowd.. |  | $\times$ |  | (a) | June -, 1887 | 3,000 |
| 161 | Portland, Oreg ......... | Thomas H. Crawford. |  | $\times$ | $\ldots$ | 1 | June 30, 1886 | 2,000 |
| 162 | Allegheny, Pa.......... | John Morrow.... |  |  |  | 3 | June -, 1887 | 2,200 |
| 163 | Allentown, Pa . | L. B. Landis... |  |  |  | 3 | June-, 1887 | 1,200 |
| 104 | Altoona, Pa. | D. S. Keith. |  | $\times$ |  | 3 | June 1,1887 | 1,200 |
| 165 | Bradford, Pa. | George F. Stone. |  | $\times$ |  | 3 | June-, 1887 | 2,000 |
| 166 | Chester, Pa ... | Charles F. Foster |  | $\times$ |  | 3 | June 1,1887 | 1,200 |
| 167 | Easton, Pa ...... | Wm. W. Cottingham... |  |  |  | 3 | June -, 1887 | 1,600 |
| 168 | Erie, Pa... | Henry S. Jones. |  |  |  | 3 | June 1, 1887 | 2,200 |
| 169 | Harrisburg, Pa. | L. O. Foote.. |  | $\times$ |  | 3 | June 1,1887 | 1,500 |
| 170 | Johnstown, Pr... | T. B. Johnston. |  | $\times$ |  | 3 | June 1,1887 | 1,500 |
| 171 | Lebanon, Pa...... | J. F. Nitrauer... |  | $\times$ |  | 3 | June - 1887 | 500 |
| 172 | Meadville, Pa ... | Henry R. Roth... |  | $\times$ |  | 3 | June - 1837 | 1,850 |
| 173 | MeKeesport, Pa... | Charles W. Deane. |  | $\times$ |  | 3 | June 6,1887 | 1,200 |
| 154 | Newcastle, Pa..... | William N. Aiken |  | $\times$ |  | 3 | June-, 1887 | 1,030 |
| 175 | Norristown, Pa. | Joseph K. Gotwals. |  | $\times$ |  | 3 | June 1,1887 | 1,400 |
| 176 | Philadelphia, Pa.. | James MacAlister |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | Dee. 31, 1886 | 5,000 |
| 177 | Pittsburg, Pa.. | George J. Luekey. |  | $\times$ |  | 3 | June-, 1887 | 3,500 |
| 178 | Reading, Pa............... | Thomas M. Balliet..... |  | $\times$ |  | 3 | June 1,1887 | 2,000 |
| 179 | Shenandoah, Pa.............. | L. A. Freeman. |  | $\times$ |  | 3 | June-, 1887 | 1,500 |
| 180 | Titusville, Pa....... | R. M. Streeter... |  | $\times$ |  | 3 | June-, 1887 | 1,800 |
| 181 | Williamsport, Pa............. | S. Franzeau ....... |  | $\times$ |  | 3 | June -, 1887 | 1,400 |
| 182 | Newport, R. I ............ | George F. Littleîeld... |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | Jan. 1,1857 | 3,000 |
| 183 | Pawtueket, R. I..... ........ | Alvin F. Pease..... |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | Dec. 31,1886 | 2,000 |
| 184 | Providenee, R. I. ............ | H. S. Tarbell... |  | $\times$ | .... | 1 | Sept. -, 1886 | 3,500 |
| 185 | Woonsoeket, R. I............. | Charles J. White... |  | $\times$ | ..... | 1 | June 15, 1886 | 500 |
| 185 | Columbia, S. C................ | D. B. Johnson ..... |  | $\times$ |  | 2 | June -, 1886 | 1,500 |
| 187 | Chattanooga, Tenn......... | H. D. Wyatt..... |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | July 31, 1886 | 1,800 |
|  | Knoxville, Tenn......... | Albert Ruth. |  |  |  | 1 | June 9,1886 | 1,500 |

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Note. $-\times$ indicates an

| City. |  | Name. | Superintendent. |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | How appointed. | Length of term in years. |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | By sehool board. |  |  | 产 |
|  | 1 |  | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | c | 7 | 8 |
| 189 | Memphis, Tenn.............. |  | Charles H. Collier. |  | $\times$ |  | 2 | July 12, 1886 | \$1,800 |
| 190 | Galveston, Tex................ | W. Mr. Crow.. |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | July 1,1886 | 2, 400 |
| 191 | Burlington, Vt................ | Henry 0. Wheeler..... |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | Apr. -, 1887 | 800 |
| 192 | Norfolk, Va.. | James B. Hope. |  | (b) |  | 4 | 1890 | 1,140 |
| 193 | Portsmouth, Va.. | G. F. Edwards. |  | (c) |  | 4 | July 1,1886 | 720 |
| 191 | Alexandria, Va............... | W. F. Carne.. |  | (c) |  | 4 | July 1,1886 | 380 |
| 195 | Richmond, Va... | E. M. Garnett. |  | (c) |  | 4 | July 1,1836 | 2,000 |
| 196 | Wheeling, W. Va............. | W. H. Anderson |  | $\times$ | ....... | 2 | Jan. 1,1887 | 1,600 |
| 197 | Appleton, Wis................ | A. B. Whitman. |  | $\times$ | ........ | 1 | June 30, 1886 | 425 |
| 198 | La Crosse, Wis................ | Albert Hardy... |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | July 5,1886 | 2,000 |
| 199 | Milwaukee, Wis... | William E. Anderson.. |  | $\times$ |  | 2 | May 4,1886 | 3,000 |
| 200 | Oshkosh, Wis ................ | H. B. Dale. |  | (d) | ...... | 1 | Apr. -, 1886 | 600 |
| 201 | Racine, Wis.................... | H. G. Winslow. |  | $\times$ |  | 1 | Aug. 1,1886 | 1,200 |
| 202 | Janesville, Wis................ | C. H. Keyes.. |  | $\times$ | ....... | 1 | Aug. 1,1886 | 1,500 |

## a Monthly salary.

6 Appointed by State board of education.
of cily superintendents-Continued.
alirmative, or "yes."

© Appointed by the State board and confirmed
$d$ Appointed by the eity council. by the senate.

## NORMAL SCHOOLS.

The following is a comparative summary of normal schools, instructors, and pupils reported to the Bureau for the years $18 \% 5$ to 1885 , inclusive ( 1883 omitted):

|  | 1875. | 1876. | 1877. | 1878. | 1879. | 1880. | 1881. | 1882. | 1884. | $18 \varepsilon 5$. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Number of institutions. | 187 | 151 | 152 | 156 | 207 | 220 | 225 | 233 | $2 \overline{5}$ | 263 |
| Number of instruetors | 1,031 | 1,065 | 1,189 | 1,227 | 1,422 | 1, 466 | 1,573 | 1,700 | 1,937 | 2,070 |
| Number of students. | 29,105 | 33, 921 | 37,082 | 39,669 | 10,029 | 43,077 | 48,705 | 51,132 | 00,063 | 55,135 |

Table III.-Part 1.-Summary of

:latistics of public normal schools.


Table III.-Part 2.-Summary of

$\boldsymbol{a}$ Classification not reported in all cases.
statistics of private normal schools.

$b$ One institution reports 9 of last year's graduates as engaged in teaching, but fails to give the total number for the year.

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Table III.-General summary of statistics of public and private normal schools.


[^25]
## Appropriations for normal schools．

| Name of school and location． |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| State Normal School，Florenc | 87,500 |  |
| State Normal and Industrial School，Hun | b5，500 |  |
| State Normal School，Jacksonville，Ala | 2，500 |  |
| Livingston Female Academy and Alabama Normal College，Livingston，Ala | 2，500 |  |
| Lincoln Normal Universits，Marion，Ala | 4，000 | $\$ 1000$ |
| Tuskegee Normal School，Tuskegee，Ala | 3，000 | 450 |
| Branch Normal College of Arkansas Industrial Cniversity，Pine Bluff，Ark．． | 2，572 | 715 |
| Branch State Normal School，Los Angeles，Cal | 15，000 | 6500 |
| Normal department of Girls＇High School，San Francisco，Ca | c2，000 |  |
| California State Normal School，San José，Cal． | 40，000 | 600 |
| Normal department of University of Colorado，Boulder，Colo | （d） | （d） |
| Connecticut Normal and Training School，New Britain，Conn | 17，000 | 7907 |
| East Florida Seminary，Gainesville，Fla | 750 | 882 |
| Normal department of Atlanta Cniversity，Atlanta，Ga | （d） | （d） |
| Normal department of North Georgia Agricultural College，Dahlonega，Ga．． | （e） | （e） |
| Southern Illinois Normal University，Carbondale，Ill | 22，340 | 4540 |
| Illinois State Normal Tniversity，Normal， Hl | 24，000 | $f 4780$ |
| Cook County Normal School，Normal Park， 11. | g25， 000 |  |
| Training School Department of public schools，Fort Wayne， | （h） | （h） |
| Indianapolis Normal School，Indianapolis，Ind． | （h） | （h） |
| American Normal College，Logansport，Ind． | c3， 000 |  |
| Indiana State Normal School，Terre Haute，Ind | 22， 00 |  |
| Iowa State Normal School，Cedar Falls，Iowa | 13，500 | 2300 |
| Normal department of the High School，Davenport，Ior | （h） | （h） |
| Chair of Didactics，State University of Iowa，Iowa City，Iow | （d） | （d） |
| West Des Moines Training School，West Des Moines，Iow | （h） | （h） |
| Kansas Sthte Normal School，Emporis，Eans． | i16，500 | 2300 |
| Southern Normal School and Business College，Bowling Green， Ky ． | c3，000 |  |
| Normal department of Agricultural and Mechanical College，Lexington，Ky | （e） | （e） |
| Louisiana State Normal School，Natchitoches，La | j6，000 |  |
| Eastern State Normal School，Castine，Me． | 6，833 | 3100 |
| State Normal and Training School，Farmington，Me | 6，000 | 1705 |
| State Normal and Training School，Gorham，Me．． | 6，667 | 5400 |
| Madawaska Training School，Grand Isle and Fort Kent，Me＊． | 1，300 |  |
| Normal department of Maine Central Institute，Pittsfield，Me＊． | 600 |  |
| Normal Training and Practice Class，Portland，Me．． | （k） | （k） |
| Normal department of Oak Grove Seminary，Vassalborough，Me． | 300 |  |
| ＊From Report of the Commissioner of Education for 1853－＇84． <br> a Exclusive of appropriations for permanent objects． |  |  |
| $\iota \$ 4,000$ from State，$\$ 1,000$ from Slater Fund，and $\$ 500$ from Peabody Fund． c City appropriation． |  |  |
| d Appropriation in common with other departments of the unirersity（see Table IX）． <br> $\epsilon$ Partially supported from the proceeds of the national grant of land to agricultural colleges，this normal sehool being part of an institution so endowed． |  |  |
| $f$ This is for normal pupils only． |  |  |
| $g$ County appropriation． |  |  |
| $h$ Appropriation in common with other public schools of the city． |  |  |
| $i$ This figure is estimated，and also includes income from endowment． |  |  |
| $j$ State appropriation；buildings and grounds donated by town and parish of Natchitocies． $k$ Appropriation in common with other public schools of the city． |  |  |

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Appropriations for normal schools-Continued.

| Name of school and location. | . <br>  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Baltimore Normal School for Colored Teachers, Baltimore, Md.. | \$2,000 |  |
| Maryland State Normal School, Baltimore, Md. | 10,500 | §3697 |
| Boston Normal School, Boston, Mass. | (b) | (b) |
| Massachusetts State Normal Art School, Boston, Mass | 16,210 |  |
| State Normal School, Bridgewater, Mass. |  |  |
| Training School for Teachers, Cambridge, Mass | (b) | (b) |
| State Normal School, Framingham, Mass*. | 11, 800 | 10000 |
| Haverhill Training School, Haverhill, Mass | (b) | (b) |
| State Normal School, Salem, Mass*. | 14, 000 | 5384 |
| Westfield State Normal School, Westfield, Mass | 10,850 | 7000 |
| Massachusetts State Normal School, Worcester, Mass. | 11,325 |  |
| Course in the Science and the Art of Teaching, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Mich. | (c) | (c) |
| State Normal School, Ypsilanti, Mich. | 32,500 |  |
| State Normal School at Mankato, Minn | 12,000 | 2080 |
| State Normal School at St. Cloud, Minn | 12,000 | 5540 |
| State Normal School at Winona, Minn | 16,000 | 3100 |
| Mississippi State Normal School, Holly Springs, Miss | 3,000 | 1400 |
| Tougaloo University, Tougaloo, Miss... | 3,000 | 1004 |
| Missouri State Normal School (3d district), Cape Girardeau, Mo.. | 10,000 | 3600 |
| Normal department of the University of the State of Missouri, Columbia, Mo* | d560 |  |
| Lincoln Institute, Jefferson City, Mo*.. | 8,000 | 3800 |
| Missouri State Normal School (1st district), Kirksville, Mo. | 10,000 | 1500 |
| Liberal Normal School, Liberal, Mo*. | e420 | 100 |
| St. Louis Normal School, St. Louis, Mo | j7,472 |  |
| State Normal School (2d district), Warrensburg, M | g25, 000 | 2087 |
| Bloomington Normal School, Bloomington, Nebr | h4,473 | ... |
| Nebraska State Normal School, Peru, Nebr. | 14,000 | 4130 |
| MicPherson Normal College, Republican City, Nebr. | f6,000 |  |
| Santee Normal Training School, Santee Agency, Nebr.. | i13, 997 |  |
| Mancbester Training School for Teachers, Manchester, N. H. | f2,000 |  |
| New Hampshire State Normal School, Plymouth, N. H |  |  |
| Newark Normal School, Newark, N.J | f1,500 |  |
| Normal Training Class, Paterson, N. J |  |  |
| New Jersey State Normal School, Trenton, N. J | 20.000 |  |
| State Normal School, Albany N. Y.. | 18,000 |  |
| State Normal and Training School, Brockport, N. Y.. | 18,006 |  |
| State Normal and Training School, Buffalo, N. $\mathbf{Y}^{*}$. | 17,878 |  |
| State Normal and Training School, Cortland, N. Y. | 18,000 |  |
| State Normal and Training School, Fredonia, | 18,000 | 3100 |

* From Report of the Commissioner of Education for 1883-'84.
a Exclusive of appropriations for permanent objects.
$b$ Appropriation in common with other public schools of the city.
$c$ Appropriation in common with other departments of the university (see Table IX).
$d$ Special appropriation for the purchase of books and appliances; other appropriations in common with other departments of the university.
$e \$ 100$ from the State and $\$ 320$ from the county.
$f$ City appropriation.
$g$ Includes $\$ 15,000$ for buildings.
$h$ Public city funds and non-resi.ent tuition.
$i$ United States aid, $\S 8,647$, and missionary contributions, $\$ 5,350$.


## Appropriations for normal schools-Continued.

Name of school and location.

State Normal and Training School, Geneseo, N. Y
Normal College, New York, N. Y
State Normal and Training School, Oswego, N. Y*.
State Normal and Training School, Potsdam, N. Y.
Syracuse Training School, Syracuse, N. Y
University Normal School, Chapel Hill, N. C*

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| :---: | :---: |
| \$18,000 |  |
| 697, 000 |  |
| 18,000 | \$55 22 |
| 18,000 | ................ |
| 2,000 | 600 |
| c675 | 310 |
| 2,000 | 1574 |
| d585 | 301 |
| 500 | 363 |
| e600 | 400 |
| $f 690$ | ........ |
| 500 |  |
| g1, 092 | 400 |
| h725 | 122 |
| 65,500 | ............... |
| (i) | ............. |
| 61,600 | - |
| j8,650 | ................ |
| 0 | 000 |
| 5,000 | - |
| 5,000 | .............. |
| 5,000 | 1600 |
| 5,000 | ............... |
| 5,000 | (k) |
| 5,000 | (k) |
| 8,000 |  |
| 10,000 | (k) |
| 635, 576 |  |

Elizabeth Oity State Normal School, Elizabeth City, N. O.
State Colored Normal School, Fayetteville, N. O.
Franklin Normal School, Franklin, N. C $\qquad$
State Colored Normal School (Albion Academy), Franklinton, N. C.
New Berne State Normal School, New Berne, N. O*
Newton State Normal School, Newton, N. C
Plymouth State Colored Normal School, Plymouth, N. O $\qquad$
State Colored Normal School, Salisbury, N. O*.
Wilson State Normal School, Wilson, N. C. $\qquad$
Cincinnati Normal School, Cincinnati, Ohio
Cleveland City Training School, Cleveland, Ohio
Dayton Normal School, Dayton, Ohio.
Geneva Normal School, Geneva, Ohio. $\qquad$
Ashland College and Normal School, Ashland, Oreg.
Oregon State Normal School, Monmouth, Ores*.
Pennsylvania State Normal School, sixth district, Bloomsburg, Pa
Southwestern State Normal School, California, Pa.
State Normal School, Edinborough, Pa
State Normal School at Indiana, Indiana, Pa $\qquad$
Keystone State Normal School, Kutztown, Pa $\qquad$
Central State Normal School, Lock Haven, $\mathrm{Pa}^{*}$. $\qquad$
Pennsylvania State Normal School, fifth district, Mansfield, Pa. , Pa .
Pennsylvania State Normal School, second district, Mille $\qquad$ b35, 576
Cumberland Valley State Normal School, Shippensburg, Pa*. $\qquad$ 5,000
West Chester State Normal School, West Chester, Pa
5,000
Rhode Island State Normal School, Providence, R. I.
12,000
Schofield Normal and Industrial School, Aiken, S. O.
$l 400$
Saturday Normal School, Charleston, S. C...
62, 500
$\qquad$
Brainerd Institute, Chester, S. C.
C.........................
$l 600$
Fairfield Normal Institute, Winnsborough, S. C
500
Morristown Seminary and Normal Institute, Morristown, Tenn
2250
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* From Report of the Commissioner of Education for 1883-'84.
$a$ Exclusive of appropriations for permanent objects.
$b$ City appropriation.
: $\$ 500$ from State, $\$ 100$ from county, and $\$ 75$ from Peabody Fund.
$d \$ 500$ from State and $\$ 85$ from Peabody Fund.
$e \$ 500$ from State and $\$ 100$ from Peabody Fund.
$f$ For 1884; $\$ 500$ from State, $\$ 100$ from county, and $\$ 90$ from Peabody Fund.
$g \$ 500$ from State, $\$ 250$ from city, and $\$ 342$ from Peabody Fund.
$h \$ 500$ from State, $\$ 100$ from county, and $\$ 125$ from Peabody Fund.
i Appropriation in common with other public schools of the city.
$j \$ 750$ from the State and $\$ 7,900$ from the county.
$k$ Fifty cents a week for normal pupils and $\$ 50$ to each graduate agreeing to teach two years in the State.
$l$ County appropriation.

Appropriations for normal schools－Continued．

| Name of school and location． |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Normal department of Fisk University，Nashville，Tenn．． | \＄800 |  |
| State Normal College，University of Nashville，Nashville，Tenn． | 10，000 |  |
| Sam Houston Normal Institute，Huntsville，Tex． | b26，500 | \＄90 |
| State Normal School，Castleton，Vt． | c2，544 |  |
| Johnson State Normal School，Johnson，Vt． | 2，724 | 247 |
| State Normal School，Randolph，Vt．． | d2，980 | 207 |
| State Normal School of Virginia，Farmville，Va．． | 10，000 |  |
| Hampton Normal and Agricultural Institute，Hampton，Va．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | e10，329 |  |
| Virginia Normal and Collegiate Institute，Petersburg，Va | 20，000 | 27 |
| Colored High and Normal School，Richmond，Va | f7，000 |  |
| Concord State Normal School，Concord，W．Va． | c1，509 |  |
| Fairmont State Normal School，Fairmont，W．Va． | 2.000 | 95 |
| Glenville State Normal School，Glenville，W．Va．． | 2，000 | 185 |
| Storer College，Harper＇s Ferry，W．Va． | 600 |  |
| Marshall College，State Normal School，Huntington，W．Va | 2，000 |  |
| Shepherd College，State Normal School，Shepherdstown，W．Va | 2，000 | 300 |
| West Liberty State Normal School，West Liberty，W．Va＊． | 1，140 | 250 |
| Milwaukee Normal School，Milwaukee，Wis．． | g2，000 |  |
| Wisconsin State Normal School，Milwaukee，Wish |  |  |
| State Normal School，Oshkosh，Wis．． | 16，950． | 227 |
| Wisconsin State Normal School，Platteville，Wis． |  |  |
| State Normal School，River Falls，Wis． | 13，782 | 48 |
| State Normal School，Whitewater，Wis． | 20，000 |  |
| Dakota Normal School，Madison，Dak． | i27， 000 | 1158 |
| Normal School，Spearfish，Dak． | j5，000 |  |
| Miner Normal School，Washington，D．C | （k） | （k） |
| Normal department of University of Deseret，Salt Lake City，Utah． | i5，000 | 1125 0 |
| Normal department of University of Washington Territory，Seattle，Wash．．． |  |  |

[^26]PUBLIC AND PRIVATE NORMAL SCHOOLS-THEIR NUMBER, ATTENDANCE, ETC.
Normal schools for the training of teachers are fully established as an integral part of the public school systems of our country, and on the whole the tendency each year seems to be to make more and more liberal provision for their maintenance.
Where the number of public normal schools is few, the demand that exists for trained teachers is sufficient to induce private institutions to attempt the work of training, and in sections where education depends largely upon the fostering care of the various religious denominations or other benevolentagencies it has been seen that in no way can the work be so directly and fully promoted as by the endowment and efficient conduct of normal schools. Much of the training in these denominational schools is of a very high order, following closely the model presented in the best public normals. The present status of public and private normal schools, as regards the attendance and classification of pupils, instructors, equipment, property, valuation, and appropriations, is set forth in the summary of Table III. The number of schools reported is 263 , of which 131 are public normals. The latter had 1,234 instructors and 32,130 students, nearly two-thirds of the number being women. The number of graduates was 3,162 , of whom 1,793 hare since engaged in teaching. Few of these schools have extensive libraries, but as a rule they are supplied with necessary books of reference. In respect to training in music, drawing, elementary science, and gymnastics, the provision, with a few notable exceptions, is meager, exceedingly so, when the great and growing importance of these subjects in a scheme of popular education is considered.
The State Normal School at Natchitoches, La., whose opening was delayed by an error in the appropriation bill, is about ready to begin operations. The Milwaukee Normal School appears now as a State normal, its province having been extended in accordance with the legal provision made as early as 1880 . Two Territorial normal schools are reported from Dakota, one with an appropriation of $\$ 27,000$ and one with $\$ 5,000$. A new training school for teachers will be opened in Brooklyn the coming fall. It will be thoroughly equipped for the work, the school of methods being under the charge of Miss Lucilla E. Smith, who has achieved an enviable reputation as principal of the Washington Normal School. Every year adds to the number of public normal schools at the South. The latest addition is the training school at Charlotte, N. C., which is to be opened in September.

The private normal schools reported in the table number 132, having 842 instructors and 23,005 students, the number of male students being slightly in excess of the number of female students. The number of students who graduated last year was 1,366 , of whom 692 have since engaged in teaching.

The proportion of private schools in which provision is made for instruction in gymnastics, elementary science, and vocal music, is still smaller than that of the public schools, but in the private normal schools more attention is given to instrumental music.

The property valuation of the normal schools appears for the first time in the tables. It will certainly not be charged, upon an examination of these figures, that there has been any extravagance in the matter of sites and buildings.

## ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL TRAINING.

The schools under consideration differ materially in organization and conduct, as must be the case with schools adapted, as these necessarily are, to a great varicty of conditions. With few exceptions the public normal schools require entrance examinations. As a rule, these examinations are limited to the branches taught in the common schools. Several schools require for admission either graduation from a high school, or evidence of equivalent attainment. These obviously possess great adrantage in the purely professional part of their work. In a little more than one-half of all the schools professional training includes practice in a model school, and in a few instances these model
schools comprise the three grades, viz, primary, intermediate, and high; as a rule, however, the practice school is merely a primary grade school.
There is a very general conviction among those whose experience gives weight to their opinions that secondary or academic instruction ought to be eliminated from the normal schools, or, in other words, that they should be conducted strictly as professional schools. However excellent this idea of the function of normal schools, it cannot be generally carried out at present. In many parts of our country there are no high schools nor other efficient secondary schools accessible to those intending to be teachers, and upon the narrowest interpretation of the qualifications of a teacher the normal schools must supply this deficiency. Surely no one capable of judging in the matter will hold that a mere knowledge of the common school branches, reading, writing, and arithmetic, United States history, a little geography, and possibly less physiology, is sufficient for eren the most elementary teacher, or that such limited attainments afford a suitable basis for anything worthy of the name of professional training. In the schools in which the standard of admission is low, it is indeed difficult to preserve a just balance between the time devoted to the acquisition of knowledge and to special training in the theory and art of teaching. The difficulties, however, do not appear to be insurmountable. Where the normal school is obliged to perform the function of a secondary school, students ought not to be admitted unless they give evidence of a thorough mastery of the elementary branches, with the intellectual habit that such mastery implies. Under these circumstances the course of the normal school should cover at least three years, two for general study and one for special training.
Many of our normal schools illustrate the possibility of forming excellent teachers out of pupils whose previous study has not eatended beyond the common school branches. In every such case the work of the school is characterized by thoroughness and precision. While it is necessary that a large proportion of our normal schools should combine general instruction with the special function of training teachers, we must note as an evidence of progress the increasing number that are able to confine themselves to professional work. The opinions of experienced principals as to the desirability of this course deserve attention. Gen. T. J. Morgan, principal of the Rhode Island State Normal School, says with reference to this subject:

A large part of the strength of normal schools is spent in giving their pupils the rudiments of the common school studies. They do academic instead of professional work. Against this policy it may be urged that it is a waste of resources. The normal school faculties are required to do what the faculties in the high school should do. It creates rivalry and jealousy between the normal and high schools. It degrades the normal from a professional to a secondary school, thus helping to defeat its own end, the creating of a professional spirit. It fatally lowers the standard of attainment that should be required of every teacher. It overcrowds the course of study, and by attempting to teach both matter and method, does neither with thoroughness. It attempts the impossible. Students need more culture and discipline than are now required upon entering normal schools, and the separation of matter and method before they can fully grasp the significance of methodology.

A complete separation of matter and method, a thorough differentiation of the normal school into that of a strictly professional school, would, it is believed, be productive of the following results: The normal schools would at once take higher rank and compel greater respect. The ranks of college and high school teachers and grammar masters would be more largely recruited from the normal graduates. The professional work would be better done. Normal-school teachers would turn their energies toward producing pedagogical literature rather than school books. Normal students would go out with more clearly defined notions of what constitutes professional training than they now possess. The antagonism between high school and normal school would at once cease.

It is worthy of note that, in the early educational history of this country, the great institutions of learning were designed as theological schools, and their work was miscellaneous and elementary. By a natural process of evolution and differentiation the academy, the college, and the university have grown out of the divinity school. The divinity school proper, now leaving to those the work of general culture, seeks to do strictly professional, post-graduate work. The normal school is undergoing something
of the saroe healthy metamorphosis. The improvement and multiplication of the schools of all grades, where those who wish to teach can receive the requisite instruction in the subjects to be taught, and the growing public sentiment, or rather demand, for a higher order of professional training, unite in rendering it possible and desirable for the normal school to do distinctively and exclusively professional work.

A similar riew of the province of normal schools, or, as they are called in England, training colleges, is expressed by Dr. J. W. Rigg, principal of the Westminster Training School, England. In a recent inaugural address, Dr. Rigg obserres:

The training colleges will be increasingly efficient for the training of teachers in proportion as they have less need to give labor and time to the work of finishing the school learning of the students. The unfurnished condition in which students enter the colleges hinders the college tutors in all their work. With thoroughly educated students, of well-disciplined minds, entering college a year or two older, they would often be able to do more in one year to prepare them for the work of their lives than they can now do in two. And if, by having less to do in the way of imparting what in reality is merely the higher class knowledge of schools, and by haring more thoroughly disciplined minds to deal with, the tutors were free to bestow more leisurely and more thorough attention on the instruction and training of their college pupils in all that belongs to the science and art of teaching and training, then we should see vastly higher and better results from our college work.

## partictlar schools.

Detailed accounts of individual schools by those personally familiar with their operations are always helpful to those engaged in the same work. The following statement by Hon. J. O. Wilson, late superintendent of public schools, Washington, D. C., shows the plan and working of the Washington Normal School, under Miss Smith, which has for several years maintained a very high character as a school confined exclusively to the professional training of elementary teachers :

The normal school was established for the exclusire purpose of giving instruction in the science of education and the art of teaching. It was not intended that itshould do academic work. Its pupils are young women not less than eighteen years of age, who have been graduated from the high school, and hare successfully passed an examination in which they hare attained a standard not below that required for a teacher's certificate of the third class. Under our system this certificate ranks next below the highest giren. The number of its pupils was limited to twenty at first, then increased to twenty-fire, and the present number is thirty. The number of candidates is always largely in excess of the limit fixed for the school, and therefore the examination becomes competitire. As the pupils in this school are required to hare a knowledge of the subjects of instruction when they are admitted, its course of study occupies only one gear, which is taken up mainly in learning horr, and not what to teach. The course includes psychology, didactics, the history of education, and constant exercise in the practical application of the principles and methods acquired througb these studies. The school has under its control practice departments made up of pupils in the lower grades, and has the privilege of observing and practicing in higher grade schools. Its pupil teachers are thoroughly trained in the manual part of the work of an efficient teacher. By the best methods of practice they learn to execute with skill and ease. They become proficient in printing, writing, and linear illustration on the blackboard; in modeling geometric and other forms and relief maps in clay or other plastic substances; in map drawing; in preparing materials for teaching color, and objects, cards, and charts, for teaching number; in making collections oî tlowering plants, leares of standard shapes, and insects and other small animals suitable for use in teaching young children ; in preparing sets of picture-cards for language teaching, and derising many other most usefal appliances for the objective teaching required by the younger children. Upon completing the prescribed course of study satisfactorily a certificate to that effect is giren to the graduates. They are then immediately employed in the schools of the city, and if their work for a period of not less than one year is entirely satisfactory they are entitled to receire the full diploma of the normal school. A good city normal school, aside from the training it gives to its own pupils, is a continual source of improred methods of teaching, and an inspiration to better work throughout the whole system of schools.

The St. Louis Normal School, under the charge of Dr. F. Louis Soldan, occupies a high position as a professional training school. During the fire years preceding 1880 the
number of graduates was so much greater than the number of racancies in the city schools that it was deemed desirable to diminish the number of normal students. This was done by making high school graduation a prerequisite for admission to the normal school. This naturally diminished the number of applicants, and at the same time secured students of much greater maturity than formerly, and therefore better able both physically and mentally to proit by the course. Since 1882-' 83 the normal school has been so situated that its students have had the opportunity of practice in teaching under the supervision and with the assistance of more experienced teachers. In consideration of the different opinions adranced with reference to the advantage of a practice department in connection with normal schools, the opinion of so experienced and competent an authority as Mr. Soldan is of interest. Mr. Soldan says:

The students of the higher classes of the normal school have been sent regularly to the several rooms of the Franklin to teach for at least five weeks at a time, under the supervision of the teacher of the room. This seems to be the best way in which the practical efficiency of the young teacher can be tested, and in which she can learn how to apply the methods whose logical theory she has studied. The students have the assistance of the teacher of the room, and also the advice of an experienced teacher who inspects their work and meets them before or after school hours to give them an opportunity for obtaining advice. Another valuable feature of this plan is that the young teachers are required to hand in estimates of the ability and character of some of their pupils, which necessitates a personal study of the habits and peculiarities of the children under their care.

The Massachusetts State Normal Art School is the only institution of the kind in the United States, on which account its progress is watched with unusual interest. In pursuance of a recent act of the legislature the board of education has arranged for the erection of a new building for the accommodation of the school, and it is expected that the coming year will see the work completed. The success of this measure in the legislature is an evidence of the public appreciation of the merits of the school.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTES, CHAIRS OF PEDAGOGICS, ETC.
Particular accounts of the teachers' institutes held during the year will be found under the heading "Preparation and qualifications of teachers" in the abstracts of the educational affairs in the States and Territories. The subject was also exhaustively treated in a circular prepared by Hon. James H. Smart, and published by this Office as No. 2 in the series of 1885.

Chairs of pedagogics or didactics are still reported from the Universities of Michigan, Missouri, Iowa, Wisconsin, and North Carolina, and from Johns Hopkins. The chair of didactics in the University of Nebraska has been abolished.

We note also the closing of the normal departments of the following Universities: Arkansas Industrial University, University of Kansas, University of Oregon, and the summer normal of the University of North Carolina, for which is substituted the chair of pedagogics mentioned above.

The importance attaching to science instruction, and the desire recently manifested to make it a feature of public school instruction, have created a demand for the special training of teachers for this department of knowledge. One of the most important experiments in this direction is that conducted by Dr. A. S. Bickmore, professor in charge of the American Museum of Natural History, Central Park, New York City. The work has been in successful progress a number of years and receires from the State an annual appropriation of $\$ 18,000$.

Recognizing the importance of a pedagogic museum as a means of keeping teachers and school officers informed of the progress in methods, material, appliances, etc., Superintendent Draper, of the department of public instruction, New York, has begun a work of this kind in one of the rooms of the Capitol. Arrangements are being made for classifying and explaining all articles receired for this exbibit.

## PUBLIC DISCUSSIONS.

The organization and conduct of normal schools and kindred topics have been freely discussed in our own and in other countries during the year. The following extracts from various sources exhibit the opinions of recognized authorities with reference to important questions.

In 1884 the committee on normal education, one of the standing committees of the National Council of Education, made a report on "Academic and professional instruction in normal schools," in which the following general propositions were recommended:

1. That the amount of academic knowledge to be required of candidates for admission to normal schools must largely depend upon the condition of education in the communities in which those schools are established.
2. That a uniform standard for admission to normal schools is impracticable.
3. That the main work of normal schools should be professional ; the academic work mainly incidental and illustrative.
4. That the professional instruction should be based on a thorough study of man as a physical, intellectual, and moral being.

For the present year the same committec, through its chairman, Dr. C. C. Rounds, reported upon the subject of "Practice schools in connection with normal schools."

After a brief review of the usages in Europe and in the United States, the following recommendations were submitted:

1. A sehool of application, to be used as a school of observation or practice, or both, is essential to the complete organization of a normal school.
2. In its course of study this school should cover the ground of the common school, commencing with the kindergarten and extending through the grammar grade at least. Itshould comprise the high-school course, if practicable.
3. For the work of teaching in this school, careful preparation should be made by a course of professional study, comprising psychology and pedagogy, with special reference to their mutual relations, the history of education, and sereral principles of teaching. The study of methods special to the various branches in the course should accompany the work of the practice school.
4. The principal of the normal school should have the direction of the course of professional study, including general principles of teaching, and the regular teachers of the practice school should give instruction in the methods of teaching their respective branches. If, for any reason, instruction in methods can not be thus secured, special teachers of methods should be members of the faculty, as assistants of the principal in his professional instruction. Each teacher in the normal school should be teacher of methods, under the direction of the principal, in the branches in which he gives instruction.
5. The practice school should receice its character from its regular and permanent teachers, and should be under their sole care and instruction enough to secure this end. The practice teaching may take a part of each day, but it is best to have periods devoted to professional study in the normal school, without practice, followed by periods in which practice in teaching shall be substituted for professional study. The school of application should be used as a model school, while under the sole direction of its regular teachers.
6. Lessons should be first observed as given by the teachers of the school for practice, and schemes of lessons to be given should be carefully reviewed and corrected by the teachers of methods in their respective branches.
7. Lessons giren should be observed by other members of the class, by the teachers of the methods of the branches taught, and by the teachers of the practice school concerned in the lessons, and so far as possible by the principal of the normal school. Conferences for criticism of these lessons should be frequently held. Criticisms should be systematically made by the pupil-teachers and the teachers observing the lesson, or the teachers may criticise the criticisms of pupil-teachers merely. From time to time, written reports of the discussions should be prepared and presented.
z. Through at least the first two or three years of the conrse of the practice school, each pupil-teacher should give instruction, in order, in each subject in the course, and in each grade. Later the pupil-teacher should be assigned to the teachirg of special classes and subjects in the sereral grades for a longer time, to secure familiarity with class-work, and still later should have cherge of an entire grade, to gain a knowledge of the problems arising in the conduct of a school, as regards care and discipline, as well as instruction. In these later periods of practice it should be the aim, by making criti-
cisms more and more general, to approximate the freedom in work which would attend the pupil-teacher's work in her own school.
8. There should be a weekly conference, under the direction of the principal of the normal school, and with the participation of the faculty of the nortual school and of the practice school, for a free and full discussion of questions suggested by the experience and observation of pupils and teachers during the week.
9. Preparatory conferences should be held by all teachers concerned, under the direction of the principal of the normal school, to make such arrangements for the work to be done in the practice school that there may be the least possible disturbance of its regular order. To this conference pupils of the highest class in the normal school should be admitted, to give them a better acquaintance with school administration and the duties of teachers.
10. Lessons should be given to classes from the practice schools, before the normal school or classes of the same, as examples of method. For these lessons carefinl previous preparation should be made, and they should be followed by criticisms by pupils and teachers.
11. Though exercises in teaching classes or sections out of their school-rooms may be recommended for special ends of illustration or instruction, the practice in teaching should be in the schools themselves, under circumstances like those which will attend the future work of the pupil-teacher.

The opinion expressed in this report with reference to the necessity of a practice school, as a part of the complete organization of a normal school, is undoubtedly that which prevails wherever the training of teachers has been a subject of serious attention and practical endeavor. The opposite opinion, however, is advocated by some of the most accomplished professors of pedagogics. Among these we must count W. H. Payne, professor of pedagogics in the University of Michigan. Recognizing three distinct aims of the normal schools, viz, scholarship, method, and doctrine, Professor Payne assigns pre-eminent importance to scholarship. In discussing the essentials of this scholarship he does not overlook the attitude of mind that should characterize the student, which attitude he evidently thinks is liable to be disturbed by exercise in the practice schools.
While in pursuit of scholarship, as here considered [he says], I wonder if I am wrong in thinking that the pupil's mind should not be kept intent on the technical uses which each study is hereafter to serve? It seems to me that I am not; at least, I would not have pupils preoccupied with hourly anxieties about the demands of the class-room. It is not prevision that I am discouraging, but a certain sort of prevision. A comprehensive scheme of life that is most befitting a rational creature must exclude anxious questionings as to what we shall eat, or what we shall drink, or with what we shall be clothed. These subordinate purposes are all implicated in a wider and higher purpose, and they are best provided for by a living allegiance to the needs of the higher life. I suspect that this truth has a direct bearing on the intellectual life of the teacher.
Proceeding then to the question of method, he discusses the ways of mastering the same, viz, the scientific, the empirical, and that by observation, and then adds:

Practice, or, as it is more properly called, experiment, merely serves to make a method more completely known. But practice work in connection with normal-school instruction has become so prominent that it deserves our marked attention.

I think it is not extravagant to say that a practice school is generally regarded as an indispensable adjunct to a normal school ; and a trained teacher has come to mean one who has served a longer or shorter apprenticeship in this experimental school. 1 school that for any reason is not provided with this necessary adjunct feels itself in an attitude of apology. From all I have observed of the actual results of this kind of training, I do not share the popular appreciation of these experimental schools. In the main, the teachers thus educated, as I have observed their work, embody and display the very spirit of routine. What they do, they do with mechanical exactness, and if their methods chance to be bad, as sometimes happens, it is followed with fatal persistence. At the same time there is often a marked absence of the scholarly spirit, and an indisposition to strive for higher attainment. The effect of technic on culture I have already attempted to illustrate, and so I need not restate this ground of objection to practice work. I will only add that the conditions under which this alleged training takes place are so peculiar and unlike those under which real school work will be done that harm is quite as likely to arise from it as good. The criticism that follows this prac-tice-teaching is quite likely to be either superficial and worthless, or hypercritical and pernicious. If this experimental work is done, it seems to me that it should be done
subject to these conditions: The academic training should be well advanced, and the pupil should have gained a considerable mastery of educational doctrines, all to the end that he may preserve his freedom. A school of observation seems to me indispensable. The normal school itself will illustrate the high-school grade, but some express provision should be made for representatives of the primary and the grammar grades.

At the international congress of teachers held at Havre in September, and at the annual congress of the Belgian teachers held at Antwerp the same month, the conduct of normal schools was a prominent topic. M. Sluys, director of the normal school at Brussels, and a recognized authority in respect to the training of teachers, presented his views quite fully before both assemblies. The following propositions adranced by him were adopted by the Antwerp congress :
(1) A preparatory course of two years in the normal schools for wide general culture, including the study of natural science, mathematics, literature, history, geography, music, gymnastics, etc. ; (2) a finishing course of not less than two Jears, the studies to include anatomy, physiology, hygiene, psychology, morality, school method, the science of teaching, the history of methods of teaching, and finally, practical lessons in the art of teaching; (3) the masters of training schools (écoles normales proprement dites) should be professors who hare taught for some jears in primary schools, and who possess a thorough grasp of the programme of study.

I have many times called attention in my Reports to the fact that higher scholastic attainments are required for teachers in most European countries than are required in the United States, outside of cities.

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The following time-table, drawn up for general use in the training colleges of the Grand Duchy of Hessen, will serve to give some idea of the nature and amount of work expected from the students in these institutions weekly.

Programme of German Normal Schools for Elementary Teachers.

|  | Subjects. | Classes. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | III. | II. | I. |
| 1 | Pedagogics ..... | 2 | 3 | 7 |
| 2 | Religion | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| 3 | Bible knowledge.. | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| 4 | German grammar. | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| 5 | Reading and literature. | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| 6 | Style (composition) | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| 7 | Arithmetic and algebra.. | 3 | 3 | 2 |
| 8 | Geometry ..... | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| 9 | History . | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| 10 | Geography.. | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| 11 | Nataral history... | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| 12 | Natural science. | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| 13 | French | 3 | 3 | 2 |
| 14 | Writing. | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| 15 | Drawing | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| 10 | Gymnastics. | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| 17 | Theory of music. | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| 18 | Individual singing. | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| 19 | Choir singing. | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| 20 | Piano. | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| 21 | Organ... | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| 22 | Violin | 2 | 1 | 0 |
|  | Instruction for deaf mutes $a$ | 0 | 0 | 1 |
|  | Culture of fruit trees $a$ | 0 | 1 | 0 |
|  | Total. | 42 | 42 | 37 |

## a Optional.

This is a fair illustration of the preparation required of elementary teachers throughout Germany.

## TABIE IV.-COMMERCIAL AND BUSINESS COLLEGES.

The following is a comparative exhibit of colleges for business training, $1875-1855$ (1883 omitted).

|  | 1875. | 1876. | 1877. | 1878. | 1879. | 1880. | 1881. | 1882. | 1884. | 1885. |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Number of institations..... | 131 | 137 | 134 | 129 | 144 | 162 | 202 | 217 | 221 | 2.0 |
| Number of instructors..... | 594 | 599 | 568 | 527 | 535 | 019 | 704 | 955 | 1,015 | 1,050 |
| Number of students........ 26,109 | 25,234 | 23,496 | 21,048 | 22,021 | 27,146 | 34,414 | 44,834 | 44,017 | 43,700 |  |

## Table IV.-Summary of statistics of commercial and business colleges.

| States and Territorics. | Number of schools. |  | Number of students. |  |  |  | Incroase in the last year. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Alabama. | 2 | 4 | 33 | 33 | 0 |  |  |
| Arkansas | 1 | 5 | 340 | 242 | 98 | 310 | 110 |
| California | 0 | 50 | 1,155 | 1,096 | 59 | 1,6.50 | 25 |
| Colorado . | 2 | 7 | 103 | 77 | 20 | 38 |  |
| Connecticut | 1 | 4 | 164 | 125 | 39 |  |  |
| Gcorgia | 2 | 4 | 210 | 189 | 21 |  |  |
| Illinois. | 23 | 108 | at, 418 | 3, 814 | 493 | 21, 735 | 1, 775 |
| Indiana | 11 | 48 | 62, 470 | 1, 951 | 469 | 1,100 | 75 |
| Iowa. | 15 | 61 | 2, 293 | 1,978 | 388 | 4, 115 | 416 |
| Kansas.. | 3 | 15 | 722 | 636 | 161 | 425 | 25 |
| Fentucky. | 6 | 26 | 985 | $68 C$ | 285 | 500 | 100 |
| Louisiana. | 2 | 11 | 321 | 274 | 58 | 2, 012 | 26 |
| Maine. | 3 | 22 | 760 | 632 | 226 | 765 | 110 |
| Maryland | 2 | 22 | 1,405 | 1,105 | 300 |  |  |
| Massachusetts. | 6 | 18 | 583 | 443 | 140 | 280 | . |
| Michigan.. | 11. | 34 | c1, 794 | 1, 301 | 161 | 9,033 | 925 |
| Minnesota | 4 | 20 | d991 | 634 | 91 | 600 | 106 |
| Mississippi. | 3 | 13 | 172 | $16 \pm$ | 8 | 4,600 | 96 |
| Missouri | 14 | 81 | $e 2,921$ | 2, 274 | 497 | 2,440 | 106 |
| Nebraska | 4 | 23 | 853 | 759 | 94 | 25 | ..... |
| New Hampshire... | 3 | 6 | 335 | 252 | 83 | 200 |  |
| New Jersey ...... | 6 | 32 | 1, 593 | 1,224 | 369 | 3,375 | 150 |
| New Fork | 20 | 135 | f6, 213 | 4,997 | 1,173 | 3,365 | 462 |
| North Carolina. | 1 | 4 | 70 | 60 | 10 | 15 | 2 |
| Ohio | 26 | 119 | g1, 362 | 2, 702 | 872 | 5, 533 | 150 |
| Oregon.. | 2 | 3 | 145 | 118 | 27 | 75 | 18 |
| Pennsylvania | 18 | 100 | h4, 221 | 2,539 | 814 | 2,000 | 417 |
| Rhode Island. | 3 | 13 | 525 | 411 | 114 | 222 | 9 |
| Tennessee.. | 7 | 12 | 2249 | 218 | 9 | 10,60s | 800 |
| Texas. | 7 | 26 | 1,072 | 1, 019 | 61 | 313 | 20 |
| Vermont. | 3 | 12 | 178 | 170 | 8 | 1,276 | 125 |
| Virginia | 1 | 2 | 57 | 34 | 23 | 560 | 5 |
| West Tirginis | 1 | 4 | $2 \pm 0$ | 200 | 40 |  |  |
| Wisconsin | 8 | 34 | 1,326 | 1,059 | 302 | 2,663 | 61 |
| Dakota. | 1 | 2 | 68 | 68 | 20 | 500 |  |
| District of Colurabia | 1 | 7 | 404 | 195 | 209 | 500 | ..... |
| Total.. | 232 | 1,099 | jk43,706 | k33, 742 | k7,748 | 80, 834 | 6,114 |

a 2 ot reported of 175 whether they are in day or evening school. $i$ Not reported of 60 whether they are in day or evening school. cNotreported of 350 whether they are in day or evening school. dNot reported of 206 whether they are in day or evening school. eNot reported of 150 whether they are in day or evening school. $f$ Siot reported of 42 whether they are in day or erening school. $g$ Not reported of 789 whether they are in day or erening school. $h$ Not reported of 882 whether they are in day or evening school. $i$ Not reported of 22 whether they are in day or evening school. $j$ Not reported of 2,674 whether they are in day or evening school. $k 401$ are reported as attending both day and evening school.

The tabular comparative exhibit shows an increase of 11 commercial and busivess colleges over the number reported in 1884. The number of students reported is slightly less than in 1884.

As will be seen by reference to Table IV of the Appendix, a large proportion of these colleges are private institutions. Several are departments of colleges or universities. They meet an important public demand, and every year gives increased evidence of public appreciation of their services.
The programmes of foreign commercial and business colleges show that there is room for a wide extension of the province of these institutions in this country.

## TABLE V.-IKINDERGÄRTEN.

The following is a comparative summary of kindergärten, instructors, and pupils, reported to the Bureau from 1875 to 1885, inclusive ( 1883 omitted):

|  | 1875. | 1876. | 1877. | 1878. | 1879. | 1880. | 1881. | 1882. | 1884. | 1885. |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Number of institutions. | 95 | 130 | 129 | 159 | 195 | 232 | 273 | 348 | 354 | 415 |
| Number of instructors.. | 216 | 364 | 336 | 376 | 452 | 524 | 676 | 814 | 831 | 905 |
| Number of pupils...... | 2,809 | 4,090 | 3,931 | 4,797 | 7,554 | 8,871 | 14,107 | 16,916 | 17,002 | 18,832 |

Table V.-Summary of statistics of kindergärten.

| States. |  |  |  | States and Territories. |  | \% |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Alabama.. | 3 | 2 | 20 | New Jersey...... | 12 | 25 | 440 |
| California | 34 | 64 | 1,579 | New York. | 41 | 92 | ${ }^{11,532}$ |
| Colorado.. | 2 | 4 | 137 | North Carolina | 3 | 3 | 38 |
| Connecticat. | 7 | 19 | 228 | Ohio. | 26 | 53 | 641 |
| Delaware. | 2 | 5 | 42 | Oregon | 2 | 4 | 60 |
| Georgia. | 2 | 5 | 55 | Pennsylvania | 55 | 112 | 1,634 |
| Illinois | 37 | 71 | 1,715 | Rhode Island. | 3 | 9 | 122 |
| Indiana | 11 | 32 | 622 | Tennessee.. | 1 |  |  |
| Iowa. | 4 | 18 | 202 | Texas | 1 |  |  |
| Kansas. | 3 | 5 | 134 | Vermont | 1 | 1 | 15 |
| Kentucky | 3 | 4 | 27 | Virginia | 1 | 2 | 22 |
| Louisiana | 2 | 9 | 128 | Wisconsin | 31 | 64 | 1,885 |
| Maine .. | 2 | 3 | 51 | Dakota. | 3 | 5 | 82 |
| Maryland.. | 7 | 15 | 168 | District of Columbia.. | 12 | 21 | 217 |
| Massachusetts. | 19 | 38 | 641 | Indian Territory. | 2 | 3 | 52 |
| Michigan | 9 | 18 | ${ }^{4} 427$ | New Mexico. | 1 | 1 | 16 |
| Minnesota. | 7 | 12 | 170 | Utah | 1 | 1 |  |
| Missouri.. | 62 | 181 | 5,655 | Total. | 415 | 905 | 18, 832 |
| Nebraska.. | 2 | 3 | 40 |  |  |  |  |
| New Hampshire . | 1 | 1 | 35 |  |  |  |  |

a Inclades some pupils receiving primary instruction.
The total number of kindergärten reported is 415 , with 905 instructors and 18,832 pupils. As compared with the number reported in 1884 there is an increase of 61 schools, which increase is chiefly in the South and West, Pennsylvania being the only eastern State that participates largely in the excess. From this State 55 kindergärten are reported, as against 27 in 1884. The new schools, which are all in Phila-
delphia, have been established under the anspices of the sulbprimary school society of that city.

Illinois reports 3 r kindergärten, as against 2.5 the previous year, the now schools having all been opened in Chicago.

California reports 34 , as against 29 the previous year. The work in this State, which was described at length in my last Annual Report, has been continued with equal enthusiasm during the present year. The exteusion of the kindergarten work to other States of the Pacific slope is largely due to the influenco of the work in California, and to the efforts of teachers trained in the California schools.
Colorado, Texas, and Vermont appear for the first time in the tables.
Hon. Edward H. Long, superintendent of public schools, St. Lonis, in his report for 1883-'84 calls attention to the fact that the rule excluding children under seven years of age from attending primary classes in schools having kindergärten went into effect at the beginning of the year mentioned.

No children under six years of age were admitted to the schools during the year. The total number of pupils six years old was 6,711 , and the total enrollment in the kindergärten was 5,543, the average number belonging to the kindergärten being 3,147.

Little progress has been made in the establishment of kindergärten at public expense, or as a part of the public school system ; nevertheless the system has had a marked effect in improving the methods of training employed in the primary grades of public schools throughout the country.

In reference to this subject, Hon. E. P. Seaver, superintendent of schools, Boston, says, after brief mention of the kindergärten maintained by Mrs. Pauline Agassiz Shaw :

Although these kindergärten form no part of the public school system; their relation to that system is important in many ways. In some localities they prepare whole classes for the primary schools; in all localities they furnish practical exemplifications of Froebel's educational principles, which our primary school teachers see and study; and the result has been that many of our primary schools have been transformed in spirit and method by kindergarten influence; so that Mrs. Shaw's beneficent work deserves recognition, not only as a charity, but also as a highly useful experiment in the practical application of educational theory.
There is no doubt in my mind that our school system would gain very much in efflciency if there were thoroughly good kindergärten in every district, through which all young children should pass before entering the primary schools. Then the primary school teachers could take the children just where the kindergartners left them, and go right on. As it is now, the adrantages of the kindergarten are obscured, and in some measure lost, because the kindergarten children are mingled with other children not from kindergärten, and the primary school work, which must be adapted to the latter, is made the same for all. No doubt something has been gained, and jet more may be gained, br imbuing the teaching in the lower grades of the primary schools with the spirit and methods of the kindergarten. This is the great reason why the school committee has been right in treating the free kindergärten with encouragement and hospitality. But the next great step forward is to recognize and establish the kindergarten as a part of the sjstem of public instruction.

The growing demand for kindergarten teachers causes a rapid increase in the number of training schools. Several public normal schools have added a class or department for training kindergartners.

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General statistical summary of pupils receiving secondary instruction.

| States and Territories. |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { In preparatory schools } \\ & \text { (Table VII). } \end{aligned}$ | In preparatory departments of |  |  | 長 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \infty \\ & 0.0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| Alabama. |  | 762 | 2,932 |  | 273 | 160 | 23 | 4, 150 |
| Arkansas. |  | 250 | 2, 245 |  |  | 633 |  | 3,128 |
| California | 1,698 | 38 | 4,728 | 633 | 117 | 1,397 | 34 | 8,615 |
| Colorado. |  |  | 1,160 | 69 |  | 177 | 32 | 1,438 |
| Connecticut | 102 |  | 2,108 | 1,104 | 70 | 0 | - | 3, 384 |
| Delaware. |  |  | 530 |  |  | 0 |  | 530 |
| Florida |  | 70 | 708 |  |  | 44 | 38 | 860 |
| Georgia. | c126 | 196 | 16, 145 | 433 | 564 | 262 | 613 | 18,339 |
| Illinois. | 2, 794 | 428 | 7,364 | 549 | 347 | 2, 503 | 86 | 14, 071 |
| Indiana. | 905 | 1,489 | 1,903 | 266 | 32 | 1,308 | 115 | 6, 018 |
| Iowa.. | 611 | 358 | 4,563 | 244 | 181 | 2, 235 |  | 8, 192 |
| Eansas | 218 | 768 | 1, 065 |  | 115 | 1, 352 | ........ | 3, 518 |
| Kentucky | 879 |  | 4,645 |  | 880 | 888 | 70 | 7,362 |
| Louisiana. |  |  | 1,454 |  | 99 | 1,215 | 53 | 2, 821 |
| Maine | 561 | 38 | 1,800 | 1,150 | 305 |  | ........ | 3,854 |
| Maryland. |  | 179 | 2,571 | 176 | 58 | 432 | 10 | 3,426 |
| Massachusetts. | 8, 224 | 52 | 3, 019 | 3,232 | 60 | 272 | 66 | 14,925 |
| Michigan. | 3, 030 |  | 2,655 | 112 | 6 | 979 |  | 6,782 |
| Minnesota. | 70 | 208 | 2, 607 | 45 | 48 | 598 |  | 3, 576 |
| Mississippi |  | 116 | 3, 327 |  | 325 | 494 | 382 | 4, 044 |
| Missouri. | 209 | 846 | 7,236 |  | 316 | 1,503 | 271 | 10,381 |
| Nebraska. | 206 | 223 | 922 |  |  | 659 | 10 | 2, 020 |
| Nerada. |  |  |  |  | 30 | 33 |  | 63 |
| New Hampshire. | 301 |  | 1,869 | 856 | 89 | 0 |  | 3,115 |
| New Jersey. | 1,216 |  | 4,209 | 945 |  |  |  | 6, 370 |
| New York | 3,662 | 532 | 18, 847 | 3, 480 | 1,166 | 2,660 | ..... | 30,347 |
| North Carolina |  | 415 | 9,178 |  | 218 | 664 | ...... | 10,475 |
| Ohio | 5,717 | 201 | 3, 953 | 452 | 220 | 3, 424 | 111 | 14, 084 |
| Oregon | 203 | 158 | 1,802 |  |  | 812 | 40 | 3,105 |
| Pennsylvania. | 2, 507 | 1,669 | 9,646 | 1,814 | 34 | 1,888 | 90 | 17,648 |
| Rhode Island | 229 |  | 126 | 435 |  |  |  | 790 |
| South Carolina. | 628 | 562 | 2, 825 | 340 | 242 | 598 | ........ | 5,193 |
| Tennessee | 529 | 511 | 8,424 | 349 | 557 | 2, 022 | 64 | 12, 456 |
| Texas |  |  | 5,902 |  | 141 | 786 | 29 | 6, 858 |
| Vermont. |  |  | 3, 021 | 140 | 34 | 0 |  | 3,201 |
| Virginia.. | 129 | 560 | 3,814 | 50 | 257 | 123 | 543 | 5,476 |
| West Virginia. |  | 97 | 475 |  |  | 49 |  | 621 |
| Wisconsin. | 553 | 215 | 3,000 | 505 | 210 | 710 |  | 5,193 |
| Dakota |  |  | 346 | 130 |  | 172 |  | 648 |
| District of Columbia. |  | 9 | 1,158 | 90 |  | 62 |  | 1,313 |
| Idaho... |  |  | 81 |  |  |  |  | 81 |
| Indian Territory |  |  | 963 |  |  |  |  | 963 |
| Montana. |  |  |  |  |  | 46 |  | 46 |
| New Mexico. |  |  | 1,313 |  |  |  |  | 1,313 |
| Utah.. |  |  | 2,542 |  |  |  |  | 2, 54 |
| Washington |  |  | 775 |  |  | 193 |  | 963 |
| Wyoming. |  |  | 85 |  |  |  |  | 85 |
| Total. | 35, 307 | 10, 950 | 160, 137 | 17, 005 | 6, 994 | 31, 351 | 2,680 | 265, 0-4 |

The general statistical summary of pupils receiving secondary instruction shows the various classes of institutions engaged in the worls, with the attendance upon each. The totel attendance is 265,024. According to the statistical summary of pupils in classical and scientific preparatory courses, 34,326 , or 13 per cent. of the whole number, are preparing for superior instruction. The proportion of students preparing for scientific courses increases slightly from year to year.

Considering the country as a whole, the greatest number of students preparing for classical courses are in scoondary schools (Table VI), and the greatest number preparing for scientific courses are in unirersitics and colleges. Considering the country by geographical sections, the work of preparing students for classical and scientific courses is found to be distributed as follows:

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 淢 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Sccondary schools (Table VI). | 1,201 | 2,457 | -, 840 | 1,385 | 2,285 | 1,805 | 685 | 154 |
| Preparatory schools (Table VII) | 2, 741 | 2, 277 | 200 | ...... | 69 | 630 | 108 | 141 |
| Preparatory departments of universities and colleges (Table IX). <br> Preparatory departments of scientific schools (Table T). | 38 | 2,057 | 701 | 948 | 2, 739 | 5,407 | 617 | 161 |
|  | 60 | 643 | 651 | 487 | 405 | 354 | 74 | .... |
|  | 4,046 | 7,434 | 4,392 | 2,820 | 5,498 | 8,196 | 1,484 | 456 |

This shows that in the New England States more than two-thirds of the students reporied as preparing for superior instraction are in schools classed in Table VII. In the middle Atlantic States and the Territories they are nearly equally divided between tho three classes of institutions. In the southern Atlantic and Gulf States about one-half, and in the States of the Pacific coast a little less than one-half, of the work is done in schools classed in Table VI. In the northern central States a little more than two-thirds, and in the southern central States more than one-half, of the work is done in the preparatory departments of universities and colleges.

As compared with 1880, this exhibit indicates for the southern Atlantic and Gulf States a decided increase in the proportion of the work done in secondary, to the relief of superior institutions, and a similar though less marked change in the northern central States. Otherwise the distribution of the work is about the same as at the earlier date.

## secondary (lncluding preparatory) instruction.

TABLE VI.-LISTITUTION FOR SECONDERY INSTBUCTION.
The following is a comparative summary of the number of institutions for secondary instruction (exclusive of high schools, preparatory schools, and departments ofnormal schools and of institutions for superior instruction) making returns from 1875 to 1885, inclusive ( 1883 omitted) :

|  | 1875. | 1876. | 1877. | 1878. | 1879. | 1880. | 1881. | 1882. | 1884. | 1885. |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| No. of institutions.. | 1,143 | 1,229 | 1,226 | 1,227 | 1,236 | 1,264 | 1,336 | 1,482 | 1,588 | 1,617 |
| Mo. of instructors.. | 6,081 | 5,999 | 5,563 | 5,747 | 5,961 | 6,009 | 6,489 | 7,449 | 7,923 | 8,186 |
| No. of students.... | 108,235 | 106,647 | 98,371 | 100,374 | 108,734 | 110,277 | 122,617 | 138,384 | 152,351 | 160,137 |

Table VI.-Summary of statistics of

| States and Territories. | Namber of schools. | Instructors. |  | Number of students. |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Male. | Female. | Total. | Male. | Female. |  | In classical course. |  |
| Alabama ................. | 35 | 57 | 83 | a2,932 | 1,448 | 1,334 | 2,378 | 478 | 181 |
| Arkansas................. | 20 | 32 | 50 | a2, 245 | 958 | 916 | 1,007 | 203 | 71 |
| California................. | 39 | 149 | 212 | 4,728 | 2,149 | 2,579 | 2,698 | 520 | 1, 031 |
| Colorado. | 5 | 16 | 33 | 1,160 | 543 | 617 | 463 | 110 | 84 |
| Connecticat | 38 | 64 | 122 | a2, 108 | 1, 002 | 1, 046 | 1,281. | 377 | 338 |
| Delaware | 6 | 12 | 14 | 530 | 274 | 256 | 329 | 89 | 35 |
| Florida | 6 | 6 | 29 | 708 | 245 | 463 | 594 | 61 | 54 |
| Georgia. | 189 | a 265 | 264 | a16, 145 | 7,929 | 7,929 | 9,688 | 2, 130 | 830 |
| Illinois | 52 | a 124 | 217 | a7, 364 | 2,579 | 4,213 | 3,087 | 262 | 936 |
| Indiana. | 13 | 18 | 46 | 1,903 | 613 | 1,290 | 1,252 | 143 | 135 |
| Iowa | 40 | a 86 | 87 | a4, 563 | 2,223 | 2,173 | 1,973 | 378 | 394 |
| Kansas | 8 | a 36 | 17 | 1, 065 | 487 | 578 | 374 | 34 | 249 |
| Kentucky | 53 | 95 | 202 | 4,645 | 2, 087 | 2, 558 | 2, 587 | 513 | 372 |
| Louisiana | 17 | 34 | 49 | a1, 454 | 716 | 617 | 839 | 68 | 303 |
| Maine | 22 | 34 | 36 | 1,800 | 924 | 876 | 868 | 192 | 99 |
| Maryland. | 37 | 95 | 111 | 2,571 | 1,362 | 1,209 | 1,678 | 305 | 587 |
| Massachnsetts. | 51 | 97 | 192 | 3, 019 | 1,207 | 1,812 | b1,704 | 545 | 679 |
| Michigan | 13 | 39 | 75 | a2, 655 | 986 | 1,449 | 1,948 | 234 | 352 |
| Minnesota | 20 | a 52 | 66 | a2, 607 | 1,415 | 1,076 | 1,668 | 243 | 731 |
| Mississippi............... | 31 | a 56 | 76 | a3, 327 | 1,439 | 1,689 | 2,148 | 278 | 41 |
| Missouri.................- | 66 | 163 | 234 | a7, 236 | 3,357 | 3,659 | 5,340 | 724 | 1,089 |
| Nebraska.................. | 12 | 24 | 34 | a922 | 338 | 554 | 492 | 91 | 146 |
| New Hampshire......... | 32 | 45 | 50 | a1,869 | 962 | 857 | 1,218 | 374 | 1.51 |
| New Jersey...............- | 47 | 122 | 145 | a4, 209 | 2, 077 | 2, 072 | 2, 843 | 478 | 2,141 |
| New York................. | 179 | $a 515$ | 654 | 18,847 | 8,821 | 9,631 | 11, 023 | 2,772 | 3,707 |
| North Carolina ........... | 108 | $a 188$ | 176 | 9,178 | 5,057 | 3,876 | b5, 962 | 1,701 | 378 |
| Ohio.. | 45 | a100 | 136 | a3, 959 | 1 1,569 | 2,130 | b2,190 | 425 | 654 |
| Oregon ..................... | 20 | 26 | 86 | 1,892 | 596 | 1,296 | 1,069 | 164 | 209 |
| Pennsylvania............ | 104 | $a 257$ | 369 | a9, 646 | 5,075 | 4,358 | 4,168 | 1,581 | 1,447 |
| Rhode Island............. | 3 | 3 | 8 | 126 | 3 | 123 | 71 | 17 | 73 |
| South Carolina | 22 | 40 | 61 | a2, 825 | 1,219 | 1,496 | 2,391 | 343 | 263 |
| Tennesseo................ | 77 | $a 145$ | 138 | a8, 424 | 4, 034 | 3,588 | 6,082 | 1, 077 | 209 |
| Texas ..................... | 40 | $a 103$ | 117 | a5, 902 | 2,606 | 2,375 | 3,783 | 650 | 902 |
| Vermont................... | 27 | 53 | 88 | 3,021 | 1,496 | 1,525 | 1,835 | 633 | 414 |
| Virginia....... - - - ..... | 39 | a84 | 85 | a3, 814 | 1,800 | 1,614 | 3,202 | 592 | 434 |
| West Virginia........... | 6 | 8 | 10 | a475 | 225 | 205 | 395 | 82 | 24 |
| Wisconsin ................ | 26 | 90 | 114 | 3,000 | 1,420 | 1,580 | 1,479 | 566 | 982 |
| Dakota .................... | 4 | 8 | 10 | a346 | 122 | 121 | 224 | 95 | 3 |
| District of Colu | 17 | 35 | 102 | a1, 158 | 366 | 772 | 822 | 143 | 375 |
| Idaho....................... | - 1 | 1 | 4 | 81 | 25 | 56 | 36 | 11 |  |
| Indian Territory.......... | 9 | $a 18$ | 24 | a963 | 318 | 434 | 709 | 72 | 16 |
| New Mexico.............. | 8 | 29 | 14 | 1,313 | 825 | 488 | 688 | 39 | 305 |
| Utah ....................... | 16 | 20 | 50 | 2,542 | 1,108 | 1, 070 | 542 | 37 | 15 |
| Washington .............. | 13 | 19 | 29 | a775 | 329 | 397 | 435 | 72 | 42 |
| Wyoming.................. | 1 | 0 | 4 | 85 | 35 | 50 |  |  |  |
| Total .............. | 1,617 | a3, 463 | 4,723 | a160,137 | 74,369 | 79, 007 | 95, 563 | 19,902 | 21, 481 |

$a$ Sex not reported in all cases.
institutions jor secondary instruction．

| Number of students． |  |  |  |  |  |  | Libraries． |  | Property，income，s．c． |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 令 <br> 敬 <br> 比菏 <br> 范荡 |  |  |  |
| 192 | 85 | 60 | 7 | 15 | 22 | 23 | 9， 040 | 264 | \＄185， 200 | \＄22， 500 | \＄1， 420 | \＄37， 283 |
| 108 | 59 | 23 | 4 | 8 | 11 | 11 | 3， 057 | 907 | 89， 100 |  | 675 | 27， 763 |
| 223 | 303 | 284 | 52 | 33 | 31 | 33 | 25，085 | 635 | 877， 200 | 45.000 | 2， 250 | 156.962 |
| 31 | 27 | 8 |  | 5 | 5 | 4 | 3，800 | 300 | 230，000 | 1，500 |  | 16，400 |
| 116 | 73 | 30 | 11 | 24 | 20 | 20 | 11，617 | 445 | 344，000 | 125， 055 | 3，692 | 38， 060 |
| 24 | 7 | 4 |  | 4 | 2 | 3 | 2， 200 | 820 | 117，000 | 7，000 | 420 | 19，000 |
| 49 | 4. | 2 |  | 3 | 5 | 5 | 1，450 | 150 | 110，000 |  |  | 8， 080 |
| 990 | 301 | 274 | 73 | 54 | 83 | 95 | 18，534 | 2， 750 | 551，000 | 6，000 | 1，610 | 134， 471 |
| 306 | 69 | 69 | 42 | 36 | 39 | 34 | 21，959 | 878 | 1，164， 890 | 35， 640 | 8，760 | 113， 369 |
| 9 | 45 | 49 | 27 | 9 | 9 | 6 | 9， 950 | 314 | 178，500 | 70，662 | 4，633 | 17， 766 |
| 6213 | 118 | 53 | 13 | 19 | 22 | 19 | 9，777 | 1，143 | 279， 275 | 114，000 | 7，900 | 39，595 |
| 66 | 177 | 17 |  | 6 | 7 | 7 | 6，312 | 2， 012 | 125， 550 | 9，396 | 704 | 5， 241 |
| 253 | 112 | 122 | 15 | 20 | 36 | 40 | 15，175 | 1，082 | 420， 700 | 31， 500 | 1，800 | 74,671 |
| 57 | 52 | 56 | 54 | 7 | 10 | 11 | 5， 723 | 101 | 87， 000 |  |  | 10， 880 |
| 104 | 42 | 21 | 7 | 14 | 5 | 11 | 10，061 | 719 | 271， 150 | 65， 850 | 4，321 | 14， 570 |
| 57 | 42 | 114 | 20 | 25 | 19 | 23 | 28，640 | 1，000 | 638，700 | 717， 000 | 40，000 | 41， 200 |
| 177 | 63 | 35 | 17 | 38 | 31 | 28 | 26，683 | 1，624． | 1，199，000 | 830，364 | 49，862 | 60，379 |
| 103 | 25 | 85 | 12 | 12 | 11 | 9 | 9， 895 | 473 | 220，000 | 23，000 | 1，500 | 20，153 |
| 142 | 138 | 27 | 6 | 12 | 17 | 16 | 7， 357 | 1，193 | 390， 000 | 59， 400 | 3，944 | 75， 700 |
| 212 | 113 | 60 | 35 | 10 | 18 | 21 | 9， 713 | 370 | 161， 200 | 40，000 | 4，000 | 19， 298 |
| 3476 | 297 | 170 | 138 | 41 | 55 | 54 | 23，343 | 1，555 | 844，900 | 20，000 | 1，250 | 161，120 |
| 70 | 57 | 26 | 2 | 8 | 10 | 8 | 7，537 | 796 | 195， 300 | 15， 500 | 1，550 | 19， 415 |
| 164 | 104 | 27 | 17 | 10 | 8 | 11 | 20， 332 | 521 | 264， 600 | 184， 060 | 8，603 | 21， 014 |
| 210 | 115 | 55 | 28 | 36 | 33 | 30 | 21， 415 | 485 | 275，700 | 29， 626 | 2， 215 | 116， 135 |
| 983 | 464 | 226 | 91 | 134 | 112 | 124 | 117， 453 | 4， 552 | 4，187， 414 | ¢24， 593 | 23， 713 | 448， 208 |
| 903 | 303 | b165 | 49 | 48 | 61 | 65 | 22， 123 | 1，545 | 372， 350 | 28，500 | 4， 460 | 124， 250 |
| 105 | 111 | 61 | 23 | 21 | 27 | 31 | 26，381 | 1，180 | 393，700 | 122， 225 | 4，587 | 47，083 |
| 105 | 54 | 10 | 7 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 5，950 | 157 | 323，300 | 34， 870 | 2， 150 | 14，359 |
| 356 | 87 | 155 | 29 | 78 | 58 | 55 | 78，579 | 2， 667 | 4，804，837 | 7，237， 631 | 985， 354 | 174，443 |
|  |  |  |  | 1 | 2 | － | 500 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 123 | 167 | 50 | 31 | 15 | 13 | 13 | 9，558 | 512 | 192，000 | 800 | 5，260 | 27，625 |
| 370 | 357 | 153 | 58 | 22 | 48 | 49 | 9，467 | 2， 746 | 340，450 | 69，850 | 6，700 | 68， 327 |
| 427 | 247 | 78 | 11 | 25 | 28 | 29 | 10，216 | 1， 052 | 312， 200 |  | 1，303 | 56， 295 |
| 293 | 65 | 53 | 13 | 19 | 19 | 23 | 10，640 | 403 | 438，000 | 312， 500 | 17， 545 | 33，486 |
| 92 | 29 | 43 | 9 | 15 | 20 | 21 | 17，342 | 853 | 373， 700 | 65,000 | 305 | 64， 134 |
| 10 |  |  |  | 3 | 4 | 4 | 4，200 |  | 73，000 |  |  | 2， 800 |
| 203 | 23 | 12 | 4 | 18 | 20 | 19 | 44， 202 | 2，720 | 612， 503 | 14，000 | 800 | 20，633 |
| 7 |  |  |  | 3 | 4 | 4 | ¢68 | 116 | 51， 000 | 18，000 | 1， 200 | 3，790 |
| 24 | 11 | 15 | 1 | 14 | 11 | 11 | 9， 200 | 550 | 175， 250 |  |  | 19，950 |
|  |  | 4 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1， 000 |  | 20，000 | 0 | 0 | 1，100 |
| 3 | 2 | 8 |  | 3 | 6 | 5 | 3，£00 | 500 | 349，500 | 20，200 | ．．．．．．． | 1，762 |
| 26 | 14 | 23 | 4 | 5 | 6 | c | 5，165 | 277 | 50，000 |  |  | 4，900 |
| 629 |  | 2 |  | 3 | 4 | 4 | 3， 242 | 159 | 214，900 | 500 | 40 | 17，054 |
| 22 | 16 | 2 | 3 | 7 | 6 | 5 | 3， 565 | $3 \pm 3$ | 181，000 | 60， 000 | 3，109 | 10， 218 |
|  |  | 2 |  |  | 1 | 1 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 8，433 | 4，379 | 2，733 | 925 | 909 | 974 | 1，015 | 692， 241 | 40，375 | 23，392， 166 | 10，861，725 | 1，207，755 | 2，389， 947 |

$b$ Classification not reported in all cases．

The comparative summary of institutions reporting in Table VI shows a steady increase in the number of schools, instructors, and students. In this increase the New England and Middle States apparently bear no part, the number of this class of schools reported from the two sections having decreased by 44 since 1877.
The character of the schools as regards the courses of instruction, the number of teachers, equipment, and funds is very fully set forth in the detailed statistics of Table VI of the Appendix.
Instrumental music is taught in two-thirds of the schools, and rocal music and drawing in more than one-half.
The foliorring table shows the percentage of secondary schools in each geographical section reporting chemical laboratories and philosophical apparatus, with the percentage of iucrease since 18i7:


A little orer 5 per cent. of the pupils of the secoudary schools are reported as preparing for classical courses in college, and 2.8 per cent. for scientific courses. The number reported as entering colleges and scientific schools since the close of last year is 28 per cent. of the number reported last year as preparing for superior institutions. The majority of all the scholars are in the English course, and it is probable that these, together with a large proportion of the scholars not so classified, complete their education in the secondary schools.
A great trust is therefore committed to these schools, and it is of the utmost importance that the public opinion of the communities in which they are placed should hold them up to a high standard.

The report of productive funds alone is sufficient to indicate the need of more liberal endowments for this part of the general educational work of the country.

TABLE VII.-PREPARATORY SCHOOLS.
Detailed statistics of preparatory schools will be found in Table VIf of the Appendix. The following is a comparative statement of the statistics of these schools as reported to the Bureau from 1875 to 1885, inclusive ( 1883 omitted):

|  | 1875. | 1876. | 1877. | 1878. | 1879. | 1880. | 1881 | 1882. | 1884. | 1885. |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Number of institutions..... | 102 | 105 | 114 | 114 | 123 | 125 | 130 | 157 | 169 | 179 |
| Number of instructors...... | 746 | 736 | 796 | 818 | 818 | 860 | 871 | 1,041 | 18183 | 1,218 |
| Number of students....... | 12,954 | 12,369 | 12,510 | 12,538 | 13,561 | 13,239 | 13,275 | 15,681 | 18,319 | 17,605 |

Tables VII. -Summary of statistics of preparatory sohools.

| States and Territories. |  |  | Number of students. |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Proparing for classical } \\ & \text { course iu college. } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Preparing for scientific } \\ & \text { course in college. } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |
| Alabama.. | 1 | 1 |  | 0 |  | 10 | 2 |
| California. | 5 | 33 | 48 | 60 | 525 | 16 | 0 |
| Colorado | 3 | 6 | 5 | ... | $a 64$ | 2 |  |
| Connecticut. | 6 | 43 | 157 | 125 | a822 | 42 | 13 |
| Georgia . | 2 | 14 | 110 | 10 | a313 | 8 |  |
| Illinois. | 10 | 58 | 162 | 105 | a282 | 13 | 23 |
| Indiana. | 3 | 21 | 12 | 8 | a246 | 4 |  |
| Iowa. | 3 | 22 | 8 | 3 | $a 233$ |  |  |
| Maine.. | 11 | 52 | 178 | 39 | a533 | 47 | 3 |
| Maryland. | 4 | 27 | 23 | 16 | a137 | 18 | 2 |
| Massachusetts. | 31 | 229 | 1, 175 | 355 | a1, 802 | 175 | 62 |
| Michigan .. | 1 | 7 | 6 | 15 | 91 | 3 | 1 |
| 3rinnesota | 1 | 2 |  |  | $a 45$ |  |  |
| Missouri. | 1 | 20 |  |  |  | 6 | 3 |
| New Hampshire ... | 6 | 42 | 476 | 136 | 244 | 71 | 17 |
| New Jersey..... | 7 | 64 | 223 | 142 | 580 | 33 | 37 |
| New York | 33 | 270 | 960 | 351 | a2, 169 | 171 | 93 |
| Ohio | 8 | 50 | 182 | 39 | a231 | 34 | 7 |
| Pennsylvania | 18 | 125 | 289 | 273 | a1, 252 | 120 | 49 |
| Rhode Island. | 3 | 31 | 149 | 17 | 269 | 22 | 9 |
| South Carolina. | 2 | 11 | 50 | 30 | a260 | 9 | 4 |
| Tennessee. | 3 | 13 | 49 | 20 | a280 | 7 |  |
| Vermont. | 2 | 14 | 22 | 12 | 112 | 3 |  |
| Virginia.. | 5 | 14 |  |  | as0 | 42 | 7 |
| Wisconsin | 6 | 30 | 54 | 31 | a420 | 70 | $2$ |
| Dakota.. | 3 | 12 | 38 | 38 | 54 | 4 | 3 |
| District of Columbia | 1 | 7 | 50 | 15 | 25 | 15 | 1 |
| Total........... | 179 | 1,218 | 4,326 | 1,840 | a11, 439 | 945 | 346 |

$a$ Includes students preparing for classical or scientific course, the number included not being specified.

TABLE VII.-Summary of statistics of preparatory schools-Coutinued.

| States and Tersitories. | Libraries. |  | Property, income, \&c. |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Amount of productive } \\ & \text { funds. } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| Alabama | 0 | 0 |  |  |  | \$1,500 |
| California. | 1,200. | 110 | \$105, 500 |  |  | 6, 750 |
| Colorado | 100 | 20 | 77,440 |  |  |  |
| Connecticut | 4,450 | 175 | 485, 000 | \$62, 000 | \$500 | 7,500 |
| Georgia. | 500 | 25 | 47,000 | 150,000 | 5,000 | 1,850 |
| Illinois. | 5,420 | 65 | 92,500 | 11, 064 | 625 | 31, 000 |
| Indiana. |  |  | 30,000 |  |  | 800 |
| Iowa. | 3,409 | 353 | 90,637 | 17,000 | 1,200 | 12,345 |
| Maine | 4,762 | 1,596 | 236, 000 | 163,500 | 8,460 | 11, 922 |
| Marsland | 2, 200 | 110 | 92, 000 |  |  | 32,630 |
| Massachusetts.. | 28, 914 | 1,134 | 1,099,885 | 829, 512 | 53, 089 | 127, 175 |
| Michigan . | 850 | 150 | 100,000 |  |  |  |
| Minnesota |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mrissouri. |  |  | 75,000 |  |  | 28,000 |
| New Hampshire | 15,700 | 875 | 209, 000 | 285, 000 | 16, 070 | 11,564 |
| New Jersey.. | 5,300 | 681 | 3, 026,000 | 521, 500 | 19, 260 | 50, 062 |
| New York. | 16,390 | 641 | 1, 236, 442 | 172, 000 | 12, 970 | 148, 192 |
| Obio. | 1,900 | 125 | 184, 330 | ......... | 1,740 | 22, 232 |
| Pennsslvania... | 7,865 | 355 | 497, 500 | 205, 000 | 10,500 | 68, 773 |
| Rhode Island | 1,350 | 125 | 160, 000 | 90,000 | 3,900 | 24,060 |
| South Carolina | 400 |  | 15, 000 | ....... | 4,000 | 6,000 |
| Tennessee | 815 | 60 | 16,500 |  |  | 2, 500 |
| Vermont. | 1,800 | 150 | 38,000 | 45,500 | 3,700 | 1,200 |
| Virginia. | 9,000 | 225 | 37,000 |  |  |  |
| Wisconsin. | 3,460 | 601 | 131, 000 | 35, 000 | 2,000 | 2,600 |
| Dakota | 1,700 | 980 | 95, 000 | 2,000 | 200 |  |
| District of Columbia. |  |  | 27,000 |  |  | 6,000 |
| Total | 117, 485 | 8,476 | 6, 203, 734 | 2, 589, 076 | 143, 214 | 604, 605 |

Table VIl includes a large number of schools that have gained marked distinetion. They are a characteristic institution of tho New England and Middle States, 70 per cent. of the whole number reported being located in these scetions. The close connection which these schools maintain with superior institations, their ondowment, and the nature of their patronage. liave all contributed to the maintenance of a high staudard.

As the name "preparatory" indicates, the aim of the schools is to prepare students for college; and although the majority of their stndents do not matriculate, all have the adrantage of pursuing a well systematized course of study which has been universally approved as tho best possiblo preparation for a liberal education. The value of this training as a preparation also for practical life is abundantly illustrated by the careers of graduates who pass directly from these schools to commercial and industrial pursuits. Naturally the strength of the schools has consisted hitherto in the thoroughness of the instruction in mathematics and the classics. More recently demands have arisen in the direction of science and the modern languages. To meet these demands additional buildings, teachers, and educational appliances are required, and strenuous efforts are being made by the teachers, trustees, and alumni of the leading schools to increase their funds proportionably. About one-half the schools report a chemical laboratory, and more than two-thirds philosophical apparatus, but, as a rule, where such provision exists it is of rather a meager character. The centennial of Phillips Exeter Academs, one of the most noted of the schools in question, which occurred in 1883, afforded the occasion for special efforts looking to the increase of its resources and equipments. The long cherished desire of the trustees to erect a gymnasium has been accomplished, chiefly as the result of a bequest of $\$ 50,000$ from Dr. Francis Parkman Hurd, of Boston.

The importance of such an adjunct to schools of this class cannot be overestimated, as their pupils are just at the age when physical training properly conducted is likely to yield the best result.

By reference to Table VII of the Appendix, it will be seen that only 66 of the schools report gymnasiums. Out of a total of 17,605 students, 4,326 are reported as preparing for a classical course in college, and 1,840 for a scientific course.

The number reported as having entered colleges and scientific schools since the close of the last academic year is about 20 per cent. of the number reported that year as preparing for these institutions.

## PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS

A large part of the work of secondary instruction in our country is accomplished in public high schools, of which with the present information it is not possible to make more than a partial exhibit. As a rule the city high schools are provided with superior teachers, and have unusual facilities for instruction in the branches that constitate what is generally termed the " modern course," including drawing, science, French, and German.

The steady increase in the number of these schools, and the liberal appropriations made for building and furnishing the same, are the best evidences of the recognition of their value on the part of the public. Such evidences are furnished from every part of the country. For illustration, I may point to two high-school buildings recently completed-one at Hartford, Conn., the other at Portland, Oreg. The former, which replaces that recently destrojed by fire, cost, with its furnishings, library, apparatus, \&c., $\$ 285,000$, the cost of the lot, in addition, having been $\$ 30,000$. The latter cost between $\$ 127,000$ and $\$ 130,000$, besides the cost of the lot, which was also $\$ 30,000$.

In the circular already referred to in this Report (see p. CIII) Mr. Philbrick said: "Forty years ago there was not one public high school west of the Alleghanies, and those of the Atlantic cities south of Nerv England could have been counted on the
fingers of one hand." Out of 148 city high schools reported in Table II of the present Report, 10 are in southern and 43 in western eities. These figures give but a small idea of the number of publie high schools or of the growth of publie sentiment in their favor, as they do not include all the city high schools and none of those in ruraz districts.

In the comparatively small proportion of the high schools tabulated, are enrolled 13 per cent. of all the scholars Ieported as receiving secondary instruction.

## MEASURES FOR IMPROVING SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

Among the most prominent subjects of discussion during the past two years has been that of the scope and conduct of that part of education which is intrusted to the schools classed as seeondary or preparatory. The advance in eollege standards neeessitates a corresponding advance in the preparatory work; the interests of science call for a great enlargement of the eurriculum, while the public have become more exacting with reference to results that conduce directly to business and industrial success.

Wiso counsels, carefully elaborated plans, ample resources, and nice adjustment are more necessary here than in any other part of educational activity. Fortunately the need has already given rise to several important conferenees, and to some permanent associations whose efforts are directed to the solution of the problems suggested.

The Modern Language Association of America, whose organization dates from December, 1884 , has already made valueble contributions to the discussion of the courses of study best suited to the preparatory schools. The Massachusetts Classical and High School Teacher's Association at the last annual session appointed a committee to consider what steps should be taken to promote co-operation between the colleges and the preparatory schools. Circulars were issued to the presidents of the New England eolleges and other prominent educators, in response to which a notable gathering of college presidents, masters of schools, and others was held in the Boston Latin School in October. As a result of this conference the New England Association of Colleges and Preparatory Schools was formed, having for its immediate purpose the equalizing of requirements for admission to the New England eolleges.

The influence of the association will undoubtedly be felt in other sections of the country, and in reference to other problems pertaining to secondary instruction.

## OVERWORK IN SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

One of the most important considerations that has been urged upon public attention in recent years is that of overwork in schools of the grade under consideration.

There is a very general impression that the evil exists. The matter is one of such far reaching consequenee that I deem it desirable to devote considerable space to the following reports of two investigations carried on abroad with reference to this matter.

## SCHOOL HYGIENE.

In his work on overpressure in high schools in Denmark, Doctor Hertel gives the following results of his examinations of the pupils of the high (secondary) schools of Copenhagen, whieh are attended by children of the upper classes. Doctor Hertel obtained his information by sending printed forms to be filled out for each school by both teachers and parents. The points on which inquiry was made were the age and class of the pupil ; the number of hours of school work, and the time employed at home in preparation ; the amount of written exereises to be done at home; whether a private tutor aided the pupil, and for how many hours; whether the pupil had any difficulty on the whole or in any particular subject; his state of health; the hour ho went to bed, and the number of hours' sleep he had. The teacher was also requested to state whether the pupil in question was one of the best, middling, or dullest in the class. All the columns except those for the first two points were to be filled up by
the parents. In describing his method of getting at the number of sickly children, Doctor Hertel said:

It is essential I slould explain what I mean by sickly children. Many head masters have tried to prove to mo from the school sick lists that the state of bealth in their schools is excellent ; but the sick lists are of no value on this point, for they inerely show the number of children who are absent owing to temporary illness. It is not to such cases of temporary illness that I refer when I speak of sickly children. By "sickly" I mean unsound children, who suffer from chronic complaints, but who are, nevcrtheless, able to attend school regularly; in short, children whose state of health is abnormal, and who require special care, loth at home and at school, during their growth and derelopment. It is only such cases that have been collected here and designated as sickly; properls speaking, thes ought to be called cases of unsound or abnormal health.

The information in regard to boys' schools was taken from 14 schools having the classical and modern sides, and including 3 of the largest preparatory schools. The 14 schools had a total of 3,141 boys, of whom 1,900 were healthy, 978 were sickly, and 263 were called non-returned, on account of insufficient returns or where retarns were wanting. The percentages were, healthy, 60.5 ; sickly, 31.1; non-returned, 8.4. On entering school the conditions were, healthy, 74 per cent. ; sickly, 18.4 ; non-returned, 7.6. These conditions were ascertained by taking the two joungest mixed classes, consisting of 369 pupils. In the third mixed class the proportion of sickly rose to 34 per cent., nearly double the amount in the lowest; while in all the 6 mixed classes, containing 1,742 children, the healthy were 62.2 per cent. ; sickly, 29.9 ; non-returned, 7.9 ; showing a great increase in the proportion of sickly children, an increase obviously due to the influences of school life. At about twelve years of age the pupils leare the mixed classes, and pass either to the classical or the modern divisions. In the first modern class the proportion was, healthy, 49.7 per cent. ; sickly, 38.8 ; nonreturned, 11.5 , the highest proportion of sickly children in the modern division. It falls in the next 3 classes and the arerage of the whole division was, healthy, 56.5 per cent.; sickly, 31.1 ; mon-returned, 12.4 ; the number of pupils being 300 . In the classical division, second class, a rise in the percentage of sickly occurs, reaching 41.9 per cent., the highest observed percentage in any class. In the third class it drops to 31.8 per cent., and the arerage for the $\pi h o l e ~ 783$ pupils in the rhetorical section was, healthy, 58.5 per cent.; sickly, 34.4 ; non-returned, 7.1 . In the mathematical section, consisting of $\overline{6}$ pupils, 63.2 per cent. were healthy, 23.3 sickly, and 3.5 non-returned. In the tro highest classes of the classical division, both rhetorical and mathematical, there were 63.3 per cent. healthy pupils, 31.1 sickly, and 9 non-returned; the sickly being thus one-third of the whole. The sndden rise and fall in the earlier classes of both the modern and classical divisions is due to the period of derelopment, the pupils being then about thirteen years old. Of special complaints, anæmia, scrofula, nervousness, headache, bleeding at the nose, and diseases of the eye are the principal. The eje discases increase from the youngest to the oldest classes.

The hours of work, i. e., the number of hours spent at school and in home preparation, were 4.6 hours in the lomest mixed class, and rose to 7.7 in the highest. In the classical division, rhetorical section, the increase was from 8.2 hours a day in the lowest to 10.4 in the highest class. Besides the work done in and for the school, 28.7 per cent. of the pupils had private tuition, which increased the daily amount of work in the upper classes to eleven hours a day.

Information was also collected with regard to schools for girls belonging to the npper classes. Altogether 1,211 girls between the ages of fire and fifteen were examined, the percentages being: healthy, 53.1 ; sickly, 39.4 ; non-retarned, 7.5 , the proportion of sickly being greater than in the bors' schools. Between the ages of twelve and sixteen the number of sickly girls increases. Dr. Hertel says, "Sickness among school girls here shows itself unmistakably to be so great that we must put aside all illusions, and openlr confess that the present generation of young girls is weakly, anæmic, and nervous to an extraordinary degree." Taking the first two rears, as in the case of the boys, as a criterion of the state of health of the girls on beginning their education, the following percentages were obtained: healthy, 71; sickly, 22;
non-returned, 7. Taking the numbers in the oldest classes as an indication of the state of health on leaving school, 78 pupils gave 32 healthy, 41 sickly, 5 non-returned, or 41 per cent. healthy, 53 per cent. sickly, and 6 per cent. non-returned. The particular complaints were substantially the same as with the boys. In both sexes scrofula increased up to about the fourteenth year, and then decreased rapidly. The hours of work increased from 5 hours daily for the youngest to nearly 9 hours for the oldest, including private tuition.
Doctor Hertel draws several general conclusions and makes valuable practical suggestions from the results of his investigations, which cannot be further alluded to here.
Prof. Axel Key, of Stockholm, who has followed the same line of investigation with Doctor Hertel, delivered an address on the health of the students of Swedish schools before the international medical congress, held at Copenhagen, in 1884, of which the following is the substance. Professor Key says:

In the schools of my fatherland, Sweden, as indeed in those of all the countries whose distinguished representatives I have had the honor to address, the study of the classical languages has always occupied a predominant and, indeed, an oppressive place. Realschule students are admitted to hardly any of the university examinations. Classical studies are regarded as possessing a special power of giving a formal training to the intellect, and even in our time it is deemed necessary to give a clear, objective, and living insight into the life of classical peoples, whether one desires a scientific or simply a general humanistic culture. Whether our young men have obtained such an insight when they leave school is a question which I will not now discuss. * * * Modern life, bringing with it the new and rapidly developing sciences of our time, has been making new and higher demands upon the school, which after a long resistance can no longer be set aside, and an attempt has been made to satisfy them by constantly increasing the school work of our children. To such an extent has this increase been carried that it is no longer compatible with a sound mental and bodily development. The Strasburg commission said in their well-known report: "We can hardly restrain our astonishment that persons should have allowed themselves to lay such an unheard-of tax on the infant organism." In the same way physicians in all countries are uttering loud protests against the altogether too heavy load with which the development of our youth is burdened. Overpressure has come to be one of the questions of the day in our northern countries, as well as elsewhere. Doctor Hertel has shown the extent of work-time which is exacted from Danish children by the school. The following table shows that it is still worse in Sweden:

| Class. | Average work-time for all schools. |  | Longest time in any one school. |  | Shortest time in any one school. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Weekly. | Daily. | Weekly. | Daily. | Weekly. | Daily. |
|  | Hours. | H. II. $^{\text {r }}$ | Hours. | H. ${ }^{\text {r }}$ | Hours. | H. ${ }^{\text {r }}$ |
| Latin, VII, 2. | 66.2 | 112 | 87.0 | 1430 | 57.8 | 938 |
| VII, 1. | 68.2 | 1122 | 76.0 | 1240 | 60.2 | 102 |
| VI, 2. | 67.4 | 1114 | 77.9 | 1259 | 58.2 | 942 |
| VI, 1. | 66.1 | 111 | 72.9 | 129 | 58.1 | 941 |
| V. | 58.7 | 947 | 66.5 | 115 | 50.2 | 822 |
| IV. | 55.9 | 919 | 61.2 | 1015 | 47.0 | 750 |
| Real, VII, 2. | 68.0 | 1120 | 88.8 | 1448 | 57.8 | 938 |
| VII, 1. | 66.1 | 111 | 82.1 | 1341 | 58.2 | 942 |
| VI, 2. | 62.8 | $10 \quad 28$ | 83.8 | 1358 | 55.6 | 916 |
| VI, 1. | 63.8 | 1038 | 77.5 | 1255 | 56.0 | 920 |
| $\nabla$. | 58.0 | 940 | 67.6 | 1116 | 51.7 | 837 |
| IV | 54.7 | 97 | 61.7 | 1017 | 48.0 | 80 |
| Mixed, III. | 47.7 | 757 | 53.0 | 850 | 43.7 | 717 |
| II. | 46.6 | 746 | 53.2 | 852 | 41.9 | 650 |
| I. | 41.5 | 655 | 48.1 | 81 | 37.7 | 617 |

The table is based partly on legal requirements (programmes), and partly on accurate information obtained from individual pupils and checked by consulting teachers and parents. It refers to the schools which give maturity diplomas, and which comprise 9 classes for pupils between 9 and 18 years of age. Beginning with the fourth class, the schools are divided into a real and a classical, or Latin, division.

The table shows that the average time required by the schools is approximately 7 hours a day, eren for the joungest pupils. The length of time increases rapidly and constantly until in the Latin dirision it is nearly $11^{\frac{2}{3}}$ hours a day for students in the class next to the highest. Students in the highest of the real classes have the same length of time. Gymnastic instruction is included in the table; if we deduct the time allotted to that (about half an hour a day, approsimately), the average working time for pupils of all the last four classes of the Latin division, and of the last two of the real division, is between 10 and 11 hours ac day, and in the last two classes nearly 11 hours. Since these figures express the average time, without taking account of private instruction and elective studies, it is easy to see that there must be a large number of boys who devote much more time to study. Incleed, one of the schools shows an arerage time of 14 hours of obligatory work, after deducting gymnastics, during the day and night. How can children find under such circumstances the time necessary for meals, rest, bodily exercise in the open air, and above all, for sleep? Must not their mental powers be fatigued and dalled by such a barden, and their bodily development suffer or be checked? What are the actual facts as to the health of the school children?

Notwithstanding the clamor that has been raised in different countries of Earope about the orerpressure question, and the numerous commissions which hare busied themselves with it, the opinions hitherto expressed hare, in general, treated the sulbject too subjectively. Thorough and varied examinations of the condition of the health of the school population have not been instituted. Even the idea of overpressure is very differently understood, and consequently the question receives as many different answers as there are different viers. It is high time to approach this subject more closely, in order to lay a substantial foundation for an opinion.
To Doctor Hertel belongs the honor of having first attacked the question in the proper war, in his investigation of the condition of the schools of Copenhagen, by a method which proved to be rery suitable and which he has brought to the knowledge of persons interested in the subject. About two Jears ago a commission was appointed in Sweden to examine into the organization of the entire secondary school system. Although a hygienic investigation of the schools was not the only object of the commission (in which respect it differed from the Danish commission appointed at the same time), ret it was decided to make such an investigation, and as thoroughly as possible, in order to take its results into account in making the new organization, as well as in determining the time to be allotted to school work. Hertel's method was generally followed, and the investigation was made easier for us because attendance of a school physician at nearly every secondary school in Sweden is required by law, so that we could enter into more details than would otherwise have been the case. Our investigation mas to be confined to secondary schools for boys, but we also examined 36 schools for girls. Altogether 14, 222 boys and 3,246 girls were examined. We made no examination of the common schools. The principal results for boys' schools are given in the following summaries.

Out of 11,227 boys examined, 5,025 , or 44.8 per cent., were out of health. The distribution of the sickly among the different kinds of instruction shows that 50.2 per cent. of the Latin students were suffering from some complaint, 39.6 per cent. of the real stiadents, and 40.9 per cent. of the younger pupils who attended the three lower or mised classes. The percentages of particular complaints were, anærnia, 12.7 per cent.; nose bleed, 6.2 per cent. ; nervousness, 2 per cent.; loss of appetite, 3.2 per cent.; headache, 13.5 per cent. ; near-sightedness, 15.2 per cent.; unspecified, 9.9 per cent.; besides 1.5 per cent. of cases of curvature of the spine, and 2.7 per cent. of scrofula. In the Latin division there was a steady increase of the percentages of sickly pupils from the lowest to the highest class, viz, from 43.9 per cent. in the lowest class to 58.5 per cent. in the highest; but none of the special complaints showed such an increase, except nerrousness and near-sightedness, the latter of which rose from 9.8 per cent. in the lowest to 37.3 per cent. in the highest class. In the real division the percentages were, 38.1 per cent. of total sickly in the lowest class, which increased, but irregularly, to 50 per cent. in the highest. In this division near-sightedness increased from 8.9 per cent. in the lowest class to 26.3 per cent. in the next to the highest, and fell to 21 per cent. in the highest, while there was no regularity in the relations of the particular complaints. In the three lower or mixed classes the percentages of total sickly papils were 37.6 per cent. in the lowest, 41 per cent. in the second, and 43.2 per cent. in the highest, while the near-sightedness was 6.1 per cent., 6.4 per cent., and 9.6 per cent., respectively.

The question is, can statistics show that the length of time devoted to school work has a definite influence on the health of school children? His first examinations of
the schools of Copenhagen gave Hertel positive results on this question, but subsequent examinations of the schools of all Denmark led to negative results. I am of the opinion that the method employed by Doctor Hertel in making the examinations was not adapted to produce more accurate results, and we followed another method.
The conditions for making the comparison are, that the boys to be compared must live as nearly as possible under similar sanitary conditions; they must be examined in a uniform way and as closely as possible; and their number must not be too small, and, if possible, equally great.

We examined only the schools of Stockholm, with about 2,000 boys. We found the average working time of each class and arranged the boys in two groups, those who worked more than the average time and those who worked less. It then appeared that 50.8 per cent. of the boys who worked less than the average time were sickly, and 56.1 per cent. of those who worked over time-a difference of 5.3 per cent. We were unable to make any comparison with the common schools of Sweden, hecause they did not enter into our plan of examination. From Doctor Hertel's report we learn that the pupils of the Danish common schools are nearly as sickly as those of the secoudary scbools, and that is probably the case in Sweden. But this circumstance should not, as Doctor Hertel pointed out, relieve our solicitude. We should not say that this high degree of sickliness belongs to youth. Sickliness is never physiological, least of all in youth; and whenever we meetit, it is our daty to seek for its causes and combat them with all the means which knowledge and experience have placed in our hands. A physician or hygienist who finds a bad sanitary condition in one family or locality should not content himself with reflecting that the same condition is to be found in another family or locality; he must oppose it wherever found. That the home and family are more to blame for sickly children than the school may well be true, and school teachers often find consolation in the fact. But the school is still responsible for a portion of the evil.

Let it be our effort to improve the sanitary conditions of the homes as much as possible, but we can never get such a hold upon them as upon the school. The Government has the power to make the requirements of physiology and liygiene recognized in the school. * * * Sound hygienic principles, throngh which the harmonious development of the bodies and minds of the children is promoted, will then flow back from the school to the home. The school must become a hygienic model.
Aside from all other circumstances, which must be taken into account in order to attain this object, it is necessary, first of all, to place the school under strict hygienic control. It gives me pleasure to state that the $S$ wedish commission has recommended the appointment of a school physician to attend every school. He is to make a thorough examination aud report npon the health of all the scholars at the beginning and end of every school year. This will require measuring and weighing of the pupils, in order to discover the degree and progress of their development, and an examination of their eyes will also be made at the end of every school rear, with special reference to near-sightedness. Once a month the school physician will make an inspection of the schools with special reference to everything connected with hygiene. The physician is to be a member of the school direction and will be qualified to take the initiative, and his opinion must be regarded in all questions of hygiene, even in arranging the school programmes. Moreover, one of the teachers will be appointed hygienic assistant. He will be charged with the daily supervision of the hygienic conditions of the school, and will assist the physician in the more mechanical details of the work, or attend to them himself. The Swedish commission expressed itself as follows: "It is much to be desired that every school teacher should have the necessary knowledge of hygiene. It is hoped that this knowledge will soon be required of teachers by law."
Activity in the direction of school hygiene in this country during 1885 was shown in several quarters. An address on school hygiene, by Dr. Middleton Michel, professor in the Medical College of the State of South Carolina, was delivered before the State Normal Institute at Charleston, S. C., in August, 1885.
Doctor Michel opened his address by calling attention to the increasing public interest in sanitation, and to the importance of disseminating the principles of kygiene through the teaching of physiology. He enlarged upon the general ignorance of physiological and hygienic principles due to the neglect of instraction on those subjects, and then spoke of the importance to the community of a knowledge of the prevention of disease, which he considered greater than the knowledge of cure. This importance he illustrated by considering the economical sitle of the question. It appears from statistics that every death costs the community about $\$ 1,000$, part of which rould be saved by a knowledge of prevention, which would make the number of preventable deaths smaller. In this connection Doctor Michel made the following
important suggestion. He said, "Mortuary statistics are positively reduced by sanitary regulations, and in this connection it has often occurred to me that school authorities might occupy as important a relation to sanitation as boards of health, or cven more so, should they constitute themselves a sigual corps that gave warning, throngh absentees from sickuess in the schools, of the earliest encroachments of disease, before even boards of health wero prepared to announce the general prevalence of epidemics. This pathometric record, if I may invent the word, this registered measure of disease, handed in officially from all the schools to the proper health authorities, would prove most valuable, for it would indicate the local, or, it might be, the general distribution of any incipient tendency to sickness in a community." Doctor Michel then took up the subjects of respiration, impure air, and ventilation, and pointed out the special importance of good rentilation for the health of young children and the school population ; the hygiene of gsmastics ; the hygienic requirements to be fulfilled in selecting school furniture; and, more at length, near-sightedness and its relation to school surroundings, teat-books, etc.; and, finally, the effect upon the nervous system of the school exercises and discipline.
Much in the same strain is an able address on hyriene by Dr. Stanford E. Chaille, professor in the Medical Department of Tulane University, before the Louisiana Educational Association, August 11, 1885. After discussing hsgiene in general, and the importance from an economical standpoint of the knowledge and practice of prevention, Doctor Chaillé goes on to insist upon the necessity of providing instruction in bygiene in the schools. He illustrates that part of hygienic instruction which bears upon school life by suggesting the following questions (among others), with which school teachers should be familiar:
What injuries to body and mind result from foul air, impure mater, etc.? What should be done to diminish the increasing impairment of sight due to school work? What amouyt, dails, of mental labor, of exercise, of recreation, and of sleep are requisite to the best mental and physical development' of children seven, ten, and fifteen years of age? At what temperature shoald a school-room be kept in cold weather? What is the greatest number of children which should be assigned to a room measuring, say, $30 \times 20 \times 10$ feet, and what should be the size of the ventilating inlets and outlets for such a number? What are the names, the common causes, and the evil results, of the impurities which ordinarils befoul the air of school-rooms, and what are the most simple and practicable means to diminish these impurities?
In the proceedings of the sanitary conrention held at Ypsilanti, Mich., June 30 and July 1,1885 , a paper on the sanitary conditions and needs of school buildings and grounds $\pi$ as read by Prof. Austin George, State Normal School, Ypsilanti, Mich., in which the subjects of location of buildings, water supply, size of rooms, and their lighting, heating, and reatilation, were treated in a concise and able manner. The paper tras followed by a discussion, in which the question of rentilation occupied a prominent place.
A rery full and important report on the sanitary condition of school buildings in Massachusetts, by Dr.D. F. Lincoln, is contained in the supplement to the sisth annual report of the State Board of Health, Lunacy, and Charity, for 1885. The information was obtained for the most part by personal inspection by Doctor Lincoln. Trenty-five towns and cities were risited, and the points chiefly attended to were site, condition, and surroundings of the buildings, their plans of construction; dimensions of rooms; ventilation, heating, drainage and sewerage ; lighting, color of walls, type of books, and other matters affecting eye-sight; vaccination, affections incident to school life, and length of hours of study and recess. Many instances of orercrowding were noticed, and rentilation was defective or not attended to in a majority of cases. Forced rentilation by steam fans has been introduced into new buildings in Boston. Insufficient lighting, due to the proximity of other buildings, was observed in city schools, and in many cases the desks were arranged so that the light was admitted from the wrong direction. The water-closets and privies were found in an unsanitars condition in the great majority of instances. In some cases

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contaminated air from closets in the cellars was admitted to the school-rooms through the hot air ducts, and frequently sufficient attention was not paid to supplying the rooms with pure air, cellar air often entering them through the warm air supply and otherwise ; in some cases the outer air was taken from points close to nuisances.
The Bareau of Education has prepared a compilation on the subject of schoolroom air, giving directions for examining it chemicalls, and so ascertaining the amount of ventilation required for the rooms. In this paper ${ }^{1}$ a number of analyses of school-room air from different places in this country and in Europe shows the degree of vitiation which such air usually exhibits, and the importance of medical inspection of schools is pointed out, in order to discover what connection exists between certain complaints and the vitiated school-room air.

[^27]Statistical summary of students in classical and scientific preparatory courses.

| States and Territories. | Number preparing for classical course in college. |  |  | Number preparing for scieutific course in college. |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { In universities and col- } \\ & \text { leges (I:ablo } 1 \mathrm{~K} \text { ). } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| Alabama.. | 102 |  | 10 | 85 | 0 | 5 | 23 | 315 |
| Arkansas | 108 |  | 75 | 59 |  | 173 |  | 415 |
| Califurnia. | 223 | 48 | 105 | 303 | 60 | 343 | 34 | 1,116 |
| Colorado. | 31 | 5 | 65 | 27 |  | 40 | 32 | 200 |
| Connecticut.. | 116 | 157 | 0 | 73 | 125 | 0 | . | 471 |
| Delaware | 24 |  | 0 | 7 |  | 0 | ... | 31 |
| Florida | 49 |  | 15 | 4 |  |  | 38 | 106 |
| Georgia. | 990 | 110 | 110 | 301 | 10 | 10 | 613 | 2, 344 |
| Illinois. | 306 | 162 | 595 | 69 | 105 | 473 | 86 | 1,796 |
| Indiana. | 9 | 12 | 301 | 45 | 8 | 378 | 115 | 868 |
| Iowa.. | 213 | 8 | 251 | 118 | 3 | 511 |  | 1, 104 |
| Kansas | 66 |  | 66 | 177 |  | 120 |  | 429 |
| Kentacky. | 253 |  | 277 | 112 |  | 204 | 70 | 916 |
| Louisiana. | 57 |  | 118 | 52 |  | 178 | 53 | 458 |
| Maine... | 104 | 178 |  | 42 | 39 |  |  | 363 |
| Maryland.. | 57 | 23 | 211 | 42 | 16 | 34 | 10 | 393 |
| Massachusetts.. | 177 | 1,075 | 20 | 63. | 355 | 18 | C6 | 1,77! |
| Michigan. | 103 | 6 | 296 | 95 | 15 | 207 |  | 652 |
| Minnesota | 142 |  | 90 | 133 |  | 143 |  | 513 |
| Mississippi | 212 |  | 233 | 113 |  | 108 | 382 | 1,018 |
| Missouri. | 476 |  | 326 | 297 |  | 374 | 271 | 1,744 |
| Nebraska. | 70 |  | 181 | 57 |  | 61 | 10 | 379 |
| Nevada. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| New Hampshire | 164 | 476 | 0 | 104 | 136 | 0 |  | 880 |
| New Jersej. | 210 | 223 |  | 115 | 142 |  |  | 690 |
| New York | 983 | 960 | 713 | 464 | 351 | 503 |  | 3,974 |
| North Carolina. | 903 |  | 329 | 303 |  | 39 |  | 1,574 |
| Ohio .. | 105 | 182 | 987 | 111 | 39 | 627 | 111 | 2, 162 |
| Oregon....... | 105 |  | 169 | 54 |  |  | 40 | 368 |
| Peansylrania. | 356 | 289 | 319 | 87 | 273 | 217 | 90 | 1,631 |
| Rhode Island |  | 149 |  |  | 17 |  |  | 168 |
| South Carolina. | 123 | 50 | 114 | 167 | 30 | 84 |  | 568 |
| Tennessee | 370 | 49 | 490 | 357 | 20 | 602 | 64 | 1,952 |
| Texas.. | 427 |  | 97 | 247 |  | 199 | 29 | 999 |
| Vermont. | 293 | 22 | 0 | 65 | 12 | 0 | ....... | 392 |
| Virginia. | 92 |  | 50 | 20 |  | 10 | 543 | 715 |
| West Virginia | 10 |  | 25 |  |  | 7 |  | 42 |
| Wiscousin | 203 | 54 | 76 | 33 | 31 | 125 |  | 522 |
| Dakota | 7 | 38 | 20 |  | 38 | 2 | ....... | 105 |
| District of Columbia. | 24 | 50 | 42 | 11 | 15 |  |  | 142 |
| Indian Territory.... | 3 |  |  | 2 |  |  |  | 5 |
| Montana.. |  |  | 3 |  |  | 29 |  | 32 |
| New Mexico. | 26 |  |  | 14 |  |  |  | 40 |
| Utah.... | 29 |  |  |  |  |  |  | . 29 |
| Washington . | 22 |  | 15 | 16 |  | 50 |  | 103 |
| Total | 8,433 | 4,326 | 6,794 | 4,379 | 1,840 | 5,874 | 2, 680 | 34, 320 |

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## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

Statistical summary of students in institutions for superior instruction (not including students in preparatory departments).

|  | States and Territories. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Number of students } \\ & \text { in colleges. } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Alabama.. |  | 463 | 120 | 998 | 1,581 |
| Arkansas. |  | - 236 | 3 |  | 239 |
| California. |  | 1,283 | 158 | 311 | 1,752 |
| Colorado. |  | 110 | 123 |  | 233 |
| Connecticut. |  | 924 | 200 | 112 | 1,326 |
| Delaware |  | 58 |  |  | 58 |
| Florida |  | 65 | 33 |  | 103 |
| Georgia.. |  | 580 | 407 | 1, 511 | 2,498 |
| Illinois. |  | 1,980 | 423 | 1,151 | 3, 554 |
| Indiana |  | 1,763 | 166 | 70 | 1, 999 |
| Iowa.. |  | 1,288 | 252 | 185 | 1,725 |
| Kansas. |  | 621 | 401 | 108 | 1,130 |
| Kentucky. |  | 1, 212 | 143 | 1,8i6 | 3, 231 |
| Louisiana. |  | 622 | 41 | 395 | 1,058 |
| Maine... |  | 351 | 93 | 24 | 411 |
| Marsland. |  | 871 | 395 | 405 | 1,671 |
| Massachusetts. |  | 2, 134 | 980 | 1,723 | 4,837 |
| Michigan |  | 1,324 | 176 | 36 | 1,536 |
| Minnesota |  | 349 | ..... | 225 | 574 |
| Mississippi |  | 269 | 581 | 855 | 1, 205 |
| Missoari. |  | 1,352 | ¢ 6 | 1,356 | 2, 734 |
| Nebraska. |  | 433 | 13 |  | 446 |
| Nerada. |  |  |  | 60 | 60 |
| New Hampshir |  | 232 | 103 | 120 | 401 |
| New Jerseg.. |  | 622 | 310 | 174 | 1,106 |
| New York. |  | 3, 513 | 4,138 | 1,230 | 8,881 |
| North Carolina. |  | 694 |  | 1,219 | 1,913 |
| Ohio. |  | 2,960 | 487 | 1, 069 | 4,516 |
| Oregon..... |  | 105 | 108 | 156 | 369 |
| Pennsylvania |  | 2, 480 | 3,166 | 1, 140 | 6, 186 |
| Rhodo Island |  | 240 | ..... |  | 240 |
| South Carolina. |  | 501 |  | 465 | 965 |
| Tennesseo... |  | 1,299 | 156 | 2, 051 | 3, 506 |
| Texas.. |  | 762 | 113 | 830 | 1, ic. |
| Vermont. |  | 160 | 51 | 99 | 310 |
| Virginia |  | 995 | 705 | 1,580 | 3, 20 |
| West Virginia |  | 63 |  | 145 | 23 |
| Wisconsin |  | 615 |  | 180 | と0: |
| Dakota. |  | 20 | 240 | ......... | 2 Co |
| District of Colu |  | 415 |  |  | 41. |
| Montana. |  | 21 |  |  | 2 i |
| Utah. |  | 368 |  |  | acs |
| Washington |  | 21 |  |  | 21 |
| Total. |  | 34, 377 | 14,406 | 21, 874 | 70,657 |

The statistical summary of students in institutions for superior instruction gives a total of $70,65 \%$, being an increase of 4,220 over the number reported last year; more than lialf of this increase is in the Southern States. Of the three elasses of institutions included in the summary, the greatest increase appears in the schools of scicnce.

TABLE VIII.-SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION OF WOMEN.
Statisties in detail of schools for the superior instruction of women will be found in Table VIII of the Appendix. The following is a comparative summary of institutious, instructors, and pupils, from 1875 to 1885 inclusive ( 1883 omitted):

|  | 1875. | 1876. | 1877. | 1878. | 1879. | 1880. | 1881. | 1882. | 1881. | 1885. |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| No. of institutions. | 222 | 225 | 220 | 225 | 227 | 227 | 220 | 227 | 236 | 227 |
| No. of instructors. | 2,405 | 2,404 | 2,305 | 2,478 | 2,323 | 2,340 | 2,211 | 2,721 | 2,959 | 2,362 |
| No. of students... | 23,795 | 23,856 | 23,022 | 23,639 | 24,605 | 25,780 | 26,041 | 28,726 | 30,587 | 28,868 |

Table VIII.--Summary of statistics of institu

tions for the superior instruction of women．

| Students． |  |  |  |  | Libraries． |  | Property，income，etc． |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Number in collegiate department． |  |  |  |  |  | $\underset{\#}{\#}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 旨 } \\ & \text { 邑 } \end{aligned}$ | $\stackrel{\dot{\infty}}{\underset{\Xi}{\Xi}}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \dot{\infty} \\ & \stackrel{\rightharpoonup}{d y} \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | 范 |
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|  | 苂 |  |  |  |  | $\approx$ | 號会 | ভ. |  | geou |
| 牶 | ค | $\stackrel{\text { E }}{\tilde{E}}$ |  |  |  | $0$ | 品总 | "̈ | O. | $9$ |
| రٌ | ob oid | $\frac{\tilde{\pi}}{n}$ |  |  |  | E | $5$ | $\underset{\approx}{\approx}$ | 폄 | Fo |
| 䔍 | E |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 0 \\ & \end{aligned}$ | $\circ$ | O |
| En | © | 発 |  |  |  |  |  | E | $0$ | 范。 |
| 』 | 』 | U |  |  | 云 | $\Xi$ |  | \％ | g |  |
| 684 | 51 | 17 | b1， 271 | 8 | 9，603 | 206 | \＄530，000 |  |  | \＄39，457 |
| 144 | 35 |  | b428 | 3 | 6，900 | 200 | 305， 000 | \＄20， 000 | \＄1， 200 |  |
|  | 112 |  | 182 |  | 1，846 |  | 40，000 |  |  |  |
| 1，189 | 93 | 18 | 62， 075 | 13 | 13，830 | 385 | 544，000 | 91， 500 | 3，475 | 52，500 |
| 333 | 98 | 15 | 61，498 | 6 | 12， 829 | 760 | 776，600 | 16，000 | 1，280 | 94，490 |
| 53 | 16 | 1 | 102 | 1 | 600 |  | 50，000 |  |  | 2，800 |
| 102 | 83 |  | 366 | 2 | 1，927 | 27 | 50，000 |  |  |  |
| 72 | 36 |  | 223 | 1 |  |  | 300， 000 | 0 | 0 | ．．．．．．．．． |
| 1，134 | 87 | 5 | 62，756 | 19 | 16， 300 | 1， 050 | 507， 000 | 5，000 | 2， 200 | 70，370 |
| 194 |  | 1 | 6494 | 4 | 1，725 | 200 | 100， 000 | 20，000 | 1，600 | 10，980 |
| 24 |  |  | 329 | 1 | 4，000 | 200 | 150， 000 | 63， 500 | 4，000 | 4，000 |
| 204 | 9 | 14 | 6463 | 4 | 11， 140 | 129 | 136， 600 | 25， 000 | 3，800 | 5，500 |
| 1，246 | 303 | 13 | 61， 783 | 2 | 58， 881 | 3，602 | 1，176， 342 | 672， 417 | 19，570 | 195， 448 |
| 29 | 7 |  | 42 | 1 | 1，300 |  | 50，000 |  |  | 7， 243 |
| 92 |  |  | 6273 | 1 | 300 | 50 | 120， 000 |  |  | 4，000 |
| 427 | 32 | 13 | b1， 180 | 10 | 5，771 | 65 | 192，800 |  |  | 27，445 |
| 886 | 157 | 19 | b1，672 | 7 | 8，725 | 293 | 443， 000 | 21，000 | 1，200 | 90， 160 |
| 50 | 10 | ．．．． | 90 | 0 | 300 |  | 30，000 | 0 | 0 | 4，000 |
| 107 | 19 | ．．．．． | 215 | 2 | 2， 425 | 70 | 190， 000 | 215， 000 | 2，500 | 5，810 |
| ．．．． | 6 | 3 | 6174 | 2 | 3，000 |  | 130， 000 |  |  | 9，000 |
| 481 | 66 | 11 | b2， 396 | 3 | 17， 888 | 712 | 1，423， 255 | 30，573 | 2，616 | 198， 052 |
| 625 | 33 | 3 | 61，437 | 5 | 7，500 | 625 | 196，500 |  |  | 12， 200 |
| 584 | 137 |  | 61， 289 | 7 | 16，700 | 350 | 846，000 | 62， 625 | 3， 211 | 49，085 |
| 133 | 23 |  | 156 |  | 750 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 420 | 72 | 29 | b1， 174 | 5 | 18，050 | 162 | 429，500 | 12，000 |  | 14，050 |
| 325 | 13 | ．． | 6707 | 4 | 3，300 | 150 | 101， 000 | 6，100 | 430 | 4，700 |
| 1，216 | 99 | 21 | b2， 608 | 17 | 24， 268 | 180 | 658，000 | 33， 000 | 2，480 | 77， 200 |
| 677 | 2 | 4 | 0971 | 6 | 2，608 | 110 | 77，800 |  |  | 16，645 |
| 26 | 73 | 0 | 133 | 1 | 1，300 | 300 | 80，000 | 16，000 | 1，000 | 5，700 |
| 665 | 66 | 16 | b1，837 | 10 | 9，000 | 100 | 640，500 | ．．．．．．． |  | 44，730 |
| 80 |  |  | 6145 | 2 | 350 | 100 | 25，000 |  |  | 4，000 |
| 131 | 53 | 5 | 399 | 1 | 5，331 | 331 | 75，000 | 9，000 | 670 | 15， 014 |
| 12，333 | 1， 791 | 208 | 628， 268 | 148 | 268， 447 | 10，357 | 10，373， 897 | 1，318， 715 | 51， 232 | 1，061， 529 |

cIncludes some primary students．

Degrees conferred by institutions for the superior instruction of women.

| States. | Number <br> of degrees. | States. | Number of degrees. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Alabama | 54 | New Hampshire ... | 3 |
| California. | 3 | New Jerser | 7 |
| Georgia. | 173 | New Yorls. | 19 |
| Inlinois | 36 | North Carolina | 18 |
| Indiana.. | 6 | Ohio ..... | 28 |
| Iowa.. | 15 | South Carolina. | 63 |
| Kentucky | 88 | Tennessee ..... | 133 |
| Louisiana. | 20 | Texas. | 18 |
| Maine | 6 | Vermont. | 5 |
| Maryland | 6 | Virginia . | 104 |
| Massachusetts. | 124 | West Virginia | 7 |
| Minnesota | 7 | Wisconsin. | 2 |
| Mississippi ..... | 53 |  |  |
| Missouri.. | 46 | Total . | 1,049 |
| Nevada. | 5 |  |  |

Table VIII presents the statistics of 227 schools for the superior instruction of women, having 2,554 teachers and 28,868 stadents. Five colleges for women' in New York State, which on account of their relation to the University of New Yoris are included in Table IX, report 766 students; co-education universities or colleges, Table IX, report in preparatory departments 7,645 female students, in classical courses 1,805 , and in scientific courses 1,302 ; co-education colleges and schools of science, Table X, report in preparatory departments 521, making the total number of women reported in institutions for superior instruction 40,907, as against 43,307 in 1883-'84. Of the whole number, 15,492 are reported in preparatory departments, and 17,439 in collegiate, special, and graduate courses, the classification of the remainder not being specified. It will be observed that no statement is given of the number of female students in the schools of Table $X$ in other than preparatory departments.
In respect to property valuation and amount of productive funds there has been some increase since the last year, the total being, for the formeritem, $\$ 10,373,897$, as against $\$ 9,933,591$ in $1883-94$, and the latter $\$ 1,318,715$, as against $\$ 1,211,665$ in $1883-{ }^{-} 84$. The increase seems the more considerable when it is considered that the number of schools reported the present year is 9 less than the number reported for the preceding year. Tuition fees, which are the chief source of income, amounted so far as reported to $\$ 1,061,529$, against $\$ 926,248$ in 1883 -' 84 .

Interest in provision for the superior instruction of women shows no abatement, although the year has not been characterized by any special action in reference to the subject. The importance of full provision for this work is indeed so fully recognized that the discussions which it excites no longer turn on that question, but on those which pertain to it as a part of superior instruction in general. One of the most interesting inquiries that has arisen respecting the education of women in this country is that of the effect of college education upon their health.
Reference was made in my last Report to the efforts of the Association of Collegiate Alumnæ in collecting and publishing data upon this subject. Since the publication of my Report these data have been properly tabulated by the Massachusetts Bureau of Statistics of Labor, which presents the final summary of results as follows:
The facts which we have presented would seem to warrant the assertion, as the legitimate conclusion to be drawn from a careful study of the tables, that the seeking of a college education on the part of women does not in itself necessarily entail a

[^28]loss of health or serious impairment of tho rital forces. Indecd, the tainles show this so conclusively that there is little neel, were it within our province, for extended discussion of the subject.

Tho graduates, as a body, ontered college in good health, passed through the course of study prescribed without material chauge in health, and since graduation, by reason of the offort required to gain a higher education, do not seed to have becomo unfitted to meet the responsibilities or bear their proportionate share of the burdens of life.

It is true that there has been, and it was to bo expected that there would be, a certain detcrioration in hoalth on the part of some of the graduates. On the other hand, an almost icentical improvement in health for a liko number vas reported, showing very plainly that we mist look elsewhere for the causes of the great part of this decline in health during coliege life. If we attempt to trace the causes, we find that this deterioration is largely due, not to the requirements of college life particularly, but to predisposing causes natural to tho graduates themselves, born in them, as it were, and for which college life or study should not be made responsible. A girl constitutionally weak is always at a disadvantage, and naturally would suffer a deterioration in health, temporary possibly, or even permanent, if at the most trying period of her life, from 18 to 22 years, she seeks superior education. At the same time we should not fail to emphasize the fact that fully 30 per cent. of the total deterioration in health during college life was from excellent to good only. In the case of those graduates who studied severely, even, the facts reported concerning their physical condition do not show that ther have suffered materially from the effects of close application, but that they have since graduation returned to the normal condition reported by them at the time of entering college.

In conclusion, it is sufficient to say that the female graduates of our colleges and universities do not seem to show, as the result of their college studies and duties, any marked difference in general health from the arerage health likely to be reported by an equal number of women engaged in other kinds of work, or, in fact, of women generally, without regard to occupation followed.

It should be observed that only 12 institutions were included in the above examination. They are classed in Tables IX and X of my Report, and while they are colleges or universities that maintain high standards, they are so managed as to offer peculiar facilities for physical culture and for healthful living.

Undoubtedly the mode of life affects the health of students much more than their studies, and there is gond ground for affirming that a large proportion of the institutions for the superior instruction of women are deficient in respect to the means for promoting physical rigor.

Among the most interesting events of the year in respect to higher institutions for women, was the opening of Bryn Mawr College. This college begins operations upon a high plane and under promising auspices.
Dr. Homer B. Sprague, one of the most distinguished educators of the country, recently principal of the Girls' High School, Boston, Mass., has accepted the presidency of Mills Seminary, California. At the opening of the next scholastic year a college curriculum will be inaugurated, and the first college class will be admitted; the institution will become then a college in name and in rank, and will be the first of the grade exclusively for women established on the Pacific coast. The institution has passed over from private ownership to the public.

My Reports for 1882-83 and 1883-'84 contained an extended summary of the provision made in foreign countries for the higher education of women, which provision has not been matcrially increased since the issue of those volumes. ${ }^{1}$ The report of the Rojal University of Ireland for 1885 shows continued success on the part of the women students. Not one of the nine who presented themselves this jear at the final examination for the B. A. degree failed, while four of them obtained honors in the department of modern literature. Twenty-fire women candidates also passed the

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first university examination in arts, of whom eight obtained honors, one securing the only "double-first" awarded in modern languages; and of the nineteen who presented themselres at the second university examination in arts, fourteen passed, of whom ten took honors.

These results are the more remarkable, because provision for secondary instruction in Ireland is exceedingly meager, and the Irish girls have to depend upon themselves for their preparatory training.

Miss Alice Elizabeth Lee, of Bedford College, London, has successfully passed the London University examination in the two most difficult faculties, art and science.
France seems to be outstripping all foreign nations in the rapid increase of proxision for giving a high order of training to women. The study of the French language and literature and the derelopment of a pure and critical taste is a noticeable characteristic of the course of instruction laid down for young women. In this respect for the mother tougue as a subject of extended study, France offers a model worthy of imitation.

TABLE IX.-UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES.
The following is a statement of the aggregate number of this class of institntions, with instructors mad students, as reported to this Bureau each sear from $18 \% 5$ to 1885, inclusive ( $18<3$ omitted):

|  | 1875. | 1876. | 1877. | 1878. | 1879 | 1880. | 1881. | 1882. | 1884. | 1885. |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Namber of institutions. | 355 | 356 | 351 | 358 | 364 | 364 | 362 | 365 | 370 | 365 |
| Namber of instructors.. | 3,999 | 3,920 | 3,998 | 3,885 | 4,241 | 4,160 | 4,361 | 4,413 | 4,644 | 4,836 |
| Namber of stadents.... | 58,894 | 56,481 | 57,334 | 57,987 | 60,011 | 59,594 | 62,435 | 64,096 | 65,522 | 65,728 |

Table IX.-Summary of statistics of unircrsities and colleges.

| States and Territories. |  |  |  |  |  |  | Number not reporting stucients. |  | Years in course. |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Number with threc-years conrso. |  |  |
| Alabama.. | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Arkansas | 5 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| California | 11 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Colorado. | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 |  | 0 | 0 |
| Connecticut | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3. | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Delaware | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Florida . | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Georgia.. | 7 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Illinois | 27 | 27 | 0 | 1 | 23 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 22 | ..... | 5 | 0 |
| Indiana. | 14 | 12 | 2 | 0 | 13 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 11 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Iowa.. | 20 | 19 | 1 | 1 | 18 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 18 | . | 2 | 0 |
| Kansas .. | 9 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Kentucky | 14 | 14 | 0 | 1 | 11 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 8 | .. | 3 | 1 |
| Louisiana. | 10 | 10 | 0 | 2 | 6 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| Maine.. | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Maryland. | 10 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Massachusetts | 7 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Michigan. | 8 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Minnesota. | 5 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Mississippi ........ | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Missonri.. | 18 | 18 | 0 | 1 | 13 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 15 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Nebraska. | 6 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 5 |  | 0 | 0 |
| Nevada... | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| New Hampshire... | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| New Jersey ....... | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| New York. | 27 | 27 | 0 | 0 | 27 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 23 |  | 3 | 0 |
| North Carolina | 10 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 8 | .. | 1 | 1 |
| Ohio. | 33 | 32 | 1 | 2 | 30 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 28 | ...... | 3 | 0 |
| Oregon. | 7 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Pennsylrania | 27 | 27 | 0 | 0 | 27 | 0 | - | 3 | 4 | 21 | .. | 2 | 0 |
| Rhode Island | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| South Carolina | 9 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Tennessee | 18 | 18 | 0 | 1 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 14 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Texas. | 9 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Vermont | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Virginia. | 7 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| West Virginia..... | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Wisconsin.. | 8 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Dakota .. | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Dist. of Columbia.. | 5 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 |  | 2 | 0 |
| Montana | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Utah ............... | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Washington ....... | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Total .......... | 365 | 361 | 4 | 16 | 323 | 21 | 5 | 31 | 23 | 289 | 8 | 38 | 7 |

Table IX．－Summary of statiztice ef

| States and Ter－ ritories． | Number of universities and colleges． | Preparatory department． |  |  |  |  |  |  | Collegiate department |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | ．Students． |  |  |  |  |  | Corps of instruction． |  | Students in classical course． |  | Students in sclentific course． |  |
|  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ざ } \\ & \text { Hi } \end{aligned}$ | 皆 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 䔍 |  | $\begin{aligned} & \dot{9} \\ & \stackrel{y}{\text { g }} \end{aligned}$ |  |
| Alabama | 4 | 1 | 160 | 160 |  | 10 | 5 |  | 58 | 463 | 6303 |  |  |  |
| Arkansas | 5 | 11 | 633 | 362 | 271 | 75 | 173 | 42 | 22 | 236 | 673 | 326 |  |  |
| California | 11 | 24 | 1，397 | 1， 250 | 147 | 105 | 343 | 80 | 150 | 1，283 | $\checkmark 623$ | 47 | 300 | 58 |
| Colorado | 3 |  | ali7 | 54 | 52 | 65 | 40 | 72 | 19 | 110 | 24 | 8 | 5 | 1 |
| Connecticu | 3 | 0 |  | ， |  | 0 | 0 | 0 | 75 | 924 | 783 | 13 | 30 | 3 |
| Delaware | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 58 | 9 | 7 | 25 | 8 |
| Florida | 1 |  | $a 44$ |  |  | 15 |  | 29 | 9 | 65 |  |  |  |  |
| Georgia． | 7 | 14 | 262 | 235 | 27 | 110 | 10 | 12 | 47 | 580 | 6509 |  | 52 | 1 |
| Illinois． | 27 | 57 | a2， 503 | 1，706 | 516 | $\{595$ |  | $\} 665$ | 246 | 1，980 | uc674 | ＜169 | 338 | 167 |
| Indiana．．．．．．．．．． | 14 | 25 | a1， 308 | 780 | 306 | $\left\{\begin{array}{c} 114 \\ 301 \end{array}\right.$ |  | \} 248 | 142 | 1，763 | 541. | 117 | 235 | 101 |
| Iowa．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 20 | 34 | a2， 235 | 1，114 | 897 | $\left\{_{251}\right.$ | $511$ | \} 910 | 179 | 1，288 | d432 | 126 | 307 | 222 |
| Kansas | 9 | 44 | a1， 352 | S22 | 484 | 66 | 120 | 340 | 72 | 621 | 214 | 42 | 218 | 53 |
| Kentucky | 14 | 41 | a 888 | 681 | 131 | 277 | 204 | $20 ¢$ | 93 | 1，212 | 6261 | 32 | 146 | 9 |
| Louisiana． | 10 | 53 | 1，215 | 831 | 384 | 118 | 178 | 121 | 84 | 622 | b169 | 625 | 113 | 35 |
| Maine | 3. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 32 | 354 | 320 | 33 |  |  |
| Maryland． | 10 | 29 | 432 | 417 | 15 | 211 | 34 | 59 | 149 | 871 | b260 | 38 | 31 | 8 |
| Massachusetts．． |  | 3 | 272 | 272 | ．．． | 20 | 18 |  | 168 | 2，134 | b1， 701 | 51 | 33 | 6 |
| Michigan． | 8 | 24 | 979 | 557 | 422 | 296 | 207 | 405 | 131 | 1，324 | 132 | 30 | 117 | 116 |
| Minnesota | 5 | 7 | 598 | 383 | 215 | 90 | 143 | 292 | 73 | 349 | 65 | 20 | 24 | 29 |
| Mississippi | 3 | 5 | 494 | 375 | 119 | 233 | 108 | 63 | 23 | 269 | 52 | 3 | 70 | 13 |
| Missouri．．．．．．．．． | 18 | 45 | a1， 503 | 969 | 334 | 326 | 374 | 321 | 176 | 1，352 | 6235 | b36 | 137 | 22 |
| Nebraska | 6 | 18 | $\alpha 659$ | 411 | 155 | 181 | 61 | 199 | 63 | 433 | 114 | 46 | 23 | 23 |
| Nevada．．．．．．．．．． | 1 | 2 | 33 | 11 | 22 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| New Hampshire． | 1 | 0 | ， | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 232 | 232 | ．．．．． |  |  |
| New Jersey．．．．． | 3. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 61 | 622 | 422 |  |  |  |
| New York． | 271 |  | 2， 660 | 2， 227 | 433 | 713 | 503 | 485 | 439 | 3， 513 | b2， 077 | b351 | 585 | 44 |
| North Carolina．． | 10 | 21 | a 664 | 435 | 127 | 329 | 39 | 179 | 73 | 694 | 248 | 4 | 114 | ．． |
| Ohio | 331 |  | a3， 424 | 2，177 | 962 | 987 | 627 | 1，187 | 337 | 2，960 | b1， 169 | 308 | 319 | 165 |
| Oregon．．．．．．．．．． | $7$ | $16$ | $a 812$ | 339 | 261 | $\left\{\begin{array}{c} 187^{8} \\ 169 \end{array}\right.$ |  | $\} 95$ | 29 | 105 | 634 | b10 | 21 | 30 |
| Pennsylvania．．． | 27 | 71 | a1， 888 | 1，347 | 171 | 319 | 217 | 270 | 337 | 2，480 | b1， 601 | b86 | 354 | 35 |
| Rhode Island ．．． |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 22 | 240 | b240 |  |  |  |
| South Carolina．． | 3 | 18 | 596 | 426 | 170 | 114 | 84 | 341 | 58 | 501 | 211 |  | 47 | 3 |
| Tennessee | 18 | 45 | a2， 022 | 1， 381 | 389 | 490 | 602 | 326 | 140 | 1， 299 | b282 | 67 | 68 | 93 |
| Tesas | 9 | 24 | 786 | 511 | 275 | 97 | 199 | 50 | 68 | 762 | 683 | 13 | 13 | 10 |
| Vermont． | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 160 | 136 | 16 |  |  |
| Virginia．． | 7 | 5 | 123 | 123 |  | 50 | 10 | 15 | 80 | 995 | 6242 |  |  |  |
| West Virginia．． | 2 | 4 | 49 | 43 | 6 | 25 | 7 | ．．．．． | 18 | 63 | 646 | $b 14$ |  |  |
| Wisconsin ．．．．．． | 8 | 26 | 710 | 526 | 184 | 76 | 125 | 293 | 105 | 615 | 288 | 58 | 90 | 43 |
| Dakota ．．．．．．．．．． | 2 | 3 | 172 | 84 | 88 | 20 | 2 | 150 | 11 | 20 | 6 | 4 |  |  |
| Dist．of Columbia | 5 | 1 | 62 | 62 |  | 42 |  | 20 | 54 | 415 | 48 | 1 |  |  |
| Montana．．．．．．．． | ， | 2 | $a 46$ |  |  | 3 | 29 | 14 | 10 | 21 | 1 |  | 1 | 2 |
| Utah．．．．．． | 1 | 4. |  |  |  |  |  |  | 7 | 368 |  |  |  |  |
| Washington ．．．． | 2 | ， | 193 | 111 | 82 | 15 | 50 | 83 | 19 | 21 | 12 | 4 | 3 | 2 |
| Total | 3059 | 924 | a31， 351 | 21， 202 | ， 645 | $\{6,794 \mid$ | 5， 874 | $\}_{7,672}$ | 3， 912 | 34， 377 | b14， 872 | 21，805 | 3， 839 | 1，302 |

anircrsitics and colloges-Continued.

| Collomiate dippurimeist. |  | Volames in libraries. |  |  | Properts, income, \&e. |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number of graduate stadents. |  |  | Number in society libraries. |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Receipts for the last year from } \\ & \text { Stato appropriation. } \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  |  | 17,000 | 800 | 3, 6c0 | \$370, 000 | \$307, 000 | \$21, 000 | \$8, 500 | \$60, 000. |  |
| 2 |  | 4, 133 | 930 | 400 | 309,000 | 157, 500 | 11, 150 | 6, 200 | 13,000 | \$1, 250 |
| 115 | 25 | 59,735 | 2, 995 | 7,645 | 1,435, 000 | 1,768,387 | 10G, 400 | 34, 000 | 30, 000 |  |
| 71 | 1 | 9. 800 | 1,310 | 200 | 295, 828 | 45, 000 | 3,000 | 1,512 | 40, 000 |  |
| 57 | 38 | 178,000 | 3, 700 | 27,000 | 1,409,630 | 2, 000, 038 | 31, 209 | 117, 341 |  | 195, 978 |
| 0 | 0 |  |  |  | 60, 000 | 83, 000 | -,930 | 830 |  |  |
|  |  | 1,500 | 930 |  | 15, c00 | 45, 700 | 2, 600 | 700 | 700 |  |
| 18 |  | 40, 561 | 2, 380 | 10,725 | ¢ЈЈ, 500 | 621, 000 | 36, 180 | 8,800 | 11,003 | 6, 300 |
| 494 | 77 | 110,732 | 2, 237 | 15, 950 | 2, 544, 897 | 1, 484, 820 | 110, 212 | 164, 110 |  | 85, 3̄̈4 |
| 219 | 14 | 81, 490 | 3, 360 | 13,500 | 1,161, 0¢0 | 1,038,000 | 36,715 | 16, 636 | 66,000 | 5, 000 |
| 149 | 10 | 71,935 | 2, 560 | 6,475 | 1,511,500 | 690, 104 | 43, 743 | 71, 299 | 28,000 | 5,500 |
| 33 | 34 | 34,350 | 2, 5 So | 4, 250 | 695, 000 | 370, 234 | 22, 325 | \&3, 970 | 29,000 | 10, 000 |
| 21 | 29 | 50, 606 | 3, 484 | 11,833 | S25, 500 | 944, 083 | 52, 313 | ¢8, 986 |  | 40, 571 |
|  | 11 | 58,200 | 9, 160 | 1,650 | 733, 2こ0 | 1,393, 313 | 80, 550 | 32, 600 | 20,000 | 2,000 |
| 1 |  | 62, 378 | 579 | 1,600 | 300, 000 | 824, 841 | 49, 170 | 20,716 |  | 146, 013 |
| 10 | 182 | 80, 300 | 5, 450 | 7,100 | 1,101, 280 | 3,000,000 | 2ヘ0, 777 | 23, 833 | 15,230 |  |
| 160 | 90 | 313, 835 | 13,495 | 40,355 | 1, 636,000 | 7,717,045 | 909, 545 | 222, 828 |  | ¢54, 977 |
| 56 | 20 | 95, 425 | ?, 016 | 3, 000 | 1, 550, 531 | 1,206, 456 | 81, 342 | 100, 240 | 40, 500 | 102, 245 |
| 15 | 18 | 29, 640 | 2, 289 | 600 | 531, 231 | 830, 720 | 42, 741 | 13, 876 | 23, 000 | 16, 763 |
| 16 | 3 | 11, 000 | 470 | 3, 050 | 475, 000 | 557, 561 | 33, 879 | 6, 806 |  |  |
| 70 | 24 | 86, 668 | 3, 023 | 6, 999 | 2, 692, 000 | 1,479,400 | 91, 660 | 81, 683 | 127, 010 | 42, 600 |
| 225 | 2 | 15, 379 | 2, 710 | 675 | 434, 000 | 256, 000 | 18, 060 | 10, 524 | 41,000 | 2,125 |
|  |  | 55, 000 |  |  | 100, 000 | 600, 000 | 30,000 | 14,000 | 5,000 | 100, 000 |
| 9 | 65 | 75, 000 | 900 | 20,800 | 1. 200,000 | 1, 880, 000 | 100,500 | 20, 910 |  | 115, 000 |
| 311 | 101 | 338, 426 | 33, 243 | 20,800 | 8, 618,048 | 11, 684, 833 | 582, 783 | 587, 913 | 130, 672 | 347, 002 |
| 58 | 12 | 38, 400 | 1,991 | 35, 000 | 743, 500 | 340, 500 | 21, 110 | 21, 510 | 8,750 | 5, 600 |
| 470 | 24 | 191, 310 | 5, 068 | 31, 281 | $3,537,867$ | 3,360,373 | 219, 290 | 123,637 | 4,900 | 165, 620 |
| 6 |  | 10, 730 | 625 | 1,000 | 374, 000 | 255, 500 | 19,850 | 16,000 | 2,500 |  |
| 151 | 30 | 186:330 | 10,761 | 70, $84 \%$ | 5,110, 449 | 5, 884, 655 | 340, 376 | 151, 877 |  | 104, 000 |
|  |  | 62, 761 | 6,476 |  | 600, 000 | 765, 031 | 32, 919 | 22,172 |  | 140, 897 |
| 31 | 5 | 52, 550 | 2,015 | ¢,305 | 5s9, 600 | 545, 900 | 20, 800 | 7, 600 | 25,600 | 35,400 |
| 6 | 39 | 71, 609 | 5, 347 | 16, 2.10 | 1, 654, 289 | 1,627,000 | 109, 610 | 54, 078 | 2,050 | 25, 306 |
| 23 |  | 12, 920 | 2,456 | 1,200 | 180,000 | 689, 085 | 125, 552 | 40,300 |  |  |
| 7 | 1 | 37, 000 |  |  | 345,000 | 378, 750 | 23,130 | 3, 658 |  |  |
| 44 | 1 | 87, 150 | 6 J 0 | 23, 200 | 1,635, 000 | 809, 044 | 47,206 | ת 8,767 | 40,000 | 14, 150 |
| 3 | . | 7,000 | 100 |  | 275, 000 | 117, 200 | 6, 848 | 600 | 16, 000 |  |
| 120 | 7 | 54, 850 | 2, 823 | 2, 659 | 913, 700 | 901, 819 | 67, 724 | 61, 000 | C3, 533 | 23, 500 |
| 10 |  | 730 | 350 |  | 105, 000 |  |  |  | 51, 000 |  |
|  |  | 44, 600 | 300 | 500 | 1,150, 000 | 80, 000 | 66, $45 \frac{1}{}$ | 10, 589 | 22, 500 | 32, 875 |
| 17 |  | 150 | 150 | 100 | 50, 000 | 2,000 | 2, 500 | 2, 500 |  | 2,000 |
|  |  | 3, 033 | 120 |  | 70, 000 |  |  | 6,455 |  |  |
|  |  | 3, 650 | 1,066 |  | 136,000 | 8,425 | 800 | 6,900 | 3,000 |  |
| 3, 020 | 869 | 2, 758, 528 | 137, 875 | 398,635 | 48,470, 200 | 56, 827, 917 | 3, 915.545 | 2, 270,518 | 332, 635 | 2,651,836 |

Table IX gives a total of 365 colleges and universities, as against 370 for the preceding year. Seventeen institutions reported in 1883-'84 do not appear in the present table. Three of these classify themselves now in Table VI, one in Table VII, and one in Table XXII. Two colleges of Illinois, viz, Abingdon and Eureka, have united, making one strong college at the latter place.
Ten colleges and two universities not reported in 1883-84 are in the present table; all of these are supplied with buildings, and five report productive funds varying from $\$ 1,500$ to $\$ 23,000$. The greater part of their students are in the preparatory department.

Of the total 365 colleges and universities, 16 report only preparatory students, 323 report collegiate students, 21 fail to report the classification of students, and 5 make no report of students; nearly all have a four-years' course.
The following totals are brought into comparison with those of 1883-94, the latter being placed in brackets:

## Preparatory department.

Number of instructors ...................................... 924 [ 829]
Number of students...........................................31,351 [32,755]
Preparing for classical course ............................ 6, 794 [ 7,466]
Preparing for scientific course ............................ 5, 874 [ 6,037]
Unclassified ..................................................... 8, 123 [ 6,090]
Collegiate departnent.

| Num | 3,912 [ 3,815$]$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| Number of students | 34, 377 [32, 767] |
| Number in classical course | 16,677 [16,346] |
| Number in scientific course | 5,141 [ 4, 830] |
| Number of special or optional stude | 3,020 [ 2,429] |
| Number of graduate students | 869 [ 718 ] |

Property, income, etc.
Value of grounds, buildings, and apparatus ... $\$ 48,479,200[46,339,301]$
Amount of productive funds .................. $56,827,917$ [50, 881,894$]$
Income from productive funds................... 3, 915,545 [ $3,018,624]$
Receipts from tuition fees ...................... 2,270,518 [ 2,105,565]
Receipts from State appropriations ........... 932, 635 [ 784, 270]
Aggregate amount of scholarship funds ...... 2, 661,836 [ 2, 218, 177]
The increase noticeable in the totals of property, valuation, income, etc., is due in \& large measure to the greater fullness with which these particulars are reported for the current year.

## DISTINCTION BETWEEN COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES.

The year covered by the present Report has been characterized by great activity in all departments of college and university work, and by free and earnest discussion of important questions pertaining to the conduct and development of these institntions. Prominent among these questions is that of the separate functions of colleges and universities. Notwithstanding the interchangeable use of these terms that prevails in the United States, distinct ideas are attached to them, and the distinction is maintained in all sound discussions of the provisions for superior education.

These distinctions are best illustrated by reference to particular institutions in which they are practically embodied. Williams College, Massachusetts, may be taken as a representative college; and Michigan Universitr, Ann Arbor, as a representative of one type of the university organization as it exists among as.

## REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION.

## Williams College, for the degree of A. $B$.

Exglish: Grammar; composition; literary analysis.
Geographr: Modern and ancient.
Historf: Greek and Foman (short courses).
Mathematics: Aritımetic; algebra to quadratic equations; geometry, first 4 books of Loomis.
Lamis: ${ }^{1}$ Grammar; composition; Cæsar, 4 books; Cicero, 7 orations: Virgil, the Georgics and 6 books of the Eineid.
Greek: ${ }^{1}$ Grammar: composition; Xenophon. 4 books of the Anabasis; Homer, 2 books of the Iliad.
Traxslation at Sight: Passages from easy Latin and Greek prose.
${ }^{1}$ The preparation for Latin is expected to consume not less than 3 Jears; for Greek not less than 2 jears.

Michigan Cniversity, for the degrce of $A . B$.

Exgltelf: Grammar; composition; rhetoric and rhetoricalmalysis.
Geography: Physical; political, modern and ancient.
History: History of Greece, of Rome, and of the United States (short conrses).
Mathematics: Arithmetic; algebra, school complete, geometrs, first 2 parts of Olney.
Latıs: ${ }^{2}$ Grammar; composition: Cæsar, 4 bnoks; Cicero, 6 orations; Virgil, whole of the $\lesssim$ neid.

Greek: ${ }^{2}$ Grammar; composition; Xenophon, 3 books of the Anabasis.

[^30]CURRICULUM-(catalogues of 1834-'35).

## Tilliams College.

The Classtcs-Gpeek: The rerb; composition; Herodotus, Homer, Demosthenes. Plato, Euripiues, Aristophanes. Latis: History, prose composition, antiquities; Liv5. Horace, Catullus, Tacitus, Terence. Plautus. Savskrit (elective): Grammar; reader.

Mathematics: Algebra; geometry, plane, spher. ical, analstical; trigonometry: plane, spherical; calculus (elective).
Moderi Layguages-French: Grammar, readings, composition. Germar: Grammar, readings, composition.

Rhetoric and Oratory: Elocation, declamations, orations, compositions, debates, philosophy of rbetoric.
Evglish Literatlre: Manual, readings, essays, æsthetics, studj of masterpieces.

Histonr: Green's English People; Gilman's American People; historical evidence of Christianity; lectures.
Philosoris: History of philosopby; stady of man; moral science; Butler's Analogy.
Locic: Jerons's Manual.
Throfogy: Vincert on the Catechism; Flints Theism.

Political Economir: Perry's text book; U.S. Constitution, text and lectures.

## Michigan Cniversity-Department of Literature, Science, and the Arts.

I. The Classics-Greex: Histors, grammar, prose composition; Lssias, Demosthenes, Arrian, Eschrlas, Sophocles, Euripides. Thucrdides, New Testament, Homer, Aristophanes, Lucian, Lyric Anthologr, Plato. LATRT: Histors, grammar, prose composition, antiquities and art; Liry, Quintilian Horace, Pliny, Seneca, Plantus, Catullus, Tibullus, Propertins, Terence, Jurenal. Persius, Tacitus, Cicero. Martial, Tirgil. Sasskrit : Grammar, reader, lectures.
II. MLithejitics: Algebra, geometry and calculus, plane and spherical trigonometre, analrtical mechanics, loci of equations, mathematical reading, quaternions.
III. Moderi Lavguages-French: Beginning French, composition and conrersation. classic dramas. Corneille, Victor Hugo, La Fontaine, scientific reading, Chateaubriand, Montaigne, Lamartine, Rousseau. Gilbert.Gresset. Voltaire. Gerblan : Beginners' course, Goethe, the Niebelungenlied. Schiller, Lessing, minor German classics, lyric poetry. Italian: Grammar and readings. Spavish: Grammar and readings.
IV. Evglish and Rhetoric: Composition and speeches, theory and practice of rhetoric. Evgilsh Literatcre: (1) Period of Anglo-Saxon: (2) period of Early yodern English; (3) studr of masterpieces; (4) perior of Transitional English; (5) period of Modern English; extemporaneous speaking; history of the English drama.
F. Histoas: Histort of England, English Gorernment, continental Earope, political and social institutions, Prussia, Cnited States, American colonies, constitutional law.
VI. Philosophy: Empirical psrchologs, special topics in psycholog5; epochs in European philosophr; Greek science and philosophy ; history of philosophy in Germany, in Great Britain; the philosophy of the State; logic; ethics; Fant's Critique of Pure Reason.
TII. The Science and the Art of Teaching: The practical, school superrision, histors of srstems and methods, theoretical and critical.
VIII. Political Econoyr: Elementary course. advanced course, principles and metheds of finance.
IX. Samitary Science: Lectures.
X. Intervational Latt: Lectures, history of treaties.

## CURRICULUM-(catalogues of 1884-85)-continued.

## Williams College-Continued.

Physics: Text book and lectures.
Chemistry: Text book and lecturesy laboratory practice (electire).

Astronomy: Text book, lectures, practical exercises.

Geology: Teat boot and lectures.

Natural History: Elementary biology; Packard's and Tenney's Maneals; embryology, comparative morphology of vertebrates and invertebrates (elective); botany, structure and growth of plants, exercises in analysis; zoology (elective).
Physiology: Huxley's Lessons; illustrated lectures.

## Surveying: Theory.

Elective Studies: "Corrses are offered the current year to the senior class in the following departments: Astronomy, the calculus, chemistry, French, German, Greek history, Latin, English literature, Sanskrit, anil zoology. Each member of the class will be required to elect two of these studies and to pursuo the same from the beginning of the jear until the first of June."

## Michigan University-Continued.

XI. Phisical Sciences-Pirssics: Experimenta! lectures, theoretical physics, problems, adranced physics, laboratory work. CHEMISTRF: Laboratory methods, experimental lectures, cas analysis, kinetic theory of gases, qualitative analysis, organic chemistry, quantitative analrsis, physiological chemistry, assaying ores, linwpipe analrsis, original investigations, chemical technology. Astroxomy and Meteonoters: Theoretical astronomy, modern meteorologs, colestial mechanics, spherical and practical astronomy; course for time, latitude, and !ongitude.
XII. Mineralogy and Geology-Mineralogi: Short course, mineralogy and lithologs. GEOLOGY: Facts and doctrines, adranced geologj and palæontology, laboratory work, economic geology, geology of United States, comparatire eeology.
XIII. Biological Sciexces-Zoologr: Systematic zoology, study of vertebrates, of invertebrates, conchology; comparative anatomy and physiology, embryology. Botany: Cryptogamic botany, stractural botany and microscopr, forestry. Histology and Microscopy: Practical physiology and microscopy, animal physiology. Laboratory work throughout all the courses in biology.
XIV. Drayrisg: Geometrical, mechanical, freehand, topographical, architectural, and watercolor drawing.
XV. SuRVEILig: Use of instruments, U. S. survers, field work.
Xvi. Enginerbing-Civil Engineering: Strength and resistance of materials, theory of construction, graphical analysis of structures, design, mechanism, machine dynamics, hydranlics, stereotomy. Mechavical Engineering: Forging, prime movers, wood work, dynamics, thermodynamics, machine construction and mill work, steam engineering, pattern and forndry work. Mining Evgineemivg: Mining.
XVII. Metalluggy: Fuel and refractory material; metals, base and precions.
XVIII. MLsic: Choral music, harmons, counterpoint. masterpieces of choral composition.
XIX. Bibliography: Historical, material, and intellectual bibliography.

Colleges like Williams confine their efforts chiefly to the thorough intellectual and moral preparation of young men for the studies and duties of educated manhood; their graduates in some cases remain after acquiring the degree of "bachelor of arts," to study more extensively some subject or subjects in which they wish to become thoroughly versed; such graduate students often become tutors and assistants in the teaching corps, and may become professors in the college faculty.
It is usual in such colleges to confer the degree of "master of arts" upon bachelors of three rears' standing, who are pursuing farther studies or who are engaged in literary or educational work, if they apply therefor; but each college confers such master's degree "in course" only upon its own baccalaureates; masterships "honoris causa" are seldom conferred by reputable colleges, except upon professional or literary men of signal merit.
These colleges have generally a prescribed course for the first two or three years, with electives for the senior, or for both junior and senior years.
The following remarks in the Williams College announcement express so exactiy the general reasons for a required college curriculum, that they are quoted as the best possible explanation thereof:
This order of studies is so arranged that the trork of fresbman (first) rear is giren chiefly to the ancient languages and the mathematics. A close connection is thus maintained with the studies of the preparatory schools.
While the mathematics and the ancient languages form also a considerable part of the studies of the sophomore (second) jear, the natural sciences are introduced and
receive much attention during the remainder of the course. In the junior (third) year political science and modern literature are introduced; and the course has its culminating interest in the required studies of the senior (fourth) year, which relate principally to man himself as a physical, intellectual, moral, and religious being. In an important sense, the required studies of the senior year are a system by themselves.

The department of literature, science, and the arts of Michigan University provides courses of study enough to fill four jears or eight semesters, at the end of which successful candidates receive, according to the lines of work followed, one of the following degrees: bachelor of arts, bachelor of science (general), bachelor of philosophy, or bachelor of letters.

Five exercises a week during a semester, whether in reading and explanations, laboratory work, or lectures, constitute a full course of study; before presenting himself for a degree tho candidate must have accomplished the following amount of work:

| Degree. | Required courses. | Optional courses. | Total full courses. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Bachelor of arts | $10 \frac{2}{5}$ | $13 \frac{3}{5}$ | 24 |
| Bachelor of science | 135 | 121 | 26 |
| Bachelor of philosophy | 102 | $15 \frac{3}{\text { a }}$ | 26 |
| Bachelor of letters. | $8 \frac{4}{5}$ | 17\% | 26 |
| Bachelor of science (in chemistiy) | 24電 | $5 \frac{1}{6}$ | 30 |
| Bachelor of science (in ciril engineering) | 22t | 118 | 24 |
| Bachelor of science (in mechanical engineering) | 23 | 1 | 24 |
| Bachelor of science (in mining engineering), I. | 231 | 合 | 24 |
| Bachelor of science (in mining engineering), II. | 213 | $2{ }^{2}$ | 24 |

The four degrees last mentioned are preceded by courses of stady which might be called of a polytechnic, rather than of a university character.

All candidates for baccalaureates in arts, general science, philosophy, or letters, must pursue the prescribed studies during the first college year to the following extent each week:

| Stadies or subjects. | Arts. |  | Science. |  | Philosophy. |  | Letters. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Semester I. | Semester II | Semes. ter I. | Semes- <br> ter II. | Semes. ter I. | Semes- <br> ter II. | Semes. ter I. | Semester II. |
|  | Hours. | Hours. | Hours. | Hours. | Hours. | Hours. | Hours. | Hours. |
| Greek | 4 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Latin | 3 | 4 |  |  | 3 | 4 | . |  |
| Mathematics | 3 | 4 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 4 | 2 |  |
| French | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| English. | 2 |  |  | 2 | 2 |  |  | 2 |
| German. |  |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| History (or electire subjects) |  |  |  |  |  |  | 6 | 6 |
| Elective studies. |  |  | 5 | 2 |  |  |  |  |
| Total required...... | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 |

In other words, the first-year students must complete three and one-fifth fall courses in each semester.

During the second jear of collegiate attendance, the department of literature, science, and the arts requires the following studies, if not done as elective work in the first year:
Either Greek and Latin, or Greek and mathematics, or Latin and mathematics, or Latin, Greek, and mathematics ; mathematics, Latin, and Greek, respectively, be-
ing dropped in the first three cases, and the studies parsued being continued as "major" or "minor" studies in the third and fourth years of collegiate study.

The third and fourth years of the collegiate curriculum are occupied by elective studies, it being understood that candidates shall follow to some extent the courses which give names to the degrees conferred in this department.
The university offers advanced instruction in all the following subjects in this department: Classical languages and literature; mathematics; modern languages and literatures ; English and English literature; history ; philosophy ; pedagogics; political economy; sanitary science; international law; physical science; mineralogy and geology; biological science; drawing; surveying; engineering; metallurgy; bibliography; forestry ; ethics. In addition to the department of science, literature, and the arts, the university includes a department of medicine and surgery, a department of law, a school of pharmacy, a homœopathic medical college, and a college of dental surgery, each having a faculty of instruction charged with its special management. "The university senate is composed of all the faculties, and considers questions of common interest and importance to them all."
The libraries of the university are as follows (in 1884): (A) The general library, 42,364 volumes and 9,406 pamphlets; (B) the medical library, 2,636 volumes, 614 pamphlets, and files of 35 medical journals; (C) the law library, 4,500 volumes, etc., etc.
The museams of the university include nine collections, viz: (A) Fine arts and history; (B) zoology, archæology, and ethnology: (C) mineralogy; (D) geology; (E) botany; (F) applied chemistry; (G) medicine and surgery; (H) homœopathic medicine; (I) dental surgery.
The university has physical, chemical, geological, zoological, botanical, microscopical, histological, mechanical, physiological, and dental laboratories, all furnished with recent and abundant instruments, etc. The medical faculties are in charge of two hospitals, and there is a fine astronomical observatory, with a smaller one for use in instruction.
The University of Michigan, like many others, confers no degrees on ordinary graduates honoris causa. Master's degrees in arts, science, philosophy, and letters, and doctorates in philosophy, science, and letters, are conferred on bachelors who prosecute liberal studies in those several subjects after graduating as bachelors. Professional studies cannot be undertaken without passing preliminary examinations, and degrees in law, medicine, and pharmacy cannot be obtained until a final examination is passed.

## MOVEMENTS IN CERTAIN COLLEGES.

Harvard, Yale, Columbia, and Princeton may be regarded as in the stage of transformation from the college to the university.
The first two are now generally designated as universities, except in such legal instruments as require the corporate name for their validity. The president of Princeton said recently: "I have hitherto discouraged all proposals to make Princeton College a university. I am of opinion, however, that the time has now come for considering the question." In his report for 1882, President Barnard, of Columbia College, after calling attention to the great expansion of the college in trenty-five years, adds: "The college has thus taken on the functions and assumed the aspect of a university."
Prominent among the measures by which this transformation has been furthered is the substitution of electives for a uniform course of prescribed study. As stated in my last Report, Harrard was the first, and so far is the only one of the four, to extend this system to the entire undergraduate department. In the president's report for $1884-85$, it is announced that "with the change in the work of the freshman year the reason for the rule restricting the preliminary examination to prescribed subjects disappeared, and the faculty accordingly voted to allow a candidate to present himself in any subject, preseribed or elective."

As the board of overseers have not jet approved the decision of the faculty, preparatory schools are not affected by it, and the discussion which the Harvard experiment excites still turns, as last year, upon the significance of tho B. A. degree under the new conditions.

In his report for 1884-85, President Eliot presents a detailed analysis of the operations of the elective system, as illustrated by the work of 350 students for three jears each. With respect to the most important inquiries that have been raised as to the comparative advantages of prescribed and elective courses, he finds the evidence presented by this exhibit of work entirely farorable to the electives. With reference to the significance of the B. A. degree at Harrard, President Eliot says :
It does not mean that all bachelors of arts have passed through the same course of studies in college; and since the action taken in 1884, which made three-fifths of the work of the freshman year elective, it does not mean that all bachelors of the same year hare necessarily studied together while in college any subject except rhetoric and English composition and the barest elements of chemistry and physics. It does mean that all bachelors of arts have spent from seven to ten years, somewhere between the ages of twelve and twenty-three, in liberal studies. They hare all learned at school the elements of three languages besides English-namelr, Greek, Latin, and French or German-the elements of mathematics and physics, a little ancient history, and something of English literature. Ther must also have gone, while at school, somewhat beyond the elements in at least two of the four subjects, Greek, Latin, mathenatics, and physical science. At college they must lave added the elements of a fourth language-German or French-to the three studies at school, besides pursuing the few prescribed stadies above mentioned; and they must further hare spent three rears and a half upon a prescribed quantity of liberal studies, each person having been at liberty to select his own subjects of studr during those three years and a half, and all studies being accounted liberal which are pursued in the scientific spirit for truth's sake. Such being the comprehensire signification of its degree of bachelor of arts, the unirersity has no occasion for the great variety of special courses, with degrees in letters, philosophy, political science, journalism, and so forth, which other institutions have established. Erery student makes his own course for three years and a half, and the common goal of all courses of liberal study is the degree of bachelor of arts.

According to the report of the executive committee of the Society of the Yale Alumni for $1 E 85$, the chief change the past jear in the internal economy of the academical department of the college has been the enlargement of the list of elective studies in the junior, and especially in the senior class. At the end of the year's trial it may be reported that the new scheme is almost unanimously approved by the faculty. It is especially noticeable that a great namber of the students, the most of them seniors, have, without suggestion from their instructors, voluntarily extended their stadies bejond, and in not a few cases far bejond, the limit which the rules require them to reach.

In both Harrard and Yale inducements to concentration of work are offered in a system of honors.

A uniform curriculum is presented at Columbia College for the freshman and sophomore rears, with French and Gerran elective. The junior and senior stadents have a wide range of electives. A tabular view of the students' selections is presented in the annual report for 1885 , with reference to which President Barnard observes:

In examining the foregoing statement it appears that the study which has commanded the preference of the largest number, in both the classes in which there is freedom of choice, is the Greek. This is a little remarkable in view of the activity of the effort recently made to deprire this language of the prominent place it has so long held among the acknowledged essentials of a liberal education. * * * Mathematics is the study which, among the limited number once supposed to comprise all the essentials of a liberal education, commands the preference of the smallest number of mature students free to choose; because the capacity to grasp and follow a difficult train of mathematical reasoning is a rare endowment, and only such as possess that capacity, at least in some degree, will voluntarily undertake that study.

The age of the students who are left to the exercise of a free choice in studies is a condition that ought not to be overlooked.

President Eliot notes that the average age for admission to Harvard was below 18 until 1860, and below $18 \frac{1}{2}$ until 1873; that in the next 10 years it rose gradually to 19, and that since 1882 it has fallen a little.

The average age of the graduating class at Yale is stated to be little over 22 years and 7 months, which would make the average age of admission between 18 and 19 .

In his report for 1880, President Barnard stated "that the average age of graduation in Columbia College is now between 21 and 22 years, and further, from the exact statements in regard to the extreme and mean ages of matriculates in Columbia College, which have accompanied the annual reports for many jears past, it appears as an ascertained fact that the average age of our entire student body is upward of 19 years, with a slight tendency to increase; also, that the average age of admission is over 17 years."

Altogether, limited electives in the colleges specified do not appear to have impaired the quality of their instruction, nor to hare affected materially the position of mathematics and the classics as instruments of intellectual discipline. It is yet too early in the experiment for a final judgment as to the effects of full electives as adopted at Harvard.

It must be remembered that the institutions here considered belong to the first order as regards endowments and other material resources, the number in their faculties, their prestige, patronage, and all other conditions favorable to the maintenance of high standards, and to the judicious and successful conduct of experiments. In colleges less favorably placed, having limited resources, little prestige, and an uncertain hold upon patronage, there is reason to fear that the elective system may operate to the detriment of thorough scholarship.

Changes in the admission requirements, in the average age of college students, in the conduct of studies, and the modes of discipline, are important features of recent college history in our country, and have an unmistakable bearing upon the development of the university organization; but the record of graduate departments affords the best evidence of the demand which exists for university provision, or at least of the extent to which students are now ready to avail themselves of this provision in this country.

## GRADUATE DEPARTMENTS.

Table IX gives a total of 869 graduate students; information received since the completion of the table increases the number slightly; of these, nearly three-fifths are distributed among eleven colleges and universities, reporting each fifteen or more resident graduate students.

These institutions, with the namber of their graduate students and the scholastic degrees attained by them before entering upon the graduate course, so far as reported, are as follows:

Johns Hopkins, 174, including 37 fellows. Of these, 120 had received either a bachelor's degree, or degree of master of arts, and 37 had received first and second degrees. In the case of 17 no degrees are mentioned.

Harvard, 80 graduate students and fellows, of whom 63 were bachelors of arts. science, etc., or masters of arts, and 17 had received first and second degrees.

Princeton, 66 ; the degree attained by these are not specified, but in order to be admitted to the course they must have attained at least a bachelor's degree.

Yale, 37 , of whom 34 were bachelors or masters of arts, 2 had received first and second degrees, and one was an ensign of the U. S. Nary.

Cornell, 29 , including 7 fellows; 24 had attained a first degree, and 5 first and second degrees.

Vanderbilt, 29, representing 17 first degrees and 12 first and second degrees.
Columbia College, 23 ; Boston University, College of Liberal Arts, 20 ; Lehigh University, 17; University of Michigan, 15; University of Minnesota, 15. All of these had prefiously attained the bachelor of arts degree or some other first derree.

The University of Virginia, it will be seen, is not included in the foregoing consideration, although, as is well known, it bears an important part in the maintenance of a high order of scholastic work in this country. The peculiar organization of this University makes it difficult to include any part of its work in a scheme of comparison adapted to other institutions of similar standing.
The courses of instruction in Virginia, as in other American universities, are academical and professional; the former are comprised in two departments, the literary and the scientific; the latter, in the fourdepartments of medicine, law, engineering, and agriculture. In the varions departments there are nineteen schools, among which, without regard to the departments, the student is at liberty to elect those he may wish to attend, limited only in respect of lectares occurring at the same hours, and by a regulation concerning the number of schools to be attended by academical students. The academic degrees, conferred only upon examination, are as follows: Certificate of distinction, certificate of proficiency, diploma of graduation, bachelor of letters, bachelor of science, bachelor of philosophy, bachelor of arts, doctor of letters, doctor of science, doctor of philosophy, and master of arts.
The last is conferred upon one who has graduated in Latin, Greek, French, German, moral philosophs, pure mathematics, natural philosophy, and general chemistry.
From the catalogue it appears that in July, 1884, this degree was conferred upon ten candidates, and in July, 1885, the degree of master of arts and the degree of doctor of philosophy upon one candidate each.
The Illinois Wesleran University has established non-resident and post-graduate courses of study, for the purpose of affording a tolerably fall course of academic reading to those who cannot attend a college, and to offer an inducement to graduates to prosecute studies for the purpose of earning adranced degrees. With reference to these courses, Dr. C. M. Moss, the dean of the university, writes:
The examinations on each course last from two to three weeks of steady writing, and are as searching as we can consistently make them, considering the fact that the work is done without lectures. We exact a passing figure of $80 \frac{1}{2}$, and great stress is laid on the final thesis. We have rejected applicants several times within the past fire years whose examination work passed, but whose final theses did not show that originality and vigor of thinking which we expect and demand.

No person is admitted to the adranced courses who has not a preliminary degree, and that from a list of accredited colleges which omits half of the schools of the country granting the bachelor's degree. Wie beliere we are more particular about this matter than most of the colleges offering post-graduate work in residence.

The total namber now matriculated for A. M. and Ph.D. is 80 . The number matriculated for Ph . B. is 213 . Many of these expect to take up further courses. It ought to be added that we do not matriculate any one for $\mathrm{Ph} . \mathrm{B}$. Who does not make a statement that attendauce upon college is impossible. Anyway, most of them are ministers, lawyers, physicians, etc., for whom attendance is impossible by reason of their occapation.

## dr. m. b. anderson on the untversity of the mineteenth centery.

In connection with the subject of university development in the United States, the following extract from an address by President M. B. Anderson, of the Rochester University, deserve special attention:
That which seems to me to make the special feature in the German universitr system is the full and ample provision for a course of lectures for those who design to make literature or science a profession, or to engage in the profession of public instruction. In this respect the Germans, and all the nations of continental Europe, are immensely in adrance of us. While we make provision for professional instruction in the departments of law, theology, and medicine, we make none whatever for the teacher beyond what he acquires in the college course or by his own unaided efforts. We do not need, then, to replace our colleges by a system like that of a German unirersity, for without the preceding class-room drill stadents would not be prepared to avail themselves of the advantages which it would offer. Such a change would destroy the foundation upon which all sound education must rest. We need our college system. It is doing good work. It is a natural, indigenous growth. It is adjusted to us, and we are adjusted to it. Let it be retained as a system unchanged, but im-
proved in its details, adapted with wisdom to the growth and differentiation of all knowledge. Let it be rendered more and more efficient, liberal, and complete. It furnishes a good foundation. Let us strengthen and build upon it, but not destroy it.

What do we need in the way of enlargement of this system? We need professional instruction in science and general literature for those who, having passed through the college course with special honors, shall desire to devote themselves to public instruction or to the increase and diffusion of knowledge. This would secure us a body of men prepared for scientific and historical investigation, and furnish us what we most need-adequately trained teachers for our academies and colleges. It would also tend to elevate and dignify the teacher's profession, and ultimately to secure for it rewards in some degree commensurate with those earned in other learned professions. In order to make this provision available, we need a number of fellowships attached to every college, which shall be attainable only by men who, by their success in study, have shown a decided vocation for scholarship. The enjoyment of the revenue of these endowments should be conditioned also on spending in special study a time equivalent to what is spent in preparation for the learned professions.
Provision for higher instruction and the endowment of temporary fellowships would be the natural complements of each other. Worthy pupils would be thus furnished for the higher course of instruction which we have had in view.

In order to elevate the regular college course, we need a healthy public opinion which shall compel professional schools to require for admission to their studies a disciplinary education equal to that furnished by an average American college or a German gymnasium. As we are now situated, the theological seminaries alone require as requisites to admission a college course or a substantial equivalent. Neither the schools of law, medicine, nor general science require a preliminary liberal education. Young men who are graduates do enter upon these studies, but, in most of such schools, no examination for entrance, nor any evidence of the possession of a respectable disciplinary education, is asked for. As a result, only a small portion of such professional students are college graduates, or make pretension to any acquisitions worthy the name of liberal education. Those who control such professional schools by their practice advertise to the world that neither law, nor medicine, nor general science demands any more training than the common handicraft trades or farming. It is true that intelligent gentlemen in all these professions deplore this state of things, and the depression of professional ability consequent upon it, but in the professional schools which are carried on as private speculations the interest of the teachers is more powerful than the often-expressed wishes of the more intelligent members of those professions for which their pupils are training.

It is a sad fact that the most depressing influences bearing upon college education in our country come from the schools of physical science, law, and medicine. Among professional schools, those of theology alone steadily encourage and support high education. It may be worthy the attention of all well educated lawyers and physicians that, while the average standard of education for all other classes in society is constantly rising, the standard in these two noble professions, is, on the whole, going relatively downward. The large income returned by teachers of law and medicine is not seldom a measure of this depression. In most European countries Government remedies the evil tendency to which we have referred by stringent enactments. The reason why the higher institutions of learning in most European countries are so thronged with students, is due to the fact that no school-master can teach, no lawyer or physician can practice, without the best education, both general and professional, which the country can afford. It is not my purpose to point out the remedy for these evils. I only wish to call attention to their existence.

## COLLEGES WHOSE MAIN WORK IS IN THE UNDERGRADUATE DEPARTMENT.

While peculiar interest attaches to the colleges and universities that take the lead in promoting the highest order of intellectual effort, it must not be forgotten that this work itself depends upon the general condition of the undergraduate work throughout the country.

The colleges whose force is mainly expended here include some of the oldest and most influential colleges in the country, and a still larger number of young and emall colleges of a class very aptly characterized by Dr. McCosh, of Princeton, in a recent address as follows:

Most of these young colleges are serving good purpose. They all do so, so far as they give solid, and not superficial knowledge; so far as they teach thoroughly the fundamental and disciplinary branches of literature, science, and philosophy, and also impart religious instruction to give a higher tone to the mind. They draw a number of young men from their vicinity who never could be allured to more
distant and expensive places. If they cannot impart a wide and varied culture, they often give a substantial training. It is a happy circumstance that in almost all these colleges religion is jnculcated; and ther may bo the means of compelling our larger colleges not to abandon it, when they might be led to do so by the pressure of the times.

Theso colleges change littlo from year to scar, but the record of a period of years shows many evidences of growth. Increase in the number of students is more noticeable in the southern and western than in the eastern colleges. Roanoke College, Virginia, which reported 76 students in 1880 , reports 108 in 1850 ; the University of North Carolina increased in the same time from 171 to 207 ; Wofford College, South Carolina, from 83 to 124 ; the Unirersity of Georgia, from 83 to 184 ; Emory College, Georgia, from 141 to 189 ; the Unirersity of Tennessee, from 154 to 180.

The following table shows for a number of colleges the increase in property valuation, or productive funds, or both, from 1880 to 1885 :

| Institution. | Talue of grounds, buildings, and apparatus. |  | Amount of productive funds. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1830. | 1885. | 1880. | 1885. |
| Cnirersity of Georgia | \$200,000 | \$203, 000 | \$372,000 | \$374, 000 |
| Bowdoin College, Maine |  |  | 260,000 | 345, 000 |
| Amherst College, Massachusetts | 400, 000 | 4E6,000 | 411,000 | 700,000 |
| Williams College, Massachusett | 200, 000 | 400,000 | 315, 000 | 510,000 |
| Dartmouth College, New Hampshir |  |  | 500,000 | 600,000 |
| Mayville College, Tennessee | 50,000 | 75,000 | 14,000 | 112, 000 |
| Washington and Lee University, Tir | 150,000 | 190, 000 | 150,000 | 4:5,0C0 |
| Beloit College, Wisconsin | 80,000 | 110, 000 | 144,000 | 185,000 |

Improvement in the college curriculum is a subject that deserves particular consideration. I can do no more than suggest that it is particularly noticeable in the methods of classical instruction, and in the increased attention given to the study of English.

The year under revier completes the first half century of Marietta College, Ohio, whose history illustrates that of many Christian colleges in our country. In a brief summary of that history, President Andrews says:

The name of college was given to it by the legislature in 1835 , and there were two college classes in the autumn of that rear. At the beginning there were four departments of instruction, each in charge of a permanent professor. There mere the departments of moral and intellectnal philosophy, of the Greek and Latin languages, of mathematics and natural philosophr, and of logic, rhetoric and political economr. There was not at first a distinct department of natural science, though instruction was giren in chemistrs, etc., by the professor of natural philosophy. In this Marietta Tas not an exception; at that rery time the juniors in Williams College recited in chemistry to a tutor. and heard a few lectures from a professor. But in 1840 provision was made for regular instruction in chemistry and mineralogr, and in 1846 this department mas established by the election of a permanent professor. From that time to this, with the exception of two years, the time of one professor has been devoted to this class of studies.

At the celebration of the twentr-fifth annirersary in 1860, the whole number of volumes in the college and society libraries was 17,000. There were then only fifteen colleges in the United States that reported a larger number. According to the last Report of the United Sitates Commissioner of Education, of 362 colleges reported, 12 have more books than Narietta, 2 hare the same number, and 347 have less. Our total is now somerhat larger than at the date of the Commissioner's Report, being 33,000 rolumes. At the 150th anniversary of Yale College, President Woolsey gave the number of rolumes in their college library as 22,000 . At our 50 th annirersary we report, exclusire of the societies, 20,000. The library of Marietta College has been growing more and more raluable in the line of American, and especially Ohio, his-
tory, there being but few libraries in the West that surpass it. And if, by and by, there shall come to its shelves and alcoves other collections of books, pamphlets, and manuscripts which are confidently expected, it will be in some respects unequaled.

This glance at the early work of some of our colleges of highest repute shows that almost all their instruction was at first by tutors instead of professors. Often these tutors began their teaching immediately after their own graduation. The difference between permanent and temporary instructors was the same then as now, and it was a great improvement in a college when students received their instruction from permanent professors. At Marietta there has been no occasion for this change, as nearly all the instruction has been professorial from the beginning. In the first catalogue isstued every study now thought essential to a liberal education is enumerated. Even the German is not omitted; and through almost the whole history of the college German has been studied, either as required or optional. Political science has also had a prominent place. Complaint is made that in many colleges little or no attention has been given to studies of a governmental and economic character. Whatever may be true of other colleges, Marietta is certainly not open to this charge. These branches have always been taught here, and for the last quarter of a century ther have been made specially prominent.

The greater the permanence of the students, the larger the number of seniors as compared with the freshmen. For our 48 years the seniors have been to the freshmen as 70 to 100 ; or, expressed with respect to the number admitted, it, is found that the graduates are 63 per cent. of the whole number matriculated. The same ratio is found in Williams College for the 60 years from 1820 to 1880 . It is beliered that in very few colleges in the country has there been so little falling off between the beginning and close of the course.

There is an impression very prevalent that students often enter college too joung; that they need maturity of years in order to profit by the course of study; and, therefore, other things being equal, the older students derive more adrantage than the jounger. Our experience of 50 years does not confirm this. This experience shows that when a lad is well prepared for entrance-can pass a good examination on the required studies-he is old enough to do the college work. The average age of our alumni is about 22.7 years. The average age of those who have held the first rank in their respective classes is 22.4 ; and, if we leave out 10 whose age at graduation was 25 and upwards, the age of the others is 21.3 ; that is, the average age of three-fourths of those who have held the highest place in scholarship is a fraction over 21 jears.

EVENTS OF THE YEAR.
An unusual number of college presidents have resigned during the year.
Hon. Leland Stanford, United States Senator from California, has devoted a large part of his fortune to the endowment of a new university. The gift includes lands valued at about $\$ 5,000,000$, with a money endowment not yet stated. The site chosen for the university is the Palo Alto estate near San Francisco. The formal transfer of the estates to the trustees of the university was made November 14th.

## CATALOGUES OF AMERICAN COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES.

The American college has fallen into the habit of publishing little else of itself, its methods, work, results, or alumni, than appears in its annual and triennial or general catalogues. When the historical work of this Office was commenced in this direction, it was found that a considerable number of colleges had not complete sets of their own catalogues. Harvard, under President Eliot, and some older colleges are uow giving the public more definite reports. State universities and colleges of agriculture, in accordance with law, generally publish somerrhat fully the factsin their administration from jear to year, but the American college annual catalogue is much the same in all cases. In the triennial or general catalogue there is greater diversity. There is a general demand for the results of college education. What have the colleges accomplished? How far does the triennial or general catalogue give the information desired? In order to bring into the smallest possible space the data contained in these general catalogues, I have had those sent this Office carefully examined and the data grouped in the accompanying tables.

If any college is omitted, it is because its catalogue is not in the possession of the Office. It should be borne in mind that the effort in making this collection of data
is not to show tho work of our colleges，or what their alumni have accomplished，but to exhibit what they report for themselres．It may bo added that generally the re－ sults bere pacsented are obtained by an amount of careful，painstaking examination that readers in general hare not time to bestow upon a collego catalogne，and there－ fore，as a rule，the catalogues would not jield to the public the information pre－ sonted in the accompanying exhibit．

With regrard to the meaning of the word＂alumni＂there are differences of usage； some college authorities include in the term all former students，others only those who have bcen graduated．

Statistics of the alumni of colleges

|  | Name of institution. | Location. |  |  |  |  | ジ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 1 | Southern Univ | Greensbor | 1884-'85 a | 1860-'83 | 86 | 75 | 11 |
| 2 | Howard College | Marion, Ala | 1881-'82 a | 1848-'82 | 163 | 134 | 29 |
| 3 | College of St. Augustine | Benicia, Cal | 1883 a | 1872-'83 | 58 | 54 | 4 |
| 4 | University of California...... | Berkeley, Cal | 1883 a | 1870-'83 | 342 | 332 | 10 |
| 5 | St. Mary's College. | San Francisco, Cal .. | 1877-'78 $\boldsymbol{a}$ | 1872-'78 | 47 |  |  |
| 6 | Santa Clara College | Santa Clara, Cal | 1882-'83 a | 1857-'82 | 103 |  |  |
| 7 | Pacific Methodist College | Santa Rosa, Cal. | 1881-'82 a | 1863-'81 | 87 | 79 | 8 |
| 8 | Hesperian College. | Woodland, Cal. | 1883-'84 a | 1870-'83 | 55 | 53 | 2 |
| 9 | Trinity College. | Hartford, Conn | $1880 \mathrm{~g}, \mathrm{l}$ | 1827-'79 | 818 | 595 | 223 |
| 10 | Wesleyan University | Middletown, Conn .. | 1881-'83 | 1833-'81 | 1,291 | 1, 047 | 244 |
| 11 | Yale College | New Haven, Conn .. | $1883 t, l$ | 1702-1882 | 9,625 | 4,392 | 5, 233 |
| 12 | University of Georgia | Athens, Ga | 1785-1876 g | 1785-1876 | 1,388 | 980 | 408 |
| 13 | Atlanta University. | Atlanta, Ga | 1882-'83 a | 1876-'82 | 33 | 30 | 3 |
| 14 | Emory College. | Oxford, Ga | 1884-85 a | 1841-'83 | 716 | 566 | 150 |
| 15 | Hedding College. | Abingdon, 11. | 1883-'84 a | 1867-'84 | 112 | 104 | 8 |
| 16 | Illinois Wesleyan University.. | Bloomington, Ill.... | 1883-'84 a | 1853-'83 | 224 | 209 | 15 |
| 17 | Eureka College | Eureka, 11. | 1883-'84 a | 1860-'83 | 121 | 115 | 6 |
| 18 | Knox College | Galesbarg, m | 1882-'83 $a$ | 1846-'82 | 522 | 475 | 47 |
| 19 | Lomhard University | Galesbarg, Il | 1883-'84 a | 1856-'83 | 174 | 153 | 21 |
| 20 | McKendree College | Lebanon, I | 1882-'83 a | 1841-'82 | 409 | 353 | 56 |
| 21 | Lincoln University | Lincoln, Il | 1883-'84 a | 1868-'83 | 138 |  |  |
| 22 | Monmouth College | Monmouth, | 1883-'84 a | 1858-'83 | 640 | 582 | 58 |
| 23 | Augustana College | Rock Island, 11 | 1884-'85 a | 1860-'85 | ..... |  |  |
| 24 | Shurtleff College | Upper Alton, Ill .... | 1836-'77 | 1836-'77 | *162 |  |  |
| 25 | Ilinois Industrial University. | Urbana, Il | 1883-'84 a | 1872-'83 | 364 | 356 | 8 |
| 26 | Indiana University | Bloomington, Ind ... | 1884-'85 a | 1830-'84 | 679 | 584 | 95 |
| 27 | Wabash College. | Crawfordsville, Ind. | 1883-'84 $a$ | 1838-'83 | 435 | 364 | 71 |
| 28 | Franklin College | Franklin, Ind....... | 1884 Jubilee | 1847-'84 | 61 | 7 | 54 |
| 29 | DePauw University | Greeucastle, Ind | 1883-'84 $\boldsymbol{\sim}$ | 1840-'84 | 905 | 812 | 93 |
| 30 | Hanover College. | Hanover, Ind | 1833-'83 g | 1833-'83 | 495 | 382 | 113 |
| 31 | Hartsville College | Hartsville, Ind...... | 1883-'84 a | 1859-'83 | 58 | 54 | 4 |
| 32 | Butler University. | Irvington, Ind ...... | 1883-'84 $a$ | 1856-'83 | 208 | 183 | 25 |
| 33 | Union Christian College | Merom, Ind. | 1882-'83 a | 1864-'81 | 37 |  |  |
| 34 | Mooro's Kill College. | Moore's Hill, Ind ... | 1884-'85 a | 1858-'84 | 133 | 121 | 12 |
| 35 | Eariham College. | Richmond, Ind..... | 1881-'82 a | 1862-'83 | 140 | 128 | 12 |
| 36 | Griswold College. | Davenport, Iowa.. | 1881-'82 a | 1863-'81 | 45 |  |  |
| 37 | Luther College. | Decorah, Iowa...... | 1884-'85 a | 1866-'84 | 163 | 154 | 9 |
| 38 | Upper Iowa University....... | Fayette, Iowa . . . . . | 1881-82 a | 1862-'82 | 56 | 53 | 3 |
| 39 | Iowa College................... | Grinnell, Iowa . . . . . | 1883-'84 $t, l$ | 1854-'83 | 230 | 227 | 3 |
| 40 | Simpson Centenary College... | Indianola, Iowa .... | 1882-'83 a | 1870-'82 | 188 | 183 | 5 |
| 41 | State University of Iowa..... | Iowa City, Iowa.... | 1882-'83 a | 1882-'83 | 226 |  |  |
| 42 | Iowa Wesleyan University.... | Mount Pleasant, Iowa. | 1879-'80 g | 1856-'79 | 262 | 243 | 19 |

* Collogiate, 162; theological, 36.
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|  | Name of institution. | Location. |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1 | 2 | \% | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 43 | Cornell College | Mount Vernon, Iowa | 1881-82 a | 1853-81 | 222 | 206 | 16 |
| 44 | Oskaloosa College | Oskaloosa, Iowa | 1883-84 a | 1867-'84 | c6 | 63 | 3 |
| 45 | Penn College | Oskaloosa, Iowa | 1883-84 a | 1875-88 | 38 |  |  |
| 46 | Western College. | Toledo, Iowa.. | 1883 a | 1864-'83 | 78 | 74 | 4 |
| 47 | Baker University. | Bald win, Kans ...... | 1883-84 a | 1860-83 | 44 |  |  |
| 48 | Center College. | Danville, Ky.. | 1881-'82 g, l | 1819-82 | 873 | 023 | 50 |
| 49 | Eminence College. | Eminence, Ky | 1881-82 a | 1860-80 | 172 |  |  |
| 50 | Kentacky Military Institute.. | Farmãale, $\mathrm{K} y$. | 1883 a | 1851-'83 | 321 |  |  |
| 51 | Georgetown College .......... | Georgetomn, Ky | 1884-85 a | 1832-84 | 360 | 298 | 68 |
| 52 | Kentacky Weslegan Colloge.. | Millersburg, Ky . | 1882-83 a | 1868-83 | 66 | 63 | 3 |
| 53 | Bethel College ............. | Russellville, Ky.. | 1884-85a | 1857-¢ 8 | 83 | 69 | 14 |
| 54 | Louisiana State University ... | Baton Rouge, La | 1882-'83 a | 1863-82 | 60 |  |  |
| 55 | Centenary College | Jackson, La. | 1882-83 a | 1827-'82 | 235 | 163 | 2 |
| 56 | New Orleans University. | New Orleans, La | 1884-85a | 1878-85 | 12 |  |  |
| 57 | Straight University. | New Orleans, La | 1882-83 a | 1876-83 | 90 | 88 | 2 |
| 58 | Bowdoin Collego.. | Brunswick, Me | 1881 g , l | 1806-'81 | 2,028 | 1,265 | 763 |
| 59 | Bates College. | Lewiston, Me | 1884-85 $t$ | 1867-'84 | 365 | 349 | 16 |
| co | Colby University | Waterville, Me | 1882 g | 1820-82 | ${ }^{3} 3$ | 194 | 536 |
| 61 | Johns Hopkins University. | Baltimore, Md ...... | 1884 report. | 1878-84 | 133 |  |  |
| 62 | Mit. St. Mary's College.. | Emmittsburg, Md... | 1881-82 $a$ | 1830-82 | 337 | 301 | 36 |
| 63 | New Windsor College and Fe male College. | Nerw Windsor, Md.. | 1885-86 a | 1879-85 | 34 |  |  |
| 64 | Western Maryland College.... | Westminster, Md | 1882-83 a | 1871-83 | 133 | 129 | 4 |
| 65 | Amherst College............. | Amherst, Mass | 1885 g | 1822-84 | 2,832 | 2,045 | 787 |
| 65 | Harvard College. | Cambridge, Mass | 1880 t, $l$ | 1642-1880 | 9,526 | 3,574 | 5,952 |
| 67 | Williams College | Wiiliamstown, Mass. | 1880 g | 1795-1880 | 2, 601 | 1, 559 | 1,042 |
| 63 | Adrian College... | Adrian, Mich ....... | 1882-83 a | 1858-'81 | \$167 | 158 | 9 |
| 69 | Albion College............... | Albion, Mich........ | 1883-84a | 1853-80 | 259 | 243 | 16 |
| 70 | University of Michigan....... | Ann Arbor, Mich ... | 1844-'80 Univer'syBook. | 1844-80 | 6,662 | 6, 384 | 278 |
| 71 | Battle Creek College. | Battle Creek, Mrich | 1880-81 a | 1879-81 | 24 |  |  |
| 72 | Hope College .. | Holland City, Mich . | 1884-'85 a | 1866-84 | 108 | 101 | 7 |
| 73 | Oliret College. | Olivet, Mrich ........ | 1883-84 $a$ | 1863-83 | 171 | 163 | 8 |
| 74 | University of Minnesota | Minneapolis, Minn.. | 1882-83 a | 1873-82 | 161 | 158 | 3 |
| 75 | University of Mississippi..... | Oxford, Miss ........ | 1883 | 1851-81 | 720 | 610 | 0 |
| 76 | Christian University.. | Canton, Mo ......... | 1884-85a | 1857-82 | 121 | 109 | , |
| 77 | Central College ......... | Fayette, Mo ........ | 1883-84 a | 1859-83 | 46 | 44 | 2 |
| 78 | Westminster College... | Fulton, Mo....... | 1874-75a | 1855-74 | 89 |  |  |
| 79 | La Grange College. | La Grange, Mo...... | 1883-84a | 1870-83 | 96 | 93 | 3 |
| $\varepsilon 0$ | Morrisrille College.. | Morrisville, Mo ..... | 1883-84 a | 1876-84 | 41 |  |  |
|  | Washington University | St. | 1883-'8 | 1862- | 4430 |  |  |

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$\ddagger$ Classified according to degrees given. Non-graduates not included.
§ Musical gradnates not includeci.
if The 67 whose occupations are giren are graduates of the Polstechuic School.

Statistics of the alumni of colleges and

|  | Napo of institution. | Location. |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 82 | Drury College | Springfield, Mo | 1884-85 a | 1875-'85 | 61 | 60 | 1 |
| 83 | Stewartsville College | Stewartsrille, Mo... | 1884-'85 a | 1879-'85 | 16 |  |  |
| 84 | Doane College | Crete, Nebr.. | 1884-'85 a | 1877-'83 | 23 |  |  |
| 85 | Unirersity of Nebraska | Lincoln, Nebr | 1883-'84 a | 1873-83 | 63 | 60 | 3 |
| 86 | Dartmouth College. | Hanover, 2 . H | 1880 g | 1771-1880 | 6, 010 | 3,220 | 2, 790 |
| 87 | College of New Jersey | Princeton, N. J | 1881 g , l | 1748-1881 | 5, 439 | 3,190 | 2, 249 |
| 88 | Seton Hall College. | South Orange, N. J.. | 1879 a | 1862-79 | 124 |  |  |
| 89 | Alfred University | Alfred Center, N. Y. | 1876 g | 1836-76 | 437 | 387 | 50 |
| 90 | St. Stephen's College | Annandale, N. Y. | 1883-'84 a | 1861-'83 | 160 | 146 | 14 |
| 01 | Wells College | Aurora, N. | 1883-'84 a | 1869-'83 | 61 | 60 | 1 |
| 92 | Brooklyn Collegiate and Polytechnic Institate. | Brooklyn, N.Y...... | 1882-'83 a | 1858-'80 | 308 |  |  |
| 93 | St.Lawrence University...... | Canton, N. Y. | 1879-'80 $t$ | 1861-'79 | 260 | 244 | 16 |
| 94 | Hamilton College | Clinton, N. Y | 1880 g | 1814-'80 | 2, 204 | 1,689 | 515 |
| 95 | Elmira College. | Elmira, N. Y. | 1880-'81 a | 1850-'80 | 228 | 200 | 28 |
| 96 | Hobart College................. | Genera, N. Y | $1879 \mathrm{~g}, \mathrm{l}$ | 1825-79 | 1,188 | 1,030 | 158 |
| 97 | Cornell University. | Ithaca, N. $\overline{\text { I }}$ | 1883Sup.Cat. | 1869-'83 | 897 |  |  |
| 98 | Ingham University. | Le Roy, N. Y | 1875 g * | 1840-'75 | 329 | 288 | 41 |
| 99 | College of St. Francis Xavier . | New York, N. Y | 1883-'85 a | 1861-'83 | 400 | 358 | 42 |
| 100 101 | College of the City of New York. <br> Columbia College | New York, N. Y.... New York, N. Y.... | $1882-83 a$ 1882 g | 1853-'82 | 1,042 7,287 | 6, 020 | 101 267 |
| 102 | Manhattan College | New York, N. Y | 1882-'83 a | 1866-'82 | 201 |  |  |
| 103 | Rutgers Female College | New York, N. Y.... | 1867-'68 a | 1840-'c6 | 398 | 72 | 26 |
| 104 | University of the City of New York. | New York, N. Y.... | 1882 g | 1833-'81 | 879 | 706 | 173 |
| 105 | Vassar College. | Poughkeepsie, N. Y. | 1883 g | 1861-'83 | 566 | 539 | 27 |
| 106 | University of Rochester | Rochester, $\mathrm{N} . \mathrm{X} . .$. | 1879 g | 1850-'79 | 667 | 603 | 64 |
| 107 | Union College. | Schenectady, N. Y.. | 1797-1884 | 1797-1884 | 6,694 | 4,167 | 2,527 |
| 103 | North Carolina College | Mt. Pleasant, N.C.. | 1884-'85 a | 1871-'84 | 23 | 20 | 3 |
| 109 | Shaw University | Raleigh, N. C . ...... | 1875-'82 g | 1878-'81 | 32 |  |  |
| 110 | Ratherford College........... | Ratherford College, N. U. | 1881-82 a | 1873-'82 | 46 |  |  |
| 111 | Trinity College ................ | Trinity College, N.C. | 1882-'83 a | 1853-'82 | 272 | 241 | 31 |
| 112 | Buchtel College. | Akron, Ohio ........ | 1881-'82 $a$ | 1873-'80 | 63 |  |  |
| 113 | Baldwin University | Berea, Ohio ......... | 1882-'83 a | 1850-'83 | 271 | 151 | 20 |
| 114 | St. Joseph's College . | Cincinnati, Ohio .... | 1883-84 a | 1874-'83 | 21 |  |  |
| 115 | University of Cincinnati. | Cincinnati, Ohio .... | 1883-'84 a | 1877-'83 | 48 |  |  |
| 116 | Belmont College . | College Hill, Ohio... | 1883-84 a | 1847-'83 | 148 | 115 | 33 |
| 117 | Ohio Wesleyan University... | Delaware, Ohio ..... | 1842-'80 g | 1842-'80 | $\dagger 809$ | 752 | 57 |
| 118 | Denison Cniversity. | Granville, Ohio ..... | 1831-'81 g | 1831-'81 | 260 | 235 | 25 |
| 119 | Hiram College. | Hiram, Ohio ........ | 1881-'82 a | 1869-'82 | 73 |  |  |
| 120 | Marietta College. | Marietta, Ohio.. | 1835-'82 g | 1835-'82 | 534 | 425 | 109 |

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† Ohio Wesleyan Female College from 1855 to 1877, inclusive, not reckoned in this summary.

Statistics of the alumni of colleges and

|  | Name of institution. | Location. |  |  | Number of alumni. | Number of alumni living. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1 | $\boldsymbol{2}$ | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 121 | Franklin College | New Athens, Ohio.. | 1881-'82 $a$ | 1826-'79 | 344 | 261 | 83 |
| 122 | Muskingum College | New Concord, Ohio . | 1882-83 a | 1839-'82 | 205 | 113 | 92 |
| 123 | Oberlin College | Oberlin, Ohio | 1833-'83 a | 1833-'83 | 2,081 | 1, 774 | 307 |
| 124 | Heidelberg College | Tiffin, Ohio | 1884-'85 a | 1854-'84 | 268 | 241 | 27 |
| 125 | Urbana University | Urbana, Ohio | 1884-'85 a | 1871-'83 | 19 |  |  |
| 120 | Otterbein University | Westerville, Ohio... | 1885 quadr | 1857-'84 | 258 | 236 | 22 |
| 127 | Wilberforce University | Wilberforce, Ohio... | 1881-'83 $t$ | 1870-'83 | 47 |  |  |
| 8 | University of Wooster | Wooster, Ohio | 1882-'83 a | 1871-'83 | 315 | 302 | 13 |
| 129 | Corvallis College. | Corvallis, Oreg | 1870-80 a | 1870-80 | 47 | 45 | 2 |
| 130 | University of Oregon | Eugene City, Oreg.. | 1884-'85 a | 1878-'84 | 77 | 76 | 1 |
| 131 | Pacific University and Tualatin A cademy. | Forest Grove, Oreg. | 1884-'85 a | 1863-'84 | 66 | 63 | 3 |
| 132 | Willametto University | Salem, Oreg | 1882-83 $a$ | 1859-'82 | 187 | 167 | 20 |
| 133 | Western University of Pennsylvania. | Allegheny, Pa ...... | 1883-'84 a | 1823-'73 | 225 | 167 | 58 |
| 134 | Muhlenberg College | Allentown, Pa...... | 1884 a | 1868-'83 | 175 | 170 | 5 |
| 135 | Lebanon Valley Colleg | Annville, P | 1883-'84 a | 1870-'83 | 105 | 104 | 1 |
| 6 | Dickinson College | Carlisle, Pa | 1864 | 1787-1864 | 988 | 696 | 292 |
| 7 | Lafayette College | Easton, Pa | 1836-79 g | 1836-'79 | *790 | 708. | 88 |
| 138 | Pennsylvania College | Gettysburg, Pa ..... | 1883-'84 a | 1834-'83 | 705 | 586 | 119 |
| 139 | Ursinus College | Freeland, Pa........ | 1871-'81 dec | 1871-'81 | 51 |  |  |
| 140 | Thiel College | Greenville, Pa ...... | 1882-'84 bi | 1874-'83 | 63 | 61 | 2 |
| 141 | Haverford College | Haverford, Pa ...... | 1883-84 $a$ | 1836-'83 | 342 | 304 | 38 |
| 142 | Franklin and Marshall Collego | Lancaster, Pa | 1882-'83 $\alpha$ |  | 659 |  |  |
| 143 | University of Lewisburg | Lowisbarg, P | 1883-'84 $a$ | 1851-'83 | 345 | 319 | 26 |
| 144 | Allegheny College | Meadville, Pa | 1882-'83 a | 1821-'82 | 641 | 537 | 104 |
| 145 | Westminster College | New Wilmington, Pa. | 1880-81 $a$ | 1854-'80 | 546 | 501 | 45 |
| 146 | Lehigh University. | South Bethlehem, Pa. | 1883-'34 a | 1869-'83 | 138 | 134 | 4 |
| 147 | Swarthmore College | Swarthmore, Pa | 1883-'84 a | 1873-'83 | 139 | 134 | 5 |
| 143 | Washingtonand Jefferson College. | Washington, Pa | 1872 g | 1802-72 | 2, 304 | 2, 180 | 784 |
| 149 | Brown University ............ | Providence, R. I .... | 18802 | 1760-1879 | 2, 232 | 1,614 | 318 |
| 150 | Unicersity of South Carolina. | Columbia, S. C | 1807-'71 $t$ | 1867-'71 | 164 |  |  |
| 151 | Eurman University. | Greenville, S.C | 1882-'83 a | 1875->82 | 37 |  |  |
| 152 | Nowberry Colloge | Newberry, S. C | 1883-'84 a | 1860-'83 | 51 | 50 | 1 |
| 153 | Clafin University and South Carolina Agricultaral College and Mechanics' Institate. | Orangeburg, S. C ... | 1884-'85 a | 1879-'84 | +9 |  |  |
| 151 | Wofford College ............... | Spartanburg, ¢. C... | 1880-'81 $a$ | 1856-80 | 238 | 211 | 7 |
| 155 | East Tennessee Wesleyan University. | Athens, Tenn....... | 1883-'84 a | 1871-'83 | 87 | 82 | 5 |
| 156 | Fing College | Bristol, Tenn ....... | 1882-'83 a | 1870-' 22 | 48 | 46 | 2 |
| 157 | Cumberland University. | Lebanon, Tenn ..... | 1881-'82 a | 1843-'82 |  |  |  |

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|  | Name of institution. | Location. |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | ${ }^{\circ}$ | \% |
| 158 | Bethel College. | McKenzie, Tenn | 1880-'81 a | 1851-'81 | 78 |  |  |
| 159 | Mosheim Institate | Mosheim, Tenn | 1879-'80 a | 1873-'79 | 27 |  |  |
| 160 | Carson College | Mossy Creek, Tenn . | 1880-'81 a | 1870-'81 | 91 | 84 | 6 |
| 161 | Central Tennessee College | Nashville, Tenn | 1882-'S3 a | 1877-'82 | 31 | 29 | 2 |
| 162 | Fisk University | Nashville, Tenn | 1883-'84 a | 1875-'83 | 32 | 31 | 1 |
| 163 | University of the South. | Sewanee, Tenn | 1883-'84 a | 1878-'83 | 74 |  |  |
| 164 | Burritt College | Spencer, Tenn ...... | 1882-'83 a | 1853-'83 | 75 | 61. | 14 |
| 165 | Greeneville and Tusculum College. | Tusculum, Tenn .... | 1879-'80 a | 1816-'80 | 118 |  |  |
| 166 | Southwestern University ..... | Georgetown, Tex ... | 1883-84 a | 1844-'72 | 132 | 99 | 33 |
| 167 | Baylor University ............. | Independence, Tex.. | 1883-'84 a | 1854-'59 | 116 |  |  |
| 168 | Salado College | Salado, Tex......... | 1874-'75 a | 1867-'74 | 21 |  |  |
| 169 | Waco University .............. | Waco, Tex.......... | 1879-'80 a | 1866-'79 | 110 | 102 | 8 |
| 170 | University of Vermont and State Agricultural College. | Burlington, Vt...... | 1791-1875 g | 1791-1875 | 1,435 | 936 | 499 |
| 171 | Emory and Henry College... | Emory, Va.......... | 1880-'81 a | 1846-'80 | 422 | 361. | 61 |
| 172 | Hamplen Sidney College..... | Hampden Sidney College, Va. | 1776-1867 g | 1776-1867 | 497 | 339 | 158 |
| 173 | Roanoke College............... | Salem, Va .......... | 1877-78 a | 1855-'77 | 157 | 148 | 9 |
| 174 | University of Virginia........ | University of Virginia, Va . | 1829-'80 g | 1829-'80 | 1,188 |  |  |
| 175 | Bethany College ............... | Bethany, W. Va..... | 1881-82 a |  | 586 |  |  |
| 176 | Lawrence University | Appleton, Wis...... | 1883-'84 a | 1857-'83 | 272 | 244 | 28 |
| 177 | Beloit College.................. | Beloit, Wis.......... | 1883-'84 a | 1851-'82 | 311 | 281 | 27 |
| 178 | University of Wisconsin. | Madison, Wis | 1849-'83 g | 1849-53 | 862 | 827 | 35 |
| 179 | Racine College. | Racine, Wis. | 1883-'84 a | 1853-'83 | 155 | 146 | 9 |
| 180 | Gonzaga College. | Washington, D.C... | 1882-'83 a | 1860-'s2 | 631 | 622 | 9 |

universities in the Tnited States-Continued.


## TABLE X.-SCHOOLS OF SCIENCE.

The following statement shows the number of institutions and departments of this class, with instructors and students, as reported to this Office each rear from $18 \% 5$ to 1885, inclusise ( 1883 omitted). These numbers include the National Military ond Naval Academies:

|  | 1875. | 1876. | 1877. | 1878. | 1879. | 1880. | 1881. | 1882. | 1884. | 1883. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Namber of institutions. | 74 | 75 | 74 | 76 | 81 | 83 | 85 | 86 | 92 | 10.5 |
| Namber of instructors | 758 | 793 | 781 | 809 | 881 | 953 | 1, 019 | 1,082 | 1,178 | 1,28? |
| Number of students | 7,157 | 7, 614 | 8,559 | 13,153 | 10, 910 | 11, 584 | 12,709 | 15, 957 | 14, 769 | 17,086 |

Table X.-Part 1.-Summary of statistics of schools of scicuce cudowed with the national land grant.

| State3. |  | Preparatory department. |  |  | Scientific department. |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Number of other free schol- } \\ & \text { arships. } \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Students. |  |  | Stadents. |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\dot{\tilde{O}}$ |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 药 } \\ & \tilde{8} \end{aligned}$ | 宅 |  |  |
|  |  | ت | $\stackrel{\text { D }}{\underset{y}{x}}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Alabama.. | 1 | 1 | 23 | 0 | 11 | 97 | 23 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Artansas. | 1 | (a) | (a) | (a) | (a) | (a) | 3 |  |  |  |
| California. | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 34 | 40 | 44 | (a) | 0 | 0 |
| Colorado.. | 1 | 1 | 18 | 14 | 9 | 43 | 18 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Connecticut | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 31 | 220 | 10 | 20 |  | . |
| Delaware | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | (a) | (a) | (a) | 0 | 30 | . |
| Florida | 1 | 4 | 38 | .. | 5 | 38 | .... | 0 | 108 | 0 |
| Georgia. | 5 | 12 | 305 | 218 | 28 | 331 | 75 | 1 | ... | 20 |
| Illinois.. | 1 | 2 | 78 | 8 | 25 | 247 | 23 | 6 | 0 | 0 |
| Indiana. | 1 | 2 | 62 | 53 | 9 | 85 | 33 | 3 | 184 |  |
| Iowa.. | 1 |  |  |  | 20 | 231 | 18 | 3 |  | . |
| Kansas | 1 |  |  | -- | 17 | 394 | 2 | 5 |  | . |
| Kentucky ................ | 1 | 4 | 64 | 6 | 11 | 143 |  |  | 400 | 0 |
| Lonisiana | 1 | 5 | 53 | ..... | 4 | 40 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 5 |
| Maine .... | 1 |  |  | ..... | 9 | 84 | 7 | 2 |  | . |
| Maryland................ | 1 | 1 | 10 | ...... | 5 | 35 | 2 | 1 | 0 | .. |
| Massachusetts........... | 2 | 9 | 66 | .- | 79 | 466 | 211 | 12 | - 80 | 17 |
| Michigan. | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 150 | 19 | 7 | 0 | 0 |
| Minnesota | 1 |  | (a) | (a) | (a) | (a) | (a) | (a) |  |  |
| Mississippi | 2 | 6 | 367 | 15 | 18 | 241 | 22 | 9 |  |  |
| Missouri. | 2 | 1 | 35 | 17 | 16 | 26 |  |  |  |  |
| Nebraska. | 1 | 7 | 10 | 0 | 5 | 13 | 0 | 0 |  |  |
| Nerada.. | 1 | (a) | (a) | (a) |  |  | . |  |  | ... |
| New Hampshire......... | 1 |  |  |  | 8 | 28 |  |  | 12 | 22 |
| New Jersey.............. | 1 |  |  |  | 16 | 50 | 6 | (a) | 40 | . |
| New York. | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | (a) | (a) | (a) | (a) | 512 |  |
| North Carolina | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | (a) | (a) | (a) | (a) | 96 |  |
| Ohio.... | 1 | ...... | 88 | 5 | 20 | 89 | ..... | (a) | 0 | 0 |
| Oregon .... | 1 | ...... | 25 | 15 | 5 | 108 |  |  | 60 |  |
| Pennsylrania.. | 1 | 3 | 52 | 17 | 14 | 43 | 9 | 2 | 50 | 0 |
| Rhode Island. | 1 |  |  |  | (a) | (a) |  |  |  |  |
| South Carolina | 2 | (a) | (a) | (a) | (a) | (a) | (a) | (a) |  | 5 |
| Tennessee | 1 | 3 | 64 | ..... | 15 | 152 |  | 4 |  |  |
| Texas. | 1 |  | 29 | 0 | 9 | 112 | 0 | 1 | 0 |  |
| $\nabla$ ermont. | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | (a) | (a) | (a) | (a) | 0 | (a) |
| Virginia.. | 2 | 72 | 226 | 117 | 74 | 440 | 8 | 12 | 200 | 659 |
| West Virginia........... | 1 | (a) | (a) | 0 | (a) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Wiscousin | 1 |  |  |  | (c) | (a) | (a) | (a) |  | 10 |
| Total | 47 | 133 | 1,703 | 485 | 512 | 3,952 | 533 | 92 | $1,{ }_{172}^{(1,}$ | 73) 738 |
| C. S. Military Academy.. | 1 |  |  | ..... | 51 | 310 |  |  |  |  |
| U. S. Niaral $\Delta$ cademy .... | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | co | 243 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Grand total........ | 49 | 133 | 1,703 | 485 | 623 | 4,505 | 533 | 92 | $1,762$ | 738 |

Table X.-Part 1.-Summary of statistics of schools of science endoucd witl: the national land grant-Continued.

| ÓStates. | Libraries. |  |  | Property, income, \&c. |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Alabama. | 1,500 | 500 | 1,5c0 | \$100, 000 | \$252, 000 | \$20, 160 | \$1,000 | \$7, 100 |
| Arkansas | (a) | (a) | (a) | 200, 000 | 130, 000 | 10, 400 | 1,600 | 13,000 |
| California | (a) | (a) |  | (a) | (a) | (a) | 0 | (a) |
| Colorado | 1,000 | 200 | 0 | 70,000 |  | 0 | 0 | 21,000 |
| Connecticut | 5,000 |  |  | 200, 000 | 278,904 | 32, 366 | 28, 706 |  |
| Delaware |  |  |  | (a) | (a) | (a) | (a) |  |
| Florida | 50 |  | 0 | 35, 000 | 154,500 | 9,228 | 0 | 10, 000 |
| Georgia. | 4,100 | 30 | 750 | 188, 000 | 247, 202 | 17, 304 | 575 | 16,000 |
| Illinois | 14,000 | 1,000 | 0 | 545, 000 | 384, 000 | 17, 280 | \&,596 | 29,469 |
| Indiana | 2,730 | 404 |  | 300, 000 | 340, 000 | 17,000 | 1,508 | 20, 000 |
| Iowa. | 6, 000 |  |  | 400,000 | 637, 807 | 42,000 | 0 | 2, 500 |
| Kansas | 5,760 | 686 |  | 182, 000 | 497, 444 | 33, 213 | 7, 414 | 22, 553 |
| Kentucky | 0 |  | 300 | 100, 000 | 165, 000 | 9,900 | 1,900 | 16,500 |
| Lonisiana. | 17,000 | 0 | 50 | 300, 000 | 318, 313 | 14,556 | 0 | 10, 000 |
| Maine | 4, 291 | 91 |  | 150, 000 | 131,300 | 7,700 | 2,240 | .6, 500 |
| Maryland. | 2,000 | 50 | 1,200 | 90, 000 | 112, 500 | 7,000 | 2,250 | 0 |
| Massachusett | 4,023 | 1,000 |  | 945, 264 | 645,333 | 31, 269 | 117, 500 | 50, 915 |
| Michigan | 7,490 | 834 |  | 343, 960 | 283, 344 | 27, 296 | 0 | 35, 103 |
| Minnesota | (a) | (a) |  | (a) | (a) | (a) | (a) | (a) |
| Mississippi | 3,689 | 388 | 10 | 253, 402 | 212, 150 | 10,608 | 352 | 37, 821 |
| Missouri. | 2,500 |  |  | 180, 000 | 330, 000 | 13,500 | 300 | 7,500 |
| Nebraska. | (a) | (a) | 0 |  |  |  |  | (a) |
| Nevada. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| New Hampshire | 1,500 |  | 500 | 70,000 | 80,000 | 4,800 |  | 2,000 |
| New Jersey............. .......... ........ ........ ........... ........... .......... ......... ....... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| New Iork. | (a) | (a) |  | (a) | (a) | (a) | (a) |  |
| North Carolina | 2,000 | 50 | 5,000 | (a) | 125, 000 | 7,500 | 5,000 | 10,500 |
| Ohio. | 5,000 | 2,000 | 0 | 600, 000 | 537, 841 | 32, 270 | 5,139 | 10,450 |
| Oregon | 3,000 |  | 600 | 10,000 | 77,000 | 6,000 | 1,500 | 2,500 |
| Pennsylvania | 3,500 | 140 | 2,550 | 951, 616 | 500, 000 | 30,000 | 0 | 0 |
| Rhode Island | (a) | (a) |  | (a) | 50,000 |  |  |  |
| South Carolina | 27, 000 | 100 | 1,000 | 329, 600 | 191, 250 | 11,500 | 0 | 17,500 |
| Tennessee | (a) | (a) | (a) | (a) | 405, 000 | 24,410 | (a) |  |
| Texas | 1,200 | 30 | 200 | 250, 000 | 209, 000 | 14, 280 | 0 | 20,000 |
| Vermont.................... <br> Virginia. <br> West Virginia | (a) |  |  | (a) | (a) | 8,130 | (a) |  |
|  | 5,562 | 562 | 0 | 550, 000 | 449, 959 | 26, 022 | 25, 540 | 10, 320 |
|  | (a) |  |  | (a) | (a) | (a) | (a) | (a) |
| Wisconsin. <br> Total | (a) | (a) |  | (a) | (a) | (a) | (a) | (a) |
|  | 129, 895 | 8,065 | 13,660 | 7,343, 842 | 7, 744, 847 | 485, 692 | 211, 120 | 379, 240 |
| U. S. Military Academy . <br> U. S. Naval Academy ... | 29,609 | 474 |  |  |  |  |  | b306, 276 |
|  | 25,976 | 602 | 0 | 955, 214 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Grai | 185, 480 | 9,141 | 13,660 | 8,299, 056 | $\overline{7,744,847}$ | 485, 692 | 211, 120 | 686, 216 |

Table X.—PAlit 2.-Summary of statistics of schools of science not ondowed with the na tional land grant.

| States. | Number of schools. | Proparatory department. |  |  | Scientific dopartment. |  |  |  | -Ed!̣qsietoqus ole fis jo ioquant |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Students. |  |  | Stadents. |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 芭 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| A. Schools of Mning, Engmeering, Agriculture, \&C. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| California. | 2 | 2 | 26 | 8 | 5 | 48 | 20 |  |  |  |
| Colorado. | 2 |  |  |  | 7 | 17 | 42 |  |  |  |
| Connecticnt ........................... | 1 |  |  |  | 4 | 38 | - | 2 |  |  |
| Georgia.... | 1. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Indiana .- | 1 |  |  |  | 8 | 45 | --...- |  |  | .-. |
| Maryland.... | 2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Massachusetts. | 5 |  |  |  | 107 | 273 | 16 | 2 | 20 | 4 |
| Michigan . | 1 |  |  |  | (a) | (a) |  |  |  |  |
| Missouri . | 1 |  |  |  | (a) | (a) |  |  |  | .- |
| New Hampshire | 2 |  |  |  | 14 | 75 | ...... |  |  | ..... |
| New Jersey... | 2 |  |  |  | 36 | 248 | 6 |  |  | ...... |
| New York | 6 |  |  |  | 86 | 3,797 | 27 | 4 | ...-- | .. |
| Ohio... | 2 |  |  |  | 21 | 386 | 12 |  |  | 12 |
| Pennsylvania. | 9 | 1 | 21 |  | 139 | 3, 001 | 32 | 19 | .....- | 54 |
| Vermont.. | 1 |  |  |  | 12 | 51 | ..... |  | 30 | 12 |
| Virginia | 4 | 3 | 12 |  | 22 | 245 | .-... |  | 50 | 9 |
| Dakota | 1 |  |  |  | 6 | 240 | ...... |  | ...... |  |
| Total | 43 | 6 | 59 | 8 | 467 | 8,464 | 215 | 27 | 100 | 91 |
| B. Manual Trannivg Schools. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colorado.. | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ilinois. | 1 |  |  |  | 7 | 143 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Louisiana. | 1 |  |  | .-. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Maryland.. | 1 |  |  |  | 4 | 114 |  |  |  | 109 |
| Massachusetts.. | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Minnesota. | 1. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | :..... |
| Mississippi. | 1 |  |  |  | 20 | 287 | 22 |  |  |  |
| Missouri.. | 1 | 12 | 219 |  | ...... |  |  |  | 0 | 50 |
| Ohio. | 2 |  | 18 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Pennsylvania. | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Tennessee. | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Virginia. | 1 | 10 | 160 | 28 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total | 13 | 22 | 397 | 28 | 31 | 544 | 26 | -...-. | -...-- | 159 |
| Total A. | 43 | 6 | 59 | 8 | 467 | 8,464 | 215 | 27 | 100 | 91 |
| Total B | 13 | 22 | 397 | 28 | 31 | 544 | 26 |  |  | 159 |
| Grand total.. | 56 | 28 | 456 | 36 | 498 | 9,008 | 241 | 27 | 100 | 250 |

$a$ Included in summaries of statistics of universities and colleges (Table IX).

Table X.-Part 2.-Summary of statistics of schoots of science not endowed with the national land grant-Continued.

| States. | Libraries. |  |  | Property, income, \&c. |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Number of volumes in } \\ \text { society librarics. } \end{gathered}$ |  | Amount of productive fund 3 . |  |  |  |
| A. Schools of Minivg, Enginelering, Agriculture, \&C. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| California............ | 300 |  |  |  | \$100, 000 |  |  |  |
| Colorado. | 340 | 25 |  | \$30, 000 |  |  |  | \$21, 000 |
| Connecticut | 805 | 175 |  | 20,000 |  |  | \$025 | 7,000 |
| Georgia................ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | (a) |
| Indiana. | 5, 000 |  |  | 154,000 | 500, 000 | \$30,000 |  |  |
| Maryland. | 2, 800 |  |  | 25, 000 |  |  |  |  |
| Massachusetts........ | 6,450 | 45 |  | 150,000 | 1,448, 141 | 60, 723 | 9,697 | ........ |
| Michigan | (a) | (a) |  | (a) | (a) | (a) | (a) | (a |
| Missoari |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| New Hampshire | 2, 000 |  |  | 12,000 | 176,000 | 10,500 | 2, 720 |  |
| New Jersey. | (a) |  |  |  |  |  | 9,000 |  |
| New York | 19, 000 | 800 |  | 690, 000 |  |  | 44, 125 |  |
| Ohio. | 2, 000 |  |  |  | 1, 25C, 000 |  |  |  |
| Pennsylvania | 57, 000 |  |  | 350, 100 | 290, 000 | 14,500 | 7,151 |  |
| Vermont. | 3,000 |  |  | 20,000 |  |  |  |  |
| Virginia | 5,240 | 208 | 300 | 250, 000 | 20,000 | 1,200 | 8,000 | 30, 000 |
| Dakota |  |  |  | 25,000 |  |  |  |  |
| Total | 103, 935 | 1,253 | 300 | 1,726,100 | 3, 784, 141 | 125, 923 | 81, 318 | 58,000 |
| B. Manual Training Schools. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colorado................. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Illinois.. | 500 |  | 100 | 90,000 | 0 | 0 | 8,800 | 0 |
| Louisiana. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Marsland. | 131 |  |  | 25, 000 |  |  |  |  |
| Massachusetts |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Minnesota |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mississippi |  |  |  | 100, 000 |  |  |  | 20,000 |
| Missoari. |  |  |  | 60, 000 | 80, 000 |  |  | n |
| Ohio................... .......... ......... ......... ............ . ........... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Pennsylvania |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Tennessee |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Virginia ............... | 1,000 |  |  |  | 1,500,000 | 68,000 |  |  |
|  | 1,631 |  | 100 | 275, 000 | 1,580, 000 | 68, 000 | 8, 800 | 20,000 |
|  | 103, 935 | 1,253 | 300 | 1, 726,100 | 3, 784, 141 | 125, 023 | 81,318 | 58,000 |
|  | 1,631 |  | 100 | 275, 000 | 1,580,000 | 68, 000 | 8,800 | 20,000 |
| Grand total...... | 105, 566 | 1,253 | 400 | 2, 001, 100 | 5,364, 141 | 193, 923 | 90, 118 | 78, 000 |

$a$ Included in summary of statistics of universities and colleges (Table IX).

Table $\mathcal{X}$, Part 1, presents the statistics of (17) colleges, universities, or departments of universities, endowed with the national land grant of 1802, and having as a distinct purpose training in agriculture and the mechanic arts.
The number of schools is the same as in 1883-'8.4; the relative status of the schools with respect to instructors, students, etc., will be seen from the following totals, those in brackets being for 1883-' 4 :
Preparatory departments: Number of instructors, 133 [79]; students-male, 1,703 [1,493]; female, 4 455 [452].
Scientific departments: Number of instructors, 512 [540]; students, 4,5:7 [4,212]; number of State and other free scholarships, 3,873 [3,159]. The receipts from State appropriations as reported for 21 States were $\$ 358,740$, as against $\$ 378,379$ reported from the same 21 States for $1883-{ }^{-84}$. Florida, which made no report of State appropriations last rear, reports for the current rear $\$ 10,000$. For North Carolina, last year the appropriation was included in the totals for unirersities and colleges (Table IX); this rear it is reported separately, and amounis to $\$ 10,500$. In the case of 5 States the appropriations for this jear are included in the totals for universities and colleges. A detailed examination of Table $\bar{X}$ of the Appendir will suffice to shorr how widely these colleges and universities differ from each other in respect to organization and resources. These differences, howerer, are the result of causes more or less transient, and do not indicate either fundamental difference of purpose or ultimate difference of rank.
An examination of the admission requirements of 41 of the institutions in the table shows that for 15 the studies pursued in the common schools are a suffcient preparation, while 26 call for somewhat higher attainments. In 10 of the latter, the additional requirements are the elements of algebra and plane geometry; the remaining 16 include other branches, and one requires a high-school diploma.
A comparison of the reports for the current jear with those of 1880 shows for the majority of the schocls marked increase in the number of teachers and in the number of students, while the large proportion of the students in the departments of industrial training is a proof that these institutions are realizing more and more fully the special purposes contemplated in the endowment of 1862. Sereral of these schools have long been noted for their rery complete equipment for instruction in pure and applied science. The development of such instruction in the remaining schools has been retarded by the raint of laboratories and apparatus. Much has been done during the last fire years to supply these costly but indispensable appliances, so that a larger number of the schools can now be reported as fairly well equipped, while the better understanding of these necessities by the people gives hope of ampler provision in this respect in the future.
The present status of a certain number of these schools with respect to technical training is indicated by a tabular statement on pages CCV and CCVI, showing for 10 institutions endowed with the grant of 1862 , and for 8 not so endowed, the number of courses of technical training for which prorision is made, and the present number of students in these courses according to returns receired at this Office during the year.
The following institutions hare made special reports of new buildings, new improvements, ner means of instruction: The Agricultural and Mechanical College of Alabama has newly fitted up its chemical laboratory for analytical mork; also erected a chapel, or public hall. The State Agricultural College of Colorado has erected a new chemical laboratory complete in all its appointments; greenhouse with latest improvements; machine shop with 15-horse-power engine, together with the latest improved machinery for wood and iron work; also water-works connected with the town system. Delaware College is about to establish an experimental station. The Illinois Industrial Unirersity reports a blacksmith shop with forges, anrils, and all necessary tools for 16 persons; $\$ 200$ expended in new machines and tools for carpenter and machine shops; $\$ 1,500$ in apparatus and materials for chemical, physical, and botanical laboratories. The Kansas State Agricultural College reports

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Table X, Part 2, presents the statistics of (56) schools and of collegiate departments of science not endowed with the land grant of 1862.
Owing to the increase in the number of manual training schools, an effort has been made in this part of the table towards a distinct classification for such schools. In Division $B$, those schools which are essentially manual training schools have been brought together, while the general claracter of Division A remains unchanged, including besides schools of agriculture, general science, etc., some polytechnic schools, in which manual training may or may not be a distinct feature. The usual difficulties in a first effort at classification have been experienced.
More extended inquiries on this subject will probably increase the number of institutions which should have recognition as manual training schools, and may show that some institutions now classed in Division A would properly be reported in Division B.
As intimated above, where there has been any question as to classification, the distinction has been made as far as possible between schools organized primarily for the purpose of giving manual training, and those which make provision for a systematic course of instruction in science and its industrial applications, together with practice in the laboratory, machine shops, etc.
As a rule, candidates for admission to the schools and collegiate departments included in Division A of Table X, Part 2, must be well grounded in mathematics. There is also a noticeable tendency to increase the requirements in the English language, and some preliminary acquaintance with French and German is strongly advised. In general these schools are well equipped for the work in which they are engaged.
The increased patronage and resources of the institutions presented in Table $X$, and their general improvement, must be regarded as both a cause and an effect of the increased interest manifested in the sulject of technical training throughout the country. In respect both to an understanding of the importance of such training, and to provision for the same, the United States bears very favorable comparison with foreign nations, a fact which is constantly recognized by foreign authorities. We must, however, admit that our distinction is due chiefly to provisions for training in the mechanic arts; in respect to agricultural training we are inferior to the European nations in which it has been fostered.

The increasing recognition of the importance of technical training, and the disposition to seek it in approved institutions, is illustrated by certain facts in the recent history of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. In his report for 1884, the president, Francis A. Walker, gives the number of students for each year from 1865'66 to 1884-'85, inclusive. From this table it is seen that the attendance steadily increased up to 1876-977, when the number of students was 215 , then there was a falling off for two Jears; but in 1879-'80 the reaction commenced, since which date the attendance has again steadily increased, reaching 579 in 1884-'85.

The president also notes the gratifying tendency to a widening of the field from which the students are drawn. He says:

Last year twenty-six States of the Union were represented on our list of attendance. This year our students come from thirty-three States. Of the total number of 368 students in all classes of the regular courses, 235 are from Massachusetts, 41 from other New England States, and 92 from outside New England. Of the total
number of 509 , including special students, 358 are from Massachusetts, $\% 0$ are from uther New Lngland States, and 151 from outside New England.
Not less than eleven Southern States are represented in the attendance. The foilowing statement is of general interest, as indicating the need of constantly increasing resources to cnable an institution of this kind to maintain a high standard:
Large additional endowments are needed-

1. As a reserre against bard times, against the occurrence of financial disaster, and even agaiust the possibilities of temporary internal mismanagement. It is a perilous position for an educational institution that it should depend so largely upon tuition fees as to draw one-half of its rerenue from this source. Yet fire-sisths of the income of the Institute of Technology will be thus derived the current sear.
2. As a basis for free scholarships for a large number of deserving students, 世hose means would be sererels taxed to mect the expenses of their maintenance, eren were the charges of their tuition remitted.
3. As a means to redncing somemhat the rery high tuition fees now necessarily exacted from all students.
4. To place it in the power of the corporation to raise the compensation of the professors and other instructors of the school, to correspond, if not with the incomes of successful practitioners in the sereral scientific professions, at least with the salaries of professors and instructors in the leading classical colleges.
5. To enable the corporation and facultr, through the long future of the school, to meet promptly and fully all the progressive demands of industrial education, as well as, through original research and investigation, to par back each jear some part of that great debt which the arts owe to science.

Esperience seems to prore conclusively that an effective course of practical agricultural training will include farm work by the students. This plan is pursued in the Agricultural College of Michigan, Which is one of the most successful of its class. President Willits obserres in his report for $1884-{ }^{-}{ }^{5} 5$ :

The college affords to its students the benefits of daily manual labor. Most of the labor is paid for, and lessens the expenses of the student. It is in part educational, varied for the illustration of the principles of science. The preserration of health and the cultiration of a taste for agricultural pursuits are tro other important objects. Four sears of study without labor, wholly remored from sympathr with the laboring world, during the period of life when habits and tastes are rapidls formed, will almost inevitably produce disinclination, if not inability, to perform the mork and duties of the farm. To accomplish the objects of the institution, it is evident that the student must not, in acquiring a scientific education, lose either the ability or the disposition to labor on the farm. If the farmers, then, are to be educated, they most be educated on the farm itself; and it is due to this large class of our population that facilities for improvement second to none other in the State be afforded them.
It is beliered that the two and one-half hours' work that every student is required to perform on the farm or in the garden, besides serving to render him familiar with the use of implements and the principles of agriculture, is sufficient also to preserve habits of manual labor, and to foster a taste for agricultural pursuits.

A similar vietr of the importance of practice in an art which combines manual skill with the application of scientific principles, was expressed by the late Charles 0. Thompson, President of the Rose Polytechnic Institute, in his report for 1885. He says:

Those who are actively engaged in the practice of engineering are generall agreed that erery young man tho is in training for an engineer should acquire familiarity With the practical side of kis profession, especially that mechanical engineers should understand the use of tools and machinery. The acquirement of this manual dexterity mas precede, accompany, or follow the training in engineering principles. In this school it accompanies it.
In acquiring knowledge of any form of handicraft, or of the practical industries bs Which society is supported or carried on, it is essential that the student should practice under conditions like those that he will meet in actual life. The more his work is subjected to the inexorable tests of trade, the more he feels the same responsibility that rests on an actual morkman, the more his shop training is morth.
If the stndent's study of principles is supplemented by Weeklr practice in a shop Where these principles are seen in action, his entrance upon the life of an engineer will be an expansion of his course of stade, rather than an abrupt transition to a new mode of life.

The important fact which underlies any sound scheme for school shops is that machinery is to hare a constantly increasing share in the conversion of matter into useful form. The educated mechanic must understand the practical limits of mechanical production and all the possible ways in which those limits can be extended. He must know by practice how to design, construct, and assemble the parts of a machine, as well as how to finish its product by skillful handicraft, and he should also know how to make his tools. The power of an engineer to decide upon general grounds the best form and material for a machine, and to calculate its parts, is rastly increased by blending with it the skill of the craftsman in manipulating the material.

And the graduate from such a course is practically secure of employment, even iv dull times; for experience in a school ${ }^{1}$ which has been conducted on this plan for sixteen years shows that such joung men, in addition to securing the adrantage oif a good education, are as skillful mechanics as those who have served three years as apprentices.

The same idea was carried out by President Thompson in the training at the Worcester Free Institute, as expressed in the catalogue for 1884 :

Special prominence is given to the element of practice which is required in every department.
In favor of this feature of the training adopted at the Institute, there may be assigned the following reasons:

1. The fact that some of the most useful and sagacious manufacturers and business men, as well as many able educators, continually recur to the idea of combining manual labor with school instruction, shows the increasing demand for a closer union of theory and practice in technological training.
2. Those who are actively engaged in the practice of engineering, are generally agreed that every roung man training for an engineer should acquire familiarity with the practical side of his profession. The acquirement of the manual dexterity, conceded by all to be desirable, may precede, accompany, or follow the technological training.
3. Most of the young men who have graduated from the school have readily found employment in situations for which their techuical education particularly prepared them, and hare proved themselves well fitted for their work.
But while practice is made thus prominent, it is insisted that it should spring from a clear comprehension of principles. Practice is not an end, but a means and help to the best instruction. With this view of its relation to theoretical work in the school training, the student's entrance on the pursuit he has chosen becomes an expansion of his course of study, rather than an abrupt transition to a new sphere of life.
In acquiring knowledge of any form of handicraft, or of the practical iudustries by which society is supported and carried on, it is essential that the stadent should practice under conditions as like as possible to those which he will meet in life. The more his work is subjected to the inexorable tests of trade, and the more he feels just the same responsibility that is ineritable in actual business, the better.

For the acquisition of practical familiarity with different branches of applied science, the same facilities are offered as in the best schools of technology elsemhere; in mechanical engineering, shop practice is added to the course and incorporated in it.
Practice in the school is subjected to three conditions: First, it shall be a necessary part of cach week's work; secondly, it shall be judiciously distributed and constantly supervised ; and, thirdl 5 , the students shall not expect or receive any immediate pecuniary return for it.

At the middle of the first year erery student who has not already done so (under the advice of the instructors) chooses some department, and, until his graduation, derotes ten hours a week, and an additional month of each year, to practice in that department. Students who select chemistry, work in the laboratory; the ciril engineers, at field work or problems in construction ; those who select drawing, in the drawing room; and physics, in the physical laboratory. The mechanical engineers practice in the machine-shop from the beginning of the apprentice half-year, and their practice extends over the whole course of three and a half years.

## ${ }^{1}$ The Worcester Free Institute.

Crassification of scientific students in a mumber of institutions.

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| Stato A gricultural and Mechavical Collere. | Suburn, Ala........ | 35 | cj | 4 | ..... |  | ...... | 20 | - |
| Illinois Industrial Unir's.. | Urbana, 11. | 21 |  | 59 | a ${ }^{\text {a }}$ |  |  | 90 | 52 |
| Fose Polytechnic Institute ${ }^{\text {+ }}$ | Terre Haute, Ind |  |  | 7 | a57 |  |  | 2 |  |
| Kansas State $\Delta$ gricultural College. | Manhattan, Kins. | 26 | 211 | 35 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Larrence Scientific School (Harrard Unircrsity). | Cambridge, Mass. |  |  | 313 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Polytechnic School of Washington Unirersity.* | St. Louis, Mo. | 20 | ... | 25 |  |  |  | 37 | 21 |
| Chandler Scientific Dep't of Dartmouth College.* | Hanover, N. N. |  |  | 24 |  |  |  | 15 | .... |
| Scientific courses of Cornell University. | Ithaca, N. Y......... | 21 | C7 | 95 |  |  |  | 11 | $\ldots$ |
| Tensselaer Polytechnic Institute. * | Troy, N. Y. |  |  | 170 |  |  |  | 70 | $\cdots$ |
| Virginia Agricultural and Mechanical College. | Blacksburg, Va....... |  | 9 | 6 |  |  |  | 9 | -... |
| Corcoran Scientific School (Columbian University).* | Washington, D. C |  | ...... | 11 |  |  | 5 | 11 | $\ldots$ |
| Name. | Location. |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Military drill- } \\ & \text { field. } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |
| State Agricultural and Me. chanical College. | Auburn, Ala. | 12 | 25 | © 6 | ...... | 120 | ..... |  | $\ldots$ |
| Illinois Industrial Univ'y.. | Crbana, 71 | 48 |  |  | 26 | 220 |  |  |  |
| Rose Polytechnic Institute* | Terre Haute, Ind |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Kansas State Agricultural College. | Manbattan, Kans. | 0 | c104 | ..... | ...... | 83 | 91 | 45 | 405 |
| Lawrence Scientific School (Harvard Unirersity). | Cambridge, Mass |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\ldots$ |
| Polytechnic School of Washington University. | St. Lonis, Mo. |  |  |  |  | 182 |  |  | $\ldots$ |
| Chandler Scientific Dep't of Dartmonth College.* | Hanover, ${ }^{\text {N }}$. H..... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Scientific courses of Cornell Unirersity. | Ithaca, $\mathrm{N} . \mathrm{Y} . . . . . . .$. |  |  |  | 37 |  |  |  | $\cdots$ |
| Renssclaer Folytechnic Institute.* | Troz, $\mathrm{N} . \mathrm{Y}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\ldots$ |
| Virginia Ag:icultural and Mechanical College. | Elacksburg, Va. |  |  |  |  | 80 | ...... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ |
| Corcoran Scientific School (Columbian University).* | Washington, D. C.... | - 6 |  | 27 |  |  |  |  | 76 |

[^32]Classification of scientific students-Continued.

| Name. | Location. * | Total number less duplicates. |
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| Storrs Agricultural School*. | Mansfield, Conn ......... | a36 |
| Chicago Manual Training School* | Chicago, Ill................ | a156 |
| Parfue University | La Fayette, Ind. | a300 |
| State College of Agriculture and the Mechanic Arts | Orono, Me................. | as8 |
| State Agricultural College. | Agricultural Coll., Mich.- | a235 |
| Polytechnic Institute*.. | Brooklyn, N. $\overline{\text {. }}$ | a75 |
| State Agricultural and Mechanical College | College Station, Tex ...... | a139 |

[^33]The question of providing for manual or industrial training by other instrumentalities and under conditions different from those pertaining to the institutions which are classified under Table $\mathbb{X}$ of this Report, has become one of deep and wide-spread interest.

## meaning of the expression, "industrial education."

In the general discussions of the subject two lines of thought are noticeable, which were distinctly defined by Professor Felix Adler in an article in the Princeton Revicw of March, 1883. Professor Adler says:
The phrase "industrial education" may have, and has acquired two entirely distinct meanings. As understood by one party it means the kind of education that is intended to foster industrial skill, and to fit the pupil, while at school, for the industrial pursuits of later life. Perhaps the majority of those who insist on the importance of industrial education in public schools, and who are urging its adoption, use the phrase in this sense. * * * But there is a totally different sense in which the phrase "'industrial education " may be understood ; not that education shall be made subservient to industrial success, but that the acquisition of industrial skill shall be a means for promoting the general education of the pupil; that the education of the liand shall be a means of more completely and more efficaciously educating the brain. It is in the latter sense, in which labor is regarded as a means of mental development, that industrial education is understood by the most enlightened of its adrocates. They are well aware that to introduce a trade into the school is to degrade the school ; that to take away from the young the time that should be dedicated to the elements of general culture and devote it to training them in a special aptitude, however useful later on, is to impair the humanity of the child. They desire nothing of this sort, and they ask that a workshop be connected with every school for no other reason than that a chemical laboratory is connected with every college.
Thcre are thus two antagonistic parties whose watchword "industrial education" has alike become. The one seeks to make the mass of mankind more machine-like than they already are, though with the proviso that they shall be made more perfect machines, more skillful to increase wealth and to feed the channels of the manufacturer's profits. The other party, standing at the opposite pole of thought, seeks rather to elevate the masses, to more completely develop the humanity of the young, and looks upon technical and art education in the school as a novel and admirable means for achicving this result. Since, then, the phrase "industrial education" is susceptible of interpretations so diverse and so incompatible with each other, it is in the interest at least of those who have the higher educational aim in view to make use of a less equivocal designation; and the phrase "the creative method" will henceforth be adopted by us.
the workingman's school.
Various cfforts have been made to develop a system of training in accordance with the latter conception. The most notable of these is the Workingman's School of New York city, conducted by Prof. Felix Adler, under the auspices of the United

Relicf Works of the Society for Ethical Culture. As the name of the school indicates. its bencfits are intended especially to accrue to the children of the working people, although the methods cmployed are believed by those engaged in the cnterprise to bo desirable for all children. The Workingman's School receives children from the Free Kindergarten (maintained by the samo society) at six years of age, and retains them until their fourtcenth year. The school aims at an "all-sided development" of the child, and to this end takes into account in all its processes the intellectual, the asthetic, and the moral nature.
As is the case in many public and private schools, the importance of a sympathetic co-operation between parents and teachers in the work of training the joung is fully rccognized.
In the Workingman's School such co-operation is promoted by teachers' meetings, and meetings of parents and teachers, held at regular stated times. With reference to these conferences Professor Adler sass in the article above referred to:
A close connection between the parents and the teachers of the school has been established. Every month a so-called parents' meeting takes place, at which the progress or deficiencies of the pupils are brought to the notice of their parents. At these meetings, moreorer, some special features of the method of the school are always discussed, so that the parents mar gain an insight into our plans and give us their assistance in carrying them out. The result has thas far been most satisfactory. The parents have, of their own accord, organized a committee to support the managers of the schooi, and a feeling of mutual confidence and good-will prevails.
The branches pursued in the school are reading, penmanship, composition, grammar, history, geography, natural science, ethics, drawing, modeling, manual training, and calisthenics.
The distinctive feature of the school is the system of manual training, which has been elaborated by experiment combined with the careful study of principles, methods, and results. This feature is described as follows:
The chief practical difficulty in carrsing out the plan of the school was found to consist in formulating a series of workshop lessons whose ralue should be educational.
Namerous attempts at so-called industrial education have been made, both in this country and abroad, but to our knowledge they are for the most part aimless, incoherent, and lacking in system. There are thousands of manual occapations from which a selection must be made, and of these now one kind, then another, has been chosen for introduction into the school (printing, carpentry, basket-making, and the like), without much rhyme or reason in the choice. What is needed is a principle of selection which shall organically connect the work-instruction with the remaining branches. It seemed to the writer that such a principle of selection might be found in the drawing course in both its departments: mechanical drawing to be the basis of instruction in the workshop, and free-hand drawing the basis of work in the atclier. In the department of art-instruction the realization of this idea seems comparatively easy; in the department of technical instruction the diffculty is much greater. An attempt to solve it has, howerer, been made, and the following outline would afford * * * a survey of the scheme of workshop lessons projected for and partly carried out in the school. The board of managers of the school are not committed to all the details of the plan, which will continue to be modified as the experiment proceeds. But the scheme will show at lcast the lines along which we hope to adrance toward our goal.
This plan consists of a series of exercises so arranged that the different tools and materials of construction employed are successively introduced according to the ages and abilities of the pupils, so that the actual practice necessary for the skillful manipulation of the tools may be given simultaneously with an education of the mind.
The exercises planned for the five lowest classes involve the rudiments and most important principles of geometry * * * and most useful laws of mechanics and physics. Throughout the scheme the exercises in the work-instruction course will be constructed from the pupils' own drawings. By this means the work of both the drawing and the work-instruction departments will be pursued at a greater adrantage than they would be if entirely independent of each other; but besides this, the pupil will be taught to appreciate the true relation between the plan and the construction. The habit of Torking from a definite plan will be inculcated, which will be of great
value and an important factor to the pupil's success in whatever he may undertake later in life.
To illustrate definitely the connection that exists between the drawing and the work-instruction courses, an example of an exercise designed for the fourth class is taken. In the drawing-room the pupil will be giren a model of a cone, from which he will take measurements and then make a complete working drawing. In the workshop, with the drawing, proper material, and tools, the pupil will turn in his lathe a cone according to his drawing, which when completed will be a copy of the original model used in the drawing-room.
The following is a very brief summary of the plan for each class:
The exercises planned for the eighth and seventh classes introduce the use of paper, pencils, triangles, compasses, and rules in the drawing-room. In the work-room smali toy squares and chisels are employed for carving geometrical forms from pieces of clay. Only plane figures are involved in the exercise for the eighth and seventh classes, from which the pupils will acquire a knowledge of the names and propertics of lines, angles, polygons, circles, parts of the circle, and also the methods of construction of many geometrical forms.

In order that the exercises may have greater interest to the pupil than could be elicited from the study of abstract geometrical figures, the pupil will first be shown a model of some familiar olject composed of pieces representing different geometrical forms. For example, a model of a house will be taken at first, and then the different geometrical figures, as the square, the rectangle, and the triangle, which enter into the structure of the model will be taken as the subjects of different exercises.
The pupils of the schools are arranged in eight classes, and a day's session, excluding recess, is $5 \frac{3}{4}$ hours, which gives, for 5 school days, $28 \frac{8}{2}$ hours; there is also a short Saturday session for three of the classes, devoted entirely to work instruction. Each class, or rather each division of a class, spends a certain portion of the school time in drawing, modeling, and work exercises, the time so devoted varying from $4 \frac{1}{2}$ hours a week in the third class to $1 \frac{1}{2}$ hours in the eighth class.
Work instruction for the girls comprises cutting and sewing, cooking and design. ing.

According to the renort for 1883-85 the total number of pupils in the school was 217 , and the number of teachers 12 , assisted by 9 volunteers.
The annual expenses of the school are about $\$ 20,000$.

## EXPERMENTS IN CONNECTION WITH CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The experiment of combining tool work with the ordinary course of school instruction is now going on in several cities. So much interest attaches to the sulject that it seems desirable to give a somewhat extended account of these experiments in this place.
The operation of the Boston Manual Training School is thus described by Superintendent Seaver in his report dated March, 1885:
The experiment in manual training for boys has made interesting progress. Two hundred boys from ten difeerent grammar schools have been under instruction in carpentry two hours a week since September. Most of them were beginners at that time, but a few were members of the classes formed last April.
The boys were selected by the masters of the grammar schools, no boy being taken who was not fourteen years old, and who had not the express permission of his parents to take the instruction. This limit as to age is well suited to the usual size and strength of boys, and has the additional advantage of avoiding some possible legal difficulties.

The interest in thair work shomn by the bors is very lively, such as I have seldom seen surpassed in any kind of school work. Many boys come to the shop afternoons an hour lefore the appointed time, and get the teacher's permission to work three hours instead of two. Some, seeing the gas-fiztures provided for use on dark days, and fancying that instruction was going to bo given in the evening, begged to be allowed to come and work then, as well as in the daytime. But there were others, of course, whose ardor cooled as the novelty wore off, and the truth began to damn upon them that manual training was, after all, work and not play. Still, the number of these last was not large cnough to disturb the generally favorable impression the classes produce.
, The experiment has already gone far enough to prove that work of this kind can bo joined to the ordinary grammar-school work with good effect. It enlisted the sym-
pathy, encouragement, and support of the masters from the beginning, and to this cause the success already achioved is largely due.

So long as there are nearly three thousand boys in the grammar schools, fourteen, fiftecn, or more rears old, it will be desirablo to give them good opportunities to discover and improvo their mechanical aptitudes, and thus to gain a mental discipline which ntherwise they would miss. But where is the time for a new branch of instruction? The answer has been given that manual training, being a lind of physical exoreise, is a relief from other schonl work, and therefore a boy will do all his regular studies and the shop work too, in the time nsually given to the former. This answer can be defencled to some extent br an appeal to experience; still, it is taking vather high ground to say that manual training can be added to the branches of iustaction now pursued without diminishing the latter. I wonld rather tako a more moderate position, and par due regard to the average possibilities.

It would be wiser to make room for a new branch of instruction by dropping some of the old. For example, if the question were between physics, as commonly tanght out of a book, on the one hand, and instruction in carpentry on the other, I should unhesitatingly prefer the latter. Indeed, by means of the latter we might be able to get some real instruction in the former. The time given to carpentry rould not be wholly a loss to the other studies, for some of them, as drowing and tho geometrical part of arithmetic, rould be aided.

The manual training practicable in school-rooms seems to be limited to those kinds of work which can be done at a bench with hand tools. Within this limit the way now seems clear to spread instruction among the schools, as far as may be thought desirable.

Mr. L. L. Camp, principal of the Dwight Grammar School, New Haven, says of the experiment in that city :
Forty-eight boys have enjoyed the privilege of manual training each week, and, as the classes can be changed every two months if the principal thinks best, we have actually had during the past year seventy-three different boys from the Dwight School, twenty-five from the Webster, and twenty from the Washington School, making one hundred and eighteen in all who have had the opportunity of working two months or more during the year, and with hardly an exception they have all seemed to appreciate the privileges and improve their time so as to become quite handy in the use of tools. While teaching the correct use of tools has been our chief object and aim, yet, in addition to the numerous small articles and blocks upon which practice has been given, the pupils have made 14 molding tray tables, 12 serring tables, 74 stools, 4 small cabinet boxes, 3 black-walnut book shelves, 2 tool chests, 2 easels, 1 bookcase, 1 lap cutting-board, 1 knife tray, 1 inlaid checker board, 4 drawing boards, besides a great number of small articles. There are also now in the process of manufacture numerous tables, stools, boxes, book-cases, etc., so that there is a real money value to the work the pupils have done, though that is not the object aimed at in the formation of the industrial classes.
While the boys have been thus engaged in the shop, learning the use of tools, the girls hare not been neglected. A class of forty or fifty meet every week in the recitation rooms, under the charge of one of the lady teachers, and learn all kinds of sewing, knitting, crochetting, embroidery, and other worl suitable for girls. We also lave classes formed in wood-carving, repousse work, and modeling.
We are now extending this industrial work or manual training through all our grades, selecting the kind of work best suited to the age and capacity of each pupil, from the kindergarten to No. 12.
Hon. George A. Littlefield, superintendent of schools, Nemport, R. I., in his report for 1884-'85 earnestly recommends that the city coancil be requested to make provision in the next annual budget for instruction in sewing for the girls of the grammar schools, and in carpentry for the boys above the third grammar grade.
The Industrial Art School of Philadelphia was opened September 22, 1885, in connection with the public selools. Admission is limited to bors and girls who are pupils of the grammar schools. The course of instruction includes drawing and designs, modeling and wood carving, carpenter and joiner work, and metal work.
An act providing for the establishment of schools for industrial training ras approved by the legislature of New Jersey March 24, 1881, and at a meeting held June 26,1884 , the secretary reported that a technical school was about to be established under the provision of the act in the city of Newark.

In the report of the Newark board of education for 188, the following statement is made:

As was stated in last year's report, the James Street Industrial School is well pro-
vided for in the matter of school-room accommodations. The building is fully completed, with the exception, perhaps, of some additional blackboards and closet accomnodations. The school is well attended, well supplied with teacbers, and reasonably prosperous.

Hon. Randall Spanlding, superintendent of schools, Montclair, N. J., writes concerning an industrial department in that city:

This department has been in operation nearly four years, and with eminently satisfactory results. All pupils of both sexes in the second and third grammar grades are engaged in industrial work. Each pupil during the two years is employed in this work two, and in some cases three, hours per week.
The boys are trained during the first year in the use of carpenters' tools, and during the second in wood carving. The pupils generally originate their own designs for wood carving, though this has not been the case until recently.

While the boys are in the workshops the girls are engaged in needle-work under the supervision of the regular class teacher. During the firet jear they are taught to embroider patterns upon linen, momie cloth, etc. In this work the pupils learn the various stitches used in ornamental needle-work and drawn work. During the second year the various stitches used in plain sewing are taught; also a little cutting and fitting. The girls have invented of late their own designs for their ornamental work. A special instructor is provided in carpentry and wood carving. Tho shop is in a large and well-lighted attic of one of the school buildings. It is provided with two dozen sets of carpenter tools and as many sets of wood-carring tools. The chief aim in this industrial work is disciplinary. No effort is made to produce salable articles, but rather to provide such work as will best train the hand and eje.

Drawing is taught in the primary and grammar departments, with special reference in the higher grades to decorative design.

Hon. R. H. Miller, superintendent of Scott Manual Training School of Toledo University, Toledo, Ohio, writes respecting manual training in connection with the public schools of that city:

We have a four-story brick building 120 x 40 ft ., containing eight well lighted rooms $40 \times 55 \mathrm{ft}$., besides large halls, store rooms, wash rooms, etc. Every floor of the manual training building is connected direct with the high school, so that no time is lost running up and down stairs.

We have two fully equipped wood-working shops. The first contains bench room for 2 class of twenty-four students, one grindstone, and seventy-two complete sets of carpenter tools for the accommodation of three classes per day. The second shop, in addition to all contained in the first, has twenty-four wood-turning lathes, one dimension saw, one jig saw; also seventy-two sets each of wood-turning tools and wood-carving tools. We are also fitting up a blacksmith shop and foundry, to be ready for work by September next. They will each accommodate three classes of twenty-four students each per day. One year from September next we snall open a fully equipped machine shop. Power is furnished by a sixty horse-power ball engine; steam for heat and power is provided by a seventy horse-power steel boiler.

We also have two drawing rooms, one for free-hand and the other for mechanical drawing. The course of manual training instruction covers four years. Students have three recitations per day in the high school, and two hours of laboratory practice and one hour of drawing per day. The grammar students take manual training four times a week, and the high school students five.

The object of the school is general education; the manual training work will be made as much as possible a practical application of the principles taught in the high school course. A department of domestic economy will be opened next year in two fine rooms reserved for the purpose, in which girls will receive instruction in drawing, cutting, and fitting of garments, plain sewing, cocking, purchasing of household supplies, care of the sick, household decoration, etc.

Hon. P. L. Barton, superintendent of schools, Peru, Ill., writes:
For three years the board of education of Peru, Ill., has supported a morkshop in connection with the public schools, and has run it as a part of its system of schools.

The boys of the high sehool and grammar grades are permitted to tatie the course of manual training in the workshop.

The workshop is nearly self-supporting. The superintendent of schools orders all the material needed at the shops, and the board pays the bill. The materials used are lumber of all kinds, nails, sand paper, paints, oils, varnishes, brushes, putty, glass, etc. These the boys uss in their work, taking what they need, and paying for what they use, which money is tarned over to the district.
A basement of one of the school buildings is used as a workshop. In it are ten work benches furaished with twenty sets of carpenters' tools, a lock-box being in
cach end of each bench, in which is placed a set of tools, seventeen in number. Two boys are assigned to each bench, each boy having a box of tools for which he is held responsible. The loss of tools is nothing, and the breakage very slight.

Besides carpentry tools the shop is also furnished with a full set of carving tools. Then there are grindstones, oilstones, vises, clamps, turning-lathes, scroll-saws, augers, and such other appliances as render the shop sufficiently equipped for the kind of work to be done in it.

When well advanced in the work, the boys are taught to grind and sharpen their tools, but this is led up to slowly and cautiously.

- Two classes a day do work in the shop. The time allowed for each class is forty minutes, so that just one quarter of the school day is taken up in this way. The boys, when the time of shop work arrives, leave their respective rooms, repair quickly to their places in the shop, don aprons, and take up therr work where they left it the day before. A lively scene of enthusiastic industry now ensues. They are no longer school-boys, trammeled by the quiet conventionalities of the school-room; they are workmen, each being engaged in some undertaking in which his interest increases with his success and progress. The interest and enthusiasm of the boys is evinced by the fact that fully half of the Saturdays during the current year they have spent in the workshops upon their work-in fact, they are always ready for Saturday's work when their instructor signifies a willingness to be with them.

Sewing class: Sewing is taught in the high school. One class of girls is taking its work with good results. Plain serring, patching, darning, etc., only are attempted.

Hon. O. V. Towsley, superintendent of schools, Minneapolis, Minn., in his report for 1884-'85, states that the subject of industrial education is now before the board of education.
Hon. H. M. James, superintendent of public schools, Omaha, Neb., writes:
The idea of a high school workshop was first born in July, and the arrangements were made so that the shop was ready for use in October. Up to this time we have only made a beginning, but have sufficiently advanced the work to settle a few points.

1. The manual work in no way interferes with the regular academic work of the school. Those who go into the shop (this work is optional) are doing just as much in the regular lessons as those who do not. It has been remarked by some of the teachers that those who take the manual training are more mauly and earnest in consequence. The time given to this line of work comes out of the recreation and waste time, of which boys have so much.
2. The work is popular with the community, and increasingly attractive to the boys who are engaged in it. None of those who undertook it at first now ask to be excused from it, and they seem anxious to take this lesson under any circumstances. One class goes into the shop at the close of school, and yet they accept the situation as in no sense a hardship. At the first we organized four classes of twenty boys each, and the number has kept up as well as any class in the school. Quite frequently now inquiries are made by parents if their boys cau undertake the work next jear.
3. We are convinced that while manual training is expensive, it is not more expensive than we had anticipated, and hardly as much so. In this, however, the judgment is based on the work of the first year, which is in the use of the saw, plane, and chisel. Probably as we adrance and take more difficult work, the expenses will be increased.

You will understand that with so brief an experience we ought not to presume too much on the final result. At this point we can simply say that the experiment is promising well. We obtained a teacher from the Saint Louis school, one of Professor Woodward's graduates.
The president of the school board of Atlanta, in his report for the jear ending January 1,1886 , says :

I cordially approve of schools of technology, wherever the city, State, or locality is in condition to maintain them, and I submit the question to the consideration of the honorable mayor and council, whether Atlanta is at present in condition to sustain a school of technology in connection with her public schools.

Hon. J. F. Ellis, superintendent of schools, Eau Claire, Wis., writes, March 5, 1836:1
We have in our schools a manual training department. Expenses last year in fitting up rooms, wages of teacher, and everything required for the jear's woriz, were, in round numbers, $\$ 600$.

[^34]We found the boys did their work in the other rooms as well as before, also that they dropped base ball and other athletic games in a measure.

We use a basement room in one of the houses.
The only trouble that I can see is that the course is not long enough, so that when this class has finished none will be ready to take its place.
If a course can be suggested that will avoid too much repetition, or that will not be monotonous, and that can be putin without additional buildings, suffciently extended to occupy a class of 40 or 50 until another class is old enongh to succeed it, in schools of the size of ours, then manual training will be a success.

The foregoing experiments differ substantially from manual training schools of the grade of high schools, forming indeed, as expressed by Doctor Philbrick, "a variety of the non-classical high school."

Schools of this class are increasing among us. Since the organization of the Manual Training School of Washington University, St. Louis, Mo., in 1880, the following have been established:

The Baltimore Manual Training School, organized in 1883, supported by public funds.
The Chicago Manual Training School, founded in 1884 by an association of gentlemen connected with the Commercial Club of Chicago.

The Philadelphia Manual Training School, opened September, 1885, as a part of the public school system.

The Cleveland Manual Training School, incorporated June 2, 1885. This school is supported by a stock company. Applicants for admission must be at least fourteen jears of age, and be of high school grade or have acquirements equivalent to those required for admission to the city high school.

These schools are classified with the institutions reported in Table X, Part 2, Division B. Their advantages must necessarily be limited to a much smaller proportion of the population than those of industrial schools co-ordinated to the grammar grades. The latter schools take pupils at an age when it is possible and desirable that a taste for mechanical work should be excited; the former are for the benefit of those in whom the aptitude has decided development.

## EXERCISES OF UNIVERSAL APPLICATION.

These two classes of schools, however, do not meet the demand which has become quite general for some method of training which shall develop a certain degree of manual skill and a taste for manual work among all children. So far the only exercise of this kind that it has been found practicable to bring within the reach of entire school populations are drawing, clay modeling, and sewing. Sewing, which was introduced into the grammar grades of Boston in 1876, can no longer be regarded as an experiment in that city. Every year affords new evidence of the great value of the instruction, and shows a slight increase in the number of cities following the example of Boston. Of the 276 cities enumerated in Table II, 73 report special teachers of drawing; it is also included in the course of instruction in many other cities which make no special provision for the instruction. In a number of cities the instruction in this branch is of a high order, and its beneficial effects are felt in many branches of industry; but as a rule provision for this important art is altogether too meager and the course of instruction exceedingly defective, while modeling and design are largely neglected. The result of all experience bearing upon the subject and the testimony of all competent judges justify the assertion that drawing and modeling ought to be included in all elementary training, and the need of adequate provision for this work cannot be too persistently nor too urgently forced upon the attention of legislators and school authorities.

## exhibitions of indestrial work by school children.

In several cities the influence of the public schools has been thrown on the side of industrial work executed by the pupils outside of school hours, and independently of school instruction.

This bas been done by arranging for exhibitions of such work and by the distribution of prizes for the same. Moline, Ill., has gained distinction by such exhibits, with reference to which the superintendent of schools, Hon. W. I. Mack, in his report for 18sü, says:
The industrial exhibit for 1855 , measured by the number, but more especially by the quality of the articles exhibited, was superior to that of 1584 . Nearly double the number of drawings was exhibited, and three times the number of wood carvings, besides nearly a hundred more miscellaneous articles.
While the plan followed here during the last two years has been productive of most excellent results, it must be remembered that participation by the pupils is optional, and that a continuation of the present interest can hardly be expected without the introduction from year to year of some new feature. We hare no doubt this can be done without detriment to the main object. However, the educational weather vane seems to be pointing toward hand training as an indispensable element of a consistent and harmonious elementary training. To our mind nothing in public school education is more inevitable. Communities like our own, where almost the sole occupation of the people is the transformation of raw material into useful products, should be the first to perceive this tendency, and to demand that their educational instruction conform to it.

The Industrial Education Association of New York city was organized in 1884. Its object is to promote the cause of manual and industrial training, by disseminating information relating to it; by securing its introduction into schools of all grades; by training teachers and organizing classes in special branches. The work of the association is entrusted to committces which have been formed to meet the needs of the specific work assigned to each. What has been accomplished thus far may be briefly indicated.

Through the office much raluable information has been obtained, and a large correspondence maintainęd. Toronto, Canada, owes the impulse of a successful morement in favor of industrial education to a normal class held under the auspices of the association. Similar classes have been held in other cities, and classes in domestic economy have been introduced into sereral well known young ladies' schools outside of New York city, while the Industrial Education Association of New Jersey is a promising offshoot from the parent society.

The introduction of "kitchen garden," or " little housekeepers"" classes into mission schools, orphan asylums, and tenement houses; the development of a system of sewing, under which teachers have been carefully trained and sent out to mission schools and to public and private sehools; the formation of classes in domestic economy in the leading private schools of New York city; and the introduction of the same practical teaching into working girls' clubs, and girls' friendly societies, are some of the means employed. Still another is the opening of a training school, where classes in industrial drawing and clay modeling, in sewing, "kitchen garden," cooking, and domestic economy, are crowded almost beyond their capacity by children who come from the public schools on Saturdays and after school hours. A daily kindergarten, morning classes for ladies in some of the above practical branches, and evening classes for girls employed during the day, are likewise held. A training school for servants is also estabhshed in connection with this house, where girls are thoroughly trained in all departments of domestic service.

While practical work is thus vigorously prosecuted, the association emphasizes most strenuously the importance of its work as a bureau of information, and in creating a public sentiment in favor of handicraft or manual training. Active cooperation from principals and teachers in both public and prirate schools, the sympathy of the press, and the support of public spirited citizens indicate the success of their efforts.

The possibilities of the work before the association are limited only by the funds and resources at command of the workers.

As a means of increasing interest in the subject, it is proposed to hold during the ensaing spring an exhibition of children's handiwork in a public hall of New York city. Exhibits from other cities will be included.

## INDUSTRLAL TRAINING IN NORMAL SCHOOLS.

It is evident that if industrial training is to become a feature of the common schools, it must be included in the normal school curriculum; hence all experiments in this direction are followed with pecaliar interest. Hon. James MacAlister, superintendent of schools, Philadelphia, says with reference to an experiment of this kind:

It took a good deal of earnest effort to get sewing introduced into the Girls' Normal School, and it was feared by many that it might interfere with what was regarded as the more important work of the pupils. We have learned, however, that no step ever taken in connection with the school has yielded more satisfactory results. The scholarship has not suffered; the sewing exercise affords an agreeable relief to the other duties of the girls, and a graduate now leaves the school skilled in the use of the needle to an extent that must add to the sum of her happiness, in whatever position of life she may afterwards be placed.

Professor Hagar, of the normal school, Salem, Mass., has tried the experiment of training the girls of his school in the use of common wood-cutting tools with very satisfactory results.

The following prospectus has been issued by Prof. C. M. Woodward, principal of the St. Louis Manual Training School:

## PROPOSED TEACHERS' MANUAL INSTITUTE IN SAINT LOUIS.

It is hoped that the following proposition will meet the eye of every teacher in the United States and Canada, and all editors and managers of journals, newspapers, and periodicals are respectfully invited to give it a place in their columns. Our motive is not mercenary; we wish to give practical encouragement to the movement to put manual training into American education. Teachers protest:
"How can we give what we do not possess? How can we teach what we have never learned $? "$ We are well prepared and willing to help them on.

## To teachers, students, and others interested in manual training:

It is proposed to open the shops and drawing rooms of the St. Louis Manual Training School during the summer of 1886, from the middle of June till the end of July or the middle of August, and to organize classes of adults in manual work, for the special purpose of enabling teachers to fit themselves for giving manual instruction.

We contemplate classes as follows:

1. In projection, isometric, machine, and detail drawing; line and brush shading, lettering, tracing, etc.
2. In bench and lathe work in wood, including wood carving.
3. In modeling in clay and plaster; in molding in sand and casting in plaster.
4. In iron and steel forging.
5. In iron and steel turning, planing, drilling, and fitting.

The full details of the programme cannot be published till the number and wishes of applicants are known. It may be assumed that the school will be in session six hours per day and six days per week; that member may devote his time to one, two, or three subjects; that some consideration may be necessary to secure equal privileges to all members; that sufficient uniformity will be insisted on to illustrate the class-method of tool instruction; that men and women will be received on equal footing; that. tuition fees will be at the uniform rate of $12 \frac{1}{2}$ cents per hour ; that all tools and materials in the shops will be furnished; that members will furnish their own drawing instruments and paper; that all drawings and specimens of shop work will become the property of the makers; and that no allowance will be made for occasional absences.

An intelligent and earnest teacher, who devotes four hours a day for six days per week, and for six weeks, will make as much progress as an average 15 -year-old boy makes in the shop allowances of an entire year. The same may be said of drawing two hours a day.

The capacity of the school for manual work is as follows:
Forty-eight drawing stands.
Forty-eight wood-working benches and sets of hand tools.
Forty-eight wood lathes and sets of turning tools.
Twenty-four molding and modeling benches.
Twenty-two anvils and forges.
Twenty places in the machine and fitting shop.
And I have an adequate number of very competent teachers.

Now I wish every person who desires to secure a place in the institute during the coming summer, to write me at onee, giviug his full name, age, occupation, residence, the probable lines of manual work, and the number of hours to be devoted to each. I suggest drawing an hour or two, and one kind of shop work for the rest of the day. If responses are promptly made, I can issue a definite programme in March, and secure places to as many as we can receive. I shall give the prefereuce to teachers and those more than eighteen years of age.

Good plain board and lodging ean be found in the neighborhood for five dollars ( $\$ 5.00$ ) per week.

To scheol boards and managers I suggest the great propricty and cconomy of continuing the salaries of such teachers tis may attend this Institute, and of paying the same upon my certificate of attendance here. In no other way can they get so cheaply correct ideas of the methods of manual training.
Should the number of applications be small, the sehool will not be organized this year.
C. M. WOODWARD, Washington University, St. Louis, Mo.
January 20, 1886.

## INDUSTRIAL TRAINING IN THE SOUTH.

The South offers an important and interesting field for the training under consideration, and while perhaps public opinion nas been less active on the subject in that section than at the North, the training has been introduced into a large number of schools.

The action taken by the trustees of the Slater Fund is giving a special impetus to industrial training in schools for the freedmen. It is a feature of nearly all the schools establisked by the American Missionary Association and the Freedmen's Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal Chureh, and of many other normal schools and universities of the South, as will be seen by reference to the tables and abstracts of the Appendix. A very great want of the South is a system of industrial training for the mass of the colored youth who will never reach the higher grade schools.

Hon. Ulric Bettison, superintendent of schools, New Orleans, in his report for 1885 calls attention to the efforts of Talane University for the practical training of the youth of that city. He sass:

The most effective of its efforts to reach the masses has been perbaps the free instruction furnished in drawing. Evening elasses for the benefit of mechanics and others who are occupied during the day have been formed and eagerly attended. On Saturday free instruction is given to all teachers who wish to undertake the course. These classes are fully attended, and the instruction given has made possible the introduction of drawing into our sehools.

## PUBLIC OPINION.

The disposition manifest for several sears among leaders of public opinion to attribute the distaste for mannal labor on the part of our young people to the influence of the public schools is passing away. Other and more probable causes of the evil are attracting attention, and other agencies are suggested for its correction. Said Prof. Charles 0. Thompson: "It is safe to rest upon the certain erdowment of private institutions for the teaching of handicraft. Nearly $\$ 10,000,000$ have been given to found institutions of tecinology, and mainly by private givers, since 1868, and the good work still goes on." Every year chronicles some new and important movement in this department, due to private benefactions or the enterprise of some corporate body.

## SPECIAL SCHOOLS.

One of the most recent instances is the inauguration by the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company of the Baltimore and Ohio Technological School, for the promotion of a higher course of inctruction for the apprentices of the service than is rom attainable. The headquarters of the school are at St. Clare, Baltimore.

The following information is derived from a report of the operation of the New York Trade Schools:
These schools were opened four years ago for the purpose of giving young men instruction in certain trades, and to give young men already in the trades an opportunity to improve themselves. The results of the past four seasons have proved the success of what at first was an experiment. Many young men are now earning high wages who were unable to obtain work before joining the schools.
Instruction was given the first season in two trades, the attendance being thirt $\delta$ three. Instruction is now given in eight trades, and the attendance the past two seasons has averaged two hundred. The Now York Trade Schools are not intended to be either a charitable or a money-making institution. They are not managed in the interest of, nor are they in opposition to, any trade organization. Skilled labor all over the United States commands the highest wages. The demand far exceeds the supply, and is constantly increasing. In the large cities this demand is supplied chictly from abroad, owing to the difficulty young men in the large cities experience in finding an opportunity to learn a trade. A thorongh knowledge of a trade yields its possessor, if he works but two hundred days in the year, an income equal to that received from $\$ 20,000$ invested in government bonds. Young men can now obtain this knowledge at the evening classes of the New York Trade Schools without interfering with the work by which they may be earning a living during the day.
The schools are conducted on the principle of teaching thoroughly how work should be done, and leaving the quickness which is required of a first-class mechanic to be acquired at real work after leaving the schools. The experience of the past four years has shewn that from one-third to one-half a day's work can be done after one season's course of instruction, and that from one-third to one-half a day's wages can be obtained. Full wages havo usually been obtained in from six months to two years after leaving the schools, according to the nature of the trade. Young men who were exceptionally quick at learning have obtained full wages at once, but it is the opinion of the management that steady work at moderate wages is the more profitable in the end.

Progress at a trade school is necessarily rapid. Skilled mechanics are employed as teachers. It is their duty to show each individual how work should be done, to see that he does it correctly, and to point out the difference between good and bad work. It is constantly sought to ascertain, not only what the pupil knows, but in what he is deficient. Such a system can rarely be pursued in a workshop where each employe is necessarily employed upon the work he can do best.

In both American and foreign schools where trades are taught to beginners, the trade instruction is usually combined with a general instruction extended over several years. Although the results of this system of combining trade instruction with a general education are excellent, it does not meet the wants of young men who must support themselves or contribute to the family support. The system, therefore, which seerns adapted to American wants is to leave the general education to the public schools, and confine the work of a trade school to the manual and scientific instruction necessary to make a mechanic.

## INSTRUCTION IN COOKERY.

In Boston an experiment has been made which it is to be hoped may lead to permanent provision for giving girls attendiag the public schools instruction in cookery. During the year the school committee intend to permit the girls of three schools to attend the School of Cookery conducted by the North Bennett Street Industrial School, and the girls of five other schools to attend the Boston School Kitchen, No. 1, which is conducted under the direction of the committee on the Manual Training School at Mrs. Hemenway's expense. She agreed to pay the expense of a teacher and of the materials until July, 1886, when shedesires to present the "plant" to the school committee of Boston. The committee on the Manual Training School urge the school committee to assume the expense of this school in the following September.

The "First Mission School of Cookery and Housework" of Washington, D. C., was established in 1881, by Mrs. A. L. Woodlury, for the free instruction of young girls who are nazble to pay. It is managed by a small committee of ladies. The number of pupils is limited from want of funds to thirty-six; they are divided into practice classes of six-each class receiving a lesson once a week in coolsery and whatever else will enable them to make their own homes comfortable.
The zealous labors of Miss Juliet Corson in establishing schools of cookery and in
exciting public interest in the training have been duly noticed in former Reports. Since 1883 Miss Corson has been continuing her work with marked success, lecturing upon the subject and conducting classes in the principal cities of the East and of the Pacific coast. As a result of her efforts in Oakland, Cal., the committee on industrial education of the Oakland board of instruction resolved to make an experiment in the introduction of cookery into the public schools of that city. In Philadelphia the ladies of the Public Education Association arranged with the board of education for two experimental lessons in cookery to be given by Miss Corson in the normal school of that city. The experiment was tried with the view of ultimately introducing into the public school system a department of "household science."

TABLE XI.-SCHOOLS OF THEOLOGY.
The following is a comparatire statement of the number of echools of theology (including theological departments) reporting to this Bureau each jear from 1875 to 1885 , iuclusive ( 1883 omitted), with the number of professors and number of students:

|  | 1875. | 1876. | $18 i 7$. | 1878 | 1879. | 1880. | 1881. | 1882. | 1884. | 1885. |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Number of institations...... | 123 | 124 | 124 | 125 | 133 | 142 | 144 | 145 | 146 | 152 |
| Number of instructors..... | 615 | 580 | 564 | 577 | 600 | 633 | 624 | 712 | 750 | 793 |
| Number of students ....... | 5,234 | 4,268 | 3,965 | 4,320 | 4,738 | 5,242 | 4,793 | 4,321 | 5,290 | 5,775 |

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Table XI.-Summary of statistics of schools of theology.

| States and Territories. |  |  |  | Students. |  |  |  | Libraries. |  | Property, income, \&c. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Amount of productive } \\ & \text { funds. } \end{aligned}$ |  |
| Alabama.. | 3 | 12 | .. | 188 |  |  | 3 | 2,800 | 100 | \$22,000 | \$6,000 | $a \$ 3,868$ |
| California. | 2 | 12 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 20,000 | 7,200 | 99, 000 | 125, 000 | 5,900 |
| Colorado. | 2 | 4 | .... | 2 | 2 | 0 | 15 | 5,100 | 75 | 18,000 | 70,000 |  |
| Connecticut | 2 | 25 | 10 | 148 | 11 | 138 | 14 | 45, 000 | 2,580 |  | 305, 608 |  |
| Georgia. | 4 | 13 | 2 | 318 |  | 4 | 8 | 3,608 | 1, 069 | 50,000 | 40,000 | 2,300 |
| Illinois. | 18 | 89 | 13 | 761 | 18 | 180 | 71 | 51,525 | 826 | 865, 000 | 1, 399, 093 | 103, 991 |
| Indiana | 3 | 25 | 4 | 44 | 1 | 1 | .... | 7,217 | 225 | 45,000 | 46,000 | 4,000 |
| Iowa. | 5 | 12 | 5 | 60 | 5 | 2 | 5 | 348 |  | 21, 090 | 41, 204 | 6,392 |
| Kentacky | 5 | 13 | 1 | 203 | 1 | 43 | 73 | 24, 000 | 400 | 117, 000 | 404, 170 | 25, 093 |
| Lorisiana. | 3 | 12 |  | 74 |  |  |  | 3,000 | 2,500 |  |  |  |
| Maine | 2 | 9 | 4 | 52 |  | 11 | 8 | 18,500 | 550 | 105, 000 | 199, 600 | 13,141 |
| Maryland. | 5 | 42 |  | $\{215$ |  | \} 25 | 43 | 41,200 | 400 | 80,000 |  |  |
| Massachusetts | 7 | 60 | 17 | 252 | 13 | 165 | 54 | 86,786 | 1,426 | 814,873 | 1,582, 798 | 119,693 |
| Michigan. | 3 | 13 | 5 | 28 | 2 | 5 | 3 |  |  |  | 40,000 | 2,500 |
| Minnesota | 4 | 19 | 2 | 67 | 1 |  | 24 | 5,000 | 125 | 165, 000 | 175, 000 | 10,500 |
| Mississippi | 1 | 5 |  | 12 |  |  | -- |  |  | 30,000 |  |  |
| Missouri. | 5 | 23 | 2 | 380 |  |  | 32 | 14, 268 |  | 135, 000 | 40,000 |  |
| Nebraska. | 2 | 7 | 2 | 64 |  |  |  | 350 | ..... | 4,000 | 7,000 | 650 |
| New Jersey...... | 5 | 36 | 19 | 297 | 6 | 208 | 53 | 103, 201 | 4, 283 | 984,500 | 1,659,400 | 92, 041 |
| New York. | 11 | 76 | 24 | 695 | 22 | 141 | 134 | 133, 339 | 8,481 | 1,598, 000 | 2, 352, 285 | 133, 081 |
| North Carolina | 6 | 15 | 1 | 142 |  | 5 | 2 | 500 | 125 | 20,000 | 6,000 | 240 |
| Ohio | 13 | 63 | 9 | $\{250$ | $\begin{aligned} & 63) \\ & 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\} 127$ | 64 | 31,700 | 770 | 215, 000 | 375, 000 | 25,300 |
| Pennsylvania.... | 16 | 97 | 28 | 515 | 6 | 216 | 104 | 121, 825 | 475 | 519, 000 | 1, 282, 129 | 80, 952 |
| South Carolina | 6 | 17 | 2 | 55 |  |  | 1 | 25,500 | 100 | 50,000 |  |  |
| Tennessee | 6 | 24 | 7 | 161 | 3 | 9 | 22 | 19,968 | 2,641 | 178,540 | 82,000 | 4,150 |
| Texas. | 2 | 18 |  | 19 |  |  |  | 600 | 12 | 50, 000 |  |  |
| Virginia | 3 | 17 | 7 | 156 |  |  | 27 | 28,300 | 307 | 65, 000 | 309, 000 | 15,000 |
| Wisconsin....... | 5 | 29 | 1 | 297 | 12 | 27 | 10 | 26,519 | 8,339 | 229, 000 | . 55,000 | 3,000 |
| Dist. of Columbia. | 2 | 6 | 1 | 74 |  | 2 | 16 |  |  |  | 40,000 | 2,000 |
| Indian Territory. | 1 |  |  | 13 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total | 152 | 793 | 169 | $\left\{\begin{array}{c} (12 \\ 5,550 \end{array}\right.$ | 104 | \}1,312 | 790 | 820, 154 | 43, 009 | 6, 480, 003 | 10, 702, 287 | 653, 792 |

a Includes $\$ 3,568$ received from collections in churches.

## Statistical summary of schools of theology, according to denominations.

| Denomination. | 4 <br>  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Number of pro- } \\ & \text { fessers. } \end{aligned}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Baptist | 22 | 109 | 1,033 |
| Roman Catholic. | 18 | 135 | 1,161 |
| Evangelical Lutheran | 18 | 69 | 743 |
| Presbyterian. | 14 | 73 | 619 |
| Methodist Episcopal | 14 | 68 | 498 |
| Congregational | 12 | 77 | 443 |
| Protestant Episcopal | 12 | 69 | 237 |
| Christian | 5 | 23 | 155 |
| Reformed. | 4 | 14 | 50 |
| Unirersalist. | 3 | 21 | 55 |
| Methodist Episcopal, South | 3 | 10 | 183 |
| United Presbyterian | 2 | 18 | 59 |
| Methodist Protestant. | 2 | 16 | 23 |
| Non-sectarian | 2 | 12 | 76 |
| Free Baptist. | 2 | 8 | 45 |
| New Church . | 2 | 8 | 11 |
| German Methodist Episcopal | 2 | 5 | 36 |
| African Methodist Episcopal | 2 | 2 | 5 |
| Unitarian... | 1 | 8 | 15 |
| Camberland Presbyterian. | 1 | 6 | 39 |
| Reformed (Dutch) | 1 | 6 | 29 |
| Wesleyan Methodist. | 1 | 5 | 16 |
| United Brethren in Christ | 1 | 4 | 25 |
| Moravian. | 1 | 4 | 18 |
| Associate Reformed | 1 | 4 | 5 |
| African Methodist Episcopal Zion | 1 | 4 |  |
| German Evangelical. | 1 | 3 | 99 |
| Reformed Presbjterian. | 1 | 3 | 22 |
| Old School Presbyterian, South | 1 | 3 | 30 |
| Erangelical Association . | 1 | 3 | 10 |
| Reformed German | 1 | 3 | 2 |
| Total | 152 | 793 | 5,775 |

## TABLE XII.-SCHOOLS OF LAW.

The following is a statement of the number of schools of law reporting to this Bureau each jear from 1875 to 1885 , inclusive ( 1883 omitted), with the number of instructors and number of students:

|  | 1875. | 1876. | 1877. | 1878 | 1879. | 1880. | 1881. | 1882 | 1884. | 1885. |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Number of institutions..... | 43 | 42 | 43 | 50 | 49 | 48 | 47 | 48 | 47 | 49 |
| Number of instructors..... | 224 | 218 | 175 | 196 | 224 | 229 | 229 | 249 | 269 | 285 |
| Number of students....... | 2,677 | 2,664 | 2,811 | 3,012 | 3,019 | 3,134 | 3,227 | 3,079 | 2,686 | 2,744 |

Table XII.-Summary of statistics of sohools of law.

| States. |  |  | Students. |  |  | Libraries. |  | Property, income, \&c. |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | Graduates at the com- mencement of 1885 . |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Income from productive } \\ & \text { funds. } \end{aligned}$ |  |
| Alabama ........ | 1 | 4 | 18 | 7 | 12 | 50 |  |  |  |  | \$000 |
| Arkansas. | 1 | 5 | 10 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |  | \$0 | \$0 | 0 |
| California........ | 1 | 4 | 138 |  | 28 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Connecticut ..... | 1 | 18 | 68 | 40 | ... | 8, 000 |  |  | 11, 600 | 700 | 6,380 |
| Georgia........... | 3 | 8 |  |  | 11 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Illinois . | 4 | 22 | 172 | 25 | 53 |  |  |  |  |  | 8,100 |
| Indiana. | 2 | 13 | 37 | 7 | 10 | 1,200 | 500 |  |  |  | 5, 000 |
| Iowa . | 2 | 24 | 19 | 8 | 28 | 3,500 | 250 |  |  |  | 1,000 |
| Kansas. | 1 | 6 | 14 | 2 | 8 | 100 |  |  |  |  | 350 |
| Louisiana. | 2 | 9 | 72 |  | 13 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Maryland........ | 1 | 7 | 65 | 25 | 18 | 434 | 94 | \$7, 000 |  |  | 5,265 |
| Massachusetts... | 2 | 25 | 324 | 178 | 48 | 20,000 | ..... |  | 173, 860 | 11, 934 | 22, 110 |
| Michigan. | 1 | 6 | 262 | 40 |  | 9,400 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mississippi...... | 1 | 5 | 8 | 4 | 3 |  |  |  |  |  | 400 |
| Missouri......... | 2 | 15 | 108 | 24 | 23 | 3,775 |  |  |  |  | 1,960 |
| New York....... | 4 | 30 | 499 | 219 | 181 | 6,159 | 53 | 30,000 |  |  | 42,749 |
| North Carolioa .. | 1 | 2 | 27 | - | 2 | 300 | 53 |  |  |  | 1,200 |
| Ohio.............. | 2 | 11 | 119 | 34 | 64 | 2,912 | 202 |  |  |  | 5, 070 |
| Oregon ........... | 2 | 10 | 7 | 2 | ... | 30 | 30 |  |  |  | 375 |
| Pennsylvania.... | 1 | 5 | 109 |  | 37 | 300 | 0 |  |  |  | 8,451 |
| South Carolina .. | 2 | 3 | 15 | 3 | 4 | 3,002 | ...... |  | 0 | 0 | 508 |
| Tennessee ....... | 3 | 11 | 65 | 2 | 31 | 540 | 10 |  |  |  | 1,655 |
| Texas ........... | 1 | 2 | 55 |  | 21 | 3,546 | 2,346 |  |  |  |  |
| Virginia ......... | 2 | 5 | 119 |  | 23 | 4,700 | 25 |  |  |  |  |
| West Virginia ... | 1 | 2 | 14 |  | 6 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Wisconsin....... | 1 | 5 | 36 |  | 24 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Dist. of Columbia. | 4 | 28 | 364 | 4 | 85 |  |  |  | 10,000 | 800 | 6,160 |
| Total ...... | 49 | 285 | 2, 744 | 632 | 744 | 68, 008 | 3,653 | 37,000 | 195, 460 | 13,434 | 117,639 |

table xili. - Schools of medicine, dentistry, and pharmacy.
The following is a comparative statement of the number of schools of medicine, (ientistry, and pharmacy reported to the Office each year from 1875 to 1885, inclusive ( 1883 omitted), with the number of instructors and students:

|  | 1875. | 1876. | 1877. | 1878 | 1879. | 1880. | 1881. | 1882. | 1884. | 1885. |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Number of institutions |  | 106 | 102 | 106 | 106 | 114 | 120 | 126 | 134 | 145 |
| Number of instructors | 1,172 | 1,201 | 1,278 | 1,337 | 1,495 | 1,660 | 1,746 | 1,946 | 2,235 | 2,514 |
| Number of stadents.. | 9,971 | 10,143 | 11,225 | 11,830 | 13,321 | 14,006 | 14,536 | 15,151 | 15,300 | 13,921 |

Five of the seven additional schools reported in Table XIII for this year are included in Group I, "medical and surgical," and in a new class, "post-graduate and polyclinic," which has not been mentioned in my previous Reports. This new division
in medical schools corresponds to the new departure in American medical education: these post-graduate schools supply an acknowledged want in our opportunities for medical instruction, whereby men, newly graduated, may continue further the study of their profession, or may supplement, during a few months of study, their own experience as practitioners, by reviewing the collated and systematic presentation of ali new discoveries in remedies, appliances, and methods of cure.

The number of medical schools proper has diminished by two, one eclectic and one homœopathic school, both connected with the University of Nebraska, not appearing in this Report. Four new schools of pharmacy make up this loss of numbers in the table, and supply the rest of the increase noted for the year.

Table XIII.-Summary of statistics of schools of medicine, of dentistry, and of pharmacy.

| States. |  |  | Students. |  |  | Libraries. |  | Properts, income, \&c. |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Income from productive |  |
| I. Medical and Surgical. 1. Regular. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Alabama .. | 1 | 14 | 90 |  | 34 | 500 |  | \$150,000 |  |  | \$4, 000 |
| Arkansas. | 1 | 15 | 41 |  | 8 | 0 |  | 15,000 | \$0 |  |  |
| California | 3 | 47 | 132 | 14 | 32 | 200 |  | 100,000 |  |  | 6, 234 |
| Colorado.. | 2 | 24 | 41 | 3 | 8 |  |  | 7,000 | 0 | \$0 | 1,138 |
| Connecticat. | 1 | 17 | 27 | 11 | 6 |  |  |  | 29,134 | 1,212 | 2, 701 |
| Georgia. | 3 | 38 | 255 |  | 103 | 5,000 |  | 110, 000 |  |  | 15, 464 |
| Illinois | 5 | 118 | 795 | 101 | 295 | 265 | 20 | 225, 000 | 15,000 | 500 | 59, 262 |
| Indiana | 4 | 72 | 119 | .... | 47 | 2, 500 |  | 1,800 | ..... |  | 800 |
| Iorva.. | 3 | 35 | 245 | 16 | 96 | 750 |  | 30,000 |  |  | 4, 020 |
| Kentucky. | 4 | 52 | 581 |  | 231 | 4,000 |  | 165, 000 |  |  | 19,500 |
| Louisiana | 1 | 16 | 223 |  | 64 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Maine. | 2 | 18 | 67 | 16 | 14 | 4,000 |  | 25,000 | 2,500 | 150 | 4, 087 |
| Maryland | 3 | 71 | 647 |  | 233 | 1,600 |  | 500 |  |  | 2, 000 |
| Massachusetts. | 2 | 77 | 294 | 130 | 65 | 2, 100 |  | 3,000 | 177, 254 | 10,783 | 50,613 |
| Michigan | 3 | 64 | 456 | 32 | 120 | 2, 736 | 12 | 30,000 |  |  | 3, 192 |
| Minnesota | 2 | 34 | 64 |  | 19 |  | 500 | C0,000 |  |  | 2, 000 |
| Missour | 8 | 128 | 508 | 4 | 172 | 1,775 | 25 | 163, 500 |  |  | 14,385 |
| Nebrasba | 1 | 15 | 22 |  | 8 | 150 |  | 20,000 |  |  |  |
| New Hampshire. | 1 | 13 | 44 | 7 | 21 | 1, 000 |  | 20,000 | 1,000 | 70 | 3,200 |
| New York | 9 | 247 | 1,908 | 184 | 503 | 8, 250 |  | 972, 450 | 42,185 | 3,800 | 113, 388 |
| North Carolina .. | 2 | 9 | 26 |  |  | 500 |  | 40,000 | 6, 000 | 300 | 3, 450 |
| Ohio | 0 | 153 | 715 | 20 | 251 | 3, 500 |  | 231, 200 | 260,000 |  | 35, 854 |
| Oregon. | 1 | 10 | 30 | 4 | 7 | 100 | 15 | 20,000 | 0 | 0 | 2, 000 |
| Pemssylpania. | 4 | 125 | 1,024 | 135 | 311 | 5,690 |  | 367, 500 | 135, 597 | 7,842 | 59, 50 : |
| South Carolina | 1 | 13 | 67 |  | 19 |  |  | 30,000 | 0 | 0 | 4,770 |
| Tennessee | 5 | 68 | 490 | 10 | 182 | 1,900 | 141 | 65, 000 | 5,000 | 100 | 15,700 |
| Vermont. | 1 | 19 | 200 | 20 | 78 |  |  | 30,000 | 0 | 0 | 9,000 |
| Virginia .......... | 2 | 23 | 111 |  | 33 |  |  | 150, 000 |  |  |  |
| Dist. of Columbia | 4 | 56 | 219 | 20 | 50 |  |  | 1,500 | 2, 200 | 154 | 3, 070 |
| Total | 88 | 1, 591 | 9,441 | 733 | 3,113 | 47, 416 | 713 | 3, 036,450 | 675, 870 | 24,911 | 440,835 |

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Table XIII -Summary of statistics of schools of medicine, fc. -Continued.

| States. | Number of schools. |  | Students. |  |  | Libraries. |  | Property, income, \&c. |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Number of volumes. |  |  |  | Income from productive |  |
| 2. Eclectic. |  |  |  | - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| California... | 1 | 10 | 25 | 0 | 5 |  |  | \$25, 000 | \$0 |  | \$2,000 |
| Georgia | 1 | 6 | 70 |  | 13 |  |  | 20,000 | 4,000 |  | 4,000 |
| Illinois .......... | 1 | 20 | 143 |  | 37 | 500 |  | 75,000 |  |  | 7,000 |
| Indiana. | 1 | 14 | 25 | 8 | 8 | 50 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Iowa | 1 | 15 | 21 |  | 10 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Missouri. | 1 | 12 | 24 |  | 14 |  |  | 2, 000 |  |  | 6,500 |
| New York | 1 | 9 | 53 |  | 11 | 600 | ..... | 58,000 | 0 |  |  |
| Ohio. | 1 | 9 | 169 |  | 69 |  |  | 80,000 | 0 |  | -....... |
| Total | 8 | 95 | 530 | 8 | 167 | 1,150 | ...... | 260,000 | 4,000 | ....... | 19,500 |
| 3. Homœopathic. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| California. | 1 | 17 | 27 | ........ | 6 | 300 |  |  | 20,000 |  | 2, 378 |
| Ilinois.. | 2 | 36 | 388 | 67 | 127 | 1,500 |  | 130, 000 |  |  | 20,000 |
| Iowa.............. | 1 | 6 | 33 |  | 10 | 150 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Massachusetts. | 1 | 28 | 94 | 9 | 26 | 2,000 | 25 | 100, 000 | 40,000 | \$2,000 | 9,865 |
| Michigan. | 1 | 8 | 34 | 4 | 6 | 2,636 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Missouri. | 1 | 13 | 38 | 4 | 9 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| New York | 2 | 56 | 178 | 20 | 53 | 30 |  | 750 |  |  | 18,271 |
| Ohio.. | 2 | 32 | 144 | 16 | 57 | 1,500 |  | 35, 000 |  |  |  |
| Pennsylvan | 1 | 23 | 152 |  | 48 | 3, 000 | 1,000 | 200, 000 |  |  | 12,000 |
| Total | 12 | 219 | 1,088 | 120 | 342 | 11, 116 | 1,025 | 465,750 | 60,000 | 2,000 | 62,514 |
| 4. Post-graduate and polyclinic. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| New York | 2 | 155 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ohio. | 1 | 6 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Pennsylvania.... | 2 | 55 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total | 5 | 216 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| California........ | 1 | 29 | 30 | 1 | 13 | 20 | 0 |  | 0 | 0 | 5,225 |
| Indiana.......... | 1 | 6 |  |  | 13 |  |  | 1,000 |  |  | 3,542 |
| Iowa | 1 | 4 | 37 |  | 16 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Maryland........ | 2 | 43 | 162 | 36 | 64 |  |  | 25,000 |  |  | 16,500 |
| Massachusetts... | 2 | 37 | 95 | 5 | 35 | 200 | 80 |  |  |  | 13, 684 |
| Michigan. | 1 | 10 | 83 | 15 | 28 | 300 | 25 | 15,000 | 0 | 0 | 3,485 |
| Minnesota. | 1 | 18 | 5 |  | 3 |  |  |  |  |  | 330 |
| Missouri. | 2 | 27 | 30 | 1 | 6 |  |  | 12,000 |  |  | 3,383 |
| New York | 1 | 25 | 169 | 5 | 46 | 0 | 0 | 3,500 | 0 | 0 | 16, 118 |
| Ohio. | 1 | 10 | 60 |  | 23 |  |  | 15,000 |  |  | 6,000 |
| Pennsylvania | 3 | 71 | 390 | 8 | 176 | 4,300 | .... | 4,000 |  |  | 45, 085 |
| Tennessee | 2 | 27 | 55 |  | 35 |  |  | 1,500 |  |  |  |
| Total | 18 | 207 | 1,116 | 71 | 438 | 4, 820 | 105 | 77,000 |  |  | 113, 362 |

Table XIII.-Summary of statistics of schools of medicine, \&c.-Continued.

| States. |  |  | Students. |  |  | Libraries. |  | Property, income, \&o. |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Amount of productive funds. | Income from productive |  |
| III. Pharmaceu. <br> tICAL. <br> Colifornia $\qquad$ <br> Colorado. $\qquad$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \\ & 1 \end{aligned}$ | 4 | 50 |  | 14 | 200 | 20 | \$9,000 |  |  | \$2,000 |
| Illinois | 1 | 5 | 190 |  |  | 3, 000 | ...... | 0,000 |  |  |  |
| Indiana. | 1 | 5 | 7 | 0 | 0 |  |  | 200 |  |  |  |
| Iowa | 1 | 4 | 12 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | \$530 |
| Kentacky | 2 | 8 | 65 | 4 | 12 | 247 |  | 7,750 |  |  | 2,700 |
| Louisiana... | 1 |  |  |  | 7 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Maryland. | 1 | 3 | 99 |  | 33 |  |  | 5,000 |  |  |  |
| Massachusetts. | 1 | 5 | 158 |  | 12 | 3,500 | 50 | 6,000 | \$5,000 | \$325 | 5,500 |
| Michigan. | 1 | 12 | 61 | 2 | 26 |  |  |  |  |  | 5,417 |
| Missouri. | 1 | 5 | 115 |  | 34 | 50 | 10 | 1,000 |  |  | 5,000 |
| New York | 2 | 11 | 295 |  | 81 | 3,500 | 75 | 80,000 | 18,000 | 1,500 | 23, 484 |
| North Carolina .- | 1 | 3 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | ...... |
| Pennsylvania.... | 2 | 7 | 580 |  | 153 | 4,680 | 250 | 110, 000 |  |  | 2, 450 |
| Tennessee ....... | 2 | 6 | 26 |  | 6 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Wisconsin. | 1 | 4 | 40 | 11 | 8 |  |  | 500 | 0 |  | 175 |
| Dist. of Columbia. | 1 | 4 | 48 |  | 10 |  |  | 2,500 |  |  |  |
| Total | 21 | 86 | 1, 746 | 17 | 396 | 15, 177 | 405 | 2\%0, 950 | 23, 000 | 1,825 | 47, 256 |
| Medical and surgical: Regular ...... | 88 | 1,591 | 9,441 | 733 | 3,113 | 47, 416 | 713 | 3, 036, 450 | 675, 870 | 24, 911 | 440, 885 |
| Eclectic | 8 | 95 | 530 | $\delta$ | 167 | 1,150 |  | 260, 000 | 4,000 |  | 19,500 |
| Homœopathic | 12 | 219 | 1,088 | 120 | 342 | 11,116 | 1,025 | 465, 750 | 60,000 | 2, 000 | 62, 514 |
| Post.graduato. $\qquad$ | 5 | 216 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Dental.... | 18 | 307 | 1,116 | 71 | 458 | 4, 820 | 105 | 77,000 |  |  | 113, 362 |
| Pharmaceutical.. | 21 | 86 | 1,746 | 17 | 396 | 15, 177 | 405 | 230, 950 | 23,000 | 1,825 | 47, 256 |
| Grand total. | 152 | 2,514 | 13, 921 | 949 | 4,4i6 | 79,679 | 2,218 | 4, 070, 150 | 762, 870 | 28,736 | 683,467 |

TABLE XV.-DEGREES.
The following summary shows for 1885 the number and kind of degrees, in course and honorary, that were conferred in the United States. The number of degrees noted as conferred in theology does not really represent the number of graduates in that faculty, because many of the best schools mention in their graduation certificates no particnlar degree as conferred on the graduate. All such cases, whenever they can be ascertained, should be classed as bachelors of divinity. Asmost of these graduates were also preliminarily educated in a classical collegiate course, ending with the bachelorship of arts, and as they usually receive, three years later, the mastership of arts as a matter of course, they have no need of a professional degree.

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Of the grand total "in course" the learned professions obtained 47 per cent., of which theology received 3 per cent., medicine 36 per cent., and law 8 per cent. Of the honorary degrees in the grand total, the learned professions obtained 58 per cent., of which theology received 37 per cent., medicine 1 per cent., and law 20 per cent. By comparing this table with that of 1880 , it will be perceived that the different departments have gained, in degrees conferred, from 21 per cent. to 77 per cent., with the exception of the law, which has lost 6 per cent.

Table XV.-Statistical summary of all degrees conferred.

a Includes 18 degrees not specified.
b Includes 1 degree not specified.
c Includes 5 degrees not specified.
$d$ Includes 13 degrees not specified.
c Lighty-nine of these were ordained as priests during the year; there were also 516 grad. uates upon whom, in most cases, diplomas were conferred.

Table XV.-Statistical summary of all degrecs conforred-Continued.

a Includes 13 degrees not specified.

TABLE XV.-Statistical summary of all degrees conferred-Continued.

$a$ Includes 30 ordained as pricats during the year.

Table XV.-Statistical summary of all degrees conferred-Continued.


Table XV．－Statistical summary of all degrees conferred－Continued．

| － |  |  | 鹵 |  | E． E Z U |  | 苞 |  |  | 参 |  | － |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \dot{0} \\ & \stackrel{\theta}{y} \\ & \vdots \\ & \Xi \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 苞 E． $=0$ |  | － |  |  |
| Texas．．． | a59 |  | 29 |  | 5 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 21 |  |
| Classical and scientific col－ leges． <br> Colleges for womer． |  |  |  |  | 5 |  |  |  | 2 |  | － | 21 |  |
| Professionai schools ．．．．．．． | 1 |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Vermont | 117 | 10 | 33 | 3 | 6 |  |  |  | 3 | 78 |  |  |  |
| Classical and scientific col－ leges． <br> Colleges for women．．．．．．．． | 112 |  |  |  | 6 |  |  |  | 3 |  |  |  |  |
| Tirginta | 257 | 18 | 156 |  | 33 | 3. | ．． |  | 13 | 33 |  | 32 |  |
| Classical and scientific col． leges． <br> Colleges for women |  |  |  |  | 31 |  |  |  | 13 | 12 |  |  |  |
| Professional schools． |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 21 | ． |  |  |
| West Tirginta． | 44 | 8 | 21 | 1 | 14 | 3 |  | ．．．． |  |  |  | 6 |  |
| Classical and scientific col． leges． <br> Colleges for women．．．．．．．． |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\cdot$ | 6 |  |
| Wisconsin．． | 135 | 16 | 45 | 3 | 45 | 52 | 1. | 35 | 6 |  |  |  |  |
| Classical and scientific col． leges． <br> Colleges for women． |  |  |  |  | 45 |  |  |  | ${ }^{6}$ |  |  |  |  |
| Professional schools | 635. |  |  |  |  |  |  | b35 |  |  |  |  |  |
| District of Columbia | 249 | 6 | 33 | 1 | 4 | 1 | ．．．． | 10 | 1 | 64 | ． | 137 |  |
| Classical and scientific col． leges． <br> Professional schools．．．．．．． |  |  |  | 1 |  |  |  |  | 1. |  | ．． | 137 |  |
| Montasa． |  |  |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Classical and scientific col loges． |  |  |  | 1 |  |  | ．．． |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Washingtos． | 6 | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Classical and scientific col－ leges． | 6 |  |  | ．．． |  |  |  |  | ．．．． |  |  |  |  |

$b$ Namber of priests ordained during the rear．

## Table XVI.-Summary of statistics of public librarics for 1834-' 8.

|  | States and Territorice. | Number of librarics. | Namber of volumes. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Alabama..... |  | 41 | 05,303 |
| drizona. |  | 4 | 8, 650 |
| Arkansas. |  | 10 | 48, 143 |
| Califormia.. |  | 188 | 786, 052 |
| Colorado.. |  | 30 | 63, 728 |
| Connecticut.. |  | 170 | 707,159 |
| Dakota |  | 18 | 16,550 |
| Delaware |  | 18 | 64, 320 |
| District of Colum |  | 60 | 1, 203,150 |
| Florida |  | 14 | 20,660 |
| Georgia.. |  | 60 | 230, 714 |
| Idaho.. |  | 6 | 8,800 |
| Ilinois. |  | , 317 | 929, 391 |
| Indiana |  | 170 | 414, 328 |
| Indian Territory |  | 10 | 7, 801 |
| Iowa. |  | 120 | 317, 330 |
| Kansas |  | 82 | 174, 952 |
| Kentucky. |  | 99 | 280, 510 |
| Lonisiana. |  | 42 | 130, 759 |
| Maine .. |  | 136 | 388, 611 |
| Maryland... |  | 89 | 615, 494 |
| Massachusetts |  | 569 | 8, 569, 085 |
| Michigan .... |  | 339 | 587, 150 |
| Minnesota. |  | 82 | 178, $0: 11$ |
| Mississippi |  | 37 | $9 \mathrm{9}, 072$ |
| Missouri.. |  | 140 | 417,906 |
| Montana. |  | 6 | 14,400 |
| Nebraska. |  | 48 | 96, 344 |
| Nerada.. |  | 7 | 26, 827 |
| New Hampshire |  | 129 | 354, 443 |
| New Jersey... |  | 126 | 463, 662 |
| New Mexico.. |  | 6 | 14,370 |
| New York... |  | 780 | 3,163,508 |
| North Carolina |  | 57 | 158,050 |
| Ohio... |  | 290 | 1,070, 259 |
| Oregon ...... |  | 21 | 49, 840 |
| Pennsylvania |  | 433 | 1, 965, 093 |
| Rhode Island |  | 78 | 395, 030 |
| South Carolina. |  | 40 | 176,563 |
| Tennessee |  | 72 | 195, 186 |
| Texas... |  | 42 | 67,742 |
| Utah.. |  | 14 | 27, 534 |
| Vermont.. |  | 75 | 222,437 |
| Virginia. |  | 75 | 321, 842 |
| Washington . |  | 18 | 18,362 |
| West Virginia . |  | 19 | 36,138 |
| Wisconsin |  | 114 | 200, 783 |
| Wroming.. |  | 4 | 11, 892 |
| Total |  | 5,338 | 20,622,076 |

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Table XVII．－Summary of statistics of training schoots for murses．

|  | Name． |  |  |  | 世゙ <br> 它怘 <br>  <br> 〒 <br> $\underset{\sim}{e}=5$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Hartford Hospital Training School for Nurses． |  | 20 | 8 | 107 | 39 |
| 2 | Connecticut Training School for N゙urses，New Haven | 7 | 41 | 18 |  | 111 |
| 3 | Illinois Training School for Nurses，Chicago．． | 5 | 55 | 23 | 97 | 33 |
| 4 | Flower Mission Training School forN゙urses，Indianapolis． |  | 14 | 5 |  |  |
| 5 | Boston City Hospital Training School for Nurses | 15 | $\epsilon 5$ | 18 | 220 | 83 |
| 6 | Doston Training School for Nurses（Massachusetts Gen－ eral Hospital）． | 15 | 44 | 16 | 360 | 150 |
| 7 | Training School for N゙urses（New England Hospital for Women and Children），Boston． | $a 1$ | 18 | 12 | 180 | 84 |
| 8 | Worcester City Hospital Training School for N゙arses．．． | （b） | 10 | 4 | 13 | 4 |
| 9 | Farrand Training School for Nurses，Detroit．． | 3 | 12 |  | 12 |  |
| 10 | Minnesota College Hospital Training School for Nurses， Minneapolis． | 4 |  | 2 | 3 | 2 |
| 11 | Torthwestern Hospital Training School，Minneapolis ．． | 2 | 5 | 2 | 23 | 5 |
| 12 | St．Louis Training School for Narses | （b） | 13 |  | 28 |  |
| 13 | Training School for Narses，Orange（N．J．）Memorial Hospital． | 3 | 11 | 4 | 25 | 9 |
| 14 | Paterson（N．J．）Training School for Nurses（Ladies＇ Hospital Association）． | al | 6 | 1 | 8 | 2 |
| 15 | Brooklyn Training School for Narses（Brooklyn Hos－ pital）． | $a 1$ | 29 | 10 | 75 | 33 |
| 16 | Long Island College Hospital Training School，Brooklyn | 9 | 24 | 10 | 44 | 13 |
| 17 | New York State School for Training Narses，Brooklyn． | 6 | 7 | c7 | 65 | 65 |
| 18 | Training School for Narses（Brooklyn Homœopatbic Hospital）． | 9 | 20 | 2 | 31 | 2 |
| 19 | Buffalo General Hospital Training School for Nurses．．． | 8 | 24 | 8 | 65 | 20 |
| 20 | Buffalo State Asslum Traising School for Attendants．．． | 2 | 34 | 0 |  |  |
| 21 | Training School for Nurses（Kings County Insane Ass－ lum），Flatbush， 2. ．I． | d2 | 50 | 5 | 60 | 5 |
| 22 | Charity and Maternity Hospital Training School，New Fork． | 10 | 42 | 18 | 275 | 127 |
| 23 | Mt．Sinai Training School for Narses，New York．．．．．．． | 6 | 25 |  | 48 |  |
| 24 | Training School for Narses（Bellerue Hospital），New Fork． | 6 | 64 |  | 469 | 235 |
| 25 | Training School of New Tork Hospital． | 8 | 36 | 18 | 120 | 84 |
| 26 | Rochester City Hospital Training School for Nurses．．．． | 6 | 19 | 7 | 42 | 19 |
| 27 | Training Scbool for Narses，Cannonsbarg，Pa． | 3 | 6 | c3 | 12 | 3 |
| 23 | Nurses＇Training School（Philadelphia Hospital）．．．．．．．． | 2 | 36 |  |  |  |
| 2 | Narse Training School of the Woman＇s Hospital，Phila－ delphia． |  |  |  | 212 |  |
| 20 | Pennsylvania Hospital Training School for Norses．．．．． | 1 | 6 | 4 | 13 | 13 |
| 31 | Philadelphia Lying－in Charity and Narse School． | 4 | 15 | 4 | 600 |  |
| 32 | South Carolina Training School for Narses，Charleston．． | 1 | 10 |  | 12 |  |
| 33 | Mary Fletcher Hospital Training School for Narses， Barlington， Ft ． | 6 | 12 | 6 | 27 | 13 |
| 34 | Washington（D．C．）Training School for Nurses．．．．．．．． | 7 | 20 | 3 | 65 | 14 |
|  | Total．． | 153 | 793 | 218 | 3，320 | 1，188 |

It may not be generally known that deaf-mutism has rapidly increased in the decade between 1870 and 1880. And when we realize that 40 per cènt. of these cases originate in meningitis, measles, and brain and scarlet fevers, we begin to perceive the advantages of medical skill and intelligent nursing in the treatment of those diseases. Since crime and disease are largely the result of ignorance, it is also evident that the state practices sound economy when it effectively educates the rising generation.
Now, at the present ratio of increase, there will be in the United States over 150,000 deaf-mutes in the year 1900. To educate 40 per cent. of this number, or 60,000 mutes, would require, on the average, over $\$ 13,000,000$ per annum. While the growth of the country in wealth and philanthropy will probably always keep pace with the necessities of the defective classes, yet we may reasonably hope that the diffusion of intelligence will gradually decrease the ratio above indicated.
By reference to Table XVIII it will be seen that in 1884-'85 there were 64 schools for the deaf and dumb, having 516 instructors and 7,295 pupils.
The provision for the education of colored mutes is, on the whole, meager ; but progress is being made every year. They certainly need more extended recognition, and as a matter of economy and philanthropy there should be no distinction because of race, condition, or color.
There is a wide difference of opinion as to the comparative utility of boarding and day schools in the education of the deaf. The argument for the former class of schools is substantially as follows: Special difficulties require special skill and means to overcome them. The education of the deaf-mute is especially difficult. Heuce there is required a special institution for his particular needs.
In some schools, one at least, the separation of the sexes is rigidly maintained, though there is a general sentiment against this method among the leading educators of the deaf.
means and appliances.
In the matter of buildings preference is manifested for a series of small buildings, or cottages, accommodating 25 or 30 pupils each, together with school-houses, shops, kitchen, gymnasium, chapel, etc. This arrangement presents a community of buildings, in which the æsthetic feeling may be satisfied by the beauty of the site, the harmonious arrangement of the various structures, and the tasteful disposition of the grounds.
The importance of a well-selected library is very generally admitted. "All that knowledge which comes to others through hearing must come to deaf-mutes through the eye. Reading becomes to them almost the only means of self-culture after they leave school, and if they do not acquire the taste and form the habit while in school, it is not probable that they will afterward." The schools generally recognize this need and strive to meet the exigency.

The keen sense of sight developed in the deaf renders the use of school apparatus highly instructive. Therefore educators are not slow to avail themselves of the resources so generously provided by modern ingenuity, and the leading schools are well supplied with these important adjuncts of mental training. But as in all other schools for the education of youth, the essential requisite is the teacher, full of enthusiasm, and backed by brain power and moral culture. The very contact with such an instructor secures the transmission of intellectual and moral life.

ACADEMIC TRAINING.
The aim in the majority of schools is to furnish a sound English education. Some go farther and provide a high-school course, while the National Deaf-Mute College at

Washington, D. C., offers the highest advantages to those of more ambitious purpose and of suitable acquirements.

Tho best way of teaching the use of idiomatic language is a question that has diviacd the ranks of practical educators for a hundred years. Some educators are earnest adrocates of the pure oral mothod, quite readily adopted by the "semi-deaf" and the "semi-mute." The more conservative adhere to the manual method, or that "course of instruction which employs the sign language, the manual alphabet, and writing." Many of the oldest and ablest educators adrocate a combined method.

Some of the obstacles which beset the teacher may be understood from the following considerations:
(1) The deaf pupil generally presents himself with an enfeebled body, a dwarfed mind, and discouraging habits.
(2) With "the lower power of sight" he must essay to perform the functions of "the higher power of hearing."
(3) To sight, there is an utter absence of tone, pitch, accent, and rhythm.
(4) The acquisition of language is a matter of imitation, practice, and habit.

The association of deaf and hearing children in special schools is adrocated by many interested in the development of the former. Such a measure was embodied in a bill passed by the Wisconsin legislature March 25,1885 , and the following advantages were considered:

The bill contemplates making the day schools for the deaf a part of the general public school system of the State, and school-rooms will be provided by the incorporated cities and villages in which such schools are opened. Economical and other considerations will usually lead to the selection of a room in some building already occupied as a public school, and thus the deaf children will be brought into close proximity to large numbers of hearing children in the same building. This proximity will favor the growth of friendships between the deaf and the hearing pupils, which will be invaluable in adult life, leading to business and social relations of the greatest importance. Constant association with hearing and speaking children will accustom the deaf child to the society in which he is to live in the future. His hearing schoolfellows and playmates will be the men and women by whom he will be surrounded in adult life. How important, then, that deaf-mutes should have the opportunity of cultivating the acquaintance of hearing persons of their own age! The friendships formed in childhood often last through life. Living constantly in the midst of the industries and activities in the communities in which they have interested personal friends to encourage and aid them, the ways are open to them to acquire any trade, business, or profession for which they have aptness or inclination. The broad fields and avenues of life invite them as they do the hearing; whereas in institutions they are limited to a ferw mechanical trades merely, not so easily turned to account for want of that personal acquaintance so helpful in obtaining desirable employment. Furthermore, industrial education is being brought into the educational systems of the large towns, affording advantages of a broader and more thorough kind than institutions offer.-Prof. A. G. Bell.
In addition to the advantages which may accrue to the deaf immediately, there is a remote advantage by no means to be overlooked. From that class of hearing children, thus associated, shall arise by "natural selection" the future instructors, especially endowed with subtile instincts for communication, with strong and abiding sympathies, with keen insight and understanding, in short, with affinities for the deaf which no other class could hope to equal, much more to excel.

## art tratning for the deaf.

As the useful generally precedes the artistic in order of time, we find that art training in schools for the deaf is just beginning to receive a proper recognition. Yet art is useful, if not in the materialistic, then in a higher sense, and therefore a better. If the practice of art arouses and evokes the mental powers, then art is not only useful, but its utility is of a very high order-more than meat, or raiment, or shelter. Art in general is to the deaf what music in particular is to the blind; and as no pains nor expense are spared in the musical education of the one, so should money and pains help on the art training of the other.

Drawing especially "has great attractions for the deaf," and upon this accompliṣhment may be reared the superstructure of every art. It is gratifying to know that "drawing is now taught in most of the larger deaf-mute schools of the country," and it is rapidly attracting that general interest which its importance demands.

## INDUSTRIAL TRAINING.

The importance of industrial training has been recognized for years. Its strongest argument lics in the consideration, that as the State supports the deaf during their tutelage, the State determines that they shall be self-supporting when they leave the institution. This is a broad hint that every child educated at the public expense ought to have manual training, not only as a safeguard against vice and crime, but as a guaranty of a uscful, happy life.

Trades are most commonly taught, but in one school, at least, the "Russian sys- . tem" prevails, to wit : teaching the underlying principles of a number of trades by the use of tools. Among the few uscful employments taught, that of farming is especially advocated. "There is no busincss a mute can follow that is so well suited to his condition as farming."

## PIYSICAL TRAINING.

The current of physical culture now sctting strong in this country has not fairly struck the institutions for deaf mutes. The National Deaf-Mute College at Washington is a notable exception. In a paper on the "Physical training of deaf mutes" is found this significant statement: "In reply to inquiries made of institutions for the deaf and dumb in regard to physical culture, nine out of thirteen had no special provision for it, in most cases exercise being left to take care of itself." It is presumed that the special attention given to industrial training precludes, or renders unnecessary that of the gymnasium. Betwixt playing and working, the muscles may be sufficiently indulged and provoked. But play may be so directed and controlled that a symmetrical, vigorous body may fitly coneort with an expanding mind. There are centurics of wisdom in favor of the gymnasium.

## industrial exhibits.

The country has been impresserl, instructed, and delighted with exhibits of handicraft produced by deaf mutcs. At the World's Industrial and Cotton Centennial Exposition at New Orleans, in 1885, twelve American institutions were represented. "The specimens of drawing, composition, painting, penmauship, as well as work in wood, leather, printing, needle and fancy work, are of a high order and deserve special mention." "The time in which we were compelled to make the preparation for this Exposition was so limited that no institution did itself justice; but we are glad to say that the entire deaf mute exhibit was a great success notwithstanding, and has erected a monument to deaf-mute skill and industry."

## COMPULSORY ATTENDANCE.

From causes not clearly defined a large number of mutes from 5 to 20 years, estimated at fully 10,000 , do not avail themselves of the provision made for their education. Whether this practical refusal, on the part of parents and guardians, arises from ignorance, or cupidity, or poverty, or parental affection, is not easily determined. But whatever the reasons of this, educators are convinced that some stringent measure is demanded by which the State shall be protected from the dire effects of pauperism, vagrancy, and rice, which are so effectually promoted by ignorance and neglect. It is believed by some, however, that this question will have received a partial solution when small schools for mutes shall be established throughout the State. "In this way many deaf mutes in rural districts may be reached whose parents would object to send their children far away from home to the State institution."

EMPLOYMENTS OF GRADUATES.
The practical result of all this outlay of money and time, tact and patience, gives, in the main, a choice product of upright, intelligent, capable graduates. They are qualified to become teachers, editors, magazine writers, lawsers, artisans, farmers,an honor to themselves and a credit to tho State.
"There are rers fer positions in life which cannot be occupied by deaf persons, as nearly all the arts and industries are open to them." "The deaf mutes are among the most skillful workmen emplojed ly the Chickering Piano-forte Compans, the Seth Thomas Clock Company, and other corporations." "Two deaf-mute brothers in Belloville, Ontario, are successful lansers."

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Table XVIII.-Summary of statistics of institutions for the deaf and dumb.

| States and Territories. | -suọุnł! | Instructors. |  | Number under instruc. tion during the year. |  |  | Total number who have received |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Number of semi-mutes. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Tin } \\ & \text { Hi } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \dot{0} \\ & \text { ज़゙̈̉ } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| Alabama ........................... | 1 | 7 | 0 | 57 | 30 | 27 | 210 |
| Arkansas..................... | 1 | 8 | 1 | 79 | 47 | 32 |  |
| Colifornia.. | 1 | 10 | 0 | 133 | 81 | 52 | 279 |
| Colorado.. | 1 | 5 | 2 | 46 | 26 | 20 | 75 |
| Connecticut | 2 | 16 | 1 | 223 | 135 | 88 | 2,431 |
| Florida .. | 1 | 2 | 0 | 8 | 7 | 1 | $8$ |
| Georgia.. | 1 | 6 | 3 | 96 | 55 | 41 | 377 |
| Illinois .............. | a3 | 41 | 3 | 638 | 361 | 277 | 1,967 |
| Indiana............. | 1 | 18 | 6 | 374 | 204 | 170 | 1,597 |
| Iowa... | 1 | 14 | 2 | 270 | 157 | 113 | 657 |
| Kansas | 1 | 11 | 1 | 190 | 102 | 88 | 440 |
| Kentucky . | 1 | 10 | 2 | 131 | 73 | 58 | 842 |
| Louisiana.. | 1 | 3 | 1 | 50 | 28 | 22 |  |
| Maine .. | 1 | 5 |  | 45 | 26 | 19 | 55 |
| Maryland.. | 3 | 13 | 1 | 118 | 67 | 51 | 840 |
| Massachusetts. | 3 | 24 | 0 | 205 | 103 | 102 | 521 |
| Michigan | 2 | 25 | 3 | 306 | 141 | 165 | 1,117 |
| Minnesota | 1 | 10 | 5 | 169 | 96 | 73 | 507 |
| Mississippi | 1 | 5 | 1 | 91 | 38 | 53 |  |
| Missouri. | 4 | 13 | 4 | 310 | 183 | 127 | 971 |
| Nebraska. | 1 | 8 | 1 | 99 | 65 | 34 | 211 |
| New Jersey. | 1 | 6 | 0 | 117 | 65 | 51 | 133 |
| Now York. | 7 | 95 | 12 | 1,375 | 777 | 598 | 4,717 |
| North Carolina | 1 | 8 | 0 | 125 | 69 | 50 | ..... |
| Ohio.... | 2 | 27 | 6 | 487 | 201 | 226 | 2,177 |
| Oregon ..... | 1 | 2 | 0 | 28 | 12 | 16 | 76 |
| Pennsylvania. | 4 | 44 | 5 | 634 | 374 | 260 | 2,412 |
| Rhode Island | 1 | 4 | 0 | 34 | 16 | 18 | 55 |
| South Carolina. | 1 | 3 | ... | 60 | 31 | 29 | 191 |
| Tennessee. | 1 | 7 | 2 | 122 | 72 | 50 | .... |
| Texas... | 1 | 9 | 62 | 146 | 87 | 59 | 288 |
| Virginia | 1 | 11 | 2 | 11 | 9 | 2. | 570 |
| West Virginia . | 1 | 4 | 2 | 75 | 42 | 33 | 217 |
| Wisconsin. | 3 | 18 | 1 | 271 | 168 | 103 | 868 |
| Dakota .. | 1 | 2 | 1 | 37 | 28 | 9 | 42 |
| District of Columbia. | c3 | 16 | 3 | 112 | 90 | 22 | 531 |
| Now Mexico. | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Utah... | 1 | 1 | 0 | 14 | 9 | 5 | 14 |
| Washington . | 1 | 2 | 0 | 9 | 4 | 5 | 9 |
| Total .. | 64 | 516 | 73 | 7,295 | 4:140 | -3,155 | 24, 905 |

$a$ One of these represents the Chicago system of deaf-mute schools, which includes five small schools.
. $b$ One of these is a deaf mute.
c This includes the Deaf-Mute College, an organization within the Columbia Institution.

Table XYIII.-Summary of statistics of institutions for the deaf and dumb-Continued.

| States and Territories. |  | Libraries. |  | Properts, income, \&c. |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Number of volumes. |  | 运 |  |  | 皆 |
| Alabama | 2 | 500 |  | a§̂75,000 | a $\frac{18}{} 18,000$ | $a \leqslant 100$ | $a \leqslant 10,000$ |
| Arkansas |  | $\varepsilon 0$ | 5 | 50,000 | 17, 7 :0 | 0 | ®3, 100 |
| California | 4 | a1,000 |  | a350,000 | a44, 000 | $a 800$ | a44, 000 |
| Colorado. | 0 | 250 | 25 | a45,000 | a22, 000 | 0 | a23,000 |
| Connecticat |  | 2,500 | 50 | 258,000 | 1,050 | 3,000 | 52, 715 |
| Florida. |  |  |  | a16, 000 |  |  |  |
| Georgia. | 3 | 1,000 | 30 | 40,000 | 17,000 | 0 | 15, 814 |
| Illinois. |  | 7,184 | 431 | 400,000 | 103, 000 |  | 102, 163 |
| Indiana | 10 | 3,400 | 10 | 504, 0-0 | 58, 947 | 0 | 57, 003 |
| Iowa.. |  | 575 |  | 30,000 | 57, 400 | 0 |  |
| Kansas | 0 | 200 | 0 | 125,000 | 32, 000 | 0 | 37,500 |
| Kentucky | .- | 1,500 | 0 | 140, 000 | 30,000 | 0 | 30,000 |
| Louisiana. | 0 | 375 | 12 | 25,000 | 10, 000 |  | 7, 850 |
| Maine . | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Maryland. | 4 | 4, 800 | 50 | a385, 000 | a33, 500 | a1,700 | a33, 230 |
| Massachusetts. |  | 1,615 | 8 | 102, 000 |  |  | 30,952 |
| Michigan |  | 2, 639 | 144 | 490, 823 | 50,000 | 1,579 | 57,153 |
| Minnesota | 4 | 1,100 | 20 | 200, 000 | 32, 000 | 900 | 32,000 |
| Mississippi | 1 | 800 |  | -5, 000 | 16,175 |  | 16, 175 |
| Missouri. | 5 | 1,032 |  | 175,000 | 6118, 500 | 0 | b107, 485 |
| Nebraska | 1 | 800 | 50 | 81,000 |  | 0 | 21,000 |
| New Jersey |  | 250 |  | 100,000 |  |  |  |
| Sew York | 90 | 5, 5 ES | 143 | 1,332, 675 | c167, 825 | c134, 700 | 347, 032 |
| Sorth Carolina |  | 1,321 |  | a100,000 |  |  | a36,000 |
| Ohio |  | 2, 000 |  | 750, 000 | 94,421 | 0 | 7i, 083 |
| Oregon | 0 | 0 |  | 5,000 | 4,000 | 0 | 6, 800 |
| Pennsylvania | 8 | 5,100 | 150 | 760,000 | 113,500 | 2, 998 | 121,703 |
| Rhode Island | 0 | 325 | 12 |  | 3,000 | 0 | 2,600 |
| South Carolina. |  |  |  | C52, 000 | a10, 000 | $a 483$ | d10, 610 |
| Tennessee | 12 | 600 |  | 125, 000 | 22, 500 | 200 | 24, 000 |
| Texas. | 1 | 500 |  | 100, 000 | 46,402 | 0 | ........... |
| Virginia. | 5 | 500 | 10 | a275, 000 | a35,000 |  | a34, 095 |
| West Virginia | 1 | 700 | 20 | a80, 000 | a25, 000 | 0 | a22, 050 |
| Wisconsin. | 6 | 600 | 150 | 110,000 | 40,000 | c00 | 41,036 |
| Dakota. | 0 | 30 | 0 | 39,000 | 16,000 | 5, 040 | 5, 040 |
| District of Columbia. | 41 | 3, 3¢0 | 100 | 650, 000 | 258, 000 | 5,757 |  |
| Nem Mexico. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Uta3. | 0 | 0 |  |  | e2,000 | 195 | 2,000 |
| Washington .................. ...... ......... ........ ............ ............ .......... ......... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total | 198 | 51,664 | 1,426 | 7, 995, 568 | 1,299, 000 | 158,052 | 1,439,739 |

## a Including department for the blind. <br> 6 For two Jears. <br> cIncludes income from other soarces.

dCongressional appropriation.
e Territorial appropriation.

## EDUCATION OF THE BLIND.

This country has now entered upon the second half of its first century of organized effort for the education of the blind. During the first half century there was a wonderful change, not only in popular sentiment, but in the methods of instruction emplosed. The time was when the blind were not considered susceptible of education; now, educators work on the principle that "they can be taught everything but to see." Formerly those who were unbefriended found a melancholy home in the alms. house; now, they practice useful trades, delight all hearers with their exquisite music, and furnish gospel light to eager congregations. "Out of 1,200 persons who have gone out from the institutions for the blind in New York State only 21 were afterwards found in the almshouse." Truly the education of the blind is a question of political economy, and not one of mere "charity."

## A COMPLEX PROBLEM.

The progress of the last fifty years derives additional interest and significance from the nature of the problem which confronted educators at the beginning of the centurs, as expressed by the superintendent of the New York Institute for the Blind:
An institution for the blind is necessarily more complex in its organization than any other establishment. Each of its three departments of instruction, literary, musical, and industrial, is a school in itself. Owing to the inability of blind pupils to help themselves, the working force required for the school, household, and general administration is much greater than is necessary for other defective classes. The gathering up of facts by the sense of touch while groping after knowledge in the darkness, is not only slow, but peculiarly destructive to the objects of study and the means by which instruction is given. Taking all things into account the work to be done for and upon the blind is far greater in variety and amount, as well as more difficult, than that required in the care and education of any other class of persons.

## COMPARATIVE ATTENDANCE.

From the census of 1880 we learn that the number of blind persons in the United States was not quite 50,000 . Of these, less than 10,000 were under 20 sears of age. Of course a large majority of the adult blind received an education before losing their sight. But as less than 2,500 hare been in attendance at the schools for the blind, there must be several thousand for whom, in some States, at least, inadequate provision is made ; or else, as in too many instances, these unfortunates are retained at home for various reasons. These are, chiefly, (1) a state of porerty which precludes suitable clothing and the cost of getting them to and from the institution; (2) a fear of intrusting these pets of the housebold to the care and sympathy of strangers; and (3) a bias-which is happily disappearing-against the idea of sending them to what they regard as an "asylum" or "hospital."

## SCHOOLS

To provide for the blind jouth of suitable age, there are 32 institutions in the United States, and erery State contributes to their support. Some of these are finely endowed, fully equipped, and amply provided with instructors. Others are doing excellent work with insufficient means and appliances, their lack being largely supplied by enthusiasm and ingenuity. In all there is manifested a singleness of aim. a progress of ideas, and a similarity of methods, which at once bespeak the intelligence of the educators and the influence of the biennial conferences.

## LITERARY DEPARTMENT.

In the literary department the problem is to cultivate memory, touch, and hearing. The ingenuity, the patience, and the persistence necessary to fully solre this probIem may be dimly conceived by the general public, but never clearly understood.

The aim is to inpart a good English education. That success follows in many instances may be gathered from the remarkable recitations and essays of the graduating classes.
The means employed are live teachers, peculiar books, and a good supply of models and apparatus. A number of schools are sadly deficient in a generous provision of objects of touch. The pressing need of these is evident from the fact that "the greatest mysteries are frequently wrapped up in the objects which are most familiar to other people." Hence there should be "in a well-equipped school for the blind a collection of natural objects, models, and apparatus, including stuffed birds, animals, and fishes; shells, botanical models, specimens of woods, plants, fossils, minerals in crystalline form, seeds, reptiles, crustaceans, sponges, corals, and star fishes; maps in relief; and models of machinery, works of art, celebrated buildings, and other works of interest."
There are three printing-houses in the United States which publish books for the blind. These books are more costly than ordinary works, and to help meet the expense of printing, etc., Congress appropriated $\$ 250,000$ in 1879 , the interest of which, $\$ 10,000$, is distributed pro rata to supply books and apparatus for the blind.
But the most perfect appliances are of small avail without that wonderful embodiment of tact, intelligence, and culture-the gifted teacher. And the marked progress and success of our more advanced institutions for the blind are mainly due to this fact, that they have not been wanting in able instructors. He who set free the imprisoned spirit of Laura Bridgman, who said to her darkened mind, "let there be light," and light was, evidently had divine credentials for the work he wrought, and did not stand in need of a human commission. Others still remain whose minds and hearts have received divine impulses, and a generation of the cultivated blind "rise up and call them blessed."
Sereral schools have debating societies, which prove a great stimulus to literary ability, while at the same time perfecting the students in oratory and elocution.

## MUSICAL DEPARTMENT.

The faculty of hearing seems to be intensified by the loss of the faculty of sight. One is not surprised, therefore, to learn that among the blind are many gifted musicians, or to discover that the department of music is sedulously cultivated in all the schools. One institution reports the possession of 26 pianos, with other stringed, reed, and wind instruments. Every school has, entirely ofin part, its harmony class, its choir, its orchestra, its band, and its corps of piano tuners. The practical ontcome is threefold: (1) It is a great source of pure and elevating enjoyment, not only to those who perform, but to others who hear. One joung lady expressed herself as glad that she was born blind, for only" thus could she have received "such a musical education." (2) Its cultivation serves to arouse sluggish faculties. For what a pupil can do well in one direction, is a perpetual reminder that a similar effort will accomplish much in another direction. Says an educator of the blind, "We have seen pupils who seemed naturally dull and lethargic, with little taste for books, gain greatly in intellectual development apparently through the study of music alone." (3) This knowledge prepares the blind to earn a competent living as sbilled organists, successful music teachers, and first-class tuners of pianos. In Bostou the contract for tuning and keeping in good working order 132 pianos in the public schools has been awarded for the eighth time to the Massachusetts Institution for the Blind.

## INDUSTRIAL DEPARTMENT.

Whatever may have been opinions and theories formerly, "no school is now considered complete without an industrial department." From the nature of the case, however, the scope is somewhat limited. To boys the following occupations are taught: the making of brooms, brushes, baskets, mattresses; also upholstering, cane-
seating of chairs, and weaving of rag-carpets. The girls are taught housekeeping, sewing and knitting (by hand and by machine), crochetting, beadwork, and caneseating. Says a leading educator, "The main design of our industrial department is not to make money, but to train hand and brain in some kind of handicraft which will render our pupils useful to themselves and to others. If the blind man does not in after life follow the particular trade learned here, he will have acquired industrious habits, a disposition to do something useful, which will at least keep him from vicious ways, and preserve him in a healthy frame of mind."

## PIIYSICAL TRAINING.

Closely hinging upon the topic of manual labor is that of physical training. Its necessity lies in the pertinent fact that "as a class the blind are frail and delicate." To obviate this plysical condition as well as to establish self-reliance, courage, and discipline, some of the schools have introduced the gymnasium, military-drill, and calisthenics. I quote from the report of a well-known institution:

We have a large and well furnished gymnasium for the male pupils, which is much used. A military drill is conducted very skillfully by the prefect, besides his other valuable services. The company consists of 46 pupils, armed with wooden muskets and bayonets. The special advantage of these drills is the promotion of discipline and good order ; of manly and graceful positions; and of facility and ease in walking and marching-a training for blind persons which has been much overlooked.
On the female side the calisthenic classes are the special exercises for eight months of the term.

## KINDERGÄRTEN.

The training of blind pupils from the age of five to nine years by kindergarten methods, though comparatively a new feature, is already a pronounced success. It has only been adopted in three or four schools, but will undoubtedly become general from the following considerations: (1) A large percentage of the blind can have their vision partially or wholly restored by surgical and hygienic treatment in early life, the necessity of which would be seen and recommended by the observing teacher. Investigators find that about 40 per cent. represent the result of simple ignorance and neglect. (2) The sense of touch is then delicate and susceptible of acute development. (3) This form of training is the most normal and scientific preparation for the more advanced studies, as well as for manual employments. (4) This period is the most suitable time for cultivating moral and religious sentiments. In some cases the surroundings of young (blin'l) children are not only ignorant but vicious; and they imbibe habits which it requires years to subdue.
The immediate results of kindergarten training are apparent in an exhibit sent to Madison, Wis., during the meeting of the National Educational Association in the summer of 1884. A special correspondent of the Boston Herald said:

Strange as it may seem, the finest work in clay modeling is that of scholars in the kindergarten department of the Massachusetts Institution for the Blind in South Boston. The objects represented in plastic material are almost perfection, and, in seeing the whole exhibit of this institution, the visitor can no longer doubt the value of the instruction of the blind in kindergarten methods. Some unique geometric work is done by the use of pins stuck in cushions.
moral and social training.
A noble character and fine social qualities are always and everywhere attractive They are especially valuable to the blind, because of their disadvantage in the struggle for subsistence, and their peculiar dependence upon others for sympathy and help. "Honesty, correct habits, amiability and worth, polished manners, and chaste lan. guage" are not only irresistible social attractions, but they also wonderfully augment happiness and greatly promote success in life. There is abundant evidence that the educators of the blind are sigually qualified to lead their pupils into paths of "truth
and righteonsness." Indeed, teachers of a different mold do not covet this peculiar mork performed by those who have exhibited a "remarkable purity of motive and singleness of purpose, together with deep enthusiasm."

## PRACTICAL RESULTS.

To people who are not only philanthropic but practical, a brief statement of results achiered is the most significant feature of the review. The following statistics of the occunations of the educated blind were collected in 1878; it is fair to presume that at the present time the numbers must be largely augmented:

Superintendents of institutions............................................ 16
Teachers in schools other than for the hlind............................. 62
Teachers in schools for the blind........................................... . 135
Ministers of the gospel ...................................................... 36
Studying or practicing law................................................... 5
Authors ..................................................................... 17
Publishers ....................................................................... 8
Agents and lecturers........................................................... 70
Teachers of music outside of institations. ............................... 463
Church organists................................................................ 88
Piano taners..................................................................... 125
Composers and publishers of music ....................................... 14
Graduates from colleges and theological seminaries.................... 17
Engaged in manufacturing ..................... ........................... . . 305
Working at handicraft....................................................... 702
Storekeeping and trading.................................................... . 269
Farmers......................................................................... 59
Newspaper renders............................................................ 7
Dealers in musical instruments ............................................ 6
Horse dealers .................................................................. 9

## HONES FOR THE RLINTD.

There is still another phase of this subject which merits attention and interest. I quote from the fifty-second annual report of the managers of the Pennsglvania Institation:
During the experience of many years, it mas found that, after the allotted period of instruction in literature and landicraft, some of the graduated pupils were homeless, and without a prospect of self-support. This led to the establishment of "Homes" of industry. The Pennsylvania Industrial Home for Blind Women was first organized. It has been in successful operation for sixteen years, and has at present fortyseren inmates, most of them emplosed, and all kindly cared for.

The Pennsylvania Working Home for Blind Men, chartered in 1874, gives employment at present to about eighty.five adult workmen, over fifty of whom are boarders.
The Pennsylvania Retreat for Blind Mutes and A ged and Infirm Blind Persons, is to sare for those blind persons for whom there is no other refage.

TABLE XIX.-Summary of statistics of schools for the blind.

a For both departments.
b Reported with statistics of the deaf and dumb (see Table XVIII and summary).
$c$ Officers and teachers only.
$d$ Instructors only.

Table XIX.-Summary of statistics of schools for the blind-Continned.

| States, | Property, income, \&c. |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Alabama | (a) | (a) |  |  | (a) |
| Arkansas. | \$20, 000 | \$12, 153 | \$0 | \$16, 274 | \$15, 100 |
| California. | (a) | (a) | (a) | b44, 800 | (a) |
| Colorado. | (a) | (a) | 0 |  | (a) |
| Florida | (a) |  |  |  |  |
| Georgia. |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ilinois | 116, 427 | 26,750 | 1,627 | 28, 377 | 27, 852 |
| Indiana. | 375,500 | 29,000 |  | 29, 291 | 24,919 |
| Iowa... | 250, 000 | 28,000 | 3,000 | 31,000 | 31, 000 |
| Kansas | 100, 000 | 13,900 | 0 | 13, 900 | 13,900 |
| Kentucky | 100,000 | 30, 569 |  | 30,569 | 28, 992 |
| Louisiana. | 12,000 | 610, 000 | 1,000 | 9,000 | 10,418 |
| Maryland. | 339, 400 | 15,250 | 2, 974 | 28, 824 | 18, 804 |
| Massachusetts. | 298, 650 | 30,000 | 15, 399 | 112, 553 | 131, 010 |
| Michigan.. | 78,000 | 132,000 | . | 132,000 | .......... |
| Minnesota. | 20,000 |  | 0 |  | 8,443 |
| Mississippi | 50,000 | 10,000 |  |  |  |
| Missouri.. | 250, 000 | 28,000 | 0 | 28,000 | 26,000 |
| Nebraska. | 15, 000 | 9,500 |  | 9,500 | 8,998 |
| New York | 371,481 |  | 3,436 | 187, 898 | 184, 865 |
| North Carolina | (a) | (a) |  | 38,000 |  |
| Ohio. | 500, 000 | 54, 000 |  | 54, 000 | 54, 000 |
| Oregon.... | 5,000 | 7,000 | 0 | 7,000 | 7,550 |
| Pennsflrania. | 182, 306 | 43,500 | 5,395 | 95,746 | 78, 881 |
| South Carolina. | (a) | (a) | (a) |  |  |
| Tennessee. | 30,000 | 16, 913 |  | 16,000 | 17,462 |
| Texas.. | 95, 000 | 31,000 | 0 | 31,000 | 31,000 |
| Virginia.. | (a) | (a) | c1, 087 | c36, 087 | (a) |
| West Virginia. | (a) | (a) | 0 | .......... | (a) |
| Wisconsin. | 175, 000 | 18,000 | 0 | 25, 000 | 18,000 |
| Total.. | 3, 443, 770 | 545, 535 | 33, 018 | 1,004,819 | 737, 194 |

[^35]
## EDUCATION OF THE FREBLE-MINDED.

There are now thirteen States that have made substantial provision for the education and training of the feeble-minded. Five other States have arranged by special legislation for the care of this class of unfortunates in the institutions of neighboring States.
The popular conviction is deepening and broadening that these persons are not only entitled to protection and the fostering care of the State, but thatpublic policy requires that they be restrained from contributing their quota to the ranks of the vicious and criminal classes; that they be prevented from casting a blight upon other members of the afflicted family; that they be hindered from generating their kind; and that they be trained to usefulness and self-support. These views are based largely upon the actual results that have been attained, even in cases seemingly beyond any reasonable hope of help or improvement. And so popular indifference, unbelief, and false notions of economy are giving way to an awakened interest, and to a growing faith, and to enlightened convictions of duty and policy toward this unfortunate class.

## IMPROVED METHODS.

There has also been a marked improvement in the methods of educating and training, which reflect alike the highest wisdom and the tenderest philanthropy. It is not enough, now, that these unfortunates have their barest wants supplied at almshouses, in the midst of an environment at once cheerless, depressing, and corrupt; but larger sympathies and a clearer understanding have provided trained teachers and assistants, comfortable apartments and wholesome food, interesting games, suitable studies, and the tonic of manual occupations. Industrial training, indeed, has been grafted on to the system of educating the feeble-minded, with something of the same success that has attended its application in other departments of instruction. In the better class of institutions it has become the main reliance for arousing the dormant senses and sluggish faculties of these defective organizations. The simple operations of farming and gardening, or the easily penetrated mysteries of some plain handicraft, are incalculable stimulants to these children, and never failing sources of happy, gleeful enjoyment, and steady, healthful, encouraging mental development.
The philosophy of this method lies in the fact that imbecility is always associated with more or less of physical defect, which may be arrested development, or the result of disorganization that has not been overcome. The sense of touch is dull in the feeblo-minded and altogether wanting in most idiots; and the first thing, therefore, is to teach them the use of their hands. This accomplished, they may pass, by easy stages, to domestic employments or to manual occupations of the farm and shops, their final success depending, as with those normally endowed, upon the skill of their teachers as well as upon their own native abilities. Some, though improved, never emerge from the prison house of mental deficiency ; others astonish and delight their friends with the quality of their attainments. Yet it is not claimed that oven the brightest can ever be fitted for usefulness in any of the responsible arocations of life; but they can be made to fill the humbler places which Providence has assigned to them with happiness and industry.

## a peculiar phase.

There is a phase of this subject in which the necessity of the method employed is at once painful and striking. The Custodial Branch of the New York State Asylum for Idiots commenced operations in the summer of 1878 . The chief and special object intended was the care, custody, and protection of a class of adult female idiots and imbeciles of the child-bearing age. The one hundred and fifty-two girls provided for during the past year (1884) have at all times been kept in a cleanly and presentable condition, properly fed, comfortably clothed, and protected from the community
and the dangers of the county poor-house system. It is but proper to say, that of the girls already received under its protection, about 20 per cent. of the number had, prior to their admission, borne illegitimate children, several of them more than one, and one as many as four. These conditions came about in nearly every instance while residents of the county poor-houses, and as the result of a loose and inefficient system of supervision. As a matter of record, when they were brought from their homes and from the county poor-houses to this place, with two or three exceptions, none of them knew how to sew eren as much as to hem properly an ordinary garment. Now there are from fifteen to tweuty who can operate the sewing machine, many of them skillfulls. About thirty are kept at sewing daily, either by hand or with the machine, and in all over ninety are regularly emplojed at some kind of work required in or about the house.

## general results.

As already intimated, the geveral results of these organized efforts, both public and private, are of the most gratifsing character. In the State institution of Kentucky, " the industrial departments are self-sustaining," while several State institutions have furnished highly creditable exhibits at some of the great "expositions." They have displayed specimens of carpentry, shoes, brooms, mattresses, clothing, laundry work, etc. But better than these material results are the happiness and intelligence that have come to minds and hearts hitherto enshrouded with gloom; the ambition and self-esteem, the perception of duty, and the power of self-help, that have been awakened and cultivated; and the State, for thus conserving these wasting forces, is the nobler, and the wiser, and the safer $r_{r}$

Table XX. -Summary of statistics of schools for feeble-minded youth.

|  | Name. |  | Number of inmatos. |  |  |  |  | 蔟 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { تू } \\ & \text { Hi } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |
| 1 | California Association for the Care and Training of Feeble-Minded Children. Connecticut School for Imbeciles......... | 9 | ${ }^{6}$ | 7 | 13 102 | 0 | $\$ 2,160$ 16,536 | \$1,410 |
| 3 | Illinois Asylum for Feeble-Minded Children. | .... | 172 | 138 | 310 | 228 | 56,000 | 56,000 |
| 4 | Indiana Asylum for Feeble-Minded Children. | 15 | 43 | 41 | 84 |  | a30,000 | a30,000 |
| 5 | Iowa Institution for Fecble-Minded Children. | 50 | 164 | 95 | 259 |  | 42,080 | 41,700 |
| 6 | Kentucky Institution for the Education and Training of Feeble-Minded Chil. dren. | 27 | 87 | 65 | 152 | 91 | 29,634 | 29,631 |
| 7 | Family Home School for Nervous and Delicate Children (Amherst, Mass.). | 3 | 8 | 2 | 10 | 1 | 2,500 | 2,500 |
| 8 | Private Institution for the Education of Feeble-Minded Youth (Barre, Mass.). | 31 | 44 | 25 | 69 | 160 | .......... | 44,800 |
| 9 | Hillside School for Backward and Feeble Children (Fayrille, Mass.). | 6 | 3 | 3 | 6 | 18 |  |  |
| 10 | Massachusetts School for the FeebleMinded. | 34 | 86 | 61 | 147 |  | 25,000 | 25,000 |
| 11 | Private School and Home for FeebleMidded Children (Kalamazoo, Mich.). | 9 | 6 | 19 | 25 | $\cdots$ | 6,000 | 8,000 |
| 12 | Mindesota School for Idiots and Imbe. ciles. | 18 | 64 | 32 | 96 | 8 |  | 12, 269 |
| 13 | New York State Custodial Asylum for Feeble-Minded Women. | 16 | 0 | 140 | 140 | 1 | 20,000 | 63, 377 |
| 14 | Idiot Asylum, Randall's Island. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 15 | New Yorl Asylum for Idiots............ | 82 | 205 | 168 | 373 |  | 72,838 | 71,565 |
| 16 | Ohio Institation for Feeble-Minded Youth. | 122 | 443 | 278 | 721 |  | 114, 725 | 111, 711 |
| 17 | Pennsylvania Training School for Fee-ble-Minded Children. | -..... | 298 | 205 | 503 |  | 107, 637 | 90,490 |
|  | Total | 422 | $\left\{\begin{array}{l} \{10 \\ 1,629 \end{array}\right.$ | $\text { 1, } 279$ | $\}_{3,010}$ | 507 | 525, 110 | 528, 483 |

TABLE XXI.-Statistical summary of benefactions, by States, for the year 1834-85.

| - States and Territories. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Llabama | \$7, 650 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Arkansas | 5,515 | \$2, 500 |  |  |  |  |
| California | 123, 337 | 110, 000 |  |  |  |  |
| Colorado | 32,173 | 7,958 |  |  |  |  |
| Connecticat | 147, 567 | 143, 742 | \$275 | \$2, 000 |  |  |
| Delaware | 10,000 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Florida. | 67,442 | 53, 000 |  |  |  |  |
| Georgia. | 83, 182 | 45,000 |  | 23,178 |  |  |
| Illinois .. | 765, 136 | 112, 450 |  | 361, 391 | \$150 |  |
| Indiana.. | 75,000 | 75,000 |  |  |  |  |
| Iowa .. | 98,124 | 93, 799 |  |  |  |  |
| Kansas. | 144, 075 | 138, 200 |  |  |  |  |
| Kentucky | 96, 335 | 44,959 |  | 34, 000 |  |  |
| Louisiana. | 173, 360 | 158, 000 |  |  |  |  |
| Maine .. | 174, 215 | 55, 225 | 100, 000 | 700 |  |  |
| Maryland. | 293, 850 | 200 |  | 13,000 |  | \$650 |
| Massachusetts. | 847, 421 | 413, 212 | 42,750 | 1,000 |  |  |
| Michigan. | 217, 318 | 170,490 |  |  |  |  |
| Mrinnesota | 86,447 | 67, 249 | .......... |  |  |  |
| Mississippi | 5,240 | 3,900 |  |  |  |  |
| Missouri... | 113, 308 | 90,706 | .......... |  |  | 500 |
| Nebraska. | 14,440 | 1,500 | .......... | 3,457 |  | ...... |
| Nevada.. | 1,000 |  |  |  |  |  |
| New Hampshire. | 84,400 | 80,000 |  |  |  |  |
| New Jersey..... | 102, 857 | 77,000 |  | 4,509 | ...... |  |
| New York. | 2, 027, 538 | 759,367 |  | 112, 929 | .... | 50,000 |
| North Carolina. | 17,687 | 11,155 | . | 4,000 |  |  |
| Ohio.. | 518, $402^{\prime}$ | 240,602 | 132, 000 | 20,450 | ..... | 3,000 |
| Oregon..... | 34,023 | 32, 000 | .......... |  |  |  |
| Pennsylvania. | 1,567, 539 | 1, 105, 004 | 208, 266 | 25, 300 |  | 40, 100 |
| Rhode Island. | 64, 500 | 64, 500 |  |  |  |  |
| South Carolina.. | 12,715 | 2,500 | ......... | 6,829 |  |  |
| Tennessee. | 317, 937 | 250, 200 | ......... | 58,712 |  |  |
| Texas... | 50,155 | 29,000 |  |  |  |  |
| Vermont. | 32, 230 | 700 |  |  |  |  |
| Virginia.. | 716,505 | 619, 000 | 79,080 |  |  |  |
| West Virginia | 1,500 | 1,500 |  |  |  |  |
| Wisconsin | 27, 572 | 16,972 |  | 2, 200 |  |  |
| Dakota | 35, 060 | 19,500 |  |  |  |  |
| District of Columbia. | 1, 200 |  |  | 1,200 |  |  |
| Indian Territory.. | 18,378 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Montana... | 10,350 | 10,390 |  |  |  |  |
| New Mexico | 3, 680 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Utah.... | 9,418 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Washington | 72, 200 | 28,000 |  |  |  |  |
| Total | 9,314, 081 | $5,134,460$ | 562, 371 | 681, 855 | 150 | 94, 250 |

Table XXI.-Statistical summary of benefactions, by States, \&c.-Continued.

| States and Territories. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Alabama |  |  | \$7,650 |  |  |  |  |
| Arkansas |  |  | 3,015 |  |  |  |  |
| California. | \$1,000 | \$850 | 3,000 |  |  |  | \$8,487 |
| Colorado. |  | 5,465 | 18,750 |  |  |  |  |
| Connecticat ...................... |  | 500 | 200 | \$850 |  |  |  |
| Delaware |  |  | 10,000 |  |  |  |  |
| Florida |  |  | 14,442 |  |  |  |  |
| Georgia. | 4,000 | 5,000 | 6, 004 | ..... |  |  |  |
| Ilinois |  | 75, 204 | 5,961 |  |  |  | 210, 000 |
| Indiana. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Iowa. |  | 400 | 3, 925 |  |  |  |  |
| Kansas |  |  | 5,875 |  |  |  |  |
| Kentucky |  |  | 17,376 |  |  |  |  |
| Louisiana. | 5,300 |  | 10,600 |  |  |  |  |
| Maine |  | 5,090 | 13, 200 |  |  |  |  |
| Maryland......................... | 200, 000 |  | 80, 000 |  |  |  |  |
| Massachusetts.................... | 39, 213 | 106, 000 | 41,000 | 140 | \$19, 606 |  | 184, 500 |
| Michigan | 40,000 |  | 5,000 | 1,828 |  |  |  |
| Minnesota | 11,000 |  | 5,643 |  | 2, 555 |  |  |
| Mississippi |  |  | 1,340 |  |  |  |  |
| Missouri. | 500 |  | 21,602 |  |  |  |  |
| Nebraska. |  |  | 9,483 |  |  |  |  |
| Nevada. | 1,000 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| New Hampshire |  | 2,000 | 2,400 |  |  |  |  |
| New Jersey....................... | 8,000 | 2,650 | 9,161 |  | 1,537 |  |  |
| Now York......................... | 200 | 21, 557 | 1,041,400 | 8,829 | 756 |  | 25,500 |
| North Carolina |  |  | 2,532 |  |  |  |  |
| Ohio. | 300 |  | 7, 050 |  |  |  | 115, 000 |
| Oregon .... |  |  | 223 | 1,800 |  |  |  |
| Pennsylvania |  | 25,000 | 135, 514 | 25, 020 | 250 | 3,145 |  |
| Fihode Island. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| South Carolina |  |  | 3,336 |  | 50 |  |  |
| Tennessee | 3,800 | 2,500 | 2, 725 | ... |  |  |  |
| Texas. | 3,000 |  | 18, 155 |  |  |  |  |
| Vermont.......................... | 500 | 23,000 | 8, 030 | .... |  |  |  |
| Virginia. |  |  | 18,425 |  |  |  |  |
| West Virginia . |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Wisconsin........................ | 5,000 | 1,200 |  | 2, 200 |  |  |  |
| Dakota |  | 500 | 15, 060 | ..... |  |  |  |
| District of Columbia.............. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Indian Territory.................. |  |  | 18, 378 | .... |  |  |  |
| Montana.. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| New Mexico |  |  | 3,680 |  |  |  |  |
| Utah. |  |  | 9, 418 |  |  |  |  |
| Washington |  |  | 50, 200 |  |  |  |  |
| Total ........................ | 322, 813 | 2i6, 916 | 1, 629, 213 | 40,667 | 24,754 | 3,145 | 543,487 |

Table XXI.-Statistical summary of benefactions, by institutions, for the year 188.1-'©.

| Institutions. |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ت゙ } \\ & \text { H゙ } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Universities and colleges......................................... |  |  | \$5, 131, 460 | \$2, 714, 204 | \$949, 319 |
| Schcols of science. |  |  | 562, 371 | 381, 405 | 20, 438 |
| Schools of theology |  |  | 681, 855 | 315,985 | 196, 283 |
| Schools of law |  |  | 150 |  |  |
| Schools of medicine and pharmacy . |  |  | 94, 250 | 650 | 23, ce0 |
| Institutions for the superior instruction of women .............. |  |  | 322, 813 | 257, 300 | 33, 638 |
| Preparatory schools.. |  |  | 276,916 | 117, 629 | 63, 990 |
| Institutions for secondary instruction............................ |  |  | 1,629, 213 | 1, 283, 777 | 224, 934 |
| Institutions for the deaf and dumb and the blind. |  |  | 40,667 | 28,587 | 1,800 |
| Training schools for nurses. |  |  | 24,754 | 850 | 3, 044 |
| Institutions for feeble-minded clildren |  |  | 3,145 | 3,145 |  |
| Miscellaneous. |  |  | 543.487 | 298, 987 | 244, 500 |
| Total ........................................................ |  |  | 9,314, 081 | 5,402,519 | 1, 836, 946 |
| Institutions. |  | Followships, scholarships, and prizes. |  | Libraries and museums. |  |
| Universities and colleges.. | \$889, 997 | \$136,050 | - \$48,229 | \$194, 583 | \$702, 078 |
| Schools of science.............................. | 107,000 | 25,546 | 5 5,826 | 1,741 | 14, 421 |
| Schools of theology. | 77, 712 | 6,000 | 15,678 | 25,000 | 45, 197 |
| Schools of law... |  | 150 | 0 |  |  |
| Schools of medicine and pharmacy |  |  |  |  | 600 |
| Institutions for the superior instruction of women. | ........- | 12,000 | 6,300 | 2,000 | 11,575 |
| Preparatory schools.............................. | 70,000 | 90 | 035 | 150 | 25, 022 |
| Institutions for secondary instruction |  | 14,605 | 5 34,400 | 640 | 70,857 |
| Institutions for the deaf and dumb and the blind. |  |  | 140 | 20 | 10,120 |
| Training schools for nurses. |  |  | 250 |  | 20,610 |
| Institations for feeble-minded children |  |  |  |  |  |
| Miscellaneous. |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total..................................... | 644, 709 | 194, 435 | 5110,858 | 224, 134 | 900,480 |

The foregoing summary exhibits the total of donations and legacies by individuals in aid of education for the year ending June 30, 1885, so far as reported to this Office, and the classes of institutions that are the recipients of the benefactions. The total amount reported, viz, $\$ 9,314,081$, exceeds the benefactions for any single year since 1873, when the total was $\$ 11,226,97 \%$. More than half the entire sum donated during
the present year is for the benefit of colleges and universities. Institutions for secondary instruction receive $\$ 1,629,213$, the largest amount credited to them in any year. For full particulars concerning these benefactions, their sources, purposes, etc., the reader is referred to Table XXI of the Appendix.

## LIST OF HISTORICAL SOCIETIES IN THE UNITED STATES.

This preliminary list of historical societies, compiled from two lists-one published by the Magazine of American History, August, 1884, the other by the Magazine of Western History, February, 1885, and both prepared by Gen. Charles W. Darling, corresponding secretary of the Oneida Historical Society, Utica, N. Y.-and from the incomplete files of this Office, is published with the hope that other historical societies and kindred organizations may become interested and supply such data as will enable the Office to give a much more complete and satisfactory list in a subsequent Report:

| State. | Society. | City or town. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Alabama .... | Alabama Historical Society. | Tuscaloosa. |
| Arkansas | Arkansas Historical Society. | Little Rock. |
| California. | Historical Society of Southern California | Los Angeles. |
| Do. | Society of California Pioneers | San Francisco. |
| Do. | Territorial Pioneers of California | Do. |
| Do. | California Historical Society. | Do. |
| Colorado | State Historical Society | Denver. |
| Connecticut | Connecticat Historical Society. | Hartford. |
| Do. | American Oriental Society............................... | New Haven. |
| Do. | New Haven Colony Historical Society.................. | Do. |
| Do. | New London County Historical Society. | New London. |
| Delaware | Delaware Historical Society | Wilmington. |
| Georgia. | Macon Public Library and Historical Association..... | Macon. |
| Do. | Georgia Historical Society. | Savannah. |
| Illinois | Chicago Historical Society. | Chicago. |
| Indiana | Indiana Historical Society | Indianapolis. |
| Iowa. | Academy of Nataral Science | Davenport. |
| Do. | Iowa State Historical Society | Iowa City. |
| Kansas | Kansas State Historical Society | Topeka. |
| Kentucky | Kentucky Historical Society | Frankfort. |
| Do. | Historical and Scientific Society | Maysville. |
| Louisiana | Louisiana Historical Society | Baton Rouge. |
| Maine | Bangor Historical Society | Bangor. |
|  | Maine Historical Society | Portland. |
| Do. | Gorges Society. | Do. |
| Do. | Maine Genealogical Society | Do. |
| Do. | Sagadahoc Historical Society | Bath. |
| Do. | York Institute. | Saco. |
| Do. | Historical Society. | York. |
| Maryland. | Maryland Historical Society | Baltimore. |
| Do. | Johns Hopkins University. | Do. |
| Do. | American Historical Association | Do. |
| Massachusetts | Massachusetts Historical Society. | Boston. |
| Do. | Archæological Institute of America | Do. |
| Do. | New England Historic-Genealogical Society | Do. |
| Do. | Boston Numismatic Society | Do. |
| Do. | Webster Historical Society. | Do. |
| Do. | Boston Memorial Association | Do. |
| Do. | Military Historical Suciety | Do. |
| Do. | Bostonian Society. | Do. |
| Do. | Universalist Historical Society. | College Hill. |
| Do. | American Congregational Historical Society | Chelsea |

List of historical societies in the United States-Continued.

| State. | Society. | City or town. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Massachusetts. | Dedham Historical Society | Dedham. |
| Do | Pecumtuck Valley Memorial Association. . | Deerfield. |
| Do. | Dorchester Historical Society | Dorchester. |
| Do. | Historical Society | Lexington. |
| Do | Old Residents' Historical Society. | Lowell. |
| Do | New England Methodist Historical Society. | Malden. |
| Do. | Antiquarian and Historical Society. | Newburyport. |
| Do. | Pilgrim Society. | Plymouth. |
| Do. | Historical Society | Rehoboth. |
| Do. | Essex Institute.. | Salem. |
| Do. | Historical Society | South Natick. |
| Do. | Old Colony Historical Society | Taunton. |
| Do. | Weymouth Historical Society | Weymouth. |
| Do. | Rumford Historical Society. | Wobarn. |
| Do. | American Antiquarian Society | Worcester. |
| Do. | Historical Society | Winchester. |
| Michigan | Wayne County Pioneer Society. | Detroit. |
| Do. | Michigan Historical Society | Do. |
| Do. | Pioneer Society. | Do. |
| Do. | Houghton County Historical Society | Houghton. |
| Do. | Pioneer Society of the State of Michigan | Lansing. |
| Minnesota | Ortonville Historical Society | Ortonville. |
| Do. | Minnesota Historical Society | St. Paul. |
| Mississippi | Mississippi Historical Society | Jackson. |
| Missoari. | Missouri Historical Society of St. Louis | St. Louis. |
| Montana. | Historical Society | Helena. |
| Nebraska | Nebraska State Historical Society | Lincoln. |
| New Hampshire | New Hampshire Historical Society . | Concord. |
| Do. | New Hampshire Antiquarian Society. | Contoocook. |
| Do. | Nashua Historical Society . | Nashua. |
| New Jersey.. | New Jersey Historical Society | Newark. |
| Do. | New Branswick Historical Club | New Branswict. |
| Do. | New England Society | Orange. |
| Do. | Passaic County Historical Society | Paterson. |
| Do. | Salem Connty Historical Society. | Salem. |
| Do. | Vineland Historical Society | Vineland. |
| New Mexico. | Historical Society of New Mexico | Santa F6 |
| New York. | Albany Institute | Albany. |
| Do. | Cayaga County Historical Society. | Aubarn. |
| Do. | Genesee County Pioneer Association | Batavia. |
| Do. | Long Island Historical Society | Brooklyn. |
| Do. | Buffalo Historical Society | Buffalo. |
| Do. | Chautauqua Historical Society | Jrmestown. |
| Do. | Ulster County Historical Society | Kingston. |
| Do. | Livingston County Historical Society | Mt. Vernon, |
| Do. | Historical Society of Newburg Bay | Newburg. |
| Do.. | American Archæological Corncil | New York. |
| Do. | American Ethnological Society. | Do. |
| Do. | American Geographical Society | Do. |
| Do. | American Numismatical and Archæological Society.. | Do. |
| Do. | American Philological Society.. | Do. |
| Do. | Genealogical and Biographical Society ................. | Do. |
| Do. | Historical and Forestry Society | Nyack |
| Do. | Onondaga Historical Society. | Onondaga. |

## List of historical societics in the Cnited States-Continued.

| State. | Society. | City or town. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| New Fork... | Oncida Historical Society | Utica. |
| Do. | Waterloo Historical Society | Waterloo. |
| Do. | West Chester Historical Society | White Plains. |
| Ohio | Historical and Philosophical Society of Ohio. | Cincinnati. |
| Do. | Western Reserve and Northern Historical Society. | Cloreland. |
| Do. | New England Society of Columbus | Columbas. |
| Do. | Licking County Pioneer Historical and Archæological Society. | Newark. |
| Do. | Western Ohio Pioneer Association. | New Carlisle. |
| Do. | Firelands Historical Society | Norwalk. |
| Do. | Toledo Historical and Geographical Society | Toledo. |
| Do. | Maumee Valley Pioneer Association. |  |
| Oregon | Pioneer and Historical Society | Astoria. |
| Do. | Oregon Pioneer Association | Butterille. |
| Pennsslrania | Librars of the Archires of the Moravian Charch. | Dethlohem. |
| Do. | Hamilton Library and Historical Association. | Carlisle. |
| Do. | Historical Society of Franklin County. | Chamborsburg. |
| Do. | Bucks County Historical Society | Doylestown. |
| Do. | Lutheran Historical Society | Gettrsburg. |
| Do. | Dauphin County Historical Society | Harrisburg. |
| Do. | Linnærn Scientific and Historical Society | Lancaster. |
| Do. | Crawford County Historical Society. | Meadrille. |
| Do. | Moravian Historical Society | Nazareth. |
| Do. | Nemport Historical Societr. | Newport. |
| Do. | Historical Society of Montgomery County | Norristown. |
| Do | American Philosophical Society | Philadelphis. |
| Do. | German Society of Pennsrlrania | Do. |
| Do. | Franklin Institate | Do. |
| Do. | Historical Society of Pennsylrania | Do. |
| Do. | Numismatic and Antiquarian Society | Do. |
| Do | Friends' Historical Association. | Do. |
| Do. | Catholic Historical Society | Do. |
| Do. | Presbyterian Historical Society | Do. |
| Do. | American Baptist Historical Society. | Do. |
| Do. | International Scientific Association | Do. |
| Do. | Library Company Historical Society | Do. |
| Do... | Historical Society of Pittsburg and Western Pennsyivania. | Pittsburg. |
| Do. | Eradford County Historical Society......... | Towanda. |
| Do | Wroming Historical and Geological Societs ........... | Wilkes Earra |
| Rhode Island | Newport Historical Society.. | Newport. |
| Do. | Rhode Island Historical Society | Proriderce. |
| Do. | Rhode Island Soldiers' and Sallors' Historical Society. | Do. |
| South Carolina. | South Carolina Historical Society...................... | Charleston. |
| Tennessee | Tennessee Iistorical Scciety | Nashrille. |
| Tezas | Eistorical Soriety of Galreston. | Galreston. |
| Vermont. | Middlebury Historical Society. | Sildleburs. |
| Do. | Vermont Historical Society. | Mortpelier. |
| Virginia | Virginia Historical Society . | Richmond. |
| Do. | Southern Historical Society | Do. |
| Do. | Historical Society of Roanoko College | Salem. |
| West Virginia. | West Virginia Historical Society | Morgantown. |
| Wisconsin | State Historical Society of Wisconsin | Madison. |
| Do. | Milvaukee Pioneer Club. | Milwanaco. |
| Do. | Old Settlers' Historieal Sociei y | Racine. |

EDUCATION IN FOREIGN COUNTRIES.

## I.-Eíurope.

Austria-Mungary.-a. Austria, constitutional monarchy: area, 115,903 square miles; popalation (December 31, 1880), 22,144,244. Capital, Vienna; popnlation, $1,103,857$. Ninister of publicinstruction, Conrad von Eybosfold.

The following statistics are taken from the "Ocsterreichische Statistik," B. IX, Heft I, and "Statistile der Unterrichts-Anstalten" for 1882-'83, published in 188 ".
Higher instruction.-The number of teachers at the different Austrian universities in the winter of $1882-$ - 83 was 969 , of whom 322 were at Vienna; 133 at Grätz; 89at Innsbruck ; 159 in the newly established German section at Prague, and 61 in the Bohemian section, 220 in all ; 62 at Lemberg ; 105 at Cracow; and 38 at Czernowitz. Of the total number, 326 were regular or ordinary professors; 148 were extraordinary; 249 were Privat-docenten; and the rest were assistants, special teachers, ctc. The theological faculties had 73 professors, the law faculties 135, the medical 347, and the philosophical 414. These figures show an increase in the teaching force at all the universities of 27 persons since the previous year. The students during the winter semester numbered 11,467 , and 10,667 in summer, against 10,594 and 9,766 , respectively, the previons year. Of the 11,467 in the winter semester, 5,000 were at Vienna, 965 at Grïtz, 686 at Innsbruck, 2,750 at Prague (1,695 in the German, and 1,055 in the Bohemian universities), 985 at Lemberg, 811 at Cracom, and 270 at Czernowitz. As to nationality, 9,472 were from the different provinces of Austria, and 1,995 from other countries. As to native language, 5,315 were German, 2,198 Czech-Slavonians, 1,670 Poles, 511 Ruthenians, 175 Slorenians, 315 Croatians and Servians, 377 Italians, 160 Roumanians, 625 Magyars, and 118 others. As to religious belief, 8,744 were Catholics, 321 were Oriental Greeks, 352 Evangelicals, 21 Unitarians, 1,997 Jews, 13 belonged to other confessions, and 19 were without religious connections. The number of those receiving stipends in the winter semester was 1,381 , and they received 237,836 gulden ( $\$ 93,469$ ). In the summer these figures fell to 775 students and 111,547 galden ( $\$ 43,838$ ).
The six higher institutions for technical instruction had 337 professors and teachers, 2,785 students in the winter semester and $2,5 \pi 8$ in summer. They hare faculties of engineering, architecture, mechanical engineering, chemistry, and technology. The technical institute at Vienna had 92 professors and teachers and 1,282 students; that at Grätz 53 professors and 217 students; the German technical institute at Prague 49 professors and 338 students, the Bohemian 59 professors and 612 students; the institution at Brünn had 38 professors and 119 students, and that at Lemberg 46 professors and 217 stadents. Of the 2,785 students, 2,376 were Austrian, and 409 from other countries; 1,327 were of German origin, 794 were Czech-Slavonians, 333 were Poles, and the rest of diferent nationalities. As to religion, 2,039 were Catholics, 567 were Jerrs, 112 Evangelicals, and 58 Oriental Greeks. There were 304 stipendiaries in the winter semester of $1882-83$, who received 52,710 gulden ( $\$ 20,715$ ). The numbers fell in summer to a total of 2,449 students, of whom 154 were stipendiaries, with 23,355 gulden ( $\$ 9,178$ ). The superior agricultural institution in Vienna had 39 professors and teachers and 508 students in the winter semester.

The mining academy at Leoben had 21 professors and teachers and 172 students, and that at Pribram 8 professors and 21 students, at the end of the year 1882-'83. The ten art schools had 35 teachers and 453 students. The forty-five Latin-Catholic theological sehools had 228 professors and teachers and 1,666 students, of whom 240 were stipendiaries, receiving 19,619 gulden (\$7,710) ; the Greek-Catholic school at Przemysl, Galicia, had 5 professors and 28 students; the Armenian-Catholic school at Vienna had 1 professor and 1 student; the Greek-Oriental school at Zara, Dalmatia, had 5 professors and 18 students, of whom 16 were stipendiaries, receiving 2,270 gulder (\$892); the evangelical seminary in Vienna had 6 professors and 27 students, 10 of
whom were stipendiaries, receiring 750 gulden (\$295). This makes a total of 245 professors and teachers in the 49 theological institutions, and 1,740 students (at the end of the jear), aside from the theological faculties of the universities.
Secondary instruction.-There are 131 Gymnasien, with 2,601 teachers of all kinds and 42,191 students at the end of the school year; the Realgymnasien numbered 35, with 669 teachers and 9,702 students ; the Realschulen 80 , with 1,419 teachers and 15,236 students. The male teachers' seminaries numbered 42, with 593 teachers and 5,783 students, and those for females numbered 28 , with 385 teachers and 3,009 students.

Of the 42,191 students attending the Gymnasien, 41,083 were Austrians, and 1,108 foreigners of different nationalities. As to native language, 19,142 were Germans, 9,276 Czech-Slavonians, 7,911 Poles, 1,699 Ruthenians, 1,465 Slovenians, 539 Servians and Croatians, 1,573 Italians, 332 Roumanians, and 169 Magyars. As to religion, 34,627 were Catholics, 6,020 were Jews, 945 Erangelicals, and 564 Oriental Greeks. There were 2,414 stipendiaries, receiring 289,654 gulden ( $\$ 113,834$ ).

Of the 9,702 students of the Realgymnasien, 3,059 were of German origin, 5,757 Czech-Slaronian, 535 were Poles, and 263 were Ruthenians, the rest being insignificant in numbers. The Catholics numbered 8,225, the Jews 1,186, and the Evangelicals, 280.
Of the 15,236 students in the Realschulen, 9,030 were German, 3,942 Czech-Slavonian, 945 were Polish, 779 Italian, and the rest were Slovenians, Servians, Magyars, etc. The Catholics numbered 12,263, the Jews 2,237, and the Evangelicals, 641. The stipendiaries numbered 367 , and received 39,872 gulden ( $\$ 15,670$ ).
There were 65 business or commercial colleges in Austria in 1882-'83, with 475 teachers and 7,956 students, and 407 technical-industrial schools (Geverbeschulen), with 1,993 teachers and 36,154 students. The latter schools were divided into special schools for art industry, building, machinery, etc. ; drawing and review schools; and schools for special subjects, such as goldsmiths' work, basket-making, wood-working, wearing, watch-making, glass-working, etc. The singing and music schools numbered 197, with 558 teachers and 10,534 students. There were 68 farming and forestry schools, with 389 teachers and 2,209 scholars ; 5 mining schools, with 10 teachers and 95 students; and 3 naval schools, with 25 teachers and 78 students. The veterinary institutions numbered 4, with 26 teachers and 469 students, and the schools of midwifery 14, with 22 teachers and 713 students. There were 213 schools for teaching female work, with 410 teachers and 12,539 students; other educational institutions for giving instruction in special subjects numbered 236, with 2,267 teachers and 14,069 pupils.

Elementary instruction.-The public elementary and burgher schools numbered 15,944 , with 52,314 teachers and $2,557,747$ pupils. There were also 944 private schools with 84,102 pupils. In 6,733 of the 15,944 public elementary schools German was the language of instruction, in 4,018 Czech-Slavonian, in 1,364 Polish, in 1,611 Ruthenian, 863 Italian, 476 Slavonian, 306 Servo-Croatian, 53 Roumanian, 3 Magyar, and 492 were mixed.
If we add together the number of students in the various grades of instruction, we hare for superior instruction of all kinds 16,064 , for secondary instruction proper 75,921 , for business, technical, and other special institutions of various kinds 84,816 , for public elementary instruction $2,557,747$, and for private elementary instruction 84,102 , making a total of $2,818,650$ persons receiving instruction at the close of the scholastic jear 1882-83. The number of students attending the universities was 10,667 , and of those attending the superior technical institutions and mining academies 2,771. The number at the Gymnasien was 42,191 , and at the Realschulen 15,236. The number attending gymnasial studies in the Realgymnasien rould increase the number of those taking a humanistic course.

These figures give an idea of the relative importance attached to liberal and technical education in Austria.

The Bureau is indebted to Mr. Edmund Jussen, U. S. consul-general at Vienna, for the following statistics of Vienna schools and for a copy of that part of the Austrian budget for $1885-\quad$ ' 6 which relates to educational affairs, from• which the appropriations given below are taken.

There were 70 public elementary schools for boys, 72 for girls, and 24 for both sexes, or mixed schools, in Vienna in 1884-'85. The attendance was 76,884, and the teachers numbered 1,530 ( 1,059 male and 471 female). The expenditures for these schools amounted to $3,001,980$ florins ( $\$ 1,179,778$ ), of which sum $1,774,903$ florins ( $\$ 697,539$ ) were paid for teachers' salaries and the hire of servants.
The state appropriation for education in Austria for $188 \overline{-}$-' 86 was $12,936,836$ gulden ( $\$ 5,084,176$ ), distributed as shown in the following table:

## Cniversities.

For the university in Vienna .................................................. §510,979
For the university in Innsbruck.................................................... 86, 896
For the university in Grätz .......................................................... 112,870
For the university in Prague (both sections)................................... 330, 473
For the university in Lemberg...................................................... 69,640
For the university in Cracor ........................................................ 143, 708
For the university in Czernowitz ................................................... 40,636
Zoological station at Trieste and stipends ...................................... 4, 441
Total for the universities ................................................... 1, 299, 443
For theological seminaries outside of the universities...................... 21,780
For superior technical institutes (technische Hochschulen)..................... 372, 250
For the superior agricultural institute at Vienna ............................. 48, 484
For instruction of teachers at superior institates .............................. 7, 7,860
For stipends................................................................................. 1,572

## Secondary instruction.

For Gymnasien and Realgymnasien ................................................. 1, 425, 725
For Realschulen ................................................................... 498,613
For examining committees, gymnastics, stipends, increase of salaries...... 10, 257
Total for secondary instruction ............................................. 1, 1, 934, 595
For libraries ............................................................................... 9,078
For industrial education............................................................. 580, 547
For special institations (veterinary, naval schools, etc)...................... 50, 933
For public elementary schools ....................................................... 643, 897
For foundations and scholarships ............................................... 75. 75,060
For sundry expenses........................................................................ 38,447
The budget also contains statistics later than the official statistics of education published in 1885, and are as follows:

Superior instruction. -In $1884-{ }^{\prime} 85$ the attendance ot the universities was as follows: Vienna, 5,421; Grätz, 1,110; Innsbruck, 740 ; Prague (German, 1,447; Bohemian, 1,757), 3,204 ; Cracow, 918 ; Lemberg, 986 ; Czernowitz, 269; total, 12,648. In the winter semester of $1885-$ ' 86 the totals were, at Vienna, 5,157 ; at Grätz, 1,175 ; Innsbruck, 797 ; Prague (German, 1,518; Bohemian, 1,955), 3,473; Cracow, 1,025; Lemberg, 1,005; Czernowitz, 203; total, 12,895. The superior technical institutes (technische Hochschulen) were attended by 2,173 students in 1884-'85, and 1,972 in 1885-'86.
Sccondary instruction.-Gymnasien and Realgymnasien. -The attendance at these in-
stitutions in 1883-'84 was 54,728 ; in 1884-'85 it was 55,922 ; and in $1885-$ '86 it was 56,441 . The attendance at the Realschulen was 16,940 in 1883-'84, 17,562 in 1884-'85, and 18,371 in $1885-86$. The industrial schools had 7,312 students in all the courses in 1885-'86, the schools of drawing and modeling 1,230, and the schools in which instruction in special industrial branches is given, 5,671 . The normal schools for males numbered 39 , with an attendance of 4,156 in 1884-'85, and 4,215 in 1885-'86; those for females numbered 18, with 2,032 students in 1884-' 85 , and 2,041 in 185う-'86.
b. Muzgari, constitutional monarchy : area, 125,039 square miles ; population (Dec. 31, 1880), 15,C42,102 (including Croatia and SJaronia with military frontier, Transslvania and the town of Fiume). Capital, Duda-Pesth : population, 360,551. Minister of public instraction, Dr. August ron Trefort.

Primary instruction.-The number of children of school age in 1883 was 2,242,537, an increase of 27,150 over the preceding year. The number attending school was $1, \% 56,835$. The number of schools was 16,090 , with 22,858 rooms. Of the total number $\varepsilon 5$ per cent. Were confessional schools, 2.63 per cent. state schools, 11.14 per cent. communal or district schools, and 1.04 per cent. prirate schools. The teachers numbered 22,984 , of whom 20,607 , or 89.65 per cent., were males. The expenditures for elementary schools were $12,186,825$ fl. ir $1883(\$ 4,789,422)$. This amount was obtained as follows:

| Source. | Ilorins. | Per cent. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| From rovenues from real estate. | 1, 849,740 | 15.2 |
| From interest on capital. | 358, 235 | 2.94 |
| From school money. | 1,601, 178 | 13.14 |
| From government aid | 1,065,682 | 8.75 |
| From commune or district aid. | 3, 690, 753 | 30.3 |
| From church aid. | 2,882, 057 | 23. 65 |
| From other sources | 733,180 | 6. 02 |

Most of the expenditure was for salaries, viz., $9,558,608 \mathrm{fl}$., or 78.45 per cent. of the whole ; heating and cleaning cost $823,347 \mathrm{fl}$., or 6.75 per cent. of the total expenditare ; building and repairs $966,0.53$ f., or 7.92 per cent.; and aid for poor scholars $123,-$ 215 fl , or 1.05 per cent.
The teachers' seminaries numbered 71, of which 53 were for males, 17 for females, and 1 for both sexes. Twentr-four of them were gorernment seminaries, 46 confessional, and 1 private. There were $6 \pi 4$ teachers and 3,594 pupils.

In 1803-84 there were 34 independent schools for instruction in techuical industries (weaving, wood-working, sewing, etc.), 12 combined with other schools, and 13 in orphan asylums. They had 83 teachers and 2,529 pupils.

The teachers' pension institute had 30,091 members, with a fund of $3,993,967 \mathrm{fl}$. ( 157,159 ) ; 1,756 persons, 1,573 of whom were widows and orphans, received aid from the institute.

Of the $1,756,896$ children attending school, 923,958 were Roman Catholics, 135,134 were Greek Catholics, 192,545 Greek Orientals, 252,701 Reformed, 165,48: Evangelical, 7,248 Unitarians, and 79,754 Jews. As to language, 877,656 were Magyars, 269,856 Germans, 221,848 Roumanians, 273,118 Slovakians, 43,670 Servians, 30,221 Croatians, and 40,457 Ruthenians.

Secondary instruction.-The new law affecting secondary instraction went into effect in 1884. It redistributes the educational districts with reference to the language spoken in different parts of the country and the prevailing religion. This change made modifications in regard to the supervision necessary, and changes in the examinations were also introduced.

In the schon] year 1883-'84 there were 178 secondary schools in Hungary, of which 145
mere Gymnasion of different degrees, 27 Realschulen, and 6 were mixed-Realgymnasien. Twentr-eight of these schools were maintaived and aided by the Government, 23 by city treasuries, 18 from the Studienfond, 42 by the Roman Catholic clergy, 3 by the Greek Catholics, 3 by the Greek Orientals, 27 by Protestants of the Augsburg confession, 28 by the Protestants of the Helvetian confession, 1 by both combined, 2 by Unitarians, 1 by Jems, and 3 were private institutions. These schools were attended by 40,473 students, 35,243 at the Gymnasien and 5,230 at the Realschulen, during the year, of Whom 37,520 remained at the end of the Jear. Of this number 45.41 per cent. were Roman Catholics, 4.41 per cent. were Greek Catholics, 5.01 per cent. were Oriental Greeks, 14 per cent. were Protestants of the Helretian confession and 11.11 per cent. of the Augsburg confession, 19.69 per cent. were Jerrs, and 0.38 per cent. Unitarians. As to nationality, 70.5 per cent. were Hungarians, 15.4 per cent. Germans, 5.9 per cent. Roumanians, 0.5 per cent. Italians, 4.5 per cent. Slovakians, 2.1 per cent. Serro-Croatians, 0.4 per cent. Ruthenians, and 0.6 per cent. of other nationalities.
The number of professors and teachers was 2,256 . The expenditure for secondary instruction was $3,568,989 \mathrm{fl}$. $(\$ 1,402,613$ ), 60.87 per cent. of which was paid for salaries. Of the 37,520 students of the secondary schools, 3,171 , or 8.5 per cent., were stipendiaries.

There were seminaries for teachers of secondary schools at Buda-Pesth and Klausenburg, with 21 professors and 48 students, and 15 professors and 31 students, respectivels.
Superior instruction. -In 1883-'84 there were 51 theological institutions, with 1,857 students and 298 professors. Classified as to religious belief, 45.4 per cent. of the students were Roman Catholics, 15.5 per cent. Greek Catholics, 12.8 per cent. Greek Orientals, 7.5 per cent. Erangelicals (Augsburg confession), 14.6 per cent. Erangelicals (Helvetian confession), 0.7 per cent. Unitarians, and 3.5 per cent. Were Jems.
The 13 law academies had 357 students in the winter semester of $1883-84$, and in summer 733. The Roman Catholics amounted to 45.4 per cent. of the total, the Protestants of both confessions to 38.5 per cent., and the Jers to 8 per cent. The great majority, amounting to $\varepsilon 8.9$ per cent., spoke Hungarian, 3.9 per cent. German, 5.3 per cent. Roumanian, and the rest other languages. There were 135 professors.
The university buildings at Buda-Pesth, which were begun in the previous year, were completed in $1883-$ ' 84 . The university had 173 professors and teachers of rarious grades, and 3,369 students in the winter semester, which number fell to 3,083 in summer. Almost all the students, viz., 98,12 per cent., were from Hungary proper. As to religion, 33.7 per cent. were Roman Catholics, 2.1 per cent. and 2.8 per cent. Were Greek Catholics and Greek Orientals, respectively, 24.2 per cent. Were Erangelicals, 2 per cent. Unitarians, and 92 per cent. were Jews. The Franz-Josef University at Klausenburg had 62 professors and teachers, with 477 students in the winter and 446 in the summer semester, all of whom were from Hungary. The Roman Catholics formed 50.2 per cent. of the total number of students, the Greek Catholics 6.9 per cent., the Greek Orientals 1.8 per cent., the two Erangelical confessions 29.5 per cent., the Unitarians 4.5 per cent., and the Jerrs 5.8 per cent. In both universities the law faculties had the greatest number of students, and the medical faculties stood next. The expenditures for the universities were 833,463 f. ( $\$ 327,551$ ) for Buda-Pesth, and 263,1:1 f1. ( $\$ 103,406$ ) for Klausenburg.
The Josefs-Polytechnicum in Buda-Pesth had 38 professors, and 645 students in the winter and 571 in the summer semester of $1883-84$. The classes or faculties were those of architecture, engineering, mechanical engineering, and chemistry. The engineering class had 57.4 per cent. of the total namber of students, mechanical engineering 23.7 per cent., architecture 7.9 per cent., and chemistrs 3.7 per cent.
Philantliropic and art institutions.-The Royal National Institution for the Deaf and Dumb at Waitzen had 93 deafand dumb children, in charge of a director, with 7 male teachers, two assistants, and one female teacher to give instruction in female handwork. Pupils are taught to speak and nuderstand others by the movement of the lips. They learn handicrafts also. The institution is supported partly by the State, XVII E

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partly from the income from foundations and gifts of private individuals. Of the 93 students, 43 were supported by foundations established by the State, 31 by private foundations, and the rest were educated at their own expense. Fifty-nine of the pupils were boys and 34 were girls. The national Jewish institution for the deaf and dumb at Buda-Pesth was founded by a former resident of that city, Anton Fochs, for deaf and dumb Jewish children of both sexes born in Hungary. It occupies a large and handsome building, containing 33 rooms. It had sisty pupils and 4 male and 3 female teachers in 1883-'84.
The blind asslum at Buda-Pesth had 86 pupils and 16 teachers. The boys numbered 67 and the girls 19. Music (instrumental) and handwork (basket-work, straw-work, etc.) were the principal practical subjects studied. The theoretical instruction was adapted to the sense of touch of the pupils, and consisted principally of reading and writing in relief letters (Punctirschrift) and arithmetic.
The orphan asylums and crecches numbered 58 , with 2,001 inmates, 96 male and female teachers, and 58 curators and managers. There were 1 secondary and 24 elementary common schools, and 1 burgher school at the asylums. Various handicrafts were tanght in addition to the asual school studies. The private institution for the care and education of idiots at Buda-Pesth had 18 inmates.
Of the art institutions the national theater school had 26 students in the dramatic section ( 11 males and 15 females), and nine in the operatic section-all of whom were females. The national music academs bad 43 male and 404 female students in 1883-84.
The school for painting (Meisterschule) was opened at Buda-Pesth on November 19, 1883 , and forms the first step towards the establishment of an academy of arts. Its students numbered 14. Three of them were sent at the expense of the Government to Munich, Vienna, and Florence, to make copies of celebrated pictures there. Besides this institution the drawing school (also a Meisterschule) had 109 papils in the winter semester of 1883-'84.
The Royal Hungarian Art-Industrial School is of recent origin, and is still in course of development. It is a government institution, and is intended to supply a complete education in the different branches of art-industry, with instruction in the principles of special branches of applied science. Accordingly the preparatory course embraces technical and art drawing, elementary and descriptive geometry and perspective, ornamental, architectural, and figure drawing, history of art and principles of style, and anatomy. The special instruction embraces architectural designing, wood, metal, and ceramic decoration, modeling in clay, wood, plaster, and was, metal working, galvano-plastics, wood cutting, wall and ceiling frescoing, etc.
The Hungarian national museum contains a library, a numismatic and archæological collection, a collection of prehistoric relics, a zoological and mineralogical collection, and a picture gallery.

- The Royal Hungarian Technological Industrial Museum was started in 1883, and is devoted principally to wood and metal working industries. Lectures on subjects connected therewith are given in the erenings, with demonstrations. The museum contains collections of machines and products, and a library.

Belgivir, constitutional monarchy: area, 11,373 square miles; population (Dec. 31, 1884), 5,784,958. Miuister of public instruction, M. J. Thonissen.

Effect of the school law of 1884. The text of the law was giren in my Report for 1883-'84. The immediate effect of its operation has been to close a large number of public primary schools and retire their teachers, so that it is said that many commanes are now destitute of public elementary schools. Several normal schools have also been closed and their teachers dismissed. On the other hand, the number of cloister schools has increased, and several episcopal normal schools have been established.

Elementary instruction.-The statistics of elementary instruction proper, in the " $\Delta n-$ nuaire statistique de la Belgique" for 1884, are not given for a later date than 1881, and were published in my Report for 1883-'83.

At the close of 1883 there were 6 state normal schools, and 8 normal sections at institutious for secondary instruction for male students, with a total of 1,375 students, a decrease of 177 since 1881 . The 6 state normal schools and 7 normal sections for fenale students had an attendance of 1,282 students in 1883, a decrease of 268 since 1881.

Secondary instruction.-The two normal schools and two normal sections for secondary instruction for males had a total attendance of 153 students in 1883-'84, a decrease of 9 from the previous year, and the two normal sections for females at Liege and Brussels had an attendance of 63, a decrease of 11 from the previous year.

The number of state institutions for secondary instruction was 146 in 1883, of which 25 were royal atheneurns, 85 were secondary schools for young men and 36 for young women. The communal colleges and secondary schools (for boys) subsidized by the state numbered 10 , making a total of 156 secondary institutions. The number of state institutions in 1881 was 113, in 1882, 135, thus showing a constant increase up to the end of 1883 , when it was, as above stated, 146. The communal institutions decreased from 17 in 1881, to 10 in 1883. The royal atheneums had an attendance of 5,943 in 1883, the state secondary schools for young men 13,192, and for young women 4,673. Of the subsidized communal schools the colleges had 407, and the secondary schools 1,380 students: This makes a total of 25,595 persons receiving secondary instruction in 1883, an increase of 2,648 since 1881.

The allowance for secoudary instruction in 1882 was $4,105,352$ fr. ( $\$ 792,333$ ), of which 2,652,360 fr. were from state appropriations.

Superior and special instruction.-At the state university of Ghent there were 870 students in the school year 1883-'84, and at Liege 1,454 students. At the independent universities of Brussels and Louvain there were 1,686 and 1,554 students, respectively. These figures include students of the special schools, viz, 292 at the schools of civil engineering and arts and manufactures at $G$ hent, the schools of mines, arts and manufactures, and mechánics at Liége, with 295 students, the polytechnic school at the university of Brussels with 126 students, and 184 at the special schools of the university of Louvain. The total number of students was 5,564 in 1883-'84, of whom 720 were in the philosophical faculty, 1,213 in the faculty of sciences, 1,403 in the law faculty, 1,272 in the medical, and 59 in the theological, and 897 attended the special schools. The number of students of this grade of iustruction per 100,000 inhabitants was 97. The allowance for the two state universities in 1882 was $1,369,035 \mathrm{fr}$., of which $1,366,013 \mathrm{fr}$. (\$263,640) were expended.
The Royal Academy of Fine Arts at Antwerp had an attendance of 1,436 stadents in 1883. Besides this institution the 80 academies and drawing schools in the different provinces were attended by 10,790 students. The royal conservatories of music at Brassels and Liége had an attendance of 574 and 557 students, respectively. The 89 other conservatories and schools of music in the various provinces had a total of 8,008 students.
The veterinary school at Brussels had 87 students in 1883, the agricultural institute at Gemblous 75, the school of practical horticulture at Vilvoorden 32, the state horticultural school at Ghent 25; total, 219 students. There were 49 apprentice workshops subsidized by the state, with 969 apprentices, of whom 8.77 per cent. were illiterate. The number of workmen who were trained in these schools in 1883 was 493, and 23,977 have been so trained since the shops were established. There were 35 industrial schools with 9,354 pupils in 1881-'82, and in 1882-'83 the schools numbered 36 with 10,417 pupils. The school of industry and mines of the province of Hainault at Mons had 75 students in 1882-83, and the superior commercial institute at Antwerp 111 students.

The expenditures for this branch of instruction in 1883 were $71,151 \mathrm{fr}$. for the apprentice schools, $541,473 \mathrm{fr}$. for the industrial schools, $79,598 \mathrm{fr}$. for the school at Mons, and $81,285 \mathrm{fr}$. for the commercial institute at Antwerp; total, 773,507 fr. ( $\$ 149,287$ ). Of this sum 341,875 fr. $(\$ 65,982)$ were appropriated by the state.

Illiteracy among recruits.-Of the young men drawn for military service in 1884, 15.59
per cent. could neither read nor write, 2.91 per cent. could read only, 48.31 per cent. could read and write and no more, and 33.19 had received more advanced instraction. Thoso who could not write were therefore 18.50 per cent. of the number drawn. The proportion of men in the contingent for the militia who signed their names was 83.42 per cent., and of those signing with a cross 16.58 per cent.

In 1884 there were 392 political journals and periodicals in Belgium, of which 63 were dailies; 21 devoted to finance; 66 to agriculture, commerce, and industry; and $3: 22$ literary and other ; total, 801 periodical publications of all kinds. In 1883 there were only 641.

Dexmank, constitutional monarchy : area, 14,124 square miles; population (estimated January 1, 1882), 2,018,432. Capital, Copenhagen : population (with subarbs), 273,323. Minister of public instruction, J. F. Scavenius.

The latest general information received at this Office in regard to education in Denmark may be found in my Report for 1882-'83.

Fixland, a dependency of Rassia: area, 144,255 square miles; population (1883), 2, 142,093. Capital, Helsingfors: popalation (1883), 43, 316.
Superior instruction.-Official statistics (from the "Statistik Arsbok för Finland," 1885) show that there were 70 professors and 805 students in the first semester, 1885 . Of these, 119 were in the theological faculty, 200 in the law, 78 in the medical, 208 in the historical-philological section and 200 in the physical-mathematical section of the philosophical faculty. The income of the university in 1884 was 989,900 marks ( $\$ 191,-$ 051 ), of which 619,900 marks were from state aid, and the expenditure was 873,900 marks ( $\$ 168,673$ ).

Secondary instruction. - The state complete lyceums numbered 11, of which 8 were Swedish and 3 Finnish; those with incomplete courses numbered 5,2 being $S$ wedish and 3 Finnish. The Realschulen with complete courses were 10 in number, 5 Swedish and 5 Finnish, and the incomplete Realschulen were 7, 2 Swedish and 5 Finnish. There were also 7 state schools for women, and 6"lower elementary" schools classified in this grade. The totals were 29 Swedish and 17 Finnish institutions supported by the state, and 31 Swedish, 23 Finnish, and 2 German private schools aided by the state, including 38 for girls and 2 for female teachers. The 16 state and 12 prirate (subsidized) lyceums had 379 teachers and 4,069 students in 1883-'84, 248 teachers and 2,697 students being in the state schools and 131 teachers and $1,3 \% 2$ students in the private (subsidized) institutions. As to native language, 2,383 of the students were Swedes, 1,620 Finns, and 66 were of other nationalities. As to social position, 1,079 were sons of public functionaries, 668 were sons of ordinary citizens, 273 were sons of small proprietors, 120 of rustics, and 557 were unspecified. There were 4 preparatory schools with 13 teachers and 148 students.
${ }^{3}$ The 17 Realschulen had 123 teachers and 776 students in 1883-'84, of whom 486 were Swedes, 275 Finns, and 15 mere of other nationalities. Their social position was as follows: sons of public officers, $161 ; 238$ belonged to the citizen class; 69 were sons of small proprietors, 40 of rustics; and 268 were unclassified.

The 7 state and 40 private (subsidized) schools for girls, including two female teachers' seminaries, had 483 teachers and 3,834 students, 311 teachers and 2,510 students being Swedish, 133 teachers and 1,051 students Finnish, and 39 teachers and 273 students German.

Primary instruction.-There were 771 primary schools, with 903 teachers and 46,687 pupils, in the school year $1888-84$. Of these, 184 were boys' schools, 168 girls' schools, and 418 were mixed. As to nationality, 593 of the schools were Finnish, 158 were Swedish, 18 were Swedish-Finnish, and 2 were Russian. Of the 993 teachers, 447 were males and 546 females. There were 47 pupils to a teacher on the average. The majority of the schools, viz, 581, were in rural districts, leaving 190 for cities and towns. There were 322 rural districts, or communes, with schools, and 149 without. There were 42 teachers ( 29 male and 13 female) in the normal schools and 551 students.

Teornical instruction.-Tho 2 professional technical schools at $\AA$ bo and Nikolaistad had 14 teachers and 68 students in 1883-'84, and the polytechnic institute at Helsingfors had 26 professors and teachers, and 128 students, in the first semester of 188.5. There were also 7 naval schools with 178 students, and 4 commercial schools with 32 teachers and 160 pupils in the school year 1884-'85.

France, republic: area, 204,092 square miles; popnlation (December 18, 1881), 37,672,048. Capitel, Paris: population, 2,269,023. Minister of public instruction, René Goblet.

Primary instruction.-The following information is taken from the corrected report of Deputy Antonin Dubost, on the budget of the ministry of public instruction for 1885, published in the Revue pedagogique, February 15, 1885.
One of the principal points in the programme of democracy was the establishment of obligatory, fiee, and lay instruction, and these separate features had to be incorporated in the laws and realized in practice. It was an immense undertaking, which involved the preparation of teachers and the construction of new school-houses, in order to bring instruction within reach of all; the recasting of programmes and reorganization of all branches of the service of instruction; and the introduction and adoption of new financial measures, to make the new efforts fruitful.

The law of Angust 9,1879 , was the prelude to this greatreorganization, and directed the establishment of a normal school for male and another for female teachers in each department. Then followed the law of June 16, 1881, which established absolute gratuity of instruction in the primary public schools. The law of Mareh 28, 1882, made primary education obligatory and lay; and then came a series of laws, decrees, decisions, and instructions, establishing hamlet schools; organizing superior primary schools, maternal schools, apprenticeship schools (manuallabor schools), normal courses in normal schools and superior primary schools; preparing teachers of manual labor and reorganizing military instruction; establishing scholarships in the superior primary schools; reorganizing the courses for adults; instituting school banks, etc. Finally, on March 18, 1884, a bill was introduced into the Chamber of Deputies reorganizing primary education.

This was the plan of national primary education. Its application can be seen in the comparative figures of different periods which follow:

In 1878-'79 there 78 normal schools for males with 3,551 students, and 17 normal schools for females with 691 students; total, 95 normal schools with 4,242 stadents.

In 1883-'84 there were 85 normal schools for males with 4,952 students, 5 normal schools for males in course of construction, 57 normal schools for females with 2,487 students, and 17 normal schools for females in course of constraction; total, 154 normal schools with 7,439 students.
The appropriation in $1878-79$ was $3,902,132.08 \mathrm{fr}$., and in $1883-$ ' 84 it was $6,754,350 \mathrm{fr}$.
The increase of public, or state, and the decrease of private schools were as follows:

|  | 1867. | 1876-'77. | 1881-82. | 1882-'83. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Public schools. |  |  |  |  |
| Boys' or mired schools .......................................... | 38,858 | 39,764 | 41, 493 | 42, 286 |
| Girls' schools....................................................... | 15,099 | 19,257 | 21, 504 | 22, 2.4 |
| Total ...................................................... | 53, 957 | 59, 021 | 62, 997 | 64, 510 |
| Private schools. |  |  |  |  |
| Boys' or mixed schools .......................................... | 3,599 | 2, 657 | 2, 842 | 2,938 |
| Girls' schools. | 13,115 | 9,869 | 9,796 | 9, 854 |
| Total | 16, 714 | 12,526 | 12,638 | 12, 792 |
| T. Total public and private schools ...... .as.............. | 70,671 | 71, 547 | 75, 635 | 77,302 |

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The number of teachers in the public and private schools was as follows:

|  | 1863. | 1876-77. | 1881-'82. | 1882-'83. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Public schools. |  |  |  |  |
| Male teachers | 42,778 | 46, 400 | 50,708 | 52,779 |
| Female teachers. | 27,663 | 33, 663 | 37,512 | 32, 521 |
| Total. | 70, 441 | 80, 063 | 88, 220 | 92, 300 |
| Private schools. |  |  |  |  |
| Male teachers | 6,807 | 5,317 | 7,429 | 7,845 |
| Female teachers. | 31,55] | 25, 329 | 29,316 | 30,512 |
| Total. | 38, 358 | 30, 646 | 36. 745 | 38,357 |
| Total public and private teachers........................ | 148,799 | 110, 709 | 124, 965 | 130,657 |

In the same years the number of salles d'asile was as follows:

|  | 1863. | 1876-'77. | 1881-'8. | 1882-'83. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Public | 2,335 | 2, 785 | 3,161 | 3,345 |
| Private | 973 | 1,362 | 1,891 | 2,035 |
| Total | 3, 308 | 4, 147 | 5,052 | 5,350 |
| Teachers.. | 5,250 | 6, 223 | 7,571 | 8,086 |

Calling the increase of schools 1,000 since 1883, and coonting in the salles d'asile as above, the total namber of schools of this grade would be 83,682 schools, with a teaching force of 137,743 persons.

According to the census of 1881, the number of children of school age, six to thirteen years, was 4,586,349.

The number in the different classes of schools was as follows:


This makes a total in 1883 of $6,111,236$ children receiving instruction, or $1,594,887$ more than the school population between six and thirteen years of age (in 1881). Deducting the number in the salles d'asile, or materual schools, viz, 679,085 , there remain 845,802 children not of school age attending school.

The law of 1882 made primary instruction not only obligatory, but lay ; i. $c .$, it intrusted the direction of primery schools only to laymen. The operation of the law may be seen from the following table:

|  | 1867. |  | 1876-'77. |  | 1882-'83. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Schools. | Teachers. | Schools. | Teachers. | Schools. | Teachers. |
| Public schools. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Lay schools, boys' and mixed | 35, 774 | 36,457 | 36, 399 | 39, 533 | 40, 042 | 49, 015 |
| Laj'schools, girls' | 6,569 | 8,459 | 9,417 | 13,707 | 13, 652 | 24, 012 |
| Total | 42, 343 | 44. 916 | 45, 816 | 53, 240 | 53, 694 | 73, 027 |
| Clerical schools, boys' and mixed. | 3, 084 | 6,321 | 3, 365 | 6,867 | 2, 244 | 3,764 |
| Clerical schools, girls' | 8,530 | 19, 204 | 9,840 | 19, 956 | 8,572 | 15, 509 |
| Total | 11,614 | 25, 525 | 13, 205 | 26, 823 | 10,816 | 19,273 |
| Private schools. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Lay schools, boys' and mised.. | 2,944 | 4,360 | 1,750 | 2, 716 | 1, 349 | 2,215 |
| Lay schools, girls'. | 7, 079 | 12,550 | 4, 091 | 8, 069 | 2,873 | 7, 281 |
| Total | 10, 023 | 16,910 | 5, 841 | 10,785 | 4,222 | 9,496 |
| Clerical schools, boys' and mixed. | 655 | 2,247 | 907 | 2,601 | 1, 589 | 5,630 |
| Clerical schools, girls' | 6, 036 | 19, 001 | 5,778 | 17, 260 | 6,981 | 22, 231 |
| Total | 6,691 | 21, 248 | 6,685 | 19, 861 | 8,570 | 27, 861 |

Taking the totals of public and private lay and clerical, we have:

|  | 1867. |  | 1876-77. |  | 1882-83. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Schools. | Teachers. | Schools. | Teachers. | Schools. | Teachers. |
| Lay schools, public and pritate.. | 52, 366 | 61, 826 | 51, 657 | 64, 025 | 57, 916 | 82,523 |
| Clerical schools, public and private..... | 18,305 | 46, 973 | 19,890 | 46, 684 | 19,386 | 47, 134 |

The variation in the number of maternal schools is shown in the following table, as well as their classification into lay and clerical:


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The attendance at the primary schools, classified into lay and clerical, public and private, is as follows:


Taking the sum of the two classes in both the public and private schools, we have the foliowing attendance for the above years:

|  | 1867. | 1881-'82. | 1882-'83. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Lay | .2, 785, 504 | 3, 567, 861 | 3,655, 035 |
| Clerical | 1, 729, 998 | 1,773,350 | 1,777, 116 |
| Differences. | 1, 055, 506 | 1, 794, 511 | 1,877,919 |

These figures show an increasing difference in favor of attendance at lay schools.
A similar movement occurs in the maternal schools, as appears from the following statement of attendance:

| , | 1867. |  | 1881-82. |  | 1882-'83. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Lay. | Clerical. | Lay. | Clerical. | Lay. | Clerical. |
| Public schools | 73, 065 | 283, 356 | 189,091 | 291,511 | 221, 712 | 275, 432 |
| Private schools | 17,109 | 58,611 | 15,326 | 148, 456 | 13,913 | 168, 028 |
| T\& Total | 90, 174 | 341, 967 | 204, 417 | 439, 967 | .235, 625 | 443, 460 |

Superior primary instruction.-The law of 1833 established this grade of instruction, and in 1850 there were 436 institutions, with 27,159 students. The law of March 15, 1850, interrupted the development of this branch of instruction by abolishing the division of primary education into elementary and superior, so that by $18 \% 0$ what were called elective studies were being taught in only 264 schools to about 4,000 students. Superior primary instruction was re-established by the law of March 10, 1878, and was definitely reorganized by a decree of January 15, 1881. The total mnuber of establishments in 1884 was 570 , of which 145 were public superior primary schools for boys, and 47 for girls; 25 were private schools for boys, and 29 for girls; while there were 324 complementary courses, public and private, 228 of which were for boys and 96 were for girls. Thus there were 398 schools and courses for boys, and 172 for girls. The teaching force numbered 3,688 , of which number 2,070 were regular teachers, and 1,618 were special and auxiliary teachers (for modern languages, drawing, gymnastics, manual work, etc.). The students numbered 30,140. In le84
the sum of 774,000 francs was appropriated by the Government for scholarships in this grade, which coutributed to the support of 949 students in 158 schools.
The public courses for adults in 1876-'77 were 21,973 for men and 5,036 for women, with 487,297 men and 98,758 women in attendance. The private courses numbered 160 for men and 248 for women, with an attendance of 12,746 men and 6,952 women. Total, 27,009 public and 408 private courses, with an attendance of 586,055 and 19,698 persons respectively. In $1882-$ - 83 the public courses were 24,230 for men and 5,450 for women, with $410,375 \mathrm{mcn}$ and 74,274 women in attendance; while the private courses were 191 for men and 99 for women, with 10,996 men and 3,846 women in attendance. Total, 29,689 public and 290 private courses, with 484,649 and 14,842 persons in attendance respectively.
The number of public libraries was 19,234 in 1877 and 28,845 in 1883, containing $3,160,823$ volumes, and the pedagogicallibraries numbered 2,500 with 663,878 volumes.
The law of March 28, 1882, compelled the establishment of school banks in all the communes. During 1883 such banks existed in 19,436 communes, and their receipts were $4,254,176 \mathrm{fr}$., disbursements $2,630,528$ fr., leaving a balance in bank of $1,623,648 \mathrm{fr}$.
Illiteracy.-In 1871 the proportion of recruits who could read was 83 per cent.; in 1882 it was 86.9 per cent. In 1870 the proportion of persons who could sign their names to the acte de mariage was 66.8 per cent.; in 1881 it was 86 per cent.

Expenditure for primary instruction.-The government expenditure may be divided into two parts, the amount placed at the disposal of the communes for building school-houses, and the regular annual appropriation. The increase in the latter since 1870 is shown in the following figures: in 1870 it was $8,751,700$ fr.; in 1875, 16,542,605 fr. ; in $1880,28,383,454 \mathrm{fr}$. ; in $1882,62,440,066 \mathrm{fr}$. ; in $1883,84,235,516 \mathrm{fr}$.; in 1885 , $97,280,405 \mathrm{fr}$.

But these state appropriations formed only a part of the money actually devoted to primary education. There were besides large sums derived from bequests, the communes and departments, gifts, and, before 1881, the school fees payable by the families. The latter source of income was abolished by the law of June 16,1881 , which made primary instruction free. The total amount recorded as devoted to public primary instruction, and the sources from which it was derived, in 1870 and 1884, are shown in the following statement:
1870.

Francs.
From gifts and bequests............................................................... 1,000,000
From the communes 17, 127, 143
From families (school fees) .................................................... 19, 169, 476
From the departments
4, 944, 319
From the state
8,751,700
Total
50, 992, 638
1884.

From gifts and bequests......................................................................668,000
From the communes............................................................. 26, 887,283
From the departments.......................................................... 14, 992, 700
From the state .................................................................... $94,258,515$
From disbursements by school banks in each commune, about ........... 4,500,000
Total................................................................... $\overline{141,306,498}$
The cstimated expenditures for private instruction in the same years were 10,198,52\% fr. and $23,551,083$ fr. respectively. In 1870 the average cost of education for each pupil of the primary schools was 12 fr .36 c . (\$2.38), and in 1884 it was 26 fr .70 c. ( $\$ 5.15$ ). The annual expenditures for primary instruction will be increased by $48,026,400 \mathrm{fr}$. very soon, to enable the law authorizing the construction of schoollieases to go into effect, and by a further amount of $81,066,500 \mathrm{fr}$., to carry out the new organization of primary education and provide for the new scale of salaries.

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The disbursements of the state funds for primary education are of two kinds, viz: (1) Those of which the minister of public instruction has direct control, such as the expenses of inspection, of normal schools, scientific material, libraries, direct assistance, etc., and (2) those which consist of subsidies to the communes for the maintenance of their schools, the control of which latter is more or less in the hands of the prefets, who distribute the money to the communes in accordance with the law. The difference between these two classes of disbursements consists mainly in the fact that for the first (over which he has immediate control) the minister can check or verify the estimates before the expenditure is made, which he cannot do for the second class, where, under the present system, the verification can only come after the expenditure has been made. No criticism has ever been made of the management of the first kind of expenditures, but complaints have been made from time to time of expenditures exceeding the estimates in the otber category of disbursements.

The law of June 16, 1881 , made instruction gratuitons in the three kinds of primary schools: infant schools, primary schools proper, and advanced primary schools, and also in the primary normal schools.

The law of March 28, 1882, making primary instruction compulsory and lay, which was published in Circular of Information No. 6, 1882, on "Technical education in France," is here reproduced:

Article 1. Primary edncation includes moral and civic instruction; reading and writing; the French language and the elements of its literature; geography, especially that of France; history, especially the modern history of France; the elements of law and political economy; the elements of the natural, physical, and mathematical sciences, and their applications to agriculture, to bygiene, and to the industrial arts; manual work and the use of the tools of the principal trades; the elements of drawing and modeling; music and gymnastics ; and, for boys, military exercises; for girls, needle-work.

Akt. 2. The primary public schools shall be closed one day each week besides Sunday, to allow parents to give their children religious instruction, if they wish, outside the school buildings. Religious instruction is optional in private schools.

Art. 3. The provisions of articles 18 and 44 of the law of March 14, 1880, which give to the ministers of worship a right of inspection, surveillance, and control in public and private primary schools and salles d'asile, as well as paragraph 2 of article 31, of the same law, which gives to the consistories the right of presentation for teachers belonging to non-Catholic denominations, are hereby repealed.

Art. 4. Primary instruction is compulsory for children of both sexes, from the beginniug of their seventh to the end of their thirteenth year. It may be given either in establishments of primary or secondary instruction, or in public or private schools, or at home by the head of the family himself, or by some person chosen by him.

A regulation will determine the means of securing primary instruction to deaf-mute and blind chillren.

Art. 5. A mnnicipal school board is established in each commune ${ }^{1}$ to direct and increase attendance on the schools.

It is composed of the maire, who is president; of one of the delegates of the canton, and, where communes comprise several cantons, of as many delegates as there are cantons, appointed by the academic inspector; ${ }^{2}$ of members appointed by the municipal council, to the number at least of a third of the membership of the council.
At Paris and Lyons there is a board for each municipal arrondissement. It is presided over at Paris by the maire, at Lyons by one of his assistants; it is composed of one of the cantonal delegates, of members appointed by the academic inspector, and of members appointed by the municipal council, to the number of from three to seven for each arrondissement.
The anthority of the members of the school board appointed by the mnnicipal council shall last until the election of a new municipal council, and shall always be rene wable.
The primary inspector forms part of all the school boards established in his jurisdiction.
Art. 6. Children may present themselves for examination for a certificat d'études at the age of eleven, and, on passing it, are to be exempted from further compulsory primary instruction.

Art. 7. The father, the gnardian, the person who has charge of the child, or hisemployer, is required to inform the maire of the commune fifteen days before the opening
${ }^{1}$ There are about 36,000 communes in France.
${ }^{2}$ France is divided, for the purpose of public instruction, into 17 academic districts.
of the schools whether he intends to have the child taught at home or in a public or private school ; in the latter case he must indicate the school be has selected.

Fanilies domiciled near two or more public schools have the right of entering their children in any one of such schools, whether or not it is on the territory of their commune, provided the maximum number of scholars ascribed to the school by law is not complete. In case of dispute, and upon request either of the maire or of the parents, the departmental council has the final decision.

ARt. 8. Evers year the maire, in co-operation with the municipal school commission, is required to draw up a list of all children from six to thirteen years old, and notify the persons who have charge of them of the time set for opening the schools.

In case of failure to give the required fifteen dars' notice on the part of parents or other responsible persons, the maire bimself enters the child at one of the public scbools and notifies the proper responsible person of the fact.

A week before the opening of the schools the maire is to remit to the directors of the public and private schools a list of the children who are to attend their schools. A duplicate of this list is to be sent be him to the primary inspector.
Art. 9. When a child leaves a school, his parents or the persons responsible for him are required to notify the maire at once of the fact aud state in what manuer the child is to receive its instruction in future.
ART. 10. When a child is temporarily absent from schnol, his parents or the persons responsible for him are required to explain to the school director the reasons for his absence.
The school directors and directresses shall keep a register of attendance, which shall show the absences of the scholars of each class. At the end of each month they shall seud to the maire and the primary inspector a copy of the ragister, indicating the number of absences and the reasons alleged therefor.
The canses of absence shall be subuitted to the school commission. The only legitimate excuses are the following: Sickness of the child, death of a member of the family, and accidents of travel which prevent the child from reaching the school. Other exceptional circumstances will be duly considered bs the conmission.
Art. 11. Every director of a private scbool who fails to comply with the requirements of the preceding article shall, at the instance of the school commission and the primary inspector, be reported to the departmental council.

The departmental council may inflict the following penalties: 1, admonition; 2, censure ; 3, suspension for not longer than one month, and, in case of a second offense during the school rear, for not longer than three months.
Art. 12. Where a child has been absent fourtinjes in one month, for at least a half day, without an excuse allomed by the municipal school board, the father, gnardian, or responsible person shall be summoned after 3 days' notice to appear before the board, where the text of the law will be brought to his attention and his duty under it explained to him.
In case of unescused non-appearance the board shall inflict the penalty named in the following article.
ART. 13. In case of a repetition of the offense within twelve months, the school board shall order the name of the responsible person to be posted on the door of the mairie, together with the charge against him.
The same penalty shall be inflicted on persons who disregard the provisions of article 9.
ART. 14. If the offense is again repeated, the scbool board or primary inspector shall address a conplaint to the juge de paix. The infraction shall be considered an offense and the penalties prescribed by articles 479,480, and following ones of the peual code may be imposeã.
Article 463 of the same code is applicable. ${ }^{1}$
Art. 15. The school comrnission mas grant to children residing with their parents or guardians, on request (with reason therefor) of the latter, leave of absence for a time not to exceed three months, exclusive of vacations. When these leaves of absence exceed two weeks they must be submitted to the primary inspector for approval.
This arrangement shall not apply to children who desire to accompany their parents or guardians on a temporary alosence from the comaune. In this case a verbal or written notice to the maire or the teacher will be sufficient.
The school board may, subject to the consent of the departmental conncil, exempt children employed in trades or in agriculture from one of the two daily attendances. ${ }^{2}$ Art. 16. Children who are educated at home shall undergo an annual examination after the second year of compulsory instruction upon the subjects taught to children

[^36]of their age in the public schools, in suchmanner and according to such programmes as shall be determined by ministerial decisions given in the superior council.
The examining board shall be composed of the primary inspector or his delegate, as president; a delegate from the canton; a holder of a university degree or certificate of qualification. The judges shall be selected by the inspector of the "academy" (educational district). In the girls' examination the person holding the certificate must be a woman.

If the examination is not satisfactory the child must be sent to a public or private school within a week and the maire advised what school has been chosen.

If no such designation is made the child will be placed at school by the authorities as before described.
Art. 17. The school fund provided for by article 15 of the law of April 10, 1867, shall be established in all the communes. In subsidized communes in which the centième does not exceed 30 francs, the department of public instruction shall increase the fund by an amount equal to the sum of the communal appropriations. The aid is distributed through the school board.
Art. 18. Ministerial decisions rendered at the request of the inspectors of academies and departmental conncils will indicate each year the communes to which, from want of school accommodations, the requirements of articles 4 and following, upon compulsory attendance, do not apply. An annual report submitted to the Chambers by the minister of public instruction will furnish a list of the communes to which the present article may have been applied.

The bill for the organization of primary education adopted by the Chamber of Deputies, March 18, 1884, has only recently been returned by the Senate, after receiving several modifications, to the Chamber of Deputies, where it will be again discussed and again reported to the Senate. It is hardly worth while, therefore, to give the text of the bill.

Germany, constitutional Impire: area 208,695 square miles; population (December 1, 1880), 45,234,061, divided among the following 26 states which constitute the German Empire: Prussia, kingdom, $27,279,111$; Bavaria, kingdom, 5,284,778; Saxony, kingdom, 2,972,805; Würtemberg, kingdom, 1,971,118; Baden, grand duchy, 1,570,254; Hesse, grand duchy, 936,340; Mecklenburg-Schwerin, grand duchy, 577,055; Saxe-Weimar, grand duchy, 309,577; Mecklenburg-Strelitz, grand duchy, 100,269; Oldenburg, grand duchy, 337,478; Brunswick, duchy, 349,367; Saxe-Meiningen, duchy, 207,075; Saxe-Altenburg, duchy, 155,036; Saxe-Coburg-Gotha, duchy, 194,716; Anhalt, duchy, 232,592; Schwarzburg-Sondershausen, principality, 71,107; Schwarzburg-Rudolstadt, principelity, 80,290; Waldeck, principality, 56,522 ; Reuss-Greiz, principality, 50,782 ; Reuss-Schleiz, principality, 101,330; Schaumburg-Lippe, principality, 35,374; Lippe, principality, 120,246; Lübeck, free city, 63,571; Bremen, free city, 156,723; Hamburg, free city, 453,869; Alsace-Lorraine, imperial territory (Reichsland) annexed from France in 1871, 1,566,670. Average density of population, 83.7 inhabitants per square kilometer. Capital of the Empire, Berlin: population, 1,122,330.
No official statistics of education in many of the German states have been received since those given in my Report for 1882-83. The information at hand is as follows:
Bavaria. -The Office is indebted to Joseph W. Harper, United States consul at Munich, for a statement of the educational condition of Bavaria for the years 1884 and 1885 , from which statement the following information is derived:

In 1885, the elementary schools employed 12,374 teachers, who received compensation at the following rates: in towns of 2,500 inhabitants or less, a legal minimum salary of 771.50 M. ; in towns above $2,500,857.20 \mathrm{M}$. In towns having less than 2,500 inhabitants the teachers are usually furnished with a house to live in, for which 20.60 M . may be deducted from their salaries. There is no definite fixed salary for female teachers. For school-houses in 1885 there were expended $2,382,917$ M., and for salaries $13,326,682 \mathrm{M}$.

For secondary instruction there are 33 complete Gymnasien, 4 Realschulen, and 55 Latin schools, the latter being supported out of district or communal funds. There are also 46 Realsehulen in which Latin is not a branch of instruction. These are maintained at an annual expense of $1,570,000 \mathrm{M}$., about 140,000 of which are from tuition fers. The Polytechnic High School in Munich is also a state institution. It employs 30 first-class professors, with a large force of assistants. The estimated expense of the school for $1886-87$ is $428,053 \mathrm{M}$.

Institutions for special instruction supported by the state are as follows: The


Thus the regular appropriation for the jear 1885-' 86 for different branches of education proper was $38,260,444 \mathrm{M}$., or $\$ 9,105,986$. Besides this there was a special appropriation for the construction and repair of buildings, instruments, etc., of 4,504,. 632 M., or $\$ 1,072,102$.

Superior instruction.-The following information on superior and secondary instruc tion is taken from the Centralblatt für die gesammte Unterrichtsvervallung in Preussen, 1885. Ergänzungsheft 2.

In the winter semester of 1884-' 85 there were 69 professors, 5 honorary professors, 76 extraordinary professors, and 106 Privat docenten at the University of Berlin, a total

[^37]of 256, of whom 16 were in the Evangelical theological faculty, 20 in the law faculty, 96 in the medical, and 124 in the philosophical faculties. At Bonn there were 55 full professors, 2 honorary, 28 extraordinary, and 27 Privat docenten; total, 112. Of these 9 were in the Evangelical theological faculty, 6 in the Roman Catholic, 11 in the law, 29 in the medical, and 67 in the philosophical faculties. At Breslau there were 122 professors and Privat docenten, 8 of whom were in the Evangelical theological faculty, 8 in the Roman Catholic, 11 in the law, 38 in the medical, and 57 in the philosophical faculties. At Göttingen the corps of professors and Privat docenten numbered 111, of whom 9 were in the Evangelical theological faculty, 10 were in the law, 22 in the medical, and 70 were in the philosophical faculties. At Greifswald there were 7 professors in the Evangelical theological faculty, 6 professors and 1 Privut docent in the law faculty, 22 professors and Privat docenten in the medical and 34 in the philosophical faculties, 70 in all. At Halle there were 94 professors and Privat docenten: 10 in the theological (Evangelical) faculty, 8 in the law, 24 in the medical, and 52 in the philosophical faculties. The theological (Evangelical) faculty at Kiel had 6 professors, the law faculty 5 professors and 1 Privat docent, the medical 21 professors and Privat docenten, and the philosophical faculty 37, a total of 70. At Köuigsberg the professors and Privat docenten were distributed as follows: in the theological faculty (Evangelical) there were 7, in the law 6, in the medical 31, and in the philosohpical 45 ; total, 89. At Marburg the theological (Evangelical) faculty had 8 professors and Privat docenten, the law 12, the medical 18, and the philosophical 38. The academy at Münster bad 8 professors and 1 Privat docent in the Catholic theological faculty, and 27 in the philosophical, 36 in all. The Catbolic theological faculty at Braunsberg had 4 professors and 1 Privat docent, and there was the same number in the philosophical faculty, a total of 10 persons. The number of professors and Privat docenten at the Prussian universities was therefore 2,088. Besides these there were 79 teachers of music, drawing, stenography, gymnastics, fencing, and horsemanship, and 38 lecturers on agriculture and instructors in veterinary surgery.
The attendance of students at the Prussian universities in the winter semester of 1884-'85 is shown in the following table:

| University. | Faculties. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Evang'l theolog. | Catholic theolog. | Law. | Medical. | Philo. sophical. | Specialat tendants. | Total. |
| Berlin . | 676 |  | 1, 242 | 1,133 | 1,955 | 1,398 | 6, 404 |
| Bonn . | 75 | 84 | 256 | 251 | 414 | 28 | 1,108 |
| Breslau............ | 151 | 152 | 192 | 370 | 524 | 114 | 1,503 |
| Göttingen ......... | 182 |  | 155 | 190 | 466 | 0 | 1,002 |
| Greifswald. | 247 |  | 58 | 408 | 143 | 9 | 865 |
| Halle...... | 604 | ......... | 114 | 296 | 617 | 47 | 1,678 |
| Kiel | 58 | ..... | 40 | 155 | 134 | 78 | 465 |
| Königsberg........ | 198 | ...0...... | 124 | 247 | 318 | 10 | 897 |
| Marburg... | 131 |  | 63 | 206 | 308 | 26 | 734 |
| Münster. |  | 176 |  |  | 164 | 8 | 348 |
| Braunsberg. |  | 11 |  |  | 5 |  | 16 |
| Total | 2,322 | 423 | 2, 244 | 3, 256 | 5,048 | 1,727 | 15,020 |

The superior technological institutions had a teaching force of 159 professors and 68 assistants in the winter semester of 1884-85, and 154 professors and 66 assistants in the summer of 1885 . Taking the winter semester the technological institute at Berlin (technische Hoclischule) had 79 professors and 37 assistants, that at Hanover 43 professors and 14 assistants, and that at Aix 37 professors aud 17 assistants. The students and hearers at Berlin numbered 887 in the winter of $18844^{\prime} 85$, and 866 in the
summer of 1885. The students and hearers at Hanover at the same poriods were 377 and 425 , and at Aix 235 and 176 , a total of 1,499 and 1,467 for the winter and summer, respectively. The students at the three institutions during the winter semester were distributed among the various faculties as follows: architecture, 185; bearers, 103 ; ciril engineering, 167 ; and hearers, 8 ; mechanical engiueering, 377 ; hearers, 115 ; chemistry and metallurgy, 162 ; hearers, 58 ; general science, 10 ; hearers, 9.
The art academies at Berlin, Königsberg, Dusseldorf, and Cassel, had a total of 71 teachers and 575 students in the winter of $1884-95$, while the art schools at Berlin and Breslau had 109 teachers and 1,114 studeuts.
The academy of music at Berlin had 37 teachers and 217 students, the school for musical composition had 4 teachers and 19 students, and the school for church music 5 teachers and 28 students, in the winter of 1884 -' $\mathbf{5} 5$.

Secondary instruction.-In the winter semester of 1884-'85 there were 257 Gymnasien, with 4,581 teachers of all kinds and 75,979 students. The preparatory schools had 310 teachers and 3,734 students. Of the students at the Gymnasien, 54,291 belonged to the Erangelical faith, 15,895 to the Roman Catholic, 7,658 were Jews, and 135 were classed as "dissenters." The Progymnasien numbered 37, with 303 teachers in all, and 3,844 students. The preparatory schools combined mith the Progymnasien had 15 teachers and 493 students. The students belonging to the Evangelical faith nambered 2,098, Catholics 1,409, Jews 329, and "dissenters" 8 . There were 89 Realgymnasien, with 1,599 teachers of all kinds and $24,1 i 8$ students, the preparatory schools attached having 126 teachers and $4, \tau 23$ pupils. The Realprogymnasien numbered 88 , with 670 teachers and 8,674 students, the preparatory schools having at the same time 56 teachers and 1,805 students.
There were 14 Oberrealschulen, which had 326 teachers and 4,901 students in the winter of $1884-85$, the preparatory schools attached having 18 teachers and 916 students at the same time. The great majority of the students belonged to the Evangelical faith, riz, 3,784; 767 were Roman Catholic, 324 were Jews, and 26 "dissenters." The Realschulen nambered 18, with 265 teacbers of all kinds and 4,012 students, the preparatory schools having 35 teachers and 1,214 students. Of the 4,012 students 2,721 were Evangelicals, 545 Catholics, 732 were Jews, and 14 were "dissenters." The superior burgher schools numbered 19, with 253 teachers and 5,173 scholars.

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From the official report of the school committee of Berlin for the year 1884-'85 the following statistics are taken:

| Kind of school. | No. | Boys. | Girls. | Total. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1. Gymnasien: |  |  |  |  |
| a. Royal | 5 | 2,959 | .......... | 2, 959 |
| b. City | 11 | 5,668 |  | 5, 6C8 |
| 2. Tealgymnasien. |  |  |  |  |
| a. Royal. | 1 | 611 | .......... | 611 |
| b. City. | 7 | 3, 891 |  | 3, 8:11 |
| 3. Oberrealschulen (city) | 2 | 1,050 |  | 1,0:0 |
| 4. Higher girls' schools: |  |  |  |  |
| a. Royal | 2 |  | 950 | 950 |
| b. City | 4 |  | 3,425 | 3. 425 |
| 5. Royal preparatory schools <br> 6. Pablic middle and elementary schools, including deaf and |  |  |  |  |
| 6. Pablic middle and elementary schools, dumb, blind, and orphan school | 176 | 70,334 | 67, 910 | 138,244 |
| 7. Special schools | 12 | 751 | 762 | 1,513 |
| Total public schools. | 221 | 85,363 | 73, 047 | 158, 412 |
| Jerrish schools. | 2 | 617 | 325 | 942 |
| Private schools of all grades | 90 | 6, 061 | 14, 192 | 20, 253 |
| Total Jewish and private schools. | 92 | 6,678 | 14,517 | 21, 195 |
| Pablic schools | 221 | 85, 365 | 73, 047 | 158, 412 |
| Total, end of 1884. | 313 | 92, 043 | 87, 564 | 179, 607 |
| Total, end of 1883. | 303 | 87, 107 | 82, 618 | 169, 725 |
| Increase in 1884 | 10 | 4,936 | 4,946 | 9,882 |

Of the public middle and elementary schools, 146 were district schools. The expenses for these in $1884-$ ' 85 were $5,111,910.50 \mathrm{M}$. for salaries, and $6,190,799.37 \mathrm{M}$. for other expenses ; total, $11,302,709.87 \mathrm{M}$. As these schools contained 132,889 pupils, this makes the expenses per child 38.47 M . for salaries, and 46.58 M . for other expenses, 85.05 M . in all. In American money this is equivalent to $\$ 9.15$ per child for salaries and $\$ 11.09$ for incidental expenses ; total, $\$ 20.24$.
Saxony.-The following statistics are from the "Erster Bericht uiber die gesammten Unterrichts- und Erviehungs-Anstalten im Königreiche Sachsen." Dresden, 1885.
Superior instruction.-The University of Leipsic had 15 professers and Privat docenten in the theological facultr, 15 in the law, 48 in the medical, and 91 in the philosophical faculties in the winter semester of 1884-85, a total of 169 . The number of students was 3,281 , of whom 696 were in the theological faculty, 691 in the law, 695 in the medical, and the remainder, 1,199 , were in the various divisions of the philosophical faculty. There were 72 American students during the winter semester. The running expenditures for the year 1884 were $1,239,846 \mathrm{M}$., and the university income was $423,560 \mathrm{M}$., leaving $816,286 \mathrm{M}$. ( $\$ 194,276$ ) to be appropriated by the State.
The Polytechnikum at Dresden had 41 professors and Privat docenten in 1884-'85, and 412 students. The State appropriation amounted to $257,649 \mathrm{M}$. ( $\$ 61,320$ ). The mining academy at Freiberg had 20 teachers and a total of 163 students. The appropriation for the academy to cover expenses in 1884-'85 was $78,970 \mathrm{M}$. ( $\$ 18,795$.$) The forestry$ academy at Tharanadt had 10 teachers and 126 students in 1884-'85. The appropriation was $91,476 \mathrm{M}$. ( $\$ 21,771$ ).

Sccondary instruction.-There were 16 Gymnasien, with 378 teachers and 5,481 students, in Saxony in the winter of 1884-'85. The expenditures for the Gymnasien were $1,749,713 \mathrm{M}$. ( $\$ 416,432$ ), of which $572,711 \mathrm{M}$. $(\$ 136,305)$ were appropriated by the state. The Realgymnasicn numbered 11, with 223 teachers and 2,788 students. The expeudi-
tures were $713,015 \mathrm{M}$. $(\$ 169,697)$, of which $161,134 \mathrm{M}$. $(\$ 38,350)$ were from stato appropriations. The Realschulen numbered 20 , with 231 teachers and 3,057 students. The expenditures were $723,753 \mathrm{M}$. ( $\$ 172,253$ ), $218,642 \mathrm{M}$. $(\$ 52,037$ ) of which were contributed by the state. There were 2 institutions of secondary instruction for girls, ons in Dresden and one in Leipsic, with 41 teachers and 884 students, and the expenditures amounted to $155,622 \mathrm{M}$. ( $\$ 37,038$ ). There were 7 private schools for secondary instrnction for boys in Saxony in 1834-85, and 1 for girls. They had 111 teachers and 735 students.
The teachers' seminaries numbered 19, of which 17 were for males and 2 for females. Only one seminary was Catholic. The total number of teachers was 273 , and of students 2,318 . The practice schools had 78 classes and 2,079 students. The ezpenditures were $1,427,120 \mathrm{M}$. ( $\$ 339,654$ ), of which $1,020,152 \mathrm{MI}$. ( $\$ 212,796$ ) were appropriated by the state. The normal school for teachers of gymnastics at Dresden had 3 teachers, and 16 male and 15 female students, who were fitting themselves to teach gymnastics, besides an attendance of 997 stadents of the Polytechnikum and the Gymnasien, and scholars from the elementary schools. The expenses of this institution were $12,459 \mathrm{M}$. ( $\$ 2,964$ ), of which $9,060 \mathrm{M}$. ( $\$ 2,206$ ) were paid by the state. The pensions to teachers of schools of secondary instruction and their widows and children in 1884 amounted to $162,929 \mathrm{M}$. ( $\$ 38,777$ ).

Instruction in the fine arts.-The Royal Art Academy at Dresden, which was founded as an academy of painting in 1705, and enlarged to include sculpture and architecture in 1764, had 21 teachers and 149 students in 1884 . The expenses were $92,800 \mathrm{M}$. ( $\$ 22,086$ ), of which the state paid about $83,300 \mathrm{M}$. $(\$ 19,825)$. The Royal Art Academy and Art Industrial School at Leipsic, founded in 1764, had 15 teachers and 296 students, and the expenditures were $44,000 \mathrm{M}$. ( $(\$ 10,472)$. The Royal Art Industrial School at Dresden had 20 teachers and 164 students in the jear 1884-85. Combined with this institution is the Royal Art Industrial Museum, which contains about 15,000 objects in ceramics, textiles, decorations, etc., etc. The expenditares were $149,000 \mathrm{M}$. ( $\$ 35,462$ ), 144,000 of which $(\$ 34,272)$ were paid by the state.

The Royal Conservatory of Music at Leipsic had 34 teachers and 513 students ( 278 males and 235 females) in 1884-'85. The Royal Conservatory of Music at Dresden had 60 male and 23 female teachers, and 1,247 students ( 637 male and 610 female). There were besides 4 private schools of music and 1 theater school, with a total of 38 teachers and 511 students.

Special and industrial instruction.-The Royal Stenographic Institute at Dresden had 13 students in the winter of $1884-85$ in the candidates' course, and 211 in the other divisions. Candidates for graduating must have received instruction of the secondary grade. Graduates are qualified to teach stenography in the secondary schools of Saxony. The state appropriated $29,250 \mathrm{M}$. $(\$ 6,961)$ for this institution. The Royal Veterinary School at Dresden had 38 civil and 10 military students in the winter of $1884-85$ and 90 other attendants, 48 of whom were from the military service. The state appropriation for this school was $95,710 \mathrm{M}$. ( $\$ 22,779$ ). The school of obstetrics at Dresden had 1 director and 3 assistants as the teaching corps, and 33 students in the winter of $1884-85$. The expenses were $115,535 \mathrm{Mr}$., of which 66,066 M. ( $\$ 18,104$ ) were paid by the state.

Institutions for industrial instruction.-The state technical institation at Chemnitz had 43 teachers and 695 students, and the state appropriation for expenses was 149,000 M. ( $\$ 35,462$ ), the total expenses being $183,000 \mathrm{Mr}$. The city industrial school at Leipsic had 14 teachers and 260 students. The institution is supported by the district funds and tuition. Special schools of technical instraction consisted of 5 royal building schools, with 39 teachers and 518 students, and received an appropriation of $76,400 \mathrm{M}$. ( $\$ 18,183$ ); 6 day schools for wearing, embroidery, and lace making; and 22 evening schools of the same character. They had a total of 123 teachers and 1,701 students, and the part of the expenses defrayed by the state was $24,400 \mathrm{M} .(\$ 5,807)$. There were besides 20 schools for as many different industries, with 75 teachers and 1,325
students, supported partly by corporations, societies, and districts, and the state appropriation amounted to $40,600 \mathrm{M}$. $(\$ 9,663)$. The two mining schools at Freiberg and Zwickau for training foremen, ete., had 8 teachers and 93 students.. There were also 22 industrial review schools, with 210 teachers and 4,651 students, which received an appropriation of $12,600 \mathrm{M}$. $(\$ 3,000)$ towards the total expenditure of $64,240 \mathrm{M}$., and 9 industrial schools for women, with 76 teachers and 1,11\% students, the expenditure for which was $59,085 \mathrm{M}$., the portion of which defrayed by the state being $8,350 \mathrm{M}$. ( $\$ 2,787$ ). The agricultural schools of an elementary grade numbered 10 , with 97 teachers and 523 scholars, and their running expenses amounted to $128,330 \mathrm{M}$., of which 47,500 M. $(\$ 11,400)$ were paid by the state. Finally, there were 25 commercial schools for apprentices, mostly maintained by mercantile societies or private individuals. They had 142 teachers and 1,960 scholars in 1884-85, and received $13,000 \mathrm{M}$. $(\$ 3,100)$ from the state.

Primary instruction. - The number of public elementary schools in 1884-'85 was 2,154, of which 2,116 were Erangelical and 38 Roman Catholic, and the public review or advanced elementary schools numbered 1,892 . The teachers' positions numbered 6,841 , the number of persons actually engaged in teaching during the year 8,768 , and the pupils 599,470 ( 326,479 boys and 272,991 girls), including 63,355 scholars in the review schools. To this number is to be added 2 institutions for the deaf and dumb, with 49 teachers and 406 students. The expenditure for these institutions was 235,602 M. ( $\$ 56,073$ ) , $206,314 \mathrm{M}$. ( $\$ 49,103$ ) being paid by the state, and the total outlay for public elementary schools, including this sum, was $17,039,352 \mathrm{M}$. ( $\$ 4,055,366$ ), of which $1,834,057 \mathrm{M}$. ( $\$ 436,505$ ) were from the state treasury. Of the total expenditure $11,710,002 \mathrm{M}$. ( $\$ 2,786,980$ ) were paid for teachers' salaries.
Instruction in handwork was given in 36 schools, where lace working, straw plaiting, and spinning were taught. There were also 30 schools for household industries organized by Clauson von Kaas. These schools all together had 75 teachers and 2,208 pupils. The total experse of all the different branches and institutions of education in Saxony enumerated above, in 1884-'85, was $25,408,079 \mathrm{M}$. ( $\$ 6,047,123$ ), and the state treasury paid $5,931,424 \mathrm{M}$. $(\$ 1,411,579)$ of this sum. Funds for the support of students at the University of Leipsic amounted to 146,414 M. ( $\$ 34,926$ ), at the Polytechnikum $16,987 \mathrm{M} .(\$ 4,043)$, and of students of the higher industrial schools $8,125 \mathrm{M} .(\$ 1,934)$. Pensions to teachers of secondary schools and their widows and orphans amounted to 162,929 M. ( $\$ 38,777$ ).
Saxe-Weimar.-The following statistics are taken from the official report on education in the year 1883-'84.
Superior instruction.-The university of Jena had 8 professors and Prirat docenten in the theological faculty, 10 in the law, 14 in the medical, and 39 in the philosophical, a total of 71. Of these, 34 were professors, 9 honorary professors, 19 professors extraordinary, and 9 were Privat docenten. There were 566 students, of whom 108 were in the theological faculty, 88 were in the law, 142 in the medical, and 228 in the philosophical. There were also 21 hearers. In 1883 the expenditures amounted to $355,014.18 \mathrm{M}$., and the income to $73,441.38 \mathrm{M}$., leaving $281,572.90 \mathrm{M}$. ( $\$ 67,014$ ) to be provided from the state treasuries. Funds to aid students amounted to $11,305 \mathrm{M}$. $(\$ 2,691)$ in 1883.
Secondary instruction.-There aro three Gymnasien in Saxe-Weimar, viz, one at Weimar, one at Eisenach, and one at Jena. These institutions had 44 teachers of all kinds, and 798 students at the end of the year 1883-'84. The expenditures for the Gymnasien amounted to $137,049 \mathrm{M}$. ( $\$ 32,618$ ) in 1883 , of which $66,746 \mathrm{M}$. $(\$ 15,885)$ were paid from the state treasury. The tuition fee amounts to 72 M . a jear in each class. There were 60 free students' places in the three institutions, and funds for the aid of poor students amounted to 10,692 M. ( $(\$ 2,544)$ in 1883-'84. The two Realschulen had 28 teachers and 441 students at the beginning of the school year 1883-84, and 420 at the end. The expenditures were $81,116 \mathrm{M}$. $(\$ 19,306)$ in 1883 , of which the state treasury paid 35,029 M. ( $\$ 8,337$ ). Funds to aid students amounted to $3,019 \mathrm{M}$. (\$718) in 1883-84.

The two higher citizens' schools (without Latin) had 17 teachers and 218 students in 1883-'84, and $37,355 \mathrm{M}$. $(\$ 8,890)$ were expended for their support in 1883 , of which the state treasury paid $15,123 \mathrm{M}$. $(\$ 3,600)$. The two teachers' seminaries had 35 teachers of all kinds and 310 students at the end of $1883-84$, and their expenses were $48,371 \mathrm{Mr}$. ( $\$ 11,512$ ). The students were aided from a fund of $8,263 \mathrm{MI}$.

Primary instruction.-There were 454 schools in 1883-'84, with 771 male and 13 female teachers, and 51,719 pupils. Instruction in female handwork was given to 15,781 girls, and there were 4,302 pupils in the adranced or review schools. In 1883 the total expenditure for elementary schools was 333,692 M. ( $\$ 79,419$ ). For pensions and waitiug pay of teachers $98,018 \mathrm{M}$. ( $\$ 23,328$ ) were expended, and for pensions of widows and orphans of teachers $38,357 \mathrm{M}$. ( $\$ 9,129$ ). The institution for the deaf, dumb, and blind at Weimar had 9 teachers besides the director, and 51 pupils ( 34 male and 17 female), in 1883-'84. The expenses were $23,132 \mathrm{M}$. ( $\$ 5,425$ ), of which $12,772 \mathrm{M}$. ( $\$ 3,041$ ) were paid by the state treasury. The orphan asylum at Weimar had 1,816 inmates in 1883. The expenses were $89,162 \mathrm{M}$. The Falk Institute for abandoned or unprotected children, established in 1829, had 20 pupils in 1883-'84. The expenses of the institution were 7,158 M. (\$1,705).

Würtemberg. -The following statistics of education for 1883-'84 are taken from the official "Statistik des Unterrichts- und Erziehungs-Wesens im Königreich Würtemberg."

Superior instruction.-The Royal University of Tübingen had 102 professors and Prirat docenten in the year 1883-'84, and 8 teachers of modern languages, art, and gymnastics. The teachers were divided among the different faculties as follows: Fifteen in the Evangelical theological faculty, 13 in the Roman Catholic, 7 in the law, 22 in the medical, 19 in the philosophical, 11 in the political science, and 15 in the natural science. The students numbered 1,217 in the winter of $1883-84$, and 1,417 in the summer of 1884. In the latter semester 424 were in the Evangelical theological faculty, 153 in the Catholic, 202 in the law, 224 in the medical, 143 in the philosophical, 205 in the faculty of political sciences, and 66 in that of the natural sciences (aside from those attending the lectures of the medical faculty). The expenses of the aniversity were $758,409 \mathrm{M}$. ( $\$ 175,641$ ) in 1883-'84, and the income was $86,353 \mathrm{M}$. ( $\$ 20,552$ ), leaving a balance of $652,056 \mathrm{M}$. ( $\$ 156,089$ ) to be paid by the state treasury. There were 54 foundations in 1884, with endowments amounting to $2,675,364 \mathrm{M}$. ( $\$ 636,536$ ). The academy of agriculture at Hohenheim had 21 professors of all grades and 86 students in 1883-'84. The reterinary school at Stuttgart had 14 teachers and 55 students; the school of viticulture at Weinsberg had 15 pupils, the 3 farm schools at Ellwangen, Ochsenhausen, and Kirchberg had 36 pupils; 5 agricultural (farm) winter schools had an attendance of 89, and there were 906 advanced agricultural (farm) schools and institutions where similar instruction was given, with an attendance of 20,867 persons.

Technical and art instruction.-The Polytechnikum in Stuttgart had 58 professors and assistants of all kinds, and there were 344 students in the winter of 1883-84 and 255 in the summer of 1884. The Royal School for Builders had 33 teachers and 308 students in the winter of $1883-' 84$, and 89 in the following summer. The advanced commercial and industrial schools numbered 158, and had 778 teachers and 14,640 scholars, $4,488^{\circ}$ of whom were females. The art school at Stuttgart had 12 teachers of all kinds and 90 students in the winter of 1883-'84, and 79 in the summer. The Conservatory of Music at Stuttgart had 610 students and 45 teachers.

The expenditures of the Polytechnikum were $267,486 \mathrm{M}$. ( $\$ 63,662$ ), and the appropriation from the state treasury was $236,127 \mathrm{M}$. $(\$ 56,198)$. The state appropriation for the royal building school was $121,036 \mathrm{M}$. (\$28,806), and the running expenses were $135,220 \mathrm{MI}$. (\$32,182).
Secondary instruction.-There were 92 public schools for secondary instruction (Geehrtenschulen) in January, 1885. These consisted of 4 theological seminaries (Evangelical), 12 Gymnasien, 8 Lyceen, and 68 lower Latin schools. They had 418 teachers' positions and 8,927 students. The public Realschulen nambered 74 in January, 1885,
with 277 teachers' positions and 7,093 students. There were 18 elementary schools, so called (preparatory to the secondary schools), with 59 teachers and 2,460 scholars in 1835. The seminary for teachers of secondary schools for girls in Stuttgart had 13 male and 2 female teachers, and 25 young women as seminarists, or'regular students, and 13 as extraordinary students. In December, 1884, there were 9 public secondary schools for girls, with 58 male and 48 female teachers, and 1,804 pupils. Private institutions with 15 male and 12 female teachers and 592 students, and the Katharinenstift and Olgastift, bring the totals up to 110 male and 102 female teachers, and 3,523 students of this grade of instraction.

Primary instruction.-The number of teachers' positions in January, 1885, was 4,332, with salaries ranging from 900 M . to $2,000 \mathrm{M}$. and over ( $\$ 214$ to $\$ 476$ ). Of these, 1,825 were males who were in receipt of increased pay for length of service (over 40 years of age), 45 were females receiving increased pay for the same reason (over 30 years of age), and 18 were head teachers in teachers' seminaries receiving similar pay (over 40 years of age). The disbursements of the treasury on this account were $335,660 \mathrm{M}$. ( $\$ 79,887$ ). The increase was 100,140 , and 200 marks for male teachers who had passed their fortieth, forty-fifth, and fiftieth years, respectively, 100, 125, and 150 marks for women of 30,35 , and 40 years, and from 200 to 600 marks for the head teachers between 40 and 60 years. There were 317,142 children in the different primary schools. The three orphan asylums had 663 pupils, and the institution for the deaf and dumb at Gmuind had 6 teachers and 56 scholars (internes) in 1884-'85.

The free cities: Bremen.-The number of schools in the Landgebiet is 25, and in 1883-'84 the attendance was 5,367, with 100 teachers, besides 22 female teachers of handwork. The fund for the aid of widows and orphans of teachers amounted to 24,465 M. in 1883-'84. In Vegesack there were 162 males and 78 females in the secondary schools, and 250 boys and 253 girls in the primary school in 1884 . The fund for the aid of the widows and orphans of teachers, which was started in 1869 by the teachers of the Realschule, amounted to $12,872 \mathrm{M}$. in 1884 . In Bremerhaven there were 382 male and 360 female students in the secondary schools, and 981 boys and 972 girls in the primary schools, in April, 1884. The relief fund for widows and orphans amounted to $22,778 \mathrm{M}$. in 188.

Lubeck. -The total attendance of the different grades of schools in 1884-85 was 12,492 , of which number 10,182 attended the public and 2,310 the private schools. In the city of Lubeck and its suburbs the secondary scheols, with their preparatory schools and industrial schools, and the navigation school, had 1,256 students; in the public elementary schools there were 5,073 children ( 2,751 boys and 2,322 girls), and in the church, poor, and other schools there were 1,863 children ( 976 boys and 887 girls). The private schools of all grades and kinds had 2,200 pupils. In Travemuinde there were one private and two public schools, with 403 pupils, and in the other districts there were 1,697 pupils ( 855 bojs and 842 girls). The city appropriation for school purposes in $1884-85$ was $337,380 \mathrm{M}$. ( $\$ 80,296$ ).

The city library loaned 4,783 volumes in 1884 , including 828 on German literature, 769 historical works, 689 theological, 503 on classical philology and archæology, 429 relating to Lubeck, 282 on natural sciences, 270 on music, 250 on modern languages, 163 general works, 152 on art, 132 on geography and travels, 122 on law, 74 on pedagogics, 58 on philosophy, 27 on mathematics, 19 manuscripts, 10 on medicine, and 6 antiques. The number of volumes consulted in the reading room was nearly double the number loaned.

Hamburg: Secondary instruction.-In 1884-'85 there were, besides the directors, 29 teachers, 5 candidates, and 542 students in the Johanneum. The Wilhelm Gymnasium had 16 teachers and 1 candidate, besides the director, and 310 students. The Realgymnasium (the preparatory school included) had 34 teachers and 2 candidates, besides the director, and 852 students ( 270 preparatory). The higher burgher school had 23 teachers (including the preparatory school) and 734 scholars ( 293 of whom were iu the preparatory school); and one other school, 8 teachers in all and 119 scholars. There
were 139 private and semi-public schools, with 20,470 pupils, and 531 male and 604 female teachers.
Primary instruction.-The teachers' seminary, or normal school, had 103 students. There were 35 graduates in March, 1885 ; the preparatory school had 103 pupils in 1885. The normal school for females had 67 students, of whom 33 graduated in March, 1885; the preparatory school had 89 pupils. The relief fund for the seminary for males amounted to $15,336 \mathrm{M}$., and for females to $8,480 \mathrm{M}$., in 1885 . The public elementary schools numbered 68 , with 655 male and 315 female teachers, and 42,094 pupils ( 21,295 boys and 20,799 girls).
Teachers' salaries.-The salaries of the head teachers ranged from 4,400 to 3,000 marks ( $\$ 1,047$ to $\$ 714$ ), besides an allowance of 750 M . ( $\$ 178$ ) for rent; of teachers of the first grade, from 3,250 to 2,250 marks ( $\$ 773$ to $\$ 535$ ), and the rest ranged from the last figure down to $1,000 \mathrm{M}$. ( $\$ 238$ ). The salaries of female teachers ranged from 1,800 to 800 marks ( $\$ 428$ to $\$ 190$ ).

The orphen asylum had 315 children in its schools; the institute for the deaf and dumb 79 ( 44 boys and 35 girls), and the blind asylum 15. There were 47 schools in the country district, with 6,926 pupils, and 116 male and 23 female teachers, and the expenditures for these schools amounted to $392,087 \mathrm{MI}$. ( $\$ 93,317$ ). The industrial school had 12 teachers and $63 \%$ students, and the evening and Sunday schools were attended by 2,007 persons. The school for builders had 170 pupils.

Great Britain and Ireland, constitutional monarchy: area, 120,832 square miles ; population (1884), $35,951,855 .^{\circ}$ a. England and Wales: population (1884), 27,132,440. Capital, London: population, 4,766,661.
The following information is derived from the Report of the Committee of Council on Education (England and Wales), 1884-' 85 , signed by Lord Carlingford and A. J. Mundella.
Day schools.-For the year ending August 31, 1884, the number of aided day schools in England and Wales visited by the inspectors was 18,761, containing 27,958 departments under separate head teachers, aided by a large number of assistants; the schools furnished accommodation for $4,826,738$ scholars.

The number on the registers was $4,337,321$; the average daily attendance $3,273,124$. The number of scholars qualified by attendance for examination was, in infant schools and classes, $1,069,050$; in schools and classes for older scholars, 2,546,004.
The number of older scholars presented for examination in standards i-vii was $2,342,521$, of whom $1,534,629$ passed the prescribed test without failure in any one of the three subjects (reading, writing, and arithmetic).
While the increase of the population during the year is estimated at 1.35 per cent., the school accommodation has increased by 3.35 per cent., enrollment by 1.5 per cent., and average attendance by 4.67 per cent. The local effort which has resulted in this improvement may be measured by the continued support derived from voluntary contributions ( $734,128 l$ ), and by an advance in the contributions from rates to the maintenance of board schools from $840,947 l$ to $915,474 l$.
The school pence have risen from 1,659,743l to 1,734,115l.
The annual gevernment grants to elementary day schools rose in the year from $2,522,541 l$ to $2,722,351 l$, or from $1681 \frac{1}{4} d$ to $16 s 7 \frac{1}{2} d$ per scholar in average attendance.
Night schools.-Number examined, 847; average attendance of scholars above 12 years of age, 24,434.
Training colleges.-The 41 training colleges from which the supply of certificated teachers is mainly recruited were attended in 1884 by 3,214 students.
School accommodation, enrollment, and attendance.-On the usual assumption that school seats should be provided for one-sixth of the total population, the returns ought to show a provision of $4,522,075$ school places. The actual supply is somewhat in excess of this number; but it is not evenly distributed throughout the country, so that in several counties the number of seats may not be equal to one-sixth the present population. If the supply of seats is, on the whole, somewhat in excess of the

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required number, the attendance of scholars falls lamentably short of it. This may be seen from the fact that while, with the present population, there might be $5,426,490(1 \mathrm{in} 5)$ on the registers, and $4,522,075$ ( 1 in 6 ) in average daily attendance, the returns show only $4,337,321$ children on the registers, and $3,273,124$ in attendance. In other words, for every 100 children of schoul age, for whom some 89 school seats have been provided, there are only 80 scholars on the registers, and 60 in daily attendance.

Standards of pass examinations.-The following table shows for each standard (a) the number of scholars examined in the standard, and (b) the number above 10 jears of age examined.

|  | Standard. | (a.) | (b.) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| I. |  | 519, 863 | 60, 245 |
| II. |  | 574, 242 | 158, 392 |
| III. |  | 516, 074 | 303, 701 |
| IV. |  | 407, 137 | 398,850 |
| V |  | 221, 491 | 221, 270 |
| VI |  | 83, 270 | 83, 264 |
| VII |  | 20,444 | 20,444 |

As a general rule, it may be observed that a child of 10 should be able to pass the standard iv.
It thus appears that whereas, out of $2,342,521$ scholars examined, as many as $1,246,172$ are over 10 years of age and ought to have been presented in standards ivvii, only 723,834 were so pressented, while 522,338 (or 41.92 per cent.) were presented in standards suited for children of seven, eight, and nine years of age.

There has, however, been a gradual improvement in this respect, which is due partly to the more regular attendance and increased proficiency of the children between five and ten years of age, and partly to the greater attention paid by teachers to the progress of individual scholars.

Examination of the school returns shows that the education of many children of 10 years of age and upwards is discontinued as soon as, by passing the prescribed standard, they are freed from the obligation to attend school, and become entitled to go to work. Out of 374,336 children presented in standard iv (the exemption standard) in 1883, as many as 152,845 disappeared from the schools in 1884 ; while the 202,713 scholars in standard $v$, of 1883 , fell in the year to 82,270 , and the 77,850 scholars in standard vi to 20,444 .

## THE GOVERNMENT GRANT.

Elementary schools that fulfill certain specified conditions and are accepted by the Department as efficient, participate in the government grant. The annual grant is made up of several grants distributed as follows: ${ }^{1}$

## I.-Infant schools or classes.

(a) A fixed grant amounting (1) to $9 s$, if the scholars are taught as a separate department, under a certificated teacher of their own, or as a classunder a teacher not less than eighteen years old, approved by the inspector; in order that this grant may be made, the scholars must be taught in a room properly constructed and furnished for the instruction of infants; (2) to 78, where the above conditions are not satisfied.

In order that either of these grants be made, the scholars must be taught as befits their age, and so as not to interfere with the instruction of the older children. Only one infant class will be recognized in any department.
(b) A merit grant of $2 s, 4 s$, or $6 s$, if the inspector reports the schools or classes to be fair, good, or excellent, allowing for the special circumstances of the case, and having regard to the provision made for (1) suitable instruction in the elementary subjects,
(2) simple lessons on objects and on the phenomena of nature and of common life, and
(3) appropriate and varied occupations.

1 No merit grant is made unless the report on the instruction in the elementary subjects is satisfactory.
( (c) A grant for needle-work of 18 , if the scholars are satisfactorily taught needlework according to the schedule. This grant is calculated on the average attendance of girls only, unless the boys are taught needle-work.
(d) A grant for singing, amounting (1) to 18 , if the scholars are satisfactorily taught to sing by note, i. e., by the standard or any other recognized notation; (2) to 6d, if they are satisfactorily taught to sing by ear.

## II.-Schools for older scholars.

(a) A fixed grant amounting to $486 d$.
(b) A merit grant amounting to $18,2 s$, or $3 s$, if the inspector, allowing for the special circumstances of the case, reports the school to be fair, good, or excellent, in respect of (1) the organization and discipline; (2) the intelligence employed in instruction; and (3) the general quality of the work, especially in the elementary subjects.
(c) A grant for needle-work, amounting to $1 s$ if the girls are satisfactorily taught needle-work according to the schedule. This grant is calculated on the average attendance of girls only.
(d) A grant for singing, amounting (1) to $1 s$ if the scholars are satisfactorily taught to sing by note, i. e., by the standard or any other recognized notation; or (2) to 6d, if they are satisfactorily taught to sing by ear.
(e) A grant on examination in the elementary subjects, determined by the inspector's report of the percentage of passes in the examination, at the rate of $1 d$ for every unit of percentage.

All scholars whose names are on the registers of the school must, as a rule, be present at the inspection, unless there is a reasonable excuse for their absence.
: All scholars present whose names have, at the end of the school year, been on the registers for the last 22 weeks that the school has been open, must, as a rule, be presented to the inspector for examination.

All scholars so presented must be examined in the three elementary subjects according to one of the standards set forth in the schedule, unless the managers satisfy the inspector that there is a reasonable excuse for withholding them from the examination.
(f) A grant on examination in class subjects, amounting to $1 s$ or $2 s$ for each subject, if the inspector's report on the examination is fair or good. ${ }^{1}$
(g) A grant on the inspector's report of the examination of individual scholars in specific subjects, ${ }^{2}$ amounting to $4 s$ for each scholar passing in any subject.

## III.-Evening schools.

(a) A fixed grant amounting (1) to $4 s$, if the school has met not less than 45 nor more than 60 times since the last examination; (2) to $6 s$, if the school has met more than 60 times since the last examination.
(b) A grant on the inspector's report of the examination of individual scholars in any of the elementary or additional (i.e., class or specific) subjects, amounting to 2s for each scholar passing in each subject. This grant is not calculated on the average attendance.

[^38]The following are rules of examination:
No scholar may be presented for examination who has not attended the school for eight weeks, and made at least 24 attendauces since the last examination.
No scholar may be presented for examination in a standard lower than the third.
No scholar may be presented for examination in any subject for the teaching of which provision is not made in the time table of the school.
No scholar may be presented for examination in the additional subjects alone.

## IV.-Training colleges.

There are placed to the credit of each college grants of $100 l$ for every master, and of $70 l$ for every mistress, who, having been trained in such college as a queen's scholar during two years, (a) completes the prescribed period of probation, and receives a certificate as a teacher in a public elementary school, or in a training college; or (b) is reported by the proper department in each case to have completed a like period of good service as an elementary teacher in the army or navy, or (within Great Britain) in poor law schools, certified industrial or day industrial schools, or certified reformatories. ${ }^{\circ}$
Teachers who have been trained for one year only may obtain certificates after probation, or may be reported by the proper department, upon the same terms as others; and grants, of half the amounts mentioned above, may be placed to the credit of the colleges in which they were trained, under special conditions.

By the regulations cf the code under which the grants for the past year have been administered, those made on account of the scholars depend upon the average attendance to a much greater extent than formerly.

## average earnangs and amount of grants for 1884.

## Infant schools.

The average earnings per head of "number for payment" were as follows:


## Schools and classes for older scholars.

The average earnings per head of the average number in attendance for payment were as follows:
Under the fixed grant................................................................... $4_{4}^{\text {s. }} \frac{d}{6}$
Under the merit grant................................................................. 1101
Under the needle-work grant.......................................................... 0 . $2 \frac{1}{2}$
Under the singing grant................................................................ 0 . $8 \frac{1}{4}$
Under the grant for examination in elementary subjects....................... 611
Under the grant for examination in first-class subjects ........................ 1 . 6
Under the grant for examination in second-class subjects...................... 1 . 1
Under the grant for examination in specific subjects and cookery............ 0 . $1 \frac{1}{4}$
Total............................................................................ 17 21
The grants claimed by the managers of infant schools and schools and classes for older scholars, in respect of the fixed grant, merit grant, grants for needle-work and singing, and for passes in elementary and class subjects, amounted to $2,661,796 l 148$. The amount claimed on examination in specific subjects and for cookery was $13,245 l$ 13: $10 \pi$.

The extent to which class and specitic subjects are taught is indicated by the fact that grants for elass subjects were allowed in 18,483 schools, and that out of 325,205 scholars eligible for examination in specitic subjects, 66,634 , or 20.49 per cent., were presented for examination. Of these, 26,369 were in the London school board district.
Miscellaneous.-Cookery was taught in 541 schools, or in 121 more schools than in 1833, and military drill was systematically taught to the boys attending 1,165 day schools. Sarings banls hare been established in 1,979 schools, and school libraries in 3,222 .

## the training colleges.

The training colleges under inspection in England and Wales, which have been established at a cost of $114,483 l 5 s 3 d$ to the public purse, and of some $520,272 l 3 s 2 \frac{1}{2} d$ to the promoters, prorided accommodation for 3,383 students, and 3,234 are in residence. These colleges can, therefore, at present furnish a yearly supply of some 1,500 teachers who have been trained for two years. This supply would be of itself sufficient to fill up the waste (calculated at 6 per cent.) in a staff of 25,000 teachers. Looking at the number of duly qualitied persons who jearly enter the profession through other recognized channels, and to the probable effect of recent changes in the code, in attracting a superior class of teachers from the universities, and in improring the education of the uncertificated assistant teachers employed by school boards, the committee see no reason to doubt that, even taking into account the extent to which certificated assistants are now being employed in large schools that have been established during the last few years, the supply of teachers trained in the existing colleges, and in others that will shortly claim annual grants, will be found sufficient to meet the requirements of the country.-Report of the Education Committee.

A considerable number of teachers who have not passed through the training colleges will always be required for serrice in the small schools throughout the country, as the salaries which the graduates of the training colleges can command are beyond the means of the managers of a large number of small schools.

The average salary of a certificated master, which in $18 \% 0$ was $95 l 1289 d$, is now $11973 s 6 d$; that of a school mistress was $5 \pi l 16 s 5 d$ in 1870 , and is now $72 l 4 s 2 d$. In addition to their other emoluments, 6,202 out of 15,243 masters, and 5,436 out of 22,434 mistresses, are provided with residences free of rent ; these arerages are calculated upon the whole of the certificated teachers, whether prineipal or assistant.

The proportion of female teachers in elementary schools steadily increases.
With the view of encouraging the study of scientific subjects in training colleges, it has of late years been arranged that success in the examinations in science, held by the Science and Art Department, should be taken into account in determining the students' places in the class list of candidates for certificates as teachers of public schools.

At the Christmas examinations 1,379 students presented themselves in one or more branches of science. The authorities of several colleges have introduced the principles of agricnlture into the course of training for their students. Languages (ancient and modern) now enter into the course of study in all the training colleges for masters, and in several of those for mistresses, and drawing is very generally pursued by those intending to become teachers.

Pensions.-During the year ending Michaelmas, 1884, the department has allowed 13 pensions of $30 l$ each, 107 of $25 l$ each, and 79 of $20 l$ each, together with 12 gratuities amounting to 400l. At the date mentioned there were 270 teachers in England and Scotland to whom pensions had been granted. The full number of pensions allowed has therefore been filled up.
Income and expenditure.-The total income (England and Wales) for the jear ending August 31, 1884, was $6.121,5387$, and the total cost of maintenance was $6,131,88 \% 7$. The cost of maintenance per child in average attendance was, in board schools, $2 l 18$ $8 \frac{1}{2} d$; in voluntary schools $1 l$ 15s $2 d$.

School accommodation, enrollment, and attendance.-The chairman of the London School Board, Mr. E. N. Buxton, in his annual statementfor the jear ending November, 1885, called attention to the fact that by the end of November the accommodation would have reached 631,357 places, to meet an estimated requirement of 667,637 . He observes that although the Education Department, in its report just issued, mentions "the necessity of further increasing the present provision" in London, it will be seen that the efforts which have been made to reduce the arrears have been so far successful that the next board will have a comparatively easy task to bring the supply level with the demand.
He urges that in future, in the endeavor to anticipate the demands of the growing population, sites should be acquired large enough to provide adequate playgrounds. There is a growing desire for open spaces for the children, and no complaints have been made that the playgrounds are too large. As a matter of fact their area is, on an average, less than half an acre to each school.
According to the report of the by-laws committee, the average enrollment in effcient elementary schools at midsummer, 1885, was, in board schools, 346,140 ; in voluntary schools, 211,711; or a total of 557,851 .
The average attendance was, in board schools, 290,099; in voluntary schools, 168,712 ; or a total of 458,811 .
With reference to the foregoing statistics Mr. Buxton says: "To summarize the statistics of school provision and attendance, and to compare them with those of the rest of the country, I may mention that whereas in the latter for every 100 children of school age there are 89 school seats, 80 scholars on the registers, and 60 in daily attendance, in London for every 100 children of school age 80.8 school seats have been provided, and we have 77.4 on the registers, and 60 in daily attendance."

School fees.-The fees charged in the schools average $2 s 2 d$ per weels, and the total sum collected last year was $107,866 l$. The arrears of fees, which three years ago were 1.77 per cent. of the whole sum collected, have now reached the startling figure of 7.85 per cent.

This evil is the constant subject of attention on the part of the woard, but as yet no effectual remedy has been devised. The proposal to make the schools free has been three times formally debated by the board, with the following results:
On the first occasion a motion in favor of free schools was defeated by twenty-two to thirteen; later, on a motion for establishing experimental free board schools, the previous question was carried by twenty-six to twelve; and on the last occasion a motion similar to the first was defeated by nineteen to eighteen votes.
Administrative changes.-The most important administrative changes effected by the present board are the payment of teachers by fixed monthly salaries in lieu of part payment by grant, and the instruction of pupil-teachers in central classes. The former has proved not only a great practical convenience to the teachers, but, by discouraging the race for mere mechanical results, is the most practical safeguard against over-pressure which it lay in the power of the board to provide.

Teachers.-In the service of the board there are 5,511 adult teachers and 1,668 pupil teachers and candidates. The policy of substituting in part adult for pupil teachers, i. e., of skilled for unskilled teaching, has been deliberately adopted by the board to economize the time and strength of the children and to avoid overstrain. The average salary of a certificated male teacher under the London Board is $143 l 1685 d$, and of a certificated female $112 l 6 s 11 d$; whereas in the rest of the country they are $119 l$ and 721 , respectively. This is partly accounted for by the higher cost of living in London, which also compels managers of voluntary schools to pay higher salaries in London than in the country, and by the fact that the board does not provide teachers with houses; but after making these allowances the salaries are found to be somerrbat higher than the average. This has been done for the arowed purpose of attracting the best workers in the service to cope with the excentional difficultics of London.

Passes in the three " $R$ 's." - Each triennial period has slown an improvement in the success with which the children are taught the three primary subjects. The appended table, taken from the latest report of the school management committee under each board, and referring to schools which bad been examined for a complete jear's work, exhibits the progressive percentage of passes:

|  | 1873. | 1876. | 1879. | 1882. | 1885. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Reading. | 87.9 | 87.1 | 82.2 | 92.1 | 95.1 |
| Writing. | 83.3 | 83.7 | 84.7 | 90.0 | 89.2 |
| Arithmetic. | 76.8 | 77.9 | 80.0 | 85.4 | 87.4 |

At the same time each triennial period shows a steady growth in the number of children in the higher standards.
The board employs special examiners or instructors in needle-work, singing, drawing, and certain other special subjects, from whose reports the following information is derived.

As regards music, the substantial progress and excellent condition of the schoois in general is evidenced by the fact that few departments failed during the half rear ending September 25,1885 , to obtain the full grant. The instructors in drill for boys and physical exercise for girls report steady progress.
During the half-rear instruction in cookery has been given with marked success in 42 centers and class-rooms. Improvement is noticed in the arerage quality of needlework presented for inspection.

Cost of maintenance.-The expenditure per child in average attendance has increased from $2 l 16 s 4 d$ in 1882 , to $3 l 0 s 3 d$ in 1885 , and the estimate for the current sear is $3 l 181 d$.

Technical education.-In accordance with the suggestion of the special committee on technical education, the board has agreed that an experiment should be tried in imitation of what is called the slojd system of handicraft, in usein Sweden. The srstem consists of instruction in the use of certain simple tools, and the making of a number of useful articles in wood, by the children, under the eye of the instructor.

Industrial schools.-Under the head of industrial schools Mr. Buston says that the striking diminution of jurenile crime in recent jears, amounting almost to a social revolution, is due to the fact that throughout the country presentive measures have to a great extent anticipated punishment. A large portion of London childreu formerly led their aimless lires in the streets or squalid rooms, because no pressure could be used to subject them to the discipline of schools, and the schools thus created necessarily recruited the ranks of criminals. It is now but a small percentage who hare the chance to learn the first steps of waywardness and irregularity.

While previous to 1870 much progress had been made and experience gained in the establishment of industrial schools, the roluntary agencies were insufficient to discorer and to cope with all the cases of children in danger of falling into evil courses. The ground is now completely covered in London by the industrial school offcers, and it is dificult for such children to escape their obserration for any length of time. During the last three Jears the industrial committee has inquired into 5,834 cases laid before them by the officers, and of these, 1,448 hare been sent to industrial schools under roluntary management, and 981 to board industrial schools.
b. Scotlard : population $3,866,521$. Capital, Edinburgh: population, 236,002.

The following information is compiled from the Report of the Committee of Council on Education in Scotland for the year ending September 30, 1884, signed by Lord Carlingford and Mr. Mundella.
Day schools.-Number of das schools inspected, 3,131, containing 3,435 departments under separate head teachers aided by a large number of assistants and pupil

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teachers; accommodation for 655, 672 scholars; enrolled, 587,945; average daily attendance, 448,242 ; present on the day of the inspectors' visits to their respective schools, 518,844 ; qualified by attendance for examination, 443,741 ; presented for examination, 404,575, viz : 59,282 (under7 years of age) for collective, and 345,293 (7 and over) for individual examination ; of these last, 270,092 passed the prescribed test without failure in anj one of the three essential subjects (reading, writing, and arithmetic).

In the year covered by this report the accommodation has increased by 21,971 school places ; the scholars on the registers by 18,704; those present at inspection by 20,330 ; and the average attendance by 15,105 ; while the number of children individually examined has increased by 14,587 (or 4.41 per cent.).

The local effort which has resulted in this improvement may be measured by the continued support derived from voluntary subscriptions ( $28,517 l$ ), and by the contributions from rates to the maintenance of public schools, which have increased during the past year from 196,7087 to 211,989 l. The school pence have increased in the year by some $12,690 l$, and amounted to $289,112 l$.

The annual government grants to elementary day schools rose in the year from $384,042 l$ to $402,791 l$. The rate per scholar in average attendance has increased from $17 s 8 \frac{1}{2} d$ to $17 s 11 \frac{1}{2} d$.

Night schools.-Number examined, 193; average attendance of scholars above 12 years of age, 9,879 .
Training colleges.-The seven traiuing colleges from which the supply of certificated teachers is mainly recruited, were attended in 1884 by 851 students.

School accommodation, enrollment, and attendance.-On the usual assumption that seats should be furnished for one-sixth of the total population, the returns ought to show a provision of 642,701 school places.
The actual supply is somewhat in excess of this; but it is not evenly distributed throughout the country, and in several counties the seats are not equal in number to one-sisth of the population. This occurs either where that extent of accommodation is not called for, the inhabitants of the upper classes being in excess of the normal oneseventh, or where, as in one or two large towns, the wants of the population have not yet been fully met by the efforts of the school boards.
If the supply of seats is equal to the requirement, the attendance of scholars falls lamentably short of it.
This may be seen from the fact that while, with the present population, there might be 771,241 ( 1 in 5 ) on the registers, and 642,701 ( 1 in 6 ) in average daily attendance, the returns show only 587,945 children on the registers, and 448,242 in attendance.
In other words, for every 100 children of school age, for whom some 85 schools seats have been provided, there are only 76 scholars on the registers, and 58 in daily attendance.
Standards of instruction.-The following table shows for each standard, (a) the age at which the standard ought to be passed; (b) the number of scholars of that age on the registers of aided schools; (c) the number of scholars examined in the standard; and (d) the number above 10 years of age examined:

|  | Standards. | (a) | (b) | (c) | (d) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | 7 | 79,099 | 75, 578 | 4,055 |
| II. |  | 8 | 79,648 | 72, 984 | 12, 032 |
| III. |  | 9 | 76, 891 | 68, 640 | 29, 964 |
| IV |  | 10 | 73, 632 | 60,978 | 57, 697 |
| V |  | 11 | 67, 123 | 46, 636 | 46,552 |
| VI |  | 12 | 50,322 | 20,477 | 20, 476 |

It thus appears that whereas, out of 345,293 scholars examined, as many as 170,776 , being over 10 years of age, ought to have been presented in standards ir-vi, only 124,725 (or 73.03 per cent.) were so presented, while the remaining 46,051 were presented in standards suited for children of 7, 8, and 9 years of age.

The committeo point out that there has been a gradual improvement in this respect, which is beliered to be mainly due to the provision of the code which makes the parment of certain grants depend upon the proportion of scholars examined in the three upper standards. That proportion has risen from 18.77 per cent. in 1875 to 37.10 per cent. in the past year.
Regret is expressed that the education of so many children of 10 jears of age and upwards is discontinued as soon as, by passing the prescribed standard, they are freed from the obligation to attend school, and become entitled to go to work. Out of 58,329 children presented in standard iv in $1 \Sigma 83$, as many as 11,693 disappeared from the schools in 1884; while the 43,823 scholars in standard $v$ of 1883 fell in the year to 20,477.

Subjects beyond the standard examination.-Of 61,429 scholars presented in suljects beyond the standard examination, 4,849 were examined and 3,705 passed, in three such subjects; 36,358 were examined and 26,565 passed, in two such subjects; and 24,191 passed in one subject.

Satisfaction is expressed at the large number of public schools which are taling advantage of the aid offered by the code for the encouragement of higher instruction. Considering the number of new schools which have been started in the last few jears, and the compulsory importation of neglected children into the schools previously established, the fact that in 1,941 out of 3,130 departments (i. e., exclusive of infants, schools) scholars were examined in specific subjects, shows a rate of progress greater than could reasonably have been anticipated.

Miscellaneous.-Military drill was systematically taught to the boys attending 310 schools. Cookery was taught in 40 schools. Sarings banks have been established in 123, and school libraries in 167 schools. In 3,164 departments of schools in which singing is taught, the instruction is given by ear in 1,224 , or 38.69 per cent.

The teaching force.-In the training colleges under inspection, which are recognized as required for 860 students, 856 students are now under instruction. These colleges can, therefore, at present furnish a yearly supply of about 430 teachers who have been trained for two years. This supply, taking into account those who enter the profession through the universities and without passing through a training college, is sufficient to fill up the waste (calculated at 6 per cent.) in a staff of 8,000 teachers, and is probably somewhat in excess of the requirements of Scotland.

The extent to which the training colleges have contribated to the existing supply of certificated teachers in Scotland is shown by the fact that of 3,394 masters employed in schools reported on last jear, 2,137 , or 62.96 per cent., had been trained for two jears; 319, or 9.40 per cent., for one jear; and 75 , or 2.21 per cent., for less than one Jear; while 863 , or 25.43 per cent., were untrained. In like manner, of 2,826 schoolmistresses, 1,917 , or 67.83 per cent., had been trained for two sears; 108, or 3.82 per cent., for one year ; 12, or . 43 per cent., for less than one year; and 789 , or 27.92 per eent., were untrained. Of the teachers, howerer, who, from whatever cause, have not attended a training college, a considerable proportion cannot, except in a technical sense of the word, be classed as untrained, having, under the superintendence of some of the best teachers, satisfactorily completed the pupil-teacher's course, and haring serred as assistants in large schools, before passing the examination for a certificate and undertaking independent charges.

The system of combining attendance at aniversity classes with the efficient course of practical professional training provided by the colleges under inspection was first introduced by the code of 1873 , and is now producing rery satisfactory results. In 1883, 126 students took adrantage of this arrangement, many of whom passed with great credit the examination for certificates held last Christmas.

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All the training colleges for masters are now availing themselves of this provision of the code.
With the vierr of encouraging the study of scientific subjects in training colleges, the syllabus has of late years provided that success in the examinations in science, held by the Science and Art Department, should be taken into account in determining the students' places in the class list of candidates for certificates as teachers of public schools.
Languages now enter into the course of study in all the training colleges, both for masters and mistresses.
Drawing is very generally pursued by students of the training colleges.
A considerable number of teachers who have not passed through the training colleges will always be required for service, as the salaries commanded by the graduates of these colleges are beyond the means of the managers of many small schools throughout the country.
The average salary of a certificated master, which in 1870 was $101 l$ 16s $7 d$, is now $134 l 16 s 8 d$; that of a schoolmistress was $55 l 14 s 2 d$ in 1870 , and is now $66 l 6 s 6 d$. These averages are calculated upon the whole body of certificated teachers, whether principal or assistant. In addition to their other emoluments, 1,819 out of 3,379 masters, and 471 out of 2,802 mistresses, are provided with residences free of rent.
Pensions.-During the year the Department has awarded 4 pensions of $30 l, 11$ of $25 l$, 6 of $20 l$, and one gratuity to the amount of $30 l$.
Income and expenditure.-The total income for the year was $942,376 l$, and the total cost of maintenance $938,923 l$. The cost of maintenance per child in average attendance was, in public schools, $272 s 8 d$; in voluntary schools, $1 l 16 s 11 d$.
c. Ireland : Population (census of 1881),5,174,836. Capital, Dublin : population (census of 1881), 249,602.

The system of national education in Ireland is under the control of commissioners, who are authorized to grant aid to the following classes of schools: 1st, rested schools, of which there are two sorts, namely, (a) those vested in the commissioners, and (b) those vested in trustees for the purpose of being maintained as national schools; 2d, non-vested schools, the property of private individuals. Both these classes of schools are under the control of patrons or local managers.
There are also model schools, of which the commissioners are themselves the patrons, but which are conducted on the same fundamental principles as the ordinary national school. The commissioners encourage industrial instruction in national schools in all suitable cases, and also require that instruction shall be given in plain needlework in all schools in which female teachers are employed. They also award aid (1) toward the payment of teachers, and supply of books and other school requisites; (2) toward building school-houses, and providing suitable fittings and furniture (this aid is given for vested schools only) ; and (3) toward providing residences for teachers of national schools.
The chief objects of model schools are to promote united education, to exhibit to the surrounding schools the most improved methods of literary and scientific instruction, and to educate young persons for the office of teacher. In these schools the commissioners appoint and dismiss the teachers and other officers, regulate the course of instruction, and exercise all the rights of patrons.
The commissioners afford the necessary opportunities for giving religious instruction to the pupils by such pastors or other persons as are approved of by their parents or guardians, and in separate apartments allotted to the purpose.

In addition to the ordinary national schools there are agricultural national schools. These consist of the Albert Model Agricultural National School, Glasnevin, under the exclusive management of the board; the Munster Model Agricultural and Dairy National School, Cork, under the management of the board aided by a local committee; and ordinary national schools, with school farms or gardens attached.
Workhouse schools and schools attached to lunatic asylums are received into con-
nection on condition that they shall be subject to inspection by the commissioners or their officers.

Enrollment, attendance, and accommodation.-From the report of the commissioners it appears that on December 31, 1884, there were 7,83: schools on the operation list. These supplied accommodation for 678,065 pupils, allowing 8 square feet for each pupil. The total enrollment for the year was $1,089,079$; the average daily attendance was 492,928 , being an increase of 25,224 as compared with 1883 . The classification of the 696,130 pupils who made at least one attendance within the last fortnight of the results period was as follows: Infants, 179,808 , or 25.8 per cent. ; classes i-iii, 348,059 , or 50 per cent.; classes iv-vi, inclusive, 168,263 , or 24.2 per cent.

Mixed schools.-The classification of mixed schools as regards teachers and pupils was as shown by the following table:

|  | Number of schools. | Roman Catholic pupils. | Protestant pupils. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Under Roman Catholic teachers exclusively ................ | 2,717 | 343, 704 | 21,510 |
| Under Protestant teachers exclusively | 1,274 | 21, 265 | 128, 106 |
| Under Roman Catholic and Protestant teachers conjointly.. | 81 | 11, 211 | 9,218 |
| Totals | 4,072 | 376, 180 | 158,834 |

Unmixed schools.-Of 3,697 schools, showing an unmixed attendance, 3,016 were in charge of Roman Catholic teachers and attended by 479,013 Roman Catholic pupils, and 681 were in charge of Protestant teachers and attended by 74,727 pupils.

Model schools.-The number of model schools reported is 29, having a total enrollment during the year of 16,243 pupils and an average daily attendance of 8,708 . From the classification table of the pupils of the model schools it appears that 50.6 per cent. of them were in standards iv to vi, inclusive.

Workhouse schools.-The number of workhouse schools in connection with the Department December 31, 1884, was 159, having an enrollment during the year of 12,804 pupils and an average daily attendance of 6,767.

Results examinations.-The total number of schools, including evening schools, examined for results during the year was 7,767. The number of pupils examined was 512,452 , of whom 115,615 were infants. The number passed was 402,198 , of whom 107,329 were infants. The number of pupils examined and passed in extra subjects was as follows: Music, examined, 57,261; passed, 45,196. Drawing, examined, 25, $\mathbf{4 2 7}$; passed, 19,797. Sewing machine and cutting out, examined, 5,769; passed, 4,966. Dairy and poultry management and domestic economy, examined, 255 ; passed, 224. Cookery, examined, 320 ; passed, 308. Other extra subjects, mathematics, physics, language, etc., examined, 23,238; passed, 15,488. The money value of the passes gained in vocal music and drawing was $7,767 l$ 6s $6 d$; for other extra subjects, $4,985 l$.

Comparative viev. -The percentages of passes gained in reading, writing, and arithmetic in Ireland, as compared with England and Wales and with Scotland, are set forth in the following table:

|  | Ireland. | Englandand Wales. | Scotland. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Reading. | 93.5 | 90.8 | 93.1 |
| Writing - | 95.8 | 82.4 | 90.6 |
| Arithmetic | 78.8 | 77.5 | 86.3 |

Agriculture.-The total number of school farms in connection with ordinary national schools on December 31, 1884, was 70. The total number of pupils examined in ag-
riculture in this class of schools was 789, of whom 633 passed in the agricultural programme.

There were also 19 schools having school gardens attached, for the management of which, and for the agricultural knowledge displayed by the pupils, special agricultural fees were granted upon the reports of the district inspectors. The number of pupils examined in the school gardens was 271, of whom 151 passed. There were 52,415 pupils examined in the agricultural class-books by the district inspector in the ordinary national schools at their results examinations, of whom 29,586 passed.

The total number of pupils examined in agriculture during the year 1884 (including the pupils of ordinary agricultural schools and school gardens) was 53,475 , of whom 30,370 gained passes for their proficiency in that branch. These figures show that a larger number of pupils were brought under instruction in agriculture in 1884 than in 1883. The returns show an improvement of 2 per cent. in the answering as compared with that of 1883.
Dairy management.-The results from the establishing of dairy instruction at the agricultural institute have been eminently satisfactory. One session for dairy instruction was held during the year at the Albert farm, Glasnevin, at which 17 pupils attended. The Royal Dublin Society continued its aid by contributing prizes for successful pupils at the examinations which were held at the close of the session. At the Munster agricultural school, Cork, where the facilities for dairy instruction have been increased, 65 pupils attend. It is satisfactory to observe the increasing interest which is taken in this branch of technical instruction. At Cork, the chief butter market of Ireland, a large quantity of butter manufactured by pupils of the school is sold. Inspectors of the market testify to considerable improvement in the quality of the butter received at that market since the establishment of dairy instruction at the Munster agricultural school.

The teaching force.-On December 31, 1884, the commissioners had in their service 7,600 principal teachers and 3,068 assistants, making, in the whole, 10,668 classed tcachers, of whom 3,413 wero trained. In addition there were temporary assistants and work-mistresses to the number of 510 .
The total number of teachers and students trained in the national training colleges was 177. The three training colleges under local management were also in successful operation. The total income of the teaching staff from all sources for the year ending March 31, 1885, amountcd to 782,916l $1887 d$, viz, $625,558 l 10 s 3 d$ from the board; $11,956 l 18 s 6 d$ from the rates ; and $145,401 l 9 s 10 d$ from payments by pupils' subscriptions, and the estimatcd value of free residences, etc. Of the total sum, 20.1 per cent. was locally provided, and 79.9 per cent. was derived from parliamentary funds.
Pcnsions.-The number of teachers connected with the Pension Fund in the year ending December 31, 1884, was 10,181 , and the amount paid in pensions was $14,924 l$ $16 s 1 d$, and in gratuities $8,043 l 18 s 5 d$.
Income and expenditure. -The funds at the disposal of the commissioners for the year ending March 31, 1885, amounted to $841,835 l 4 s 1 d$. The expenditures by the commissioners for the same time, $828,856 \mathrm{l} 17 \mathrm{~s}$.

The following information is derived from the thirty-second report of the Science and Art Department, whose operations embrace the United Kingdom:
Science instruction.-During the year 1884, the schools and classes of elementary science in connection with the Department, irrespective of the training colleges, were attended by 78,336 persons, an increase of 6,282 over the same for 1883 . The number examined was 52,866 ; the number of papers presented (each paper being the examination in a separate branch of science), $\varepsilon 6,910$; passed, 61,734 .
The total amount paid on the result of these examinations was $56,533 l 12 s 3 d$, an increase of over $11,000 l$, as compared with 1883 . In addition to this elementary work, 138 classes were examined in connection with 39 training colleges, the payment in results amounting in the same to 5,1041 . Grants for fitting up laboratories were mado to 14 schools, amounting altogether to $1,353 l 9_{s} 1 d$, while the grants in aid of
tho purchaso of apparatus, diagrams, and examplos amounted for the year to 1,3346 (is 4d.

The aid grantod to local teachers of science classes in the country, to onable them to improve themselves by attending tho elasses and laboratories in institutions in their neighborhood where adraneed instruction in scienco is obtainable, has boen continued aud extended. Special arrangements aro mado at Owen's College, Manchester; Firth College, Sheffield; Mason College, Birmingham; and tho Yorkshiro Collego at Leeds, to enablo the teachers to attend two or moro days a week, and three-fourthes of their fees are defrayed by the Department.

In the Normal School of Scienco and Royal School of Mines, 213 students wero under instruction, aud in the Royal Colloge of Seience, Dublin, 80 students.

Art instruction. - In tho year ending August 31, 1884, the number of elementary day schools examined for drawing undor the regulations of the Scienco and Art Department was 4,506 , or about 24 per cent. of the whole number of inspected schools. In these, 778,830 children and pupil teachers were taught drawing, of whom 508,370 wero presented for examination. The grant on results in theso schools amounted to 33,1291 , au increase of 4,7957 over tho grant in $1882-\subset 3$. Tho grant made to the training colleges on account of examinations in drawing was $1,850 l$, an increase of $604 l$ abovo the same in 1883.

The department also gives aid to art classes, which in 1884 numbered 490, having 23,745 students. For advanced art instruetion there were 188 schools, with 14 branch classes, having in all 37,033 students. The National Art Training Sehool had 721 students, and tho Dublin Motropolitan School of Art 476 .

Tho grand total of persons taught drawing, painting, or modeling through the agency of the department was 851,805, and the total of payments on their account was 59,1237.

During the year the number of visitors to the South Kensington Museum was 903,117 , and to the Bethnal Green Branch 447,330.

The various methods of aiding provincial museums, exhibitions, schools of art, ete., by loans of objects from the central musenm for exhibition, and for studying and copying, have been actively carried on during the past year. The museums thus aidod are 23 in number, and of theso no less than five are now buildings opened in the courso of 1884 .

The efforts bogan in 1883 toward developing and improving the lace-making industry of Ireland wero continued in 1884. Students in the Dublin, Belfast, and Cork schools of art gained awards at tho national competition (1884) for designs for hand-mado lace. Specimens of needle-point lace, mado from improsed desigus composed by members of the communities in convents at Kenmare and Killarney, have been submitted for inspection at the dopartment; and the superiors of both theso convents have stated that the salcs effected during $188 \pm$ almost exhausted their stock, and that the demand for work has been unusual.

Some degreo of interest in tho means which may be adopted for improrement in drawing laco patterns has been manifested by tho foremost of the dealers in Irish lace; but no practical steps have been initiated by them to take advantago of tho aid offered, under the rules of the department, to establish art classes for their designers. Until something of the sort is done, no permanent improvement in design can be looked for in the larger amount of Irish lace on sale. On the other hand, a few of the ladies who have organized lace schools in or near their homes have encouraged one or two students of art schools to composo and draw out new patterns for their workers, and havo purchased some of these designs.

The artistic side of the lace industry in Ireland is not, however, under such active supervision as obtains in France and Belgium. The distinetion between designer and worker is not duly felt. A salient feature in the Irish trado is to fiud a sale for the productions of workers chicfly left to themsclves to devise novelties in design ; littiog
if any, provision being secured through voluntary or local enterprise, whereby persons shall be enabled to train themselves to make designs for the use of lace workers.

Finances.-The expenditure of the department during the financial jear 1884-'85 amounted to $371,611 l 12 \mathrm{~s} 10 \mathrm{~d}$.

Italy, constitutional monarchy : area, 110,620 square miles; population (in December, 1884), 29,361,032. Capital, Rome: population, 273,268. Minister of public instruction, Signor Michele Coppino.

The following statements concerning the lower grades of schools in Italy are taken from " Statistica dell' Istruzione elementare per $l$ ' anno scolastico 1882-83."

There were 1,741 infant schools for children from $2 \frac{1}{2}$ to 6 jears of age, in 1,322 communes. The children in attendance numbered 218,958 ( 110,598 boys and 108,360 girls). The funds for these salles d'asile are furnished by the communes, by societies for the maintenance of infant schools, by charitable associations, and private individuals.

In 1882-'83 this amount was $5,054,599$ lire ( $\$ 975,537$ ). By a law of November 13, 1859 , instraction was rendered obligatory between the ages of 6 and 12 . The parents were to be fined 50 lire in case their children did not attend sclool. This law was never enforced, but on July 15, 1877, it was enacted that children between 6 and 9 years must attend school, and such attendance should be continued through the tenth year if the pupil did not show a sufficient knowledge of the three "R's," the rudiments of Italian, the metric system, and the duties of citizenship. This law went into effect October 15, 1877, and, although not strictly enforced in all communes, the statistics for 1882-'83 show its application in 8,116 communes out of 8,859 . According to a clause of the law of 1877, children are exempt from attendance on these communal schools if they are receiving instruction either at home or in private schools.

Public elementary schools must be kept open at least 4 months of the year. The usual term is from October 15th to August 15th. No more than 70 pupils are allowed to a class, and if the increase in attendance is such as to exceed this number, another school must be opened in the commune.

The lower primary grades numbered 37,647 in 1892-'83, with 39,007 teachers, and $1,760,097$ pupils. The upper primaries, 4,743 in number, registered 113,626 pupils, with a general attendance of 96,263 . There were 5,006 teachers and assistants. The 7,129 private schools added 7,478 teachers and 163,102 pupils to the above. Total public and private schools of elementary grade 49,519, with 51,491 teachers and 2,036,825 pupils.

Among the schools not included under the term obligatory were 6,787 eventug and 3,831 Sunday schools, with a registration of 398,487 pupils; teachers, 10,704 . Although these schools have both lower and higher grades, the course of study is not identical with that of the day schools of like grade. The normals, for the purpose of preparing teachers for elementary grades, have two years in their lower course, and 3 years added to 2 years preparatory in their higher course. In 1882-'83 there were 124 normals reported ( 69 governmental schools; the others communal, provincial, or private), with 9,416 pupils. At the close of the jear 8,689 pupils were on the rolls. The total number of pupils receiving diplomas in the rarious normals in 1882-' 83 was 3,124. The expenditures for elementary grades, normal schools, Sunday and evening schools, and infant schools, as given by the state, the communes, and the provinces, reach a total of $49,268,755$ lire ( $\$ 9,508,869$ ), or 1.73 lira to each inhabitant.

The "Statistica dell' Istruzione secondaria e superiore per l' anno scolastico 1883-'84" is authority for the following information.
Secondary classical instruction is of two grades, and covers eight rears. The first grade consists of a five jears' course in the gymnasia; the second of three jears in the lycees. By law the gymnasia are to be maintained by the communes wherein they are situated. Still certain gymnasia, established prior to such law, receive state aid, as do a few others in some of the provinces. The lycées are state institutions, but buildings and apparatus, with the exception of that used for scientific purposes, are furnished by the communes. In 1883-'84 there were 1,075 institutions
for secondary classical instruction, viz, 734 gymmasia and 3.11 lycées. In the gymnasia were 45,110 pupils; in the lycées 13,674 ; total, 58,784 . Ono gymnasium to $3^{2}, 773$ iulabitants, and a lycee to 83,436 iulabitants, is the rule according to the census of 1881. The teaching force for the two grades of institutions numbered 5,938 ; of these, 4,133 were in the gymnasia, the remaining $1,80{ }^{5}$ in the lycees. The regular teachers belonging to these institutions were, however, not more than 3,323 for gymnasial instruction, and 1,260 for the lycees, as the other instructors, or lectarers, were not accredited to any ono place, but tanght in different institutions. From 1 1e80-' 81 to 1883 -' 4 the number of gymnasia increased from 701 to 734 ; the prpils from 41,124 to 45,110 .
The increase in the number of lycées was from 298 to 341 ; in pupils from 11,133 to 13,674.

Technical instruction of a secoudary grade is furvished by a 3-rears' course in technical schools, and a 4 -years' course in technical institutes. During one jear the instruction is alike for all sections. The state, the provinces, and the communes support a majority of these institutions, but there are also private institutions of similar character. In 1883-'84 a total of 498 technical institutions, viz, 422 schools and 76 institntes, were reported ; whole number of pupils, 32,036 ; hearers, 1,313. At the close of the jear the figures stood 28,358 to 922 .

The numbers for the year were subdivided as follows: The technical schools had 24,948 pupils and 805 hearers; the technical institutes 7,133 pupils and 508 hearers. Professors, teachers, and assistants numbered 3,031 for the schools, and 1,230 for the institutes. During the three years $1880-81-1883-$ ' 84 the increase of technical schools was from 383 to 422 ; the technical institutes decreased from 79 in 1880-81 to 76 in 1883-84.

Another branch of technical instruction is given in the naval mercantile schools. These schools are the outgrowth of decrees of Augnst 18, 1864, November 22, 1866, and January 30, 1873. The first and second decrees divided the instruction in two
 institutes, with instruction tendinde make machinists of second and first classes, naral constructors of similar class, and captains for the merchant marine. The regulations of January 30, 1873, divided the course of instraction in six sections. The dirision for machinists covers 4 Jears; that for naral constructors and captains 3 years. Similar to the other technical schools, the state, the provinces, and the communes are responsible for the maintenance of such schools. In 1883-' $8 \frac{1}{4}$ there were 24 naval mercantile institutions with 825 pupils, 111 of them hearers.

Superior instruction is furnished by the universities, superior collegiate institutions, and superior special schools. The unitersities numbered 21 in 1883-34. Serenteen of these were state universities, and 4 were "free" (libere) universities maintained by the province and commane, but still subject to the state as far as uniformity of study is concerned. The higher collegiate institutions, 11 in number, included 5 schools of engineering, 3 of reterinary surgery, a literary-scientific academy, a higher normal school, and an institute of higher grade for perfection in study. The 10 special schools were as follows: 2 schools of agriculture, a school of music (scuola per le zolfare), a higher naral school, a higher commercial sciaool, an industrial museum, 2 institutions of high grade for momen who expect to become teachers (di magistero femminite), a forestry school, and a school for the study of social science.

The universities have 4 faculties: Law; philosophy and literature; mathematics, physics, and natural sciences; and medicine and surgery. In a few of these institutions there are schools of pharmacy, reterinary surgery, and obstetrics. The universities of Padua, Palermo, Pavia, Pisa, andi Genoa have schools of civil engineering anmesed to the faculties of science, and at Pisa there is also an agricultaral division. In 1883-84 a one-year's course only was reported in the schools of engineering in Pisa, Pavia, and Genoa. In order to obtain the requisite degrees, a 4 -rear's course is
required in all the faculties except that of medicine and surgery ; in that a 6 -year's course is necessary. In the school of civil engincering the course lasts 3 years; in that of veterinary surgery 4 years; a 5-ycar's course in the school of pharmacy leads to a degree, a 4 -ycar's course to a professional diploma; in the school of agriculture a 3 -year's course is required in order to obtain a degree.

The 17 state universities had 13,104 students in $1853-84$, and 229 hearers. The frec (libere) universities, at Camerino, Ferrara, Perugia, and Urbino, had 230 students and, 13 hearers. Candidates for a degree in all universities numbered 1,811 ; approved, 1,792 . In the 11 higher collegiate institutions a total of 1,434 students and 60 hearers was reported.

Ten special institutions reported 504 students and 51 hearers. The most frequented were the Higher Cummercial School in Venice, and the Industrial Museum in Turin.

According to the census of 1881, about 61.94 per cent. of the population above 6 years of age could neither read nor write. The proportion was nearly the same for those above 15 years of age. In northern Italy the illiteracy was 40.85 per cent.; in central Italy, 64.61 per cent. ; in southern Italy, 79.46 per cent. ; among the islands, 80.91 per cent. The smallest percentage of illiterates above 6 years of age in 1881 was in Piedmont, viz, 32.27 per cent. ; the largest percentage, 85.18 per cent., in Basilicata; next largest, 84.97 per cent., in Calabria. In 1871 the figures stood: Piedmont, 42.25 per cent.; Basilicata, 88 per cent.; Calabria, 87.01 per cent.

Netherlands, constitutional monarchy: area, 12,618 square miles; population (estimated, December 31, 1884), 4,278,272. Capital, The Hague: population, 134,552. Minister of the interior, Dr.J. Hecmskerk.

The official report on education in 1884-'85 (Verslag van den stact der hooge-, middelbare en lagere scholen in het koningrijk der Nederlanden over 1884-'85) furnishes the following statistics:

Superior instruction.-There were 1,363 students at the three state unircrsities of Leyden, Utrecht, and Groningen in 1884-' 85 (abains 54 t 1,342 the previous year), Leyden having an attendance of 589 , Utrecht 452, and Prncuingen 322. The different faculties were attended as follows : at Leyden there were 24 students in the theological faculty, 216 in the law, 261 in the medical, 38 in the faculty of natural sciences, and 50 in that of letters and philosophy. At Utrecht there were 125 students in the theological faculty, 42 in the law, 203 in the medical, 42 in the faculty of natural sciences, and 40 in the philosophical. At Groningen there were 17 in the theological faculty, 43 in the law, 161 in the medical, 41 in the faculty of natural sciences, and 60 in the philosopbical. The communal university at Amsterdam had 615 students at the same time, against 540 in 1883-'34. Gymnasien and Progymnasien are reckoned among institutions of superior instruction in the Netherlands. The 26 Gymnasien and 4 Progymnasien had 389 teachers and 2,305 students in 1885 . The special schools of this grade, besides the private university at Amsterdam with 50 students, are principally theological seminaries, and are 15 in number. They had over 1,300 students in 1884-' 85. There were also 14 private preparatory schools of superior instruction (Latin schools, Gymnasicn, and colleges), with an attendance of over 720 persons. In 1884 the state appropriation for superior instruction amounted to $1,626,668$ fl. ( $\$ 653,920$ ), of which $1,309,523 \mathrm{fl}$. ( $\$ 526,428$ ) were for the three universities, and $218,678 \mathrm{fl}$. ( $\$ 87,008$ ) for subsidies to the communes for the support of the Gymnasien and Progymnasien. The rest was devoted to rarious institutions and purposes. The total expenditure for superior instruction, including expenditures by the state, provinces, and communes, was $2,594,082 \mathrm{fl}$. $(\$ 1,042,821)$.

Secondary instruction.-As the Gymnasion are included in sunerior instruction, the present grade of instruction includes schools of the next lower degree, which are called "middle" schools. They are burgher schools and industrial and technical schools abore the primary grade. The burgher erening schools (including 7 indus-
trial schools) numbered 39 , and wero attended by $3, i 26$ students, and had 371 teachers. There wero 45 industrial and driwing schools, public and private, with 281 teachers and 4,716 students. The higher burgher schools numbered 61 , of which 21 were state schools. The attendance was 4,990 , and the teachers numbered 722 . Girls were admitted to 24 of these schools. The highest salary for directors was $5,500 \mathrm{fl}$. $(\$ 2,211)$, and the lowest $1,500 \mathrm{fl}$. ( $\$ 603$ ). The teachers' salarics ranged from $1,000 \mathrm{fl}$. to over $\therefore, 500 \mathrm{fl}$. ( $\$ 402$ to over $\$ 1,005$ ). The total amount paid for salaries in these schools was $1,228,519$ 17. ( ${ }_{3} 493,365$ ). There were 14 higher burgher schools for girls, with $1,2 \pi 1$ pupils, and 125 female and 54 male teachers. The highest salary of a directress yas $: 3,250 \mathrm{fl}$. ( $\$ 1,507.50$ ), and the lowest $1,600 \mathrm{fl}$. ( 8643.20 ). The salaries of the teachers ranged from $1,000 \mathrm{fl}$. ( $\$ 202$ ) to over $1,500 \mathrm{fl}$. ( $\$ 603$ ). The amount expended for salaries was 200,325 fl. $(\$ 84,149)$.
The state agricultural school at Wageningen had 157 stadents in 1884-85, and the horticultural school under the control of the Royal Netherlands Horticultural Society had 24 students. The polytechnic school had a total attendance of 346 . The 11 naval schools had an attendance during 1884 of 410 persons. The 4 institutions for the deaf, dumb, and blind, had 545 students in 1884. Instruction in the languages, geography, ethnology, etc., of the Dutch East Indies is given at Delft and Leyden, and the schools there had an attendance of 122 in 1884 . The state appropriation for secondary (middle) instruction in 1884 was $1,128,683$ fl. ( 8453,731 ).

The number of recruits unable to read or write was 9.94 prer cent. in 1884.
Primary instruction. - The number of schools in 1854 was 4,066, of which 2,897 were public, 65 were subsidized, and 1,104 were private schools. The subsidies for schools of this grade amounted to $555,707 \mathrm{fl}$. ( $\$ 223,394$ ). The attendance at the primary (day) schools on January 1, 1885, was 593,656 ( 311,062 bors and 282,594 girls). Of 10,000 children of school age ( 6 to 12 years), 1,527 boys and 1,800 girls between 6 and 8 years, and 709 boys and 1,223 girls between 9 and 12 years, reccived no primary instruction. There were 12,554 male and 4,660 female teachers of all grades (including 2,846 male and 1,382 female pupil teachers). The salaries of head tcachcrs ranged from 600 fl . ( $\$ 241$ ) to $2,699 \mathrm{fl}$ ( $\$ 1,085$ ) , and those of teachers from 499 f. to $1,599 \mathrm{fl}$ ( $\$ 200$ to $\$ 643$ ). There were 575 students in the 7 state normal schools at the beginning of $1880^{\prime \prime} 86$. The state expenditure for these schools in 1884 was $438,207 \mathrm{fl}$ ( ${ }^{(\$ 216,159)}$. The total number of persons receiving instruction as teachers was 5,163 (3,391 males and 1,772 females). The total outlay by the state for primary instruction in 1884 was $6,680,389$ fl. $(\$ 2,685,516)$, while the communes expended $\varepsilon, 666,727$ fl. $(\$ 3,484,024)$ clear for this grade of instruction.

SWEDEN, constitutional monarchy: area, 170,979 square miles; population (1884), 4,643,123. Capital, Stockholm: population, 205,129.

For the following detailed account of education in Sweden, the Office is indebted to Hon. Nere A. Elfwing, U. S. Consul.

There were during 1884 employed at the higher "folk" schools 15 teachers; at the "folk" schools, 4,128 male teachers and 1,157 female teachers; at the smaller "folk" schools, 265 male teachers and 780 female teachers; at the schools for small children, 511 male teachers and 4,568 female teachers ; total, 4,919 male teachers and 6,505 female teachers; besides which 297 male and 327 female teachers gave instruction in manual training.

The number of children of school age was 733,329 (boys, 373,124 ; girls, 360,205 ), of whom 15,149 were not instructed.

The rearly salaries of teachers werc, at the higher "folk" schools, 1,360 to 1,900 crowns ( $\$ 365$ to $\$ 610$ ), besides residence and fuel ; at the "folk" schools, 600 to 700 crowns ( $\$ 160$ to $\$ 190$ ), besides residence and fuel, fodder for one cow, and, if possible, also a bit of land; at the smaller "folk" schools and schools for small children, 200 to 300 crowns ( $\$ 54$ to $\$ 52$ ). These salaries, which are paid both male and female teachers, are raised for a school jear of eight months. Instruction over this time is paid.
separately. In the cities, particularly the larger ones, the salaries are usually higher, and are different for male and female teachers, as will be seen by the following table.

|  | Male teachers. |  |  | Female teachers. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Stockholm | Crowns. $1,400$ | Crowns. $1,800$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Crowns. } \\ 2,000 \end{gathered}$ | Crouns. $1,100$ | Crowns. <br> 1, 400 | Crouns. |
| Gothenburg | 1,350 | 1,670 | 1,870 | 1,200 | 1,275 | 1,350 |
| Malmö | 1,266 ${ }_{3}$ | 1,4663 | 1,666 ${ }^{2}$ | 1,0663 | 1,166 ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | 1, 206\% |
| Norrköping. | 1,300 | 1,600 | 1,800 | 1,100 | 1,200 | ....... |
| .Jönköping | 1,000 | 1,300 | 1,600 | 800 | 1,000 | 1,200 |
| Örebro | 1,200 | 1,400 | 1,600 | 900 | 1,050 | 1,200 |
| Upsala. | 1,300 | 1,550 | 1,800 | 1,000 | 1,100 | ........... |
| Gefle. | 1,300 | 1,500 | 1,700 | 1,000 | 1,200 | ........... |
| Lund | 1,200 | 1,400 | 1,600 | 1,000 | 1,200 |  |

The building of school-houses is made by the communities, but under the inspection of the state. Even the salaries to teachers are paid by the communities, but an addition thereto, usually one-half, is made by the state.

The elementary schools, which furnish education suitable for entering the universities or higher schools of application, are kept exclusively by the state, but the communities have to pay for the buildings, although the state often contributes a part of the cost.

The teachers here are called "lectors" and "adjuncts"; the salaries for the former amount to $2,500 \mathrm{cr}$. ( $\$ 670$ ), $3,000 \mathrm{cr}$. ( $\$ 804$ ), $3,500 \mathrm{cr}$. ( $\$ 938$ ), $4,000 \mathrm{cr}$. ( $\$ 1,072$ ), and 4,500 cr. ( $\$ 1,206$ ) ; and for the latter, to $1,500 \mathrm{cr}$. ( $\$ 402$ ), $2,000 \mathrm{cr}$. ( $\$ 536$ ), $2,500 \mathrm{cr}$., $3,000 \mathrm{cr}$. and $3,500 \mathrm{cr}$.-the salary being raised 500 cr . for each 5 years of service.

The higher elementary schools have 7 classes, but some have only 5 , and 20 ouly 3 classes. From these lower schools the boys pass into those of 7 classes, which also include what were formerly called gymnasia. There are also 18 Pedagogies, a kind of school in smaller cities which furnishes instruction above the standing of the "folk" school. The namber of elementary schools in the fall of 1885 was 75 , with 14,278 pupils. In the 18 Pedagogies were 339 pupils.

During 1885, 831 pupils, among whom were 10 girls, passed the examination entitling them to enter the university.

At present only boys are entitled to pass the elementary schools, and the state has only during the last two or three years paid a small contribution to some female schools; but at the universities instruction is free to both male and female students. It is, however, a question of the day just at present to open the elementary schools to girls also.

In these 78 elementary schools and 18 Pedagogics were, at the beginning of this year, 827 teachers employed, including teachers of drawing, music, and gymuastics.

Superior instruction. -The total cost for the university of Upsala is $711,879.41 \mathrm{cr}$. ( $\$ 190,783.68$ ). At this university there were in the fall of 18851,821 students, and at Lund at the same period $82 \%$.

At the Merico-Surgical, or Cardinian, Institute (the medical college) of Stockholm were, in the spring of $1885,27 \%$ students, and the appropriation by the state was $13: 3,450$ cr. $(\$ 37,765)$.

There is also a university, or rather the beginning of a university, in Stockholm, founded by private means. It lias, as yet, only one faculty, that of natural sciences, but has about 150 students and 6 professors. What the expenses of this university amounted to for the past year I have not yet succeeded in ascertaining.

The technical high school at Stockholm, with which the mining school is united, had during 1884-'85 194 students, 14 professors, 7 lectors, and 7 extra teachers. In the technical school at Stockholm were, at the same period, in the eveving and Sunday
school, 919 students ; in the technical school for females, 197 ; in the ligher and in dustrial school, 28 ; in the architectural school, 41. The number of teachers was 21 In Chalmers' Technical School in Gothenburg were, in 1885, 82 students, and at tho technical elemertary schools in Norrküping, Malmö, Örebro, and Borass 233 students. The number of teachers in the last 5 schools was 50 . The technical Sunday and evening schools, in conncetion with these technical clementary schools, had together a total of 1,097 students. The total appropriation for technical schools was $370,400 \mathrm{cr}$. ( $\$ 99,268$ ).

The appropriation by the state for agricultural schools amounted to 175,400 cr. ( $\$ 47,008$ ). These schools are, however, supported to a greater extent by the provinces in which they are situated, but the total amount required for their support I have been unable to ascertain.
There are 2 veterinary schools, one in Stockholm and a smaller one at Skara, for which the total state appropriation amounted to $47,200 \mathrm{cr}$. ( $\$ 12,650$ ). The number of students in Stockholm last jear was 107 ; in Skara, 43.
For the schuols of forestry $44,950 \mathrm{cr}$. ( $\$ 12,047$ ) were appropriated.
The total appropriation by the state for instruction and schools for the deaf and dumb, and blind, was $191,900 \mathrm{cr}$. ( $\$ 51,430$ ); the number of inmates in the institute for the deaf and dumb (in 1885) was 136, and in the institute for the blind $60 ; 13$ smaller schools for the deaf, dumb, and blind had 435 students; 3 institutions for elderly deaf and dumb persons had 146 inmates.
The military school had an appropriation of $79,8.5 \mathrm{cr}$. ( $21,410.25$ ); the number of cadets last year was 63. The military high school and the high school for artillery and engineer offcers had togetber an appropriation of $25,640 \mathrm{cr}$. ( $\$ 6,870.52$ ). The teachers in these schools are nearly all army offeers. For instruction of military surgeons $₹, 500$ cr. ( $\$ 2,278$ ) were appropriated. The naval school had an appropriation of 31,040 cr. ( $\$ 2,319$ ) ; the number of naval cadets was 63 . In both the military and naral schools the cadets pay for their maintenance.
In 9 schools of navigation there were 563 stndents, of whom 170 graduated as mates, 109 as masters, 42 as engineers, 16 as 1st engineers, and 133 as captains of steamers. The ship-building school had 14 students. The total appropriation for schools of navigation was $94,6 \overline{0} 0 \mathrm{cr}$. (\$25,366.20).
II.-Asia.

IndiA: area, $1,383,504$ square miles; population, $253,906,449$. British India: area, 874,220 square miles; population (1881), 198,755,993.
The report of the royal commission appointed to investigate the condition of education in British India was briefly summarized in my Report for 1883-'84. Since the publication of that volume, the Office has received the report of the acting-director of public instruction in the Bombay presidency for 1884-85. From this report it appears that the year specified was particularly favorable to the interests of education, being free from any wide-spread agrarian distress or malarial epidemic, and the public finances being adequate to the demands upon them.

The public expenditure for education amounted to $2,788,102$ rupees, an excess of 97,233 rupees over the expenditure for the previous year. If to the above sum be added the private funds expended so far as reported, the total expenditure amounts to $4,143,843$ rupees.
The number of scholars who shared in this provision was 438,416 , of whom 340,639 were in British districts and 97,777 in native states. The combined figures represent an increase over the previous year of $2 \overline{5}, 075$ pupils.
As regards the grade of instruction, these pupils were distributed as follows: in arts colleges 802, professional colleges 734, or a total in colleges of 1,536 ; in high schools, 18,843 ; middle schools, 15,356 ; primary schools claimed 400,919 pupils; the remaining 1,762 pupils were in training colleges and special schools of industry or
technical instruction. As regards ses, 306,186 of the pupils were males and 42,230 females. The latter, including of course Europeans, were graded as follows: in professional colleges, 17 ; in secondary schools, 2,744; in primary schools, 39,356; in normal schools and special classes of technical institutes, 113.
The results in nearly every class of institutions, as tested by examinations, show marked improvement over the previous year. The education of Maham-Madans progresses steadily although slowly, the number at school this jear being 54,148, against 51,839 the year previons. The year has also witnessed an increase of 1,474 in the attendance at girls' schools.
The acting inspector calls particular attention to the importance of fostering technical and agricultural traiuing in Bombay. He seconds the appeal of the president of the Poonah College of Science for an addition to the staff of teachers of trades, and to the equipment in their departments.

We have [says the inspector] too many pupils turned out with a smattering of that class of education which aims at a university career. The notion that the edncation of the mind and the education of the hands are distinct and eren contradictors. prevails too widely in India; a revolution in this state of popular fecling would be effected by the institution of technical schools alongside of the ordinary literary schools, for the practical instruction of those who must earn their living by the work of their hands. If this want is ever to be met, the first need is an outturn of skilled and well-trained teachers and foremen. The Poonah College, if properly fostered by Gorernment, appears to me capable of laying the foundation of a great reform. If young Brahman lads, who are fitted to be masters of our higher primary and our secondary schools, will only go through a course of mechanical instraction in the workshops, while they acquire a theoretic knowledge of various crafts in the lecturc-room of the Poonah College, we slall have solvea the first of our difficulties, namely, the provision of competent teachers.

It is through the supply of the teaching material prepared in the College of Science that it became possible to graft instruction in agriculture on the high school's course. There is a small but steady improvement in the results attained frem year to year.

The inspector believes that large results would be secured by a stricter adherence to the scheme originally outlined by His Excellency Sir Richard Temple. This included a university degree in agriculture, which is still under consideration. It included also college certificates, which have been employed with marked success. The inspector advises the addition of a model farm to the Poonah College of Science.

Britisin Dermah. Director of public instruction, P. Hordern.
The following information is derived from the report on public instruction in British Burmah for the year 1884-85.

The year was marked by sensible progress in the diffusion of education among all classes of the people.

The number of schools under inspection increased from 4,682 to 5,010 , and the number of pupils from 127,583 to 137,504 . Government or municipal town committees maintained 49 of the schools, 53 were under missionary or cther European management, and 4,905, or neanly 93 per cent., were native schools.

Of the whole number of schools, 4,946 were primars, attended by 130,511 pupils, and 50 were secondary, attended by 6,532 pupils. Regret is expressed that the number of students who passed the university entrance examination fell from 15 in $1883-84$ to 11 in 1834-85.

Three schools for the training of masters are reported, besides classes for the training of women teachers at missionary schoolsin Rangoon and Moulmein. Five survey schools are also reported, in addition to the provision for training in various mechanical arts at several of the mission schools of the province.

The management of European and Karen apprentices at the railway workshops of Insein continues to be tery satisfactors. Lads from the shops get good employment outside as soon as they complete their five years' apprenticeship.

The number of girls under instruction in inspected schools increased from 11,039 to

13,03 , the inereaso being almost entirely due to inerease in the number of pupils attending native schools. The number of girls who passed the middle scbool examination increased from 22 to 34 , and the number who passed the primary standards from 173 to 386 . From the Catholie convent schools at Rangoon and Moulmein 9 girls were presented for the university entranee examination. Thongh none of them were successful, the effort to teach girls up to the university standard is an eneouraging sign. Much interest is now taken in the cause of the education of girls by many municipal and town eommittees, among which may be mentioned the committees of Rangoon, Akrab, Henzada, and Yandoon. Special encouragement to the education of women is given by the oficr of results-grants at enhanced rates in the ease of suecessful female students; by the maintenance of the normal elasses for mistresses already mentioned ; by the offer of special grants for students who gain mistress's eertifieates; and by the parment by Government of half of the salary of Burmese women teachers. Although the edueation of women is still baekward, there are indications that steady progress is being made. The director reports that the enhaneed grants hare greatly stimulated the attendance at girls' schools, and that in practieal sehool management the romen normal students far surpass the majority of men normal students.

Plans for the establishment of a college at Rangoov, under the management of the educational syndieate, were considered during the year. The proposal eannot be carried into effeet until by ineorporation the syndicate acquires a legal status. Meanwhile the Rangoon high sehool has been affiliated to the Caleutta University as a tirst grade college, and it is now called the Rangoon College. In the college classes at Rangoon there were 18 students, as eompared with 23 in the previous sear. Of these, one passed the examination for the degree of B. A., and six passed F. A. examination. These results show an adranee, slight but satisfactory as far as it goes, on the results of previous years.

The total expenditure of the jear on edueation was 808,483 rupees, as compared with 713,027 rupees in the previous year.

Of the total expenditure $54 \pi, 200$ rupees were spent on instruction, 83,670 rupees on direction and inspection, 38,390 rupees on scholarship, and 76,084 rupees on buildings.
III.-Africa.

Cape of Good Hope, British Colony : area, 229, 815 square miles; population, 1,027,168. Capital, Cape Tomn. Superintendent-general of education, Langham Dale.

The following information is derived from the report of the superintendent-general, which brings the statistics to June 30,1884 , and general information to Deeember 31 of the same rear.

The number of schools in operation during some part of the year was 1,049 ; the annual enrollment of scholars was 78,037 ; the ordinary daily attendanee was 39,102 .

Out of $39,7 i 1$ scholars present at the annual inspeetion, 16,321 , or 41 per cent., were in the three lowest standards, 6,151 scholars were reported as engaged in studies abore the five elementary standards, and in addition 26,327 were learning musie, 2,925 drawing, and 14,586 girls received instructiou in seming.
From the returns it is estimated that 34 per cent. of the children attending school are of European or white race, and 66 per cent. are of African or colored race. Twenty per eent. of the children attending school are infants, i.e., under seren jears of age.

In the fire colleges and institutions for higher and professional education aided by grants, there were 315 students; of these, 244 were studying in the matriculation course, 52 were preparing for the B.A.examination, and 19 were eandidates for the survey certificate.

With respeet to schools for the aborigines, the superintendent observes that the objects aimed at are elementary instruction and industrial training. Progress in this work is small but definite.

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In the majority of schools among the Dutch-speaking population, satisfactory arrangements have bcen made by the managers to give regular and adequate instructiou in the Dutch language; and as regards the religious instruction, the department leaves the managers perfectly free to make their own arrangements ${ }_{\xi}$ provided that no scholars are compclled to receive that instruction without the consent of their parents or guardians.

The total annual expenditure for education was $201,562 l$, of which the Goverument supplied 09,9187 . The cost of primary instruction per capita of daily average attendance was $4 l 18 s \% d$. The annual cost to Government of each student in aided colleges, calculated upon the ordinary attendance, was $1371487 d$.

Liberia, republic: area, 14,300 square miles; population (estimated), 1,068,000. Capital, Monrovia.
The Office has received a report of the Anna Morris School, at Arthington, named by its founder, Mr. Edward S. Morris, of Philadelphia, in honor of his mother. This gentleman is well known for bis zeal in the cause of Liberian progress, for his practical efforts for the development of the republic, and for the moral, social, and industrial improvement of its people.

The Anna Morris school numbered 80 pupils in August, 1885, among whom were the sons of several native chiefs. Religious instruction is combined with the elements of reading, writing, and arithmetic. "For the present century," sars Mr. Morris, "this kind of education can and will make practical Christian men and women." A negro, formerly a slave in North Carolina, is the teacher of the school, which is conducted in accordance with plans developed by Mr. Morris.
A noticeable feature of Mr. Morris's philanthropic work in Libcria is his effort to provide and introduce machinery suitable for the native industries. In pursuance of this purpose he has patented a hand gin and loom, which is easily operated and enables "two men to do as much work in a day as twenty men can do in six days by the native process." One of these machines is in operation at the Anna Morris school.

In 1850 a legacy left in Boston for education in Liberia, furnished the foundation for a college which was opened in 1865, under the presidency of Hon. J. J. Roberts, then president of the republic. A movement was started in 1883 to secure funds sufficient for removing the college to a more healthful site, and for inaugurating an industrial department.

The energies of the New York and Boston boards of control have been directed for the last two years to the accomplishment of these ends. The entire sum paid into the treasury of the New York board for the purpose during the ten months ending May 1, 1885, has been $\$ 1,148.89$.
IV.-Nortif America.

Dominion or Canada: area, $3,470,392$ square miles; population, $4,324,310$. Capital, Ottawa: population, 27,412.
The Dominion of Canada consists of seven provinces, as follows: Ontario, Quebec, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Manitoba, British Columbia, and Prince Edward Island. Educational affairs are lelt to the separate control of the provinces, and while the school systems established are not absolutely uniform, they agree in certain respects. Thus elementary instruction is free in all the provinces, and in all education is to some exteut under government supervision.
a. British Columbia : area, 341,305 square miles; population (census of 1881), 49,459. Capital, Victoria. Superintendent of schools, S. D. Pope, B. A.
The public schools of British Columbia are supported wholly by the Govermment, and are free to all. From the report of the superintendent it appears that for the scholastic year 1883-'84 there were in operation 49 common schools, 7 graded schools and 1 high school, or a total of 57 . The enrollment in these was 3,420 , and the arerage daily attendance $1,808.6$. The number of teachers employed was 25 .

The total expenditure for elucation proper cluring the year was $\$ 5,361.24$; if to this bo added the sum expended by the lands and works department in the construction of school-houses, etc., the total outlay for the jear amounts to $\$ 68,953.57$. Tho superintendent sass:

At no time in the history of our public schools has there been such a general interest taken in popular education as during the past sear. The very large increase in both enrollment aud arerage attendance, as well as the fact that the total number of visits made to the schools increased from 2,922 in $188 \%-8: 3$ to 9,486 in $18 * 3-34$, are rery substantial evidences of this. It is morthy of note that this lively interest was not conliucd to the cities, but was shown in nearly all of the other districts.
6. Manifoba : area, 123,200 square miles; population (census of 1881), 65,954. Capital, Winnipeg.

The school law of Manitoba provides for the formation of a board of cducation for the province, to consist of Protestants and Catholics in the proportion of 12 to 9. The lieutcnant-governor is directed to appoint one of the Protestant members to be the superintendent of the Protestant schools, and one of the Catholic members to be the superintendent of the Catholic schools.
In October, 1883, the superintendency of the Protestant schools devolved upon the Hon. Mr. Lariviere, who in his report for that jear pays a deserved tribute to the labors of his predecessor, Venerable Archdeacon Pinkham, who held the position of superintendent twelve jears.
No report of the condition of the Catholic schools has been received at this Office. The report of J. B. Somerset, the present superintendent of Protestant schools, brings the record of this department to January 31, 1885.
The number of schools reported for the year ending at that date mas 359, having an attendance of 13,641 pupils, of whom 13,051 were of school age, viz, 5 to 16 . The total attendance in the schools for the last half of the jear was 10,835 , and the number of teachers employed in the schools was 359 , viz, $1 ; 0$ men and 189 women; the average duration of the school year in the rural districts was 7.3 months; in the cities and towns, 10 months.
The average salary of male teachers in the rural districts was $\$ 460$; of female teachers, $\$ 407$. In the eities and towns the average salaries were, for men, $\$ 781$; for women, \$447.
A provincial normal school is maintained in connection with the Protestant public schools of the city of Winnipeg, on account of which an annual grant of $\$ 2,000$ is made by the Protestant section of the board of education to the Winnipeg board of Protestant school trustees. Besides the session of the normal school held at Winnipeg for five months of the year, a second session, consisting of institutes for the instruction and training of third-class teachers only, is held in such places and for such periods as the board of education may determine. The number of students under training at Winnipeg during $1884-85$ was 50 , and the number in the several institutes 86 . The expenditure amounted to $\$ 3,000.65$; and as $\$ 3,000$ is the limit of the legislative allowance, no material increase can be made in the work until additional provision shall be made by the legislature.
Collegiate departments are in successful operation in connection with the public scbools of the cities of Winnipeg, Portage, La Prairie, and Brandon.
The total legislative grant for Protestant schools in 1884 aroounted to $\$ 37,732.23$; the total expenditure to $\$ 40,682.62$.
c. New Brunswick: area, 27,174 square miles; population (census of 1881), 321,233. Capital, Fredericton. Chief superintendent of education, William Crocket.

The free-school system of New Brunswick includes common, grammar, and superior schools and the provincial normal school ; these are supported by legislative grants and local rates.
In his report for the jear ending April 30, 1884, the chief superintendent states that there has been during the jear a very gratifying increase in the number of schools,
teachers, and registration and average attendance of pupils. The increase in the number and improvement of school-houses has, considering the large number of substantial buildings already in existence throughout the country, been fairly satisfactory, and from the reports of the inspectors it will be seen that the general efficiency of the schools, which must ever be the prime object of a school system, has been maintained. The increase in the salaries of teachers, slight as it is, is a further evidence of the progress which has characterized the operations of the year. The report for the year ending June 30, 183J, shows a continuance of the increase in enrollment and average attendance.
In the summer term (1884) the number of schools was 1,508 ; the number of teachers, 1,601 ; the number of pupils, 57,068 . In the winter term the number of schools was 1,549 ; the number of teachers, 1,695 ; the number of pupils in attendance, 63,000 . In the former term the proportion of the population of the province enrolled in the public schools, according to the census of 1881 , was 1 in 5.63 ; in the latter, 1 in 5.10. As regards age, it appears that for the winter term 405 pupils were under 5 years of age, 57,344 between 5 and 15 years, and 5,252 were over 15 jears. The percentage of pupils daily present on an average during the period the several schools were open was, for the summer term, 58.47 ; for the winter term, 53.35 . The maximum number of lawful teaching days for the year was 268 . The average time the echools tere open, exclusive of holidays, vacations, and Sundays, was 242.11 days.
The following statements are given with reference to the teachers' term of service : in charge of schools, summer term, 1,562 teachers; winter term, 1,659 ; number teaching in the same districts in which they taught the previous term, summer, 1,063; winter, 928 ; removed to other districts, summer, 284; winter, 306; teaching for the first time, summer, 196 ; winter, 239.

The average rate of teachers' salaries ranged, for men, from \$226.32 for teachers of the third class to $\$ 511.80$ for teachers of the first class; for women, from $\$ 182.58$ to \$333.43.

In his report for 1883-'84, the superintendent expresses regret that-
So many schools are yet filled by untrained, inexperienced persons, who have very little conception of the nature of the teacher's work. During last year no less than 514 local licenses had to be issued to supplement the supply from the normal school. There is no doubt that in some districts trustees prefer to engage local licensees on what they suppose grounds of cconomy, and have set the trained teachers aside; but with all this the normal sehool has not yet been able to supply the demand. It has sent out during the last 12 years about 2,200 trained teachers, being an average of 183 yearly. But to keep up the teaching staff at its present numbers the school would require to send out yearly at least 250 , and taking into account the number of local licensees in the field, it will require to send out for some time nearly 300 a year before all our schools are supplied with trained teachers. Every effort is being made by the board of education and by the inspectors to discourage the employment of untrained teachers. The board has recently ordered that no license shall issue to an untrained persori to teach in a district, if the services of a trained teacher can be procured by the trustees or recommended to them by the inspector. Nearly all the inspectors have strictly observed this order.
By the legislative act of 1834 the grammar schools were made an integral part of the school system of the province, and, since November 1st of that year, have been under the exclusive control of the boards of school trustees in the districts in which they are established. The number of grammar schools and departments established is 20 , and the report from 14 of these shows an enrollment of 754 pupils in the grammar department proper. Two courses, modern and classical, are provided. The inspector observes that the majority of the pupils are looking forward to commercial pursuits, and urges that efforts be made to induce a larger proportion to seek further advantages in the university. The number of superior schools reported is 43 .

The Provincial Normal School was attended by 379 students. Owing to the scarcity of teachers, and the necessity of employing, in consequence, untrained persons to take charge of schools, it was deemed advisable by the board of education, after the close of the session in June, 1884, to grant to the student-teachers the option
of being examined for licenses of the third or second class, and under certain conditions for licenses of the first class, after one term's attendance. Nearly all the students elected to be examined for licenses at the close of a term, and hence the large numbers added to the teaching staff of the province during the jear. From the supply thus afforded, and the prospect of an additional supply of over 150 at the close of the term in December last, the board discontinued the granting of locail licenses, except fo Acadian districts, for which the supply of trained teachers is still limited.

Finances.-The total disbursement of prorincial grants for the year ending December 31,1885 , was $\$ 93,805.64$, and the total apportionment of county fund for eight months ending June 30, 1885, was $\$ 66,755.64$; of this sum $\$ 3,750.26$ were special appropriations to poor districts.
d. Nova Scotia : area, 20,907 square miles; population (census of 1881), 440,572. Capital, Halifax; population, 36,160. Superintendent of education, David Allison.

In Nora Scotia, as in New Brunswick, the public schools are supported by prorincial and county fands and rates.

For the year $1884-85$ the superintendent reports an increase in the number of schools, teachers, and pupils, both for the individual terms and for the year as a whole, beyond that of any previous year. Moreover, some degree of improvement is disclosed in all those features of a system of public instruction which may fairly be appealed to as tests of its efficiency.

The total number of pupils registered in the winter term was 81,472 , with a daily arerage attendance of $44,214.5$; in the summer term the total number registered was 86,575; average daily attendance, 47,457.0.

In the former term 1,982 teachers and licensed assistants were emplojed ; in the latter, 2,127 .

With reference to the period of serrice, it is stated that "during the winter term 9 ir teachers continued to teach in the same sections in which ther taught the preceding term, 699 removed to other schools, while 282 engaged in teaching for the first time. During the summer the correspnnding figures were $1,235,655$, and 210. ."

The average salaries throughout the province ranged as follows: for men, from $\$ 20 \overline{3} .34$ for teachers of the third class to $\$ 421.77$ for teachers of the first class; for romen, from $\$ 169.70$ in the third class to $\$ 311.97$ in the first class.

Provision for intermediate instruction is made in county and special academies, which in 1885 showed a total enrollment in all departments of 6,636 .
In his report for $1883-84$ the superintendent stated that from a careful esamination of the matter he was led to the conclusion that but a small part of the adranced school work of the province (viz, instruction in Latin, Greek, algebra, geometry, and chemistry) was done in the country academies. He therefore submitted for the consideration of the legislature the outlines of a plan for remodeling the system of academic grants, which plan has been partially embodied in an act passed by the legislature since the publication of the report indicated. The superintendent also observes "that the work of classical instruction in the academies and high schools has bitherto been seriously inconvenienced by the different matriculation standards in force in the rarious colleges." This dificulty is about to be removed, inasmuch as the colleges of the province have agreed upon a uniform scheme of matriculation stndies.
The number of pupils registered in the normal school during the year 1885 was 205 , of whom 140 receired licenses.
lor the purpose of encouraging agricultural education in the province, the legislature has authorized the appointment of a lecturer on agriculture in connection with the normal school.
The total public school expenditure for 1885 was $\$ 642,711.57$, of which $\$ 199,188.21$ were from the government grants.
From the reports of the board of school commissioners and of the sapervision for
the city of Halifax, it appears that the total number of different pupils enrolled in the common schools during the jear was 6,247 , with an average daily attendance of 3,9-3. In the winter term 98 teachers were employed, and in the summer terms 102. About four-fifths of the teachers are women, and the proportion of women teachers holding the higher grades is increasing.

An examination of the records of the high school shows that, of the pupils who enter, about one out of every twenty passes on to college ; one-third continue in school until they reach the age of 16 or 17 ; and all the rest leave as soon as they can get good situations in banks, stores, or workshops. In view of the very different relation in which these pupils must stand to classical students, it has been decided by the board that "no scholar of the high school shall be required to study Latin; but all scholars wishing to omit the study of Latin shall be required to state their reasons to the masters of the high school before such exemption is granted."
In addition to its system of public schools, Halifax has the adrantage of being the seat of Dalhousie College and University.
Acadia College, situated at Wolfville, has come into deserved prominence during the last tro years by reason of the establishment of a chair of didactics. The first incumbent of the chair is Dr. Theo. A. Rand, well known for his work as chief superintendent of education for New Brunswick, which position he left to accept the new professorship in Acadia College.
c. Ontario: area, 101,733 square miles; population (census of 1881), 1,923,228. Capital, Toronto: population, 80,415 . Minister of education, Geo. W. Ross.

The report of the commissioner of education for 1881 presented a brief outline of the system of public instruction in Ontario. The main features of this excellent system are as follows:

A department of edncation has been created whose powers and duties are clearly defiued, and a complete system of instruction provided, extending from the primary school to the university.
No person is deemed qualified to teach who has not passed the examination for one of the tbree grades of teachers' certificates, all of which examinations are very rigid. Provision for training teachers is made in normal and model schools.
No person can be appointed head master in a high school or collegiate institute unless he shall be a graduate of arts of some university within Her Majesty's dominions, and shall furnish satisfactory evidence of his knowledge of the science and art of teaching. Inspectors must also give evidence of qualification for the service.
The cost of education is defrayed chiefly by legislative grant, municipal grants, and assessments.
In 1881 efficient provisions were introduced into the school law for securing the school attendance of all children between the ages of seven and thirteen years for a period of twenty-two weeks, in two terms of eleven weeks each, in each year.
The following information is derived from the report of the minister of education presenting the proceedings of the department for 1834, with the statistics for 1883:
The school population (comprising only children between the ages of five and sixteen years) reported by trustees was 478,791 ; decrease, 5,026 . The school population and total attendance have been diminishing for some years.

The number of pupils between the ages of five and sisteen years attending the schools was 452,661 ; decrease, 4,517 . Number of pupils of other ages attending the schools, 11,708; decrease, 2,626. Total number of pupils attending the schools, 464,369; decrease, 7,143.

The number of children between seren and thirteon jears of age reported as not attending any school for 110 days during the jear was $88,43 \%$. The number between seven and thirteen reported as not attending any school whatever, 7,266 , or one and a-half per cent. of the whole school population.
The average attendance, viz, the aggregate daily attendance divided bs the num-
ber of legal teaching days in the year, being 220 for rural and 212 for urban schools, was 215,561 ; increase, 1,355 . It is satisfactors to note that, while the total school population and attendance were slowly decreasing, the average attendance increased.

The percentage of average attendance, as compared with the total number attending school; was, for rural districts, 43 ; citics, 59 ; towns, 55 ; province, 46 ; increase, 1 per cent.

The number of teachers employcd was 6,911 , of whom 2,829 were men and 4,082 women.
Salaries are quietly but surely adrancing. The average salary of male teachers in comnties, including incorporated villages, was $\$ 394$; of female teachers, $\$ 252$. In cities, of male teachers, $\$ 764$; of female tcachers, $\$ 36$ ?. In towns, of male teachers, $\$ 605$; of female teachers, 没7. In counties, not including incorporated rillages, the arerage salary of male teachers was $\$ 388$; of female teachers, 850 . In incorporated villages, male teachers, $\$ 515$; female, $\$ 256$. The average salary of male teachers in the prorince was $\$ 422$; of female, $\S 271$. In these calculations teachers who are members of religious orders are omitted.
The average time of keeping the schools open, exclusive of holidars, vacations, and Sundays, was 207 days.
The number of Romau Catholic separate schools was 194, attended by 26,177 pupils, with an arerage attendance of 13,705 . The number of teachers employed in these schools was 397 ; a rerage salaries being, for men, $\$ 352$; for women, $\$ 188$. These figures are considerably below the public school arerage; lut it must be remembered that many of the separate school teachers are members of religious orders, and receive merely nominal salaries.
The amount apportioned and paid br the department of education from the legislative grant to separate schools in the same municipalities was $\$ 14,400$. The amount of school rates from the supporters of separate schools, $\$ 108,634$. The amount subscribed by supporters of separate schools and from other sources, $\$ 43,254$. Total amount received from all sources, $\$ 166,288$.
The number of high schools and collegiate institutes reported is 104 . Of these, 37 charge fees, 67 are free, 54 are united with public schools. The number of pupils in these schools mas 11,843 , and the arerage attendance in them 55 per cent. of the total attendance. The cost per pupil reckoned on total attendance was $\S 29.47$; on arerage attendance, §54.07. The course of study includes algebia, Latin, Greek, Frencl, and German. The total number of teachers emplosed in these schools was 347, and the average salary of head masters was $\$ 1,068$ The total expenditure for the sear on account of these schools was $\$ 348,946$. Of the entire number of pupils reported in 1883 it appears that the number who matriculated at any university was 277 ; who entered mercantile life, 768; who engaged in agriculture, 583; who joined any lcarned profession, 863

By regulations approved by the legislative assembly in 1884, the following conditions are required from each collegiate institute now existing, for its continuance, and for the establishment and continuance of any new collegiate institute: (1) Suitable buildings, ont-buildings, grounds, and appliances for physical training. (2) A library containing standard books of reference bearing on the subjects of the programme. (3) A laboratory with all necessary chemicals and apparatus for teaching the subjects of elementary science. (4) Four masters at least, each of whom shall be specially qualified to gire instruction in one of the following departments: classics, matbematics, natural science, and modern lavguages, including English. (5) The members of the teaching staff must possess such qualifications as will secure thorough instruction in all the subjects on the curriculum of studies for the time being sanctioned by the education department for collegiate institutes.

The foregoing are intended to apply to every collegiate institute thatmar hereafter be established, and to those now existing, on and after the first day of January, $1 \mathbb{E}=\mathbf{z}$.

The annual legislative grants to high schools and collegiate institutes shall be dis-

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 REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONER GF EDUCATIONtributed on the following basis: (1) Every high school with two qualified teachers shall receive the fixed grant of $\$ 500$, andin addition $33 \frac{1}{3}$ per cent. of the yearly amount paid for salaries of such teachers from $\$ 1,500$ up to $\$ 2,000$. (2) Every high school with at least three qualified teachers shall receive the fixed grant of $\$ 500$, and in addition 45 per cent. of the amount by which the aggregate of salaries paid such teachers exceeds $\$ 2,000$, but not to exceed $\$ 750$ in any case. (3) With a view to encourage the establishment and maintenance of school libraries and laboratories, the improvement of grounds and buildings, and the promotion of physical culture by means of gymnastics, drill, and calisthenics, a sum not exceeding $\$ 10,000$ is to be apportioned by the education department among such high schools (and collegiate institutes) as are considered worthy. In the distribution of this sum the average attendance will be taken into account. (4) Every collegiate institute complying with all the conditions prescribed by the education department for collegiate institutes, as such, shall receive the fixed high school grant of $\$ 500$, the special grant for collegiate institutes of $\$ 250$, also $33 \frac{1}{3}$ per cent. of the jearly amount paid for salaries of the four duly qualified teachers from $\$ 2,000$ up to $\$ 4,500$, but not to exceed $\$ 750$; also $33 \frac{1}{8}$ per cent. of the amount by which the aggregate of all salaries exceeds $\$ 4,500$, int not to exceed $\$ 500$ in any case.
The Toronto Normal School had an attendance during the year 1883-'84 of 219 students, and the Ottawa Normal School an attendance of 132. The expenditure on behalf of these schools, together with the model schools connected with them, was, for $1883, \$ 45,340.40$, and for $1884, \$ 49,602.68$.
Fifty-one county model schools were in operation during the year, with an attendance of 1,117 student teachers, of whom 1,017 passed the final examination.
The course of training includes principles of education, physiology and hygiene, music, drawing, and calisthenics, and review of non-professional work. The session continues for thirteen weeke, and a special allowance is made to the principal of any school in which provision is made for this work.

Under the regulations of $18: 7$ teachers' associations were first recognized by law as part of the educational machinery of the province. They have grown rapidly in popularity and usefuluess, but so far have been maintained by the almost unaided efforts of the profession. Under the conviction that still better results may be secured through these associations, the department of education has appointed an officer for the supervision of them. The duties of this officer, whose title is " director of teachers' institutes," are briefly as follows : (a) to visit each institute annually; (b) to deliver at least three lectures to the institutes, and one public address at each visit; (c) to form the teachers into classes for instruction in methods of teaching ; (d) to direct the profession, either by examination or otherwise, as to the literature that should occupy their attention during their spare hours; ( $e$ ) to arouse their professional enthusiasm by personal intercourse and advice; $(f)$ to meet trustees and other school officcrs, and give such information in regard to school matters as may be required; (g) to report annually to the department the attendance at each meeting, the nature of the work done, etc.
The institutions for superior instruction included in the report of the minister of education are the University of Toronto; University College, Toronto; School of Practical Science ; and Upper Canada College.

During the year 737 candidates underwent examination in the different faculties of the University, including 71 in the local examination for women.
The number who matriculated or were admitted to degrees and ad cundem statum in the different faculties was as follows: law, matriculated, 10; degree of LL. B., 1 ; medicine, matriculated, 26 ; degree of M. B., 10 ; degree of M. D., 2; arts, matriculated, 170 ; ad cundem statum, 5 ; degree of B. A., 65 ; degree of M. A., 3.

The senate of the University of Toronto has recently passed a statute establishing the degree of C. E., open only to those who hold the diploma in civil engineering of the School of Practical Science.

One indispensable condition for obtaining this degree is that the candidate shall have spent three ycars on engineering work after leaving this school. The degree is thus a certificate that the holder has had six years training in his profession, three years of which shall have been spent in laying a scientific foundation for his future work.
The establishment of this degree supplies a want long felt hy the profession in this province. Hitherto the most general method of becoming a civil engineer in this country has been for the aspirant to begin on railway or other engineering work, as a chainman or rodman, and gradually to rise to the position of assistant engineer. At this stage it is usual for a man to assume the designation of C. $\mathbf{E}$. and to be so considered by his fellow professioual men. If he has by this time gained sufficient experience and influence, the higher positions in the service are within his reach. The defects of this system are obvious. No examination was required as a test of his scientific knowledge, and no diploma was received from any properly constituted authority. In fact, the profession has hitherto been simply a business open to any one, irrespective of his qualifications.

This state of affairs has been unsatisfactory to men who take an interest in their profession, and various attempts have been made by the older members of the profession in Canada to remedy it, by forming a society of civil engineers similar to the Institution of Civil Engineers in Great Britain, and to the American Society of Civil Engineers in the United States; but hitherto little success has attended their efforts.

This board feels confident that the establishment of the department of engineering in the School of Practical Science, and of the university degree of C. E., will do much to elevate the character of the profession by affording young engineers an opportunity both of obtaining the scientific knowledge necessary for successful practice, and of becoming properly accredited professional men. While any one is still at liberty to style himself a civil engineer, the fact that the number of students in the department has steadily increased from seven in 1878, when the school was opened, to forty-one in the present session, shows that the joung men of the country feel the importance of good training, and appreciate the opportunity for obtaining it which the School of Practical Science now places within their reach.

The tenth annual report of the Ontario Agricaltural College and Experimental Farm brings the record of that institution to January, 1885. This is truly a farmers' school, and every year gives increased evidence of its usefulness.

The course of study includes business arithmetic, surveying, political economy, a little of the pure sciences, and agriculture in all its branches. English language and literature are included in the programme, but no place is assigned either to the classics or modern foreign languages. Instruction is given wholly by lectures.
The daily routine of the students will serve to show how large a part of the time is spent in practical work. For nine months in the year the daily exercises are as follows: lectures in the college, three hours a day (except Saturdays); manual labor outside, three and a half to five hours a day, according to the season of the year; study in room, two hours a day; drill and gymnastics, one hour a day (for five days of every alternate week).

July and August are devoted entirely to work in the outside department.
The roll of students for the year numbers 188.

## f. Prince Edward Island: area, 2,133 square miles; population, 108,891. Capital, Charlottetown.

 Chief superintendent of education, D. Montgomery.According to the report for 1883 , the number of pupils enrolled in the public schools was 21,495 , with an average daily attendance of 11,759 . Attendance is compulsory for at least 13 weeks annually, and from careful estimates the superintendent is led to believe that in the country districts nearly the whole population between the ages of 5 and 16 is enrolled at school for some portion of the year. The record of the towns
appears to be less satisfactory.

Of the entire number of pupils enrolled, 1,934 were studying one or more of the following advanced branches: Latin, Greek, French, algebra, geometry, chemistry, and natural philosophy.

The total number of teachers employed was 473 , of whom 247 were men and 226 women. The number of women teachers employed increases each year, the excess of men having fallen from 71 in 1881 to 21 in 1883 . Average salaries range, for men, from $\$ 226.90$ in the third class to $\$ 491.52$ in the first class; for women, from $\$ 130$ to $\$ 295$, in the same classes.

The attendance for the year at the Prince of Wales College and normal school was 130 pupils.

The total expenditure for the jear was $\$ 136,817.09$; the rate of expenditure for each pupil enrolled was $\$ 6.36$, for each pupil in daily attendance $\$ 11.64$.
g. Quebec: area, 188,688 square miles; population, $1,359,027$. Capital, Quebec: population, $62,446$. Superintendent of public instraction, Gédéon Ouimet.

The department of publicinstruction in the province of Quebec is placed under a superintendent, and the council of instruction is divided into two distinct committees, one Roman Catholic and the other Protestant. The province is divided into school municipalities managed by five school commissioners. When in any locality there esists a certain number of families who do not profess the religious belief of the majority of the inhabitants, the minority have a right to demand for their children separate schools, which are placed under the control of three trustees, and they receive a grant from Government proportioned to the number of children of school age. Thus it is sought to protect both Protestants and Roman Catholics in their beliefs. This is considered necessary, owing to the fact that the system of public instruction in Quebec is distinctly religious, and not secular.

From the report of the superintendent of public instruction for the year $1833-84$, it appears that the number of pupils enrolled in the schools for that sear was 250,000 , being an increase of 7,277 over the previous year. The average attendance was 192,852 , being an increase of 6,960 .

The superintendent reports marked improvement in school buildings and furniture. He goes on to say:

The law of 1876, which obliges the municipalities not to construct school-houses except under certain conditions as to size and distribution of rooms, was not passed without considerable hesitation by the legislature. It was feared that popular indignation would be provoked at the restraint and additional expense which might follow, and that this feeling would manifest itself at the elections. Nothing of the kind, however, happened. The ideas of the people were misunderstood, I am happy to be able to state, in the matter of public instruction; the opposition made to the law is scarcely perceptible.
The superintendent calls attention to the very unsatisfactory positions of the teachers of the primary schools on account of their meager salaries ; a domestic servant earning $\$ 5$ a month is better off than the female teacher who receives from $\$ 60$ to $\$ 100$ a year; of these there are 1,863 , learing out the nuns. An annual salary of $\$ 200$ is paid to 154 teachers. "The time seems to have come," says the superintendent, "when the proposition to tix a minimum for salaries by special legislation ought to be carried into effect." The law respecting the pension fund, though incomplete, is said to have yielded excellent results. The superintendent advises that the examinations for teachers' diplomas be made more severe. "There are," he says, "enough certificated teachers, but not enough good teachers." This he attributes to the too great facility with which certificates of competency have been granted.
The great agricultural progress in the province for several successive years is, in the judgment of the superintendent, attributable in some measure to the instruction given on the subject in the schonls.
The total amount of grant, assessments, and contributions for school purposes amounted for the year to $\$ 10,951.90$.

From the statistics of superior education, Catholic and Protestant, it appears that the whole number of institutions was 563 ; the amonnt of government grants to the same, $\$ 113,362$. For 560 institutions the anuual revenue was $\$ 1,223,579$; the annual expenditure, $\$ 1,234,607$; the value of buildings and of real estate, $\$ 5,695,896$; the number of professors and of teachers, 2,842 ; and the number of pupils, 74,592 .

The above statistics include 3 normal schools, in which there were entered for the year 286 pupils; of these, 244 remained to the end of the sessions, and 173 received diplomas.

Jamarca, British colony: area, including Turks and Caicos islands, 4,362 square miles; population 585,536 . Capital, Kingston. Inspector of schools, Thomas Capper.

From the report of the inspector for the year ending September 30, 1885, it appears that there were 728 schools on the government list, having an enrollment of 62,106 scholars, with 36,079 , or 58.1 per cent., in average attendance.

The prominence that has lately been given to the subject of education in the legislature, in the public press, and in the report of the royal commissioners, has greatly stimulated the work in this island. Enrollment, average attendance, and the amount of school fees collected show large increase over the same for 1882.

The difficulty which is experienced in the endeavor to secure qualified teachers will, it is hoped, be diminished by the operations of the Female Training College established in accordance with the legislative act of 1884. The opinion is expressed that, taking one source of income with another, a well qualified first-class teacher may secure an annual income of 1001 . A new building for the Jamaica High School was formally opened in July. Unusual success has attended the operation of the adult and juvenile reading clubs organized through the persistent efforts of the assistant inspector, Col. George Hicks.

The grant in aid of education amounted in 1884-'85 to 21,7071 , and the fees collected to 7,903l.

Trinidad, British colony : area, 1,754 square miles; population, 153,128. Superintendent of education, R.J.L. Guppy.

The following information is derived from the report of the superintendent of education for the two years ending June 30, 1885:

The number of schools under inspection at the date mentioned was 116, having an enrollment of 11,747 scholars and an average attendance of 8,132 . There were also 20 Coolie schools, toward the maintenance of which a special grant of $250 l$ is made; these had an enrollment of 645 scholars and an average attendance of 441. This gives in all a total of 136 schools, 12,392 scholars, and 8,573 in average attendance. These figures, the superintendent observes, show "a marvelous increase upon those last published, namely, for the year 1882-'83;" but he estimates that there are still in Trinidad over 5,000 children who do not go to any school.

Exclusive of buildings and repairs, the total expenditure for elementary and higher elementary education during the year 1884 was $16,415 l 18 s 2 d$, or 5 per cent. of the public expenditure of the island. Of this sum, $2,368 l$ were returned in fees and reimbursements.

## V.-South America.

My Report for 1883-84 contained information with regard to education in several countries of South America. Later information has been received from Ecuador, Chili, and Uruguay, but not in time for insertion in this Report. The interest felt in the progress of the South American countries leads me to hope for full data from the same for use in the next Annual Report of tbls Office.

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HAFAII, constitutional monarohy : area, 6,677 square miles; population (consu8 of 1884), 80,578. Capi tal, Honolula; population, 20,487.

The latest information respecting education in Hawaii will be found in my Report for 1883-84. Since that date the Office has receired an interesting account of the industrial and reformatory school of Honolulu, established in 1865.

Boys are committed to this school by a magistrate's order, on conriction of crime or misdemeanor, or for being truants, vagabonds, or orphans. In addition to the ordinary elementary branches the boys are trained in agriculture and in carpentry, provided they show any aptitude for mechanical parsuits. Instramental masic is also a feature of the training. Since the school was founded there have been about 450 admissions and 395 discharges.

New South Wales, British colony : area, 309,175 square miles ; popalation (estimated, 1884), $250,000$. Capital, Sydeey. Minister of pablic Anstruction, W. J. Trickett.

In his report for 1884 the minister of public instraction gives the following summary of the year's work : 241 new schools were opened; 1,912 schools were in operation during the whole or some part of the year, and 1,875 schools were in existence at its close. The whole school accommodation thus provided was equal to 151,166 seats. Two hundred and thirty applications for new schools were received, and 181 granted. The total number of schools established from 18:1, the year following the passage of the public instruction act, to 1884 , was 575 , and notwithstanding the withdrawal of aid from denominational schools at the close of 1882, the net increase for the period was 404. The total school population (4 to 15 years) was 250,628 , and the statutory school population ( 6 to 14 years) was 180,577, showing an increase from April 1, 1831 (when the censas was last taken), of 32,257 , or $22 \frac{1}{3}$ per cent. ; 167,134 pupils, showing an increase of 71,216 for the year, attended state schools; 126,469, or $75 \frac{1}{2}$ per cent., were of the statutory school age, and 40,665 , or $24 \frac{1}{2}$ per cent., were under or over that age ; 86,665 were on the school rolls nine months or more in the year, and the remainder, 80,469 , less than nine months; 83,541 attended school 140 days or more, and 83,593 attended less than 140 days in the jear.
The percentages of enrolled pupils in average attendance, and attending 140 dars or more, were nearly the same for 1883 and 1884. In 2,526 cases of default in school attendance, the parents were prosecuted and convicted. Steps were taken towards appointing additional school boards in each district, so that local supervision might become more active and efficient.

196 additional school sites were obtained, 406 new school buildings and 41 substantial additions to existing buildings were completed, affording accommodation for 33,027 papils. At the close of the year, the total number of places provided in school accommodation exceeded the average namber of pupils in quarterly enrollment by 12,581 , and was only 14,990 less than the number of distinct pupils on the school rolls during the jear. Other new buildings and additions, for the accommodation of 9,924 pupils, were in progress at the close of the year; 45 new weather sheds and repairs to 416 school buildings were also completed or in progress.

The inspectoral staff was rearranged, and improved standards of proficiency were broaght into operation. 98,540 pupils were examined, $\varepsilon 2$ per cent. being of the statutory school age. In all respects the proficiency of the pupils evidences satisfactory progress. 8 high schools and 26 superior schools were in operation. The superior schools are doing fairly satisfactory work, but the amount of sapport high schools have hitherto received from the public is not encouraging. Night schools have still further declined, and the experience so far gained respecting them tends to show that their usefulness is very limited. 40 itinerant teachers are at work, and the results achieved are very encouraging.

2,264 teachers and assistants, 823 pupil-teachers, and 88 work-mistresses were em-
ployed; 119 students attended the training school, and, of these, 74 completed their course and obtained certificates.
$774,357 l$ were expended during the year, and toward this amount $56,766 l$ were paid into the treasury as school fees. This expenditure shows a decrease of $47,495 l$ compared with that of the previous year. The total amount expended per pupil was $1288 \frac{1}{2} d$ less, and the net state expenditure was $12 s 11 \frac{1}{3} d$ per pupil less, than in the previous year, while the state expenditure per pupil for education-exclusive of the expenditure on buildings-was $2 l 985 \frac{3}{3} d$, or an excess of $185 \frac{1}{2} d$ per pupil over the like expenditure of 1883.

Technical education.-The board of technical education was appointed on August 1, 1883. On October 1st the Technical College of the Sydney Mechanics' School of Arts, which had been subsidized by the Government for four years previously, was transferred to the management of the board, and the large hall, the chemical laboratory, the art room, and seven other apartments were leased from the committee of the School of Arts.

The number of individual students who received instruction at the Technical College during at least one session of the jear was 2,128, or an increase of 887 over those attending some of the terms of 1883.
The popular science lectures, given under the auspices of the board, in the large hall of the Sydney Mechanics' School of Arts, leased for four nights weekly for that purpose, are principally intended for the benefit of workingmen, and to induce students to attend the college classes, and they have proved highly valuable in giving information on a variety of subjects to numbers of artisans engaged in the leading industries. The estimated number of persons who attended 187 of these lectures during last year was 34,298 , or an average of 183 at each lecture.

The total advance from the parliamentary vote for technical education in 1884 was $17,093 l 384 d$.

New Zealand, British colony: area, 104,027 square miles ; popalation, exclusive of Maoris (1884), 596,604. Capital, Wellington. Minister of education, Robert Stout.

The following information is derived from the report of the minister of education for the year ending December 31, 1884.

The number of public schools reported in operation at the date mentioned was $98{ }^{\circ}$, being an increase of 44 since 1883. The number of scholars belonging at the end of the jear was 97,238 ; the average attendance for the whole year was 75,391 , being 77.9 per cent. of the mean of the number enrolled for the four quarters. The increase in enrollment and in average attendance over 1883 was greater than in any similar period since 1880. The attendances reported include 163 pure Maoris, and 540 of mixed races.
The branches parsued, in addition to the three elementary sabjects, and the number of scholars in each were as follows : English grammar and composition, 42,784; geography, 55,128 ; history, 36,915 ; elementary science, 20,331 ; drawing, 59,066 ; object lessons, 74,656 ; vocal music, 70,157 ; needle-work (girls), 34,504 ; domestic economy, 6,462.

The number of teachers employed during the last quarter of 1884 was 2,447, an increase of 156 over the corresponding number in 1883. This increase kept equal pace with the increase in average attendance. The total receipts for elementary education during the year were $371,548 l 1989 d$; adding to this sum receipts for public libraries and secondary schools, and balances, the total income was $384,556 \mathrm{l} 11 \mathrm{~s} 5 d$. The total expenditure by the school board for elementary schools, public libraries, and secondary schools, was $365,002 l 1982 d$.

Four training colleges for teachers are reported, having an enrollment in December, 1884, of 139 students. The expenditure for these schools was $8,652 l 686 d$, and the government grant 7,618l 4s 9d.

The report contain interesting particulars of 71 native schools maintained by the
department, and 10 industrial schools and orphanages maintained wholly or in part by the department. Separate reports are made by the department to the general assembly respecting secondary and superior institutions. The latter comprise Canterbury College, the Auckland University College, the University of New Zealand, and the University of Otago.

South Australia, British colony: area, 903,690 square miles; estimated popalation (1883), 304,515 . Capital, Adelaide. Minister of education, R. C. Baker.

The following information is derived from the report of the minister of education for 1884.
The total number of children under instruction during the year in public and provisional schools was 42,758 , and the average daily attendance 25,048 . The schools were in charge of 241 head teachers, the whole number of teachers and assistants being 1,000 . The report on the operation of the compulsory law shows that 15.34 per cent. of the children of compulsory age did not make the required thirty-five days' attendance, and that 0.44 per cent. of the total number of compulsory age were reported as cases of neglect.
The cost of enforcing compulsion was 1,986718 . Of 30 pupils of the training college, 5 passed the examination for second-class certificates, and 28 the examination for third-class certificates.
The cost of the training college for the year was $3,504 l 2 s 6 d$. The total cost of education, exclusive of buildings, was $102,143 l 287 d$. The amount of school fees paid by the parents was $23,75810 s 8 d$.

Victoria, British colony: area, 87,884 square miles; population, 1884 (estimated), 945,703 . Cap tal, Melbourne. Minister of public instruction, D. Gillies.

The following information is derived from the report of the minister of public instruction for the years 1883 and 1884.
The number of schools in operation December 31, 1883, was 1,750. Of these, 1,680 were conducted as full time, and 70 as half time schools. The number of localities supplied with means of education was 1,820 , showing a net increase of 26 during the year.
Twenty-nine night schools were opened in 1883, and 27 remained in operation on December 31st. Of these, 8 were for boys, 4 for girls, and 15 for both sexes.
The eurollment in the day schools for 1883 was 217,447 ; a verage attendance, 116,716; enrollment in night schools, 4,981; average attendance, 1,612; total enrollment, 222,428 ; total average attendance, 118,328 .
A careful examination of the returns indicates that these totals include many duplicate enrollments; it is estimated that if the rolls were cleared of these duplicates the number of pupils in day and night schools would not exceed 188,949, being an increase of 1,559 over the number in 1882 .
The number of private schools which furnished returns for the year 1883 in compliance with the requirements of the Education Art Amendment Act was 673 ; in addition three private schools were reported by the government statistician. The enrollment in these private schools was 41,922 .
The percentages of passes in the several subjects of instruction were as follows: reading (I), 91.3 ; reading (II-comprehension of matter read), 62.6; spelling, $\varepsilon 3.3$; writing, 95.4 ; arithmetic, 81.7 ; grammar, 70.6; geography, 82. During the year 10,036 children passed the examination qualifying for the certificate of exemption from further attendance at school. Extra subjects were taught in 210 schools, a number less by 8 than in the preceding year. The subjects numbered 20 altogether, but usually not more than 2 or 3 were taught in one school. The amount received from pupils for this instruction was $4,832 l 9 s 7 d$.
Instruction in singing was given by 23 visiting teachers and 87 of the ordinary staff. The attendance at the classes was 33,566 , being 440 less than the number un-
der instruction during the previous year. The number of schools in which singing was taught was 218. Drawing was taught in 156 schools by 14 visiting teachers and 80 members of the ordinary statf ; 20,462 children were under instruction in this subject, and the cost of teaching it was $3,963 l 1088 d$. The attendance at the classes for instruction in military drill, which was taught in 195 schools, was 11,464 , and shows a slight increase on the attendance over the previous year. Instruction in gymnastics was given in four schools. On December 31, 1883 , there were employed in state schools 1,734 head teachers and 2,450 assistants. In 1871 there was one teacher, classified or unclassified, for every 52 children in average attendance, one classified or partially classified teacher for every 57 children, and one certificated teacher for every 132 children. In 1883 there were no longer any unclassified teachers, and the supply of classified teachers had so far improved as to provide one classified or partially classified teacher for every 46 children in average attendance, and one certificated teacher for every 100 children.
The relative proportion of male and female teachers has undergone no marked change, bat the latter are continually being introduced to a greater extent, as has been the consistent practice of the department.
The average salary received by teachers, exclusive of any sum earned as fees for instruction in extra subjects, or as bonuses for the passing of pupil teachers, or for teaching singing, drawing, or drill, was, for head teachers, male, $17171684 d$; female, $101 l 1_{2} 7 d$; for assistants, male, $155 l 1_{8}$; female, $119 l 1_{8} 9 d$. Where residences are provided a small rent is charged. Bonuses are paid to Victorian teachers for giving (if qualified) instruction in singing, drawing, drill, or gymnastics, and for passing pupil teachers at their annual examinations. They also receive the fees paid for instruction in extra subjects. Last year 87 qualified teachers earned a bonus of 102 per annum for teaching singing, and 80 a similar amount for teaching drawing. The total amount received by teachers for giving instruction in drill and gymnastics ( $2,87711_{8} 9 d$ ), for passing pupil teachers ( $2,884 l 288 d$ ), and for teaching extra subjects $\left(4,832 l 9_{s} ; d\right)$, was 10,5931 14s.
Notwithstanding the rapid increase in the number of new schools, there still remain some sparsely populated localities where it has hitherto been found difficult, and sometimes impossible, to provide facilities for education. In such districts, wherever practicable, half-time schools have been established, 140 localities being thus provided for. In the case of small settlements widely separated from each other, an extension of the half-time principle has lately been adopted, by which the schools are taught week and week about, instead of on alternate days, or at alternate school meetings, as ordinarily. In still more thinly populated districts it is intended to employ ambalatory teachers, who will pass from one group of families to another, teaching a month or so at each center. The number of such localities, where the children are at present deprived of all means of education, is, however, believed to be very small. The establishment of schools in remote districts has been greatly facilitated by the assistance freely rendered by boards of advice, and the parents providing rooms or buildings for school purposes, often at a nominal rental.

Mention was made in the last report of the department that, in order to cope more effectually with the evil of truancy, an addition was made during the year to the number of truant officers. Some of the larger districts were therefure reduced in size, and four new districts were constituted. The number of truant officers employed at the end of the year was 30 .

Subsequently, in March of the present year, it was determined to adopt further measures for maintaining a more complete surveillance over children of whom from time to time complaint was made that they might be seen loitering or playing in the streets during school hours. Four officers were accordingly appointed for the special purpose of traversing the streets, parks, and public gardens of the city and suburbs, with instruction to accost all children apparently of school age met with during
school hours, and ascertain by inquiry of them and at their homes the reason of their absence from school.

The labors of these officers have been fairly successful, and have resulted in the detection of several children who never attend school, and the prosecution of the offending parents. On the other hand, their reports show that the great bulk of the children seen daily about the streets do attend school with greater or less regularity, and that their absence is due to causes of a temporary, and generally a legitimate nature.

The total expenditure under the vote for the department of public instruction and under loans was $604,871 l 9 s 2 d$, and, as compared with the expenditure for the previous financial year, shows a decrease of $9,404 l 18810 d$. Deducting the grants to the schools of mines and schools of design, the grant of $2,000 l$ to the Melbourne University, and the sum spent in the erection and maintenance of school buildings and for rent, the expenditure was $531,912 l 388 d$, and shows an increase of $4,896 l 5 s 9 d$.

Wegtern Australia, Britieh colony: area, 1,057,250 square miles; population (1881), 29,708. Inspector of schools, W. Adkinson.

The following information is derived from the report of the inspector of schools for the year 1884.

The uumber of elementary schools at the close of the year 1883 was 91 , viz, 75 government schools and 16 assisted schools; of these, 89 remained in operation to the close of 1884.

The average number of scholars enrolled in 1884 was 4,156 , and the number in average attendance 3,167 , or 76 per cent. A comparison of the standards attained in 1884 and 1874 shows that while the number of schools had only risen from 84 to 91 , the number presenting scholars in the three higher standards had more than doubled.

The receipts for school purposes during 1884 amounted to $3,938 l 13 s$ 6d, and the expenditure to $1,900 \mathrm{l} 9_{s} 2 \mathrm{~d}$.

TaSmania, British colony : area, 26,615 square miles; estimated popalation (1883), 126,220. Capital, Hobart. Chairman of the board of education, Henry Butler.

The following information is derived from the report of the board of education for the year 1884.
During the year 1884 there were 191 schools in operation; the total number of distinct children on the rolls for the year was 14,846 ; the average number on the rolls from month to month was 10,134 ; and the average daily attendance, 7,297 . As compared with the previous year the number of schools has increased by 8 , the total number of children on the rolls by 605 , the average number on the rolls by 426 , and the average daily attendance by 257.

Grant for education.-The total expenditure in aid of public schools amounted to 21,279l 1s 10 d.
Building grants.-During the year the sum of $14,935 l$ 118 $7 d$ was appropriated, under the provision of the public school erection acts, in aid of the erection of school premises.
Three night schools for males were maintained, with an average attendance of 37 scholars, for the three quarters during which they were in session.

The board paid on account of these scholars $2012 s$, and the receipts from scholars were $35 l$ 9s $9 d$.

## RECOMMENDATIONS.

The organization of the educational museam in connection with this Office, which I have had the honor to recommend, now constituting a collection of great value and more and more visited and studied by teachers and school officers, should have a sufficient appropriation to enable it, by exchange and otherwise, to supply similar
collections in the offices of the several State superintendents and the leading cities when desired. A new and important additional demand has been made upon the collection for supplying exhibits where educational collections are presented in State and other expositions. There can be no question of the effective aid these collections wonld render to the progress of education. Through this Office the best illustrations of improved appliances should be collected and distributed to all parts of the country.
I renew most earnestly the following recommendations:
(1) That $\$ 50,000$ be appropriated for the support of common schools in Alaska.
(2) That the office of the superintendent of public instraction for each Territory be created, to be filled by appointment by the President, the compensation to be fixed and paid as in the case of other Federal appointees for the Territories.
(3) In view of the large number of children growing up in ignorance in portions of the country, and in view of the special difficulties in the way of establishing and maintaining therein schools for universal education, and in consideration of the imperative need of immediate action in this regard, I recommend that the net proceeds arising from the sale of public lands be set aside as a special fund, the interest of said fund to bedivided annually pro rata among the several States and Territories and the District of Columbia, or that an adequate fund be appropriated directly from the Treasury and expended under such provisions in regard to amount, allotment, expenditure, and supervision, as Congress in its wisdom may deem fit and proper. The returns of the last census emphasize the importance of this recommendation. The per cent. of illiteracy of persons 10 sears of age and upward has decreased from 20.05 in 1870 to 17 in 1880 , but the number of illiterates over 10 jears of age has increased from $5,658,144$ to $6,239,958$ in the same period.
The delay in making some appropriate provision of national aid to education is constantly furnishing illustrations of the necessity and advantage of bestowing this aid, and is creating widely a sentiment in favor of a large temporary appropriation in aid of schools from the surplus in the Treasury to meet the present emergency. No appropriation could be made more effectually to assure the perpetuity of our institutions.
(4) I recommend the enactment of a law requiring that all facts in regard to national aid to education, and all facts in regard to education in the Territories and the District of Columbia, necessary for the information of Congress, be presented through this Office.
(5) I recommend an increase of the permanent force of the Office. The experience of the Office indicates clearly that the collection of educational information and publication of the same, as required by the law regulating it, cannot be properly done with the present limited clerical force.

My resignation having been tendered, thereby removing all possible personal advantage in the objects sought, I add the two following recommendations, of great importance, I believe, to the education of the country:
(1) That the salary of the Commissioner of Education be $\$ 6,000$ per annum.
(2) That immediate provision be made for the erection of an appropriate bailding adequate to the parposes of this Office.

## APPROPRIATIONS NEEDED.

The following letter, written in connection with the annual estimates of the Office, contains a full statement of my views in regard to appropriations needed for its support:

> Department of the Interior, Bureau of Education, Washington, D. C., October $13,1885$.

## To the Honorable the The Secretary of the Interior, Tashington, D. C.

SIR: In submitting the estimates of this Office for appropriations for the year 1886-'87, I may be permitted to add a word of explanation.
First. I recommend the addition of $\$ 200$ to the present appropriation of $\$ 1,800$ for the salary of the chief clerk. Two thousand dollars was formenly the salary of this office. The $\$ 200$ was taken off of his salary several years since, when the same amount was taken from the salaries of a considerable number of officers of the same grade. These salaries have generally been restored. Chief clerks of Bureaus are genèrally paid $\$ 2,000$, and I fail to see why a chief clerk of the Office of Education, with all the most delicate and difficult duties of such a position, should be paid less than a chief clerk of the same grade in any other service.
Second. I have submitted an increased estimate of two clerks of class $4, \$ 3,600$; one librarian, $\$ 1,800$; two clerks of class $3, \$ 3,200$; one copyist, $\$ 900$; one copyist, $\$ 800$,an addition to the clerical force of the Office. Those who have been familiar with the growth of this Office may have been observant of the fact that I have never submitted estimates of increase until that increase was clearly demanded and had become plainly necessary in the administration of the Office. The work undertaken under my direction has been kept strictly within the requirements of the law to collect "statistics and facts," and to diffuse "such information respecting the organization and management of schools and school systems, and methods of teaching, as shall aid the people of the United States in the establishment and maintenance of efficient school systems, and otherwise promote the cause of education throughout the country."
It is well known that the interests of war and commerce have forced the information touching these subjects into forms for generalization and the satisfactory drawing of conclusions. It is equally well known with reference to the subject of education that the data upon which conclusions depend have only within a comparatively recent period begun to be collected in a form for purposes of generalization.
There is a lack of a common nomenclature. Even when this Office began its work the statistics of States and cities in the Union could be compared only to a limited extent. This Office, without authority, has fortunately been favored by the good-will of the administrative officers of education, and terms and forms of statement have been so changed that there has been great increase in the possibilities of generalization and reasonable deduction. This good-will has been far more valuable than money. It has furnished in many cases information that money could not purchase; but it may be said, in a sense, to increase the obligation of this Office to be able to handle the material efficiently and satisfactorily which comes to it.

All the estimates made by me from time to time have been made with a viow to these demands. Their growth from year to year will be apparent to any one who will become familiar with the facts. No remote, impossible theory of doing the work hasever been projected. Each step forward has been taken with a clear knowledge of what was to be done. No careful student of the work of the Office, coming from any part of our country or from any part of the world, that I know, has failed to approve its objects, its methods, and its administration. Everything about it is submitted to the freest scrutiny of everybody. Again and again urgent demands for work by great interests of education are made, which it is impossible for the Office to undertake. The entire work of the Office is kept in the closest possible relation to the requirements of educational progress. No fanciful objects have been sought, no sinecures desired.

The presence of an idle person connceted with the Office would be a personal annoyance to me.
The character of the work of the Office is not sensational, and should not be sensational if it would pron ote the most healthy progress of the care of the young; but careful inquiry from any quarter will readily ascertain what its methods and merits are. It is to do more of this work required within the Office that these estimates for increased clerical force are made. The assistants now furnished are overtaxed, and much exceedingly valuable work remains untouched. The tasks which the Commissioner has been accustomed to carry in his own hands are too heary, and they cannot long be performed by one man ; they must be subdiyided. Therefore the increase asked is mainly for a higher order of clerks, with an appropriate increase of copsists.
The friends and promoters of a variety of special departments of education are asking more attention to their specialties. Those engaged in the prevention of crime among juveniles, the management of orphan asclums and reformatories, those engaged in the management of libraries, the promoters of industrial education and others, are urgently asking that one or more persons in the Office of proper competency be charged with special care of their respective subjects under the Commissioner. This can hardly be regarded otherwise than as a most reasonable demand. If there should be granted my request for the three $\$ 1,800$ places, a movement of this kind in the organization could be begun.
One of these places I have specified as librarian. To the growth of the library I refer elsewhere. Clearly the handling of the material in the Office, cataloguing, indexing, and holding it in readiness for the use of the several departments of work in the Office, and the demands of educators from outside, is central to all that is undertaken by it. So far I have had to carry the work forward without specific provision of law. I ask for a librarian.
The museum of the Office, to which I refer elsewhere, has had rapid growth with slight expenditure, and has become especially helpful in conveying to educators ideas of improvements in appliances and conditions of education; and while I have deemed it best to manage it without specifically asking for a director of the museum, I do need sufficient clerical force upon which to draw for its custods, and for explanations necessary to inquirers.
Third. I estimate for three watchmen, and may remark that when the Department of the Interior had an ample supply of watchmen, they furnished the watchmen for the building occupied by this Office; but since the superintendent of the Department buildings and of the force of watchmen has been so greatly called upon for service in the care of other buildings, it has been impossible, as he has informed me, to furnish the watchmen for this building in full, and since that date the time of two watchmen necessary for this building has been made up out of the time of laborers of this Office, voluntarily, in addition to their regular work. I may observe that the books and collection of educational appliances in the possession of this Office have become very valuable. Some of them, if destrosed by fire, could not be replaced. Though they have come to the Office by comparatively little expenditure of money, their purchase outright in the market would be very costly. Their loss by fire would be a great detriment to education. I ask, therefore, that the necessary watchmeis for this service may be granted.
Fourth. I submit a recommendation for an increase of $\$ 500$ to the present appropriation of $\$ 500$ for the purchase of books for the pedagogical library. When my service here commenced there were not a hundred volumes in the possession of the Government for use in this work. The number of volumes now in the library is $18,21 \varepsilon$, and the number of pamphlets 47,800 . Congress saw fit to give me annually $\$ 1,000$ for this library. By the care with which this small sum has been expended, the library has come to be pronounced bs foreign experts as unique.
Moreover, it is not only used primarily by the clerks of the Office for the techni-

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cal purposes of the Office to abbreviate labor and save expenditure in other directions, but as it has become known to the educators of the country that there is such a literature of education, stndents and investigators are coming from a distance for its use, and the stream of inquiries for quotations and drafts upon it is steadily increasing. Besides, the literature of education throughout the world is multiplying rapidly, and, if we would keep up with its progress, more instead of less should be appropriated. Shall there not be one point in the United States where the educators of the country can be sure they will find the literature of their subject? I only ask that the $\$ 500$ some time since taken from the $\$ 1,000$ previously appropriated for this purpose, may be restored.
Fifth. In the last appropriation there was granted the Office $\$ 3,000$ for the collection of statistics, making of special reports, preparing circulars of information, etc., and I have the honor to submit an estimate for an increase of $\$ 17,000$, or a total appropriation of $\$ 20,000$. Is it necessary in the American Republic to set forth the reasons for this estimate? As a government we properly expend large amounts of money to promote the science of physics, of chemistry, of geology, and the sciences which especially promote the efficiency of instruments of war. Can we as a people of liberty, whose institutions we claim depend solely upon the free, intelligent, virtuous choice of the people, not afford to expend $\$ 20,000$ outside of the regular clerical work of this Office for the promotion of the science of education, our progress in which determines the progress in every other science and in every other art? Over a hundred million of dollars are expended annually on education through the various agencies of the country, and no one knows how much of this amount is wasted on houses badly heated, ventilated, and lighted, and unhealthy in other respects, or how much is expended on inferior books, appliances, and methods. No one knows how much harm comes through neglect, unwise action, or inferior conditions, for which these millions are expended, when better and more healthy aids would be less expensive, and could be ascertained, and thus teachers and school officers placed in a way to prevent them by a slight expenditure of means, by this Office, in observing the facts of the science of education as applied to school architecture and school administration. Something of what this Office has done with its small means in this behalf is known to the world in showing the relation of education to labor, the relation of ignorance to crime, in pointing out the best conditions of lighting and heating school apartments, and collating facts bearing upon the hygiene of school life. It is not too much to say that the world of educators have pronounced their approval upon these endeavors, and for the enlargement of this work to meet immediate demands I ask for an increase of $\$ 17,000$.
Sixth. I submit an estimated increase of $\$ 4,000$ to the amount appropriated for the two purposes of (a) distribution and exchange of educational documents, and (b) the exchange, cataloguing, and care of articles, apparatus, and appliances of the pedagogical museum. As there comes in upon the Office from the different nations of the world the literature they are preparing upon the subject of education, and their promotion of improvements in educational management by means of pedagogical museums, and I see how little is done in our own country for the same purpose, I am made to feel deeply the danger that we shall fall behind in the race of intelligence and virtue, and thereby also in the possession of the advantages of free government of which we - justly boast.

The revolution of education in Japan, for instance, as it may be called, has been carried forward with great rapidity by the establishment of a separate building for the collection and exhibition and dissemination of pedagogical appliances from other portions of the world. The Republic of France, as is known, has organized an office of education, modeled on this Office in Washington, and, in staking the perpetuity of its liberties on the education of its people, makes pre-eminent among its instrumentalities the presentation of illustrations to the eye of articles showing the improvements in educational principles, methods, and appliances.

Seventh. The Department has seen fit to order the execution, through this Office, of the requirements of the law directing the establishment of schools in Alaska, for the education of its children without respect to differences of race, and I have estimated that an additional sum of $\$ 50,000$ should be appropriated for this purpose. Several times, by the request of the Department, or by the request of others interested in education in this remote region, I have been carefully over the plans for introducing schools for that widely scattered population, and it should be noted (a) that there are few houses anywhere in the country available for school purposes. There is, therefore, the first cost of erecting houses. (b) In many places the teachers must be, under the circumstances, the only parties representing the civilization of the States, in which case the teacher should have his family with him, and the expenses must be increased accordingly. (c) In most cases the books, maps, charts, slates and pencils, as well as the fuel and furniture, must be furnished by the Government at the start. (d) I need not allude to the expenses necessarily connected with the vast distances and inconveniences of travel in that country. The people, as a rule, wherever found in that territory, it should be observed, have manifested a desire for the education of their children, and the young are found to le teachable wherever the experiment of establishing schools has been made. The policy of feeding or supporting need not be introduced.
If schools are promptly established and the people taken as they are, and by well fitted, skillful education advanced in intelligence, and virtue, and skill in the industries by which they now live, and in ability to improve themselves with their present environment, it can hardly be doulted that they will not only continue self supporting, but that they will contribute vastly more to the commercial profits of the country. If, on the other hand, their education is neglected and the vices of civilization go before its virtues, the evils to be expected can hardly be described, nor would it be possible to foretell the expense likely to be incurred in preserving order and establishing peaceful commercial relations.

I have the honor to be, very respectfully, your obedient servant,
JOHN EATON, Commissioner.

## CONCLUSION.

I take pleasure in acknowledging my indebtedness to the faithful laborers in the Office and to all others elsewhere who have contributed to the success of its work. I have the honor to be, very respectfully, your obedient servant,

Hon. L. Q. C. Lamar, Secretary of the Interior.

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# ABSTRACTS <br> OF THE 

OFFICIAL REPORTS OF THE SCHOOL OFFICERS OF STATES, TERRITORIES, AND CITIES,

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## PRERATORE NOTE.

The following abstracts are derived from a great variety of sources. First among these come the reports of State officials, such as State boards of education and State superintendents of instruction; nest, those of countr and city superintendents, school committees, school visitors, and principals of State institutions. From these are derived nearly all the information given respecting elementary and special instruction. city school systems, and normal schools, and much of that relating to secondary schools, as the high schools of the States and cities. What concerns private secondary schools is almost wholly from returns made by the principals of these to the Bureau of Education, suppleroented by catalogues and other documents.
For the matter relating to universities, colleges, and scientific and professional schools, dependence is placed on the annual catalogues of such institutions, on occasional circulars issued by them, and on special returns, made usually in the autumnal and winter months, in reply to circulars of inquiry sent them by the Bureau.
In every instance official authority only is relied upon for statements distinctiy and definitely made, the printed catalogues and reports being chiefly used for this purpose, though sometimes an item of interesting information from other than official sources may be given, with a reference to the quarter from which it is derired. In such cases, homever, the effort is alwars made to rerify the statement before it is committed to the press.

The matter derived from the rarious sources above indicated is formulated. in the abstracts of education for each State, substantially in accordance with the schedule giren below.

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(a) Education of the deaf, dumb. blind, \&c.
(b) Industrial and reformatory training.
(c) Instruction in oratory, music. art, \&c.
(a) Meetings of State associations.
(b) Special meetings of teachers, school principals, and superintendents.
9. Edecational contentions
10. Obitcart record
(a) Brief memorials of teachers, superintendents, and other promoters of education who have died during the year.
11. Chies State school officers
(a) State superintendents and deputies.
The statistics furnished the Bureau in answer to its circulars of inquire, for conrenience of reference and comparison, are given in tables following these abstracts, while summaries of these statistics may be found under their appropriate heads in the report of the Commissioner preceding.
For the general courtesy with which his circulars have been answered, alike br State and city officials, by college presidents and heads of schools, as well as for documents additional to these replies, the Commissioner of Education here tenders his cordial thanks to all concerned.

## ALABARIRA.

## STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

|  | 1883-84. | 1884-'85. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| POPULATION AND Attendance. |  |  |  |  |
| Whites of school age ( $7-21$ ) | 233, 555 | 233, 901 | 346 |  |
| Colored of school age (7-21) | 186, 209 | 186, 512 | 303 |  |
| Whole number of school age. | 419, 764 | 420, 413 | 649 |  |
| White pupils enrolled in public schools. | 131, 513 | 143, 037 | 11, 524 |  |
| Colored pupils enrolled in public schools. | 84, 065 | 90, 872 | 6,807 |  |
| Whole enrollment in such schools.-- | 215, 578 | 233, 909 | 18,331 |  |
| White pupils in average attendance.- | 73, 815 | 84, 856 | 6, 041 |  |
| Colored pupils in arerageattendance- | 55, 595 | 59,716 | 4,121 |  |
| Whole average attendance---- | 134, 410 | 144, 572 | 10,162 |  |
| Per cent. of school youth enrolled. | 51.36 | 55.64 | 4.28 |  |
| Per cent. of enrolled in average attendance. | 62.35 | 61.81 |  | . 54 |
| Per cent. of school youth in suchattendance. | 32.02 | 34.39 | 2.37 |  |
| SCHOCL DISTRICTS AND SCHOOLS. |  |  |  |  |
| School districts reported | 1,776 | 1,784 | 8 |  |
| Public schools for whites | 3,421 | 3, 617 | 226 |  |
| Public schools for colored | 1,797 | 1,744 |  | 53 |
| Whole number for both races. | 5,218 | 5,391 | 173 |  |
| Average time of schools, in days ....- | . 83 | 82.4 |  | 6 |
| teachers. |  |  |  |  |
| Teachers in public schools for white - | 3,458 | 3, 565 | 107 |  |
| Teachers in pablic schools for colored. | 1,724 | 1,827 | 103 |  |
| Whole number of teachers. | 5,182 | 5,393 | 210 |  |
| Number of male teachers. | 3,393 | 3,535 | 143 |  |
| Number of female teachers | 1,789 | 1, 850 | 67 |  |
| findiclal stateneat. |  |  |  |  |
| Average annual pay of teachers | \$98.33 | \$100.22 | \$1. 84 |  |
| Expenditure for public schools.-...-- | 522, 22\%. 00 | a538, 950. 00 | 16,223. 00 |  |

a Includes $\$ 20,510$ disbursed from local funds in Mobile city, not derived from State.
(From reports of Hon. H. Clay Armstrong and Hon. Solomon Palmer, State superintendents of education, for the school years indicated.)

## STATE SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## GENERAL CONDITION.

As may be seen from the foregoing table, the educational progress in 1884-'85 was rery gratifying on the whole. Though the increase of children entitled to instruction in the public schools was only 649 , the enrollment of such childrea in the schools provided for them by the State was 18,331 greater than in the previous year, while the average attendance showed an increase of 10,162 . Eight more school districts, 173 more public schools, and a considerably larger expenditure for school purposes, afford further testimony of an advancing interest in school affairs. And as the State, through its now well-
assured prosperity from coal and iron mines, as well as from the greater at ention given to agriculture, is eridently destined to adrance in wealth, it may well be hoped tbat all these elements will contribute to a still further development of public schools.

## ADMINISTRATION.

The school officers are (1) a State superintendent of education; (2) a county superintendent of education for each county: (3) a township superintendent or 3 trastees of puhlic schools in each township or other school district; (4) for each county an educational board of 2 teachers, with the county superintendent as president, to examine applicants for licenses to teach in public schools, to hold examinations in these schools in their respective counties at least once a year, and to certify such pupils as hare mastered all the branches taught.

Children betreen the ages of 7 and 21 are entitled to instraction in the public schools of theirown race, but it is not lawinl to instruct in the same school both white and colored children.
Enumeration of children of school age of each race and sex is made every 2 rears by the townsuperintendents, who report to their respective countr superintendent. The State educational fund is apportioned by the State superintendent to the tornoships or sebool districts through the countrsuperintendents, according to the latest oficial retnrns of enumeration. Each county retains its own poll tax.
Teachers must have licenses ralid for the time of their engagements; must teach annually at least 3 months, of 20 dars each; and must, within 5 dars from the end of each puarter. report to the countr superintendent the required statistics. The scholastic rear begins October 1 and ends September 30 following. A State school month is 20 days of 6 hours each.

## SCEOOL FINAN゙CES.

The revenue for the support of public schools in Alabama is derived (1) from 6 per sent. interest on funds receired through sale of the State and township school lands derived from the Cnited States; (2) from 4 per cent. interest on the State's share of the Cnited States surplus revenue fund of 1836; (3) from the voluntary gifts of citizens or others for school purposes, or from estates of persons dying without will or heir; (4) from an annual poll tax of $\$ 1.50$ on each male citizen from 21 to 45 vears of age; ( $\overline{5}$ ) from a special annual appropriation by the State of $\$ 230,000$ out of any money in the treasury aot otherwise appropriated; (6) from license taxes to be retained in the counties in which they are collected.
Not more than 4 per cent. of moneys thus raised may be used for any other purpose than the parment of teachers, and no denominational or sectarian school may receire public school funds.

## AD FROM EXTERNAL SOURCES

From the Peabody edncational fund the State received in 1834-85 for 10 scholarships zt the Normal College, Nashville, Temn.. $\$ 2,000$; for 16 scholarships at the Florence Normal School, $\$ 2,000$ : for the Normal School at Jacksonrille, $\$ 300$; for that at Darion, §400; for that at Huatsrille, $\$ 300$; and for the Peabody school district, $\$ 300$.
Of the distribution of the John F. Slater fund for the same year the only information receired is of the gift of $\$ 1,000$ to the Huntsrille State Normal School for colored teacbers, to equip au iudustrial department, which was successfully established by this means and sonducted with fair results; and of a like amount to the Taskegee Normal School for colored teachers, also for industrial training in farm work, brick making, carpentry. printing, and sewing.

## NEW LEGISLATION.

(1) County superintendents, formerly appointed by the State superintendent, are now to be elected br the people in certain counties of the State; (2) three township trustees for each township in a number of counties are prorided for, to hare immediate supervision of the public schools in their respective tornnships; in some instances these are elected by the people, in others appointed by the county superintendent; (3) each county superintendent is to send a duplicate copy of his report to the probate judge of the county, which, after examination by the board of retenue, is to be referred to the State superintendent for final action; (4) no certificate of first or second grade is to be given without an examination in physiology and hygiene with reference to the effects of stimulants and narcotics on the human system, and the pupils of all public schools are to be instructed in the same.
The normal school for colored teachers, Huntsrille, is henceforth to be known as the "Huntsville State Colored Normal and Industrial School," $\$ 4,000$ instead of $\$ 1.000$ being annually appropriated for its support after September 1, 1885. For the Colored - Jormal School at Tuskegee the annual appropriation is increased from $\$ 2,000$ to $\$ 3,000$.

## SCHOOL SYSTEMS OF CITIES WITH 7,500 OR MORE INHABITANTS.

## ADMINISTRATION.

The State law provides a special system of administration of school matters for each of 6 cities. Of those with sufficient population for notice here, Mobile has a mixed city and county system under 9 school commissioners elected by the people and a superintendent of education elected by the commissioners. The commissioners are liable to a change of one-third biennially; the superintendent holds for 4 years. The schools of Montgomery are under the management of a city board of education of 6 members, who act without pay, 1 from each ward, electer annually by the city council at its first meeting in January, and a superintendent or education elected by the board. Selma has also a city board of education of 9 members for general management, and a city superintendent of schools appointed by the State superintendent.

## STATISTICS.

1884-'85.

| Cities. | Population, cen- sus of 1880. | Children of school age. | Enrollment in public schools. | Average datily attendance. | Number of teachers. | Expendi- ture. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Birmingham... | a21, 370 | 1,890 | 1,420 | 915 | 27 | \$33,537 |
| Mobile ${ }^{\text {b }}$........ | 31, 255 | 24,467 | 5. 898 | 4,853 | 136 | 42,826 |
| Montgomery . | 16,713 | c4, 928 | d1, 900 | e1, 729 | 32 | 19.029 |
| Selma......... | 7,529 | 2, 365 | 814 | 536 | 17 | 2,447 |

$a$ Census of 1884-'85. $\quad$ Includes the port of Mobile and outlying precincts, containing 2,123. cCity return; the State report, p. 90, says $4,583 . \quad d$ In State report (p. 90), $1,904$.
estate report, p. 90.

## ADDITIONAL PARTICULARS.

Birmingham, rapidly growing, reports, beside the statistics above giren, 6 public school buildinge seating 1,200 pupils, and valued with furniture at $\$ 40,200 ;$ an erening school, the attendance on which is not given, and a private or church school, with an estimated enrollment of 150 . These statistics are from a written return, and considerably add to the figures of the State report. The State superintendent says that the city expended on its schools in 1884-' 85 about $\$ 9,377$, beside the State appropriation for them.

Mobile. -In the absence of any report from this city that does not include the statistics of the county, the following statement from a resident is given: "The principal part of the teaching is carried on in a four-story brick building of imposing dimensions. In this bailding are the boys' junior and senior grammar school and the girls' junior and senior grammar and bigh school. In other parts of the yard are buildings in which are the primary and intermediate departments and the boys' high school. Each department is presided over by a principal having a suitable number of assistants. In the boys' department these are all young men, ranging from 20 to 30 years of age, the superintendent having found by actual trial that he could depend on young teachers with greater certainty than on older ones possessed of prejudices that could not be uprooted. * * * School hnurs are from $8.45 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. to $3 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. in winter, and half an bour earlier in summer. Tachers are present a quarter of an hour before the opening of school. Pupils delinquent in their studies are detained after the dismissal of the others."
"On Friday afternoons a quiz meeting is held, and various questions in grammar and arithmetic are propounded and dircussed. Only teachers in the publie schools are allowed to be present at these meetings. The superinteudent presides, and it is through him that questions are asked. The teachers are the pupils, and the superintendent is the teacher. There the teacher, now a scholar, obtains the riews of others as to the best way of presenting a truth to the mind of the pupil, and this interchange of thought and experience has been of vast benefit to all concerned."

In 28 school districts there were reported 85 schools in 1881-' 85,56 of them for white, 29 for colored youth.

Montgomery, ${ }^{1}$ forming a single school district, reports to the State superintendent 3 schools for white pupils and 2 for colored; the former with 21 teachers, the latter with 10. Under the 21 white teachers were 960 pupils; under the 10 colored, 944 ; an incquality that looks inconsistent with the constitutional requirement that the schools shall be "for the equal benefit of all the children 7 to 21 years of age." Its schools for whites

[^39]were held 156 days; those for colored the same time. Average monthly pay of teachers in the schools for whites, $\$ 60.05$; in those for colored, $\$ 17.00$.

Selma, also a single school district, had 1 school for each race, with 11 teachers for its 425 white enrollment and 6 for its 339 colored. Arerage monthly pay of the former, $\$ 70$; of the latter, $\$ 60.90$.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## GENERAL STATE REQUTREMENTS.

Persons proposing to teach in the public schonls must either present diplomas from a chartered school or college, or undergo an examination by the educational board of the county in which the applicant wishes to be employed. To those examined no certificate is to be given uzless they answer correctly $\% 0$ per cent. of the questions asked. For a certificate valid for a year, the examination is in primary studies; for one valid for 2 sears, it is in intermediate studies, including elementary algebra; for one valid for 3 jears, higher algebra, natural philosophy, geometry, and the theory and practice of teaching are added. No certificate of the two higher grades is, from September 30, 1885, to be granted to any one that has not passed a satisfactory examination in physiology and hygiene, with reference to the effects of stimulants and narcotics on the human system. Those licensed are to attend at least once a year the county institutes held for their improvement.

## STATE NORMAL TRAINING.

The 6 State schools for preparing teachers, noticed in the report from this Bureau for 1883-'84, were continued in 1884-'85; three of them for whites, at Florence, Jacksonville, and Liringston; and three for colored jouth, at Huntsville, Marion, and Tuskegee.

At Florence, under 9 instructors, were 224 students, 102 of them preparatory and academic, and 122 in classes more adranced. Those preparing to teach numbered 118, their names appearing in all the classes from preparatory to senior. In music there were 40 pupils; in penmanship, 128. Instruction in French, German, Spanish, AngloSaxon, and Historical English Grammar also mas announced for 1885-'86. Receipts of treasurer on school account from the State, $\$ 7,500$.

At Jacksonville, under 5 instructors, were 106 pupils in a 3 -year course, 26 of them preparing to teach. ${ }^{1}$ Appropriation from the State toward such preparation, $\$ 2,500$; from other sources, \$2,073.

At Liringston, in the Alabama Normal College for Girls, where are collegiate-academic, collegiate-normal, preparatory, and primary classes, 25 normal pupils are reported in 2-year and 4 -Fear courses, under 10 instructors, out of a total attendance of 125, according to an official return, the figures of which differ slightly from those in the State report. Receipts from the State for teachers' fund, $\$ 2,000$; for apparatus, $\$ 500$. Graduates of the year, 15 .

The normal school, Huntsrille, for the education of colored teachers, has hadits title changed to Huntsillle State Colored Normal and Industrial School; has organized a collegiate class with 3 students; and, with this and the students of the higher normal, normal, and normal preparatory departments, shows 167 pupils, besides 61 in a model school. Total number of normal stadents 164, under 4 instructors. Appropriation from the State $\$ 2,000$ for $1884->85$, to be made $\$ 4,000$ from September following that school year; from the Peabody fund $\$ 500$, according to a written return; according to the State superintendent's report, $\$ 300$; from the Slater fund, $\$ 1,000$. Through this last, 11 classes, with a total of 55 students, were instructed in the elements of carpentry, painting, printing, serring, and gardening, apparently in a new industrial building erected for this purpose within the year at a cost of $\$ 310$. In this department appear ${ }^{3}$ teachers for the next following year.

Marion State Normal School anci Cniversity for Colored Students, formerly Lincoln Normal University, reports $3 \% 3$ students, an increase of $\% 0$ orer 18E3-'84. Graduates of the year, 17; graduated since the school was established, 60 . These graduates are said to have taught during the rear upwards of 15,000 children in 20 counties of the State. The training schocl noticed abore ras one of the growths of the year, and was under the charge of a graduate from a normal school in Indiana. In an industrial department, under 2 teachers, girls were instructed in plain and fancy serring; young men in the use of carpenters' and wood-turners' tools, and in the making of plans and estimates of work. State appropriation for the year, $\$ 4,000$; from Peabody fund, $\$ 400$.

[^40]For the same year, Tus\%egce Normal School for Colored Tcachers, Tuskegee, reports a State appropriation of $\$ 3,000, \$ 1,000$ from the Slater fund, and $\$ 6,573$ from other sources; a new 4 -story brick building, a new 2-room cottage for boys, sereral new outhouses, and other aids to more effective work. Brick making, farming, carpentering, printing, and cutting and making of garments, have helped the students to pay for their instruction, and have trained them to industries that may secure them a support. A written return tells of 207 normal students'under 12 instructors; graduates of the jear, 10.

In all these State normal schools students that do not otherwise pay for their tuition are required to do it by teaching in the public schools of the State for 2 years after graduation. Music, vocal and instrumental, is taught in all, and drawing in all but one.

## OTHER NORJIAL TRAINING.

Rust Normal Institute (Meth. Ep.), Huntsville, with 3 teachers and 81 normal pupils, besides 88 others, continued its work in 1884-'85, as did also Emerson Institute (Cong.), Mobile, with 9 teachers, 22 normal pupils, and 307 others; Alabana Baptist Normal and Theological School, Selma, with 148 pupils under 8 teachers, without distinction of the two kinds of students; and Talladega College, Talladega, with 6 teachers of preparatory grades and 6 of normal grades, the normal pupils numbering 51, others 60 . These figures all indicate advances on preceding years. Rust Normal and Talladega add instruction in drawing and music to their other training.

## INSTITUTES.

Each county educational board is required to organize and maintain teachers' institutes, one for the colored race and one for the white, where there are not less than ten licensed teachers of the race for which such institutes are held, and to hold three or more meetings of such institutes annually for the improrement of the teaching force. How many such institute meetings were held in 1884-'85 does not appear. A union institute, composed of teachers from Bibb, Jefferson, and Tuscaloosa counties, is the only one of that character mentioned. This is said to hare been a great success, and to hare stimulated the large number of teachers and citizens present to earnest efforts for increased efficiency in school work.

## SCHOOL JOCN工゙ALS

The Alabama Progress, noticed in the report of 1882-'33 as establisied at Montgomery April, 1882, ceased to appear at this Bureau, May, 1883, and has not been since heard from. The Southern Journul of Education began monthly issues at Birmingham March, 1885 , and is believed to be still issued, though its appearance at the Bureau has not been continuous. The Alabama Teachers' Journal appeared first in July, 1E85, at Hontsville, as a monthly, and ha's already reached a circulation of some 3,000 copies. It has the full indorsement of the State superintendent.

## SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

## PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS.

Schools of this class do not formally enter into the State school system, but rely entirely upon local support. What information the Bureau possesses in regard to them is of a fragmentary character.

In the State report of $18 \% 0$ - 71 there were 251 high schools presented; in that of 1874-75, 218; in 1875-76, 169; in 1876-77, 166. There the record of them seems to cease, the form of return from teachers and school oficers being changed to include elementary branches almost wholly. In the State tables for 1884-'85, beyond the 6 common elementary studies, appear 13,733 pupils in history and 3,675 in algebra.

## OTHER SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

For information concerning business colleges, private academic schools, and preparatory departments of colleges, see Tables IV, VI, VII, and IX of the Appendix; for summaries of same, the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## COLLEGES FOR YOUNG MEN OR FOR BOTH SEXES.

The collegiate institutions of this State continue to be the University of Alabama, T'uscaloosa; Southern University, Greensborough; Howard College, Marion; and Spring Ifill College. Mobile. ${ }^{1}$ The three last mentioned hare preparatory, all have classical, and all bot Spring Hill scientific courses; all but the State University give instraction
${ }^{1}$ Talladeg: Soliege, Talladega, does not appear to have yet reached full collegiate instruction.
in business; Howard gives instruction in theology; the State University, in law; Spring Hill, in uusic; and all, in German and French.

The University of Alabama continues to arrange the stadies of its classical, scientific, and engineering courses of 4 years each, under 10 schools, each having its own head and giving attention wholly either to one specific study or to two or taree closely-related ones. Appropriate combinations of these studies form a classical and a scientific course, the same for the first 2 years, and lead to the degree of A. B. Other combinations beyond the first year lead to the degree of Eng. B. Students unable to complete a regular course may take an elective one, combining the studies of at least 3 schools, and on compreting the subjects taught in these may graduate in them. The degree of A. M. or of civil engineer is obtained by bachelors of arts or of engineering that pursue adranced studies in arts, science, or engineering, under the direction of the professors at the university, for a year after graduation, and reach 90 per cent. of the merit marks possible at the final examination.
Southern University and Howard College also have their studies, the former under 7, the latter under 11 schools, including a business school and one in military science. The former institution confers the degrees of graduate of a school, bachelor of ciril engineering, Ph. B., Sci. B., A. B., and A. MI.; the latter those of Sci. B., A. B., A. M., and C. E. Spring Hill College has a preparatory course of 1 year, followed either by a classical course of 6 years or a commercial course of 4 years. All but Spring Hill hare schools of military science.

For statistics of these institutions, see Table IX of the Appendix; for summary of same, the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## INSTITUTIONS FOR THE SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION OF YOUNG WOMEN.

Of this class of schools only 7 of the 12 on the list of this Bureau report for 1884-'85. Of those reporting all show primary or preparatory courses.

## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION.

## SCIENTIFIC.

Alabama Agricultural and Mechanical College, Auburn, offers three regular courses of four years each, in 1884-'85, each leading to the degree of Sci. B., -the first in agriculture and chemistry, the second in mechanics and engineering, the third a general course. Besides these there appear in 1884-'85, tro partial courses of tmo Jears each. The State agricultural experiment station being now a part of the institution, and the State affording aid for the equipment of the farm and scientific department, the college is in accord with the purpose for which it was founded by the Federal and State laws, which is to give a liberal and practical education to the farming and industrial classes. ${ }^{1}$
Scientific instruction is also given by the Southern and State Universities, and at Howard College, in courses of general science and engineering, each of four years.

For statistics see Table X of Appendix; for a snmmary of same, the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## PROFESSION゙AL.

Theological.-The Alabama Baptist Normal and Theological School, Selma, presents still a three-vear theological course of 32 weeks each year; the Talladega Theological Seminary, Talladega (Cong.), a like one of 36 weeks each jear; the Institute for Training Colored Ministers (Southern Presbyterian), at Tuscaloosa, one of 4 Jears, with 44 weeks each year. At this last the attendance was 28 in 1884-' 85 ; at Selma there was : total attendance of 148 normal and theological students; at Talladega of 365,10 ot them theological.

Some training for ministerial work is given also at Howard and Spring Hill Colleges; the former, Baptist; the latter, Roman Catholic.

Legal. -The University of Alabama offers instruction in international and constitutional law; in common and statute law; and in equity jurisprudence. Moot courts are held for the practical application of the student's legal acquiremẹnts. By diligent study it is said that the entire course of three terms of fire months each may be completed in nine months. The degree of LL. B. is conferred only upon those who complete the entire course and pass a satisfactory final examination in the presence of the faculty.

Medical. - The Medical College of Alabama in 1885 had 8 professors, 1 assistant professor. 3 lecturers, and 2 demonstrators. It recommends, but does not require, attendance on 3 annual lecture terms of 20 weeks each; will graduate on evidence of full age, good morals, 3 years of study, attendance on 2 full courses of lectures and a course in prac-

[^41]tical anatomy, and passing a satisfactory examination. Matriculates 75, graduates 12, alumni 364.

Graduation at this college or any other does not confer a right to practice medicine in the State. To secure this, graduates must obtain certificates of qualification from the medical examining boards of the counties in which they expect to practice; non-graduates, like certificates from the board of censors of the State Medical Association. Persons purposing to begin the study of medicine are examined as to their preparation for such study by the county boards of censors. The constant supervision of the State board is said to hold the county boards up to a high standard.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

## EDUCATION OF THE DEAF AND DUMB AND OF THE BLIND.

The Alabama Institute for the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind, Talladega, reports for 185 a total of 76 pupils- 49 of them deaf-mutes, 27 blind-all under 8 teachers. Three teachers were for the blind pupils, 1 for a class of deaf who were under training in the utterance of oral sounds, by the provisions of a special act of the legislature of 1884-' 85. An accomplished oralist from Philadelphia was in charge of this class. Music for the blind was also under charge of a special teacher. The buildings and premises of the institution are said to be in good condition, through an appropriation of $\$ 2,000$ from the legislature for necessary repairs. The accommodations would suffice for 24 more pupils; yet it appears that there are not less than 200 mute and blind children in the State who ought to be under instruction, but are not.

## EDUCATIONAL CONVENTIONS.

## STATE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATIONS.

The Alabama State Teachers' Association for teachers of colored schools held its fourth annual meeting at Marion, May, 1885, and was in session three days. It is said to have been largely attended, most of the counties in the State being represented.
Papers were read and discussed on the following subjects: "What are the greatest needs of the public schools?" "How can we secure good English?" "How can the teacher successfully imbue the minds of the pupils with temperance principles?" "The teachers' moral influence." Prof, James Storum, president of the Virginia Normal and Collegiate Institute, at Petersburg, Va., delivered a lecture on "Our profession; what is it? " said to have been scholarly and instructive. The last erening of the session was occupied in hearing reports on the condition of the schools in the counties represented. This is said to have been the most interesting part of the programme, many of the reports being given in a very graphic manner.
The association is reported to have been admirably organized and most intelligently conducted.
The teachers of schools for whites met at Auburn, July 1, 1885, in the hall of the Agricultaral and Mechanical College, to the number of 53, including 3 from Georgia and Virginia. The president of the college welcomed the association, and the Sitate superintendent made an appropriate response. The first discussion was on the commonschool system of the State, when Mr. McAdory, of McCalla, pronounced the State school law good, but not as well administered as it might be, the State appropriating too little to its schools, the money being sometimes paid out illegally, and the school officers failing to meet fully either the requirements of the law or the needs of the schools. Professor O. D. Smith held that the State erred in not depending mainly on local taxation for support of schoois, merely supplementing this with a certain measure of State funds. Professor Godsey, of Blount County, thought that county institutes were doing great good, and that county teachers should be compelled to attend them. To this there was a hearty assent from several teachers and school officers. A paper of Hon. J. N. Slaughter attributed the illiteracy of the South to its warm climate and the had inflnences of slavery; Dr. A. S. Andrews held that it was due to want of monev for support of schools, and to the difficulty of collecting children in the sparsely settled distri '.2. evils which time would remedy. While "The analytic and the synthetic methods of instruction" was under discussion, a youth from the Sitate school for deaf-mutes and biad was introduced and shown to be ready in algebraic solutions of problems. A paper on "'Technical education," by Mr. Calloway, held that each child should hare special preparation for his specific vocation in life. One on "Industrial training " dwelt on the adrantages offered for this in the Agricultural and Mechanical College of the State. "The functions of the normal school" were subsequently discussed, and the prerequisites of erery normal teacher were declared to be: (1) to know what to teach, (2) to have a general knowledge of the science of teaching, and (3) to understand the best methods of teaching.

An important series of resolutions by Hon. J. N. Slaughter was presented by that gentleman for reference to the next General Assembly. They were, in substance, that in view of the great need of normal instruction for the teachers in the public schools it is recommended to the next General Assembly to enact a law for the appointment of a normal instructor in each Congressional district, such instructor (1) to receive a yearly salary and a sum not exceeding $\$ 500$ annually for contingent expenses; (2) to organize the public school teachers of his district into normal classes without reference to county lines; (3) to spend 32 weeks each year in the instruction of such classes, all the teachers being required to attend and to get from the instructor a certificate of attendance on pain of forfeiting a quarter's pay; and it was also recommended that after 2 years the present grades of teachers be abolished, and certificates of qualification be granted to each teacher only on evidence of thorough qualification.

State Superintendent Palmer was made chairman of a committee to report on these resolutions at the next annual meeting of the association, and in his State school report since published he speaks of them as being in the right direction, and as substantially coinciding with a recommendation of a former efficient State superintendent, the Hon. Joseph Hodgson.

## CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OFFICER.

Hon. Soloyon Palmer, State superintendent of education, Montgomery.
[First term, December 1, 1881, to December 1, 1886.]

## AREANSAS.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

a Enrollment imperfectly presented, nearly a third of the districts failing to report in 1884. $b$ Eight counties not reporting.
$c$ Nine counties not reporting.
(From figures furnished by State Superintendent W. E. Thompson for the two years indicated.)

## STATE SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## , ADMINISTRATION.

The system is administered by (1) a State superintendent of public instruction; (2) a board of commissioners of the common school fund; (3) a county examiner for each county; and (4) three district directors for each school district.

District directors are to report school statistics annually to their county examiners, the examiners to the State superintendent, he to the governor, and the governor to the General Assembly. Directors failing to make this report are personally liable for any dam-
ages the district may sustain through losing the school revenues that would otherwise have been apportioned to them, while a county examiner failing to make report forfeits $\$ 25$ to the county.

The State superinteudent makes semi-annually to the sereral counties a pro rata apportionment of the school revenue in the State treasury, on the basis of the number of persons between the ages of 6 and 21 in said counties. Teachers must keep a daily register of school statistics and report the same to their district directors at the close of each term, their last month's pay being withheld until such report is made. They must attend the county institutes held for their improvement, and may not be charged with loss of time while thus attending. There are separate schools for whites and blacks. Books for the common schools are selected by the directors of each school district from a list recommended by the State superintendent, not introducing any sectarian ones. Public schools are required to be closed while the teachers attend the public examinations and institutes held in the counties where they are teaching.

## SCHOOL FISANCES

The means for the support of public schools continue to be: (1) the income of the State school fund; (2) a per capita tax of $\$ 1$ on males orer 21: (3) such appropriations as the legislatare may set apart; and (4) optional district tases limited to $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on the valuation of tasable property in the district. If sufficient revenue cannot be raised to sustain a school for three months, the district may by vote determine that no school be taught.

## NEW LEGISLATION.

An examination of the material at the law library of the National Capitol, Washington, shows the following legisiation, March 30, 1853, not previously reported to this Bureau: (1) The directors of a school district may, at the instance of a teacher, suspend from school any papil for gross immorality, refractory conduct, insubordination. or infectious disease; such suspension not to extend beyond the current term. (2) They may permit persons whose age exceeds 21 to attend school under such regulations as they deem proper. (3) The county court, on the petition of any person residing in a particular school district, may transfer the child, children, or wards of such person for edacational parposes to an adjoining district, notifying the school officers of both districts. Such children are not to be enumerated afterward in the district from which they are transferred, but in that to which they go, and the district school tax of the transferred pupils must go to the district in which the schooling is received. Such a transfer of childrei to another district carries with it the right of a parent or guardian to vote oan school and tax questions in the district to which their children go to school. (4) The county court is given the right to form new school districts or chauge the boundaries of existing ones on a petition from a majority of all the electors in the territory of the districts to be affected by such change.

SCHOOL SISTEMS OF CITIES WITH 7,500 OR MORE INHABITANTS.

## ADMINISTEATION.

Any incorporated torn in this State mar by rote of its citizens become a school district, with a board of sic directors, two of them liable to change each year. These boards have power to do whatever pertains to the management of schools within their districts. such as purchase of school sites, erection of buildingz, engagement of teachers, establishment of rules, grades of work and study. choice of a superintendent, \&c.

Is far as is knomn, Little Rock is still the only school district with a population abore 7,500, though graded school systems hare been established and well maintained at se:eral minor points, such as Prescott, Bentonrille, Russellville, Augasta, Batesrille, Lonoke, Fort Smith, Helena, Moririlton, Ozark, Van Buren, Texarkana, and Hope.

## LITTLE ROCK.

The course of instruction in the public schools embraces a primary department (4 grades), grammar department (5 grades), and high-school department (4 grades). Two erening schools were maintained, one apparently for boys, the other for girls. Two high schools also, one for white, the other for colored youth, hare been for some years in operation. The studies in the former inclade English language, arithmetic, algebra, geometry, plane trigonometry, Latia. and the elements of phrsiology, philosophy, botany, and astronomy. The latter school had, up to IS84, graduated three classes, several of the graduates becoming successful teachers, 3 entering colleges at the North to prepare for professional liie, and others getting employment under the Federal government. See Table II of Appendix for statistical information.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## GENERAL STATE REQUIREMENTS.

Each county examiner must hold at the county-seat a quarterly public examination of those who propose to teach, after 20 days' notice to every district director in the county. This examination is in orthography, reading, penmanship, mental and written arithmetic, English grammar, modern geography, and United States history. If the examination is satisfactory as to moral character and qualifications to teach, 3 grades of certificates, corresponding to qualifications shown, may be given: the first valid in the county for 2 years; the second for 1 year; the third for 6 months. For life certificates, good throughout the State, the State superintendent has power to examine candidates, who must pass such examination not only in all the branches required for a county certificate, but also in 10 specified higher branches, and in the theory and practice of teaching. Without one of these 4 grades of certificates no persons may receire pay for teaching in any public school of the State. But if a license expire by limitation during school term, it does not interrupt the school nor deprive the teacher of stipulated wages.

## STATE NORMAL TRAINING.

The normal course at the State university, reported to have been discontinued in 1883-' 84 , is again presented in 1884-'85. The courses, as outlined, are of 2,4 , and 6 years; the first leads to a certificate of proficiency; the second to a diploma of normal graduate; the third to a degree of A. B.

The Branch Normal College, Pine Bluff, for colored students, reports for 1884-'85 a State appropriation of $\$ 2,572.32$; resident instructors, 5 ; normal students, 150 male and female; graduates of the year, 2. The full course of study is 6 years of 40 weeks each. A library of about 1,000 volumes included 27 pedagogical works. Eight educational journals were received. Drawing and music formed a part of the course, and there was some illustrative apparatus to aid in teaching chemistry and physics.
Through aid from the Peabody fund, 1883-'84, institutes were held at 23 points for white teachers and at 9 for colored, all under carefully selected instructors, who were regarded as experts in their work. For scholars from this State at the Southern Normal College, Nashville, the same fund contributed $\$ 950$ in the same year. In 1884-' 85 there was allowed for scholarships at Nashville $\$ 1,600$; for teachers' institutes $\$ 1,500$, the State appropriating nothing for them.

## OTHER NORMAL TRAINING.

At Southiand College and Normal Institute, Helena, the arrangements for instruction in the theory and practice of teaching noticed in the reports for 1882-'83 and 1883-' 84 , were continued in 1884-' 85 under a special teacher. Students in normal class, 61 , the same number as in 1883-'84; preparatory, 240; collegiate, 10.

## TEACHERS' INSTITUTES.

The State superintendent is required to hold a teachers' institute annually in each of the 11 judicial districts of the State, to be called a normal district institute. Each county examiner must personally or by deputy hold a county institute, which the teachers in the county are required to attend.

## EDUCATIONAL JOURNALS.

The Arkansas Teacher, edited by Superintendent J. S. Shinn, of Magnolia, began as an octavo January, 1884, and was enlarged to a quarto in July of that year; it entered its second volume January, 1885 , affording much useful information as to educational movements and meetings in the State. In September, 1885, it was transferred to Little Rock.

## SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

## PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS.

No information has been received by this Bureau as to whether any schools of this grade exist in the State, except in the case of Little Rock. Graded schools, as before stated, have been established in several of the progressive towns, but catalogues and courses of study from such towns, to indicate how far their teaching goes, have not yet been presented. Little Rock has 2 high schools; the Sherman, established in 1869 or 1870, graduating its first class in 1873;' and the Union, established apparently in $18 \% 6$ or 1877, graduating its first class in 1880 . The number of pupils in higher branches in both in 1883-'84 was 145 . The schedule of studies in such branches covers 4 years, subjunior, junior, middle, and senior.

## OTHER SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

For statistics of business colleges, private academic schools, and preparatory schools of colleges, see Tables IV, VI, VII, and IX of the Appendix; and for a summary of such statistics for the State, see correspouding tables in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## COLLEGES FOR YOUNG MEN OR FOR BOTH SEXES.

The Arkansas Industrial University, Fayetterille, like its congeners under the act of Congress of 1862 , is primarily for instruction in such branches of study as are related to agriculture and the mechanic arts. But, as the act forbade an exclusion of other scientific and classical studies, it has "the usual course of studies prescribed in universities," formulated in a language course, an English course, and a general science course, each of 4 years, and each including more or less instruction in industrial art, with some laboratory work in the general science course. Music, vocal and instrumental, also enters into the instruction offered, and 57 pupils in this are reported, with 15 in industrial art. ${ }^{1}$ In the collegiate classes were 67 , in preparatory studies 241 , in $1884-185$, all under 13 instructors, to whom it was proposed to add a superintendent of shops, carpentry, and joiner work. The trustees, at their meeting in July, 1885, appropriated $\$ 4,000$ for the establishment of a workshop, for fuller equipment of the laboratories, and for instruction of girls in domestic and other industrial arts.
A committee of the legislature appointed to examine the condition of the university in $1884-85$, recommended an appropriation of $\$ 05,900$ for the purposes above mentioned and for repair of buildings, which are said to have gone much to decay.
Other institutions claiming collegiate rank are Arkansas College, Batesville (Presbyterian), Cane Hill College, Boonsborough (Cumberland Presbyterian), Little Rock University, Little Rock (Methodist Episcopal), and Philander Smith College, at the same place and under essentially the same influences, but for students of every race and color, while the others are for whites. All these present apparently fair arrangements for preparatory and collegiate instruction, except Cane Hill, which in its latest catalogue (for 1883-'84) shorved only 2 regular instructors for 120 pupils, primary, preparatory, and collegiate, assistants being employed only "as they are needed." If this be held a sufficient equipment for a college, it would seem that Southland College, Helena, might also be included in the collegiate list, as it, with normal and preparatory training, has since 1872 given collegiate instruction, and since 1876 has had a college charter, has graduated collegiate students, and for 1884-'85 reports " $a$ full corps of competent professors and teachers for all the grades."
For statistics of the above-named colleges, except Southland, see Table IX of the Appendix; for those of Southland, Table III.

## INSTITUTIONS FOR SUPERIOR INSTRECTION OF YOUNG WOMEN.

The Arkansas Industrial University and the other collegiate institutions above mentioned are open to young women as well as to young men. Should there be any especially designed for young women only, their titles, location, andstatistics will be found in Table VIII of the Appendix.

## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION.

## SCIENTIFIC.

Agricultural and engineering courses, each of 4 years, are provided for at the State university, the former leading to the degree of graduate in agriculture, the latter to that of civil engineer. Besides these there is a general science course, also of 4 years, with a considerable range of mathematical, zoological, geological, physiological, chemical, botanical, and other scientific studies.

Industrial art and military drill enter into the course of instruction, the former being optional, the latter required.

Arkansas College, Batesville, has a bachelor of science course, which includes one ancient language (Latin or Greek), one modern language (French or German), with history, physiology, chemistry, algebra, geometry, trigonometry, surveying, political economy, \&c. A fair proportion of the students pursued studies in these lines. Little Rock University, Little Rock, presents also a scientific course of 3 years, mainly the same as the classical course, with Greek omitted. A scientific preparatory course of 3 years leads up to this. Philander Smith College, also at Little Rock, shows good pre-

[^42]paratory and collegiate courses of 3 and 4 years, respectively, and is forging upward, showing 206 in preparatory departments and 2 in collegiate.
For statistics of these institutions, see Table $\overline{\mathrm{X}}$ of the Appendix; for summaries of such statistics, the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## PROFESSIONAL

Theology. - Philander Smith College, for white and colored students (Methodist Episcopal), reports a theological, preceded by a collegiate course. The length of this course is not given, nor is the number of students reported.

Little Rock Cniversity, of the same church, has a fair elective course for its proposed school of theology, only waiting for a sufficient number of students to form a class.

Latr.-A school of law, for several years in operation as the Little Rock Law Class, is reported now as the Law Department of Little Rock University. Its graduates receive the degree of bachelor of laws upou the recommendation of the instructors. It presents a faculty of 9 lecturers, and had in 1884 a 2-year course of 22 weeks each year.
Medicine--The medical department of Arkansas Industrial Cniversity, Little Rock, reports a faculty of 15 professors and lecturers; an optional graded course of 3 years of 20 weeks each; no requirements for admission; for graduation, full age, good moral character, 3 years of study, attendance on at least 2 full lecture courses, a final examination, and a medical thesis. Matriculates of 1884-' 85,37 ; graduates, 8 ; an increase of the former and a lessening of the latter, which seems to indicate improving work.

Graduation at this or any other reputable medical school does not, since 1881, insure admission to medical or surgical practice in this State. To gain such admission there must also be the passage of an examination before 3 medical examiners in the county where the candidate wishes to practice, or, lailing in this, passage of a like examination before a State board of 5 , and then a registration in the office of the county clerk.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

## INSTRUCTION OF DEAF-MUTES.

The Arkansas Deaf-Mrute Institute, Little Rock, is open for the free instruction of all too deaf to be otherwise educated. Age for admittance, not less than 9 years, nor more than 30. The number of inmates in 1884 was 73 ( 40 males and 33 females), tuder 6 instructors, of whom 1 was a deaf-mute and 1 a semi-mute. July 29, 1885, there were 79 reported for the year ending with that date. Instruction combines the manual and articulation methods, 23 being taught in the latter. School hours were from 8.30 to 12.30 , the afternoon being devoted to instruction in printing, gardening, shoemaking, and dressmaking, with sewing and general hcuserrork.

Expenditure reported for $188 t^{-8} 8, \$ 23,100$; estimated value of grounds and buildings, $\$ 50,000$.

## EDUCATIONAL CONVENTIONS.

## ARKANSAS STATE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

The State Teachers' Association met at Searcy August \&j, and adjourned on the 27th. The work of the association was declared to be the bringing of the problem of public school education before the people. With this end in riers the papers read before the association were to be largely distribated throughout the State.

After the usual address by the president. O. F. Russell, the following papers were read: "How to secure competent teachers;" "Grading country schools;" "Object and scope of school examinations;" "Public schools under the law;", "County supervision:" "Trofessional literature ;" "Professional ethics." The question of the Bible in public scliools was discussed, the association holding that morality should be tanght with erery hranch of study, and all through the course of their schools, and that it was unnecessary to use the Bible to obtain the very best results in moral training.

CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OFFICER.
Hon. W. E. Thompson, State superintendent of public instruction, Littlc Rock.
[Second term, October, 1884, to October, 1886.]

## CALIFORNIA.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

|  | 1883-'84. | 1834-85. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Population and attendance. |  |  |  |  |
| Children of school age ( $\overline{-}-1 \tau)$ | 235, 672 | 250, 097 | 14,425 |  |
| Enrolled in public schools. | 179,801 | 184, 001 | 4,200 |  |
| Per cent. of school youth enrolled. | 76. 29 | 73.57 |  | 2.72 |
| Average number belonging. | 126,133 | 124, 731 |  | 1,402 |
| Average daily attendance.. | 124, $11 \frac{1}{2}$ | 116, 028 |  | 8,686 |
| Per cent. of attendance to average number belonging. | 38.87 | 93.02 |  | 5.85 |
| Per cent. of school youth in attendance. | 52.92 | 46.39 |  | 6. 53 |
| Attending prirate or church schools- | 17,953 | 19,519 | 1,566 |  |
| Total in private and public schools.- | 197, 754 | 203, 520 | 5, 766 |  |
| Attend no school $\qquad$ SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND SCHOOLS. | 53, 552 | 57, 254 | 3, 702 |  |
| Number of school districts. | 2,395 | 2,516 | 121 |  |
| Number with good accommodatinns- | 2,128 | 2,236 | 108 |  |
| Number with sufficient grounds.- | 2,227 | 2,304 | 77 |  |
| Number with well rentilated buildings. | 2,256 | 2,316 | 60 |  |
| Number with good furniture | 1,616 | 1, 731 | 115 |  |
| Number with suficient apparatus. | 1,340 | 1,315 |  | 25 |
| Number of grammar schools. | 1,155 | 1,173 | 18 |  |
| Namber of primary schools. | 2,042 | 2,166 | 124 |  |
| Whole number of these grades.-...- | 3, 197 | 3,339 | 142 |  |
| Number of higher grades --.-.... | 65 |  |  |  |
| Whole number of public schools. | 3, 262 | 3,374 | 112 |  |
| School houses built in the year- | 96 | 165 | 69 |  |
| Average time of schools, in days...teachers. | 152 | 140 |  | 12 |
| Men teaching in public schools. | 1,108 | 1,124 | 16 |  |
| Women teaching in public schools... | 2, 964 | 3,118 | 154 |  |
| Whole number, male and fenale.. | 4, 022 | 4,242 | 170 |  |
| Teachers holding life diplomas.....-- | 857 | 893 | 38 |  |
| Teachers with educational diplomas | 699 | 607 |  | 92 |
| Teachers with first-grade comnty certificates. | 1,825 | 2,453 | 633 |  |
| Teachers with second-grade county certificates. | 1,345 | 1,423 | 78 |  |
| Teachers graduated from normal schools. | 733 | 〒 8 | 55 |  |
| financial statemert. |  |  |  |  |
| Average monthly pay of men teaching. | \$81. 38 | \$79.97 |  | \$1. 41 |
| Average monthly pay of women teaching. | 65.37 | 65. 89 | 52 |  |
| Espenditure for pablic schools...... | 3, 364, 224 |  |  |  |
| Amount paid teachers-.-.-...-.-..... | 2, 573, 621 |  |  |  |
| Valuation of State school property. State school fund | 7, 935,620 |  |  |  |
|  | 1, 15,90 |  |  |  |

(The figures abore given for $1883-8 \frac{1}{2}$ are from the report of Hon. William T. Welcker, State superintendent of public instruction for that year; those for 1881 -' 85 from a special return kindly furnished by him.)

## STATE SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## GENERAL CONDITION.

The State report of pablic schools in California being issued biennially, and in the even years, the only information respecting them for $1884-185$ comes from the figures furnished in advance of publication by the superintendent. These show adrance in a great majority of cases, but not as great as could be wished. With 14,425 more children of school age, the additional enrollment in the schools of the State system was less than one-third of that number, aud with the counting in of those enrolled in private and church schools, it was still less than one-half. . Besides this fallure to gather in the full harvest of fresh school youth, there appears also a failure to hold steadily in school the pupils that had been enrolled, the average number belonging being less by 1,402 than in the preceding year, and the average daily attendance less by more than six times the decrease in the number belonging. With these exceptions and a few snaller ones, there are clear evidences of advance,-many more school districts, with good accommodations, with sufficient grounds, with well ventilated buildings, and with good school furniture; while of the graded schools provided for by law, nut including high schools, there appears an addition of 112 . The number of teachers holding lite diplomas or first-grade county certificates, valid for 4 years, also very considerably increased, so that, even with a decrease of 92 in those holding educational diplomas (the next to the highest grade), there were at least 579 more teachers with evidence of qualification for excellent school work; or, including 55 more normal school graduates, an increase of 534 so qualified. And as good teachers make good schools, this gives fair promise of many more such schools.

## ADMINISTRATION.

A State board of education, of which the governor is president, has general control of pablic school affairs. A superiutendent of public instruction is secretary and chief exacutive officer of this board. For local supervision there are city and county boards of education, each with a superintendent of schools, and sometimes a deputy superintendent; also a board of 3 trustees for each school district. These offcers are all elective. Women are eligible.

The State schools are open to children between 6 and 21 years of age; but apportionment of school funds is on the basis of the number of children from 5 to 17 years of age in each district. ${ }^{1}$

Since 1879 the schools have been graded as primary and grammar; the State school revenues are applied exclusively to the support of schools of these grades. The stadies in them include, besides the ordinary English branches, history of the United States, elements of physiology and of book-keeping, vocal music, and industrial drawing. Instruction in morals and manners is also to be given, though no sectarian doctrines may be taught. Books for the children of parents not able to furnish them may be supplied by the school trustees and hoards, to be returned to the district school library after use. All children in the State from 8 to 14 years of age are required to attend the publicschools at least two-thirds of each annual session, unless attending elsewhere or excused for cause. The minimum session is 6 months of 20 days each, without which none but newly organized or suffering districts may receive State school funds.

## SCHOOL FINANCES.

The free schools are sustained from the income of a State school fund, which income must be used for paying teachers; from the proceeds of an annual poll tax of not less than $\$ 2$ on each male between 21 and 60 years of age; from county taxes not to exceed 50 cents on $\$ 100$; and from optional district taxes, not to be more than 70 cents on $\$ 100$ for bailding, or 30 cents on $\$ 100$ for other school purposes.

## NEW LEGISLATION.

An act of February 20, 1885, requires the State board of education to compile, or cause to be compiled, for use in the common schools of the State, a series of text-books of the following description: 3 readers, 1 speller, 1 arithmetic, 1 grammar, 1 history of the United States, and 1 geography-the matter contained in the readers to consist of lessons beginning with the simplest expressions in the language, and, by a regular gradation, advancing to and including the highest style of composition in both prose and poetry.

The printing of the text-books thus provided for is to be done by the State printer, and the State board of education is to secure copyright of all the books compiled. When

[^43]any one or more of the scries shall hare been compiled and adopted, the State board of education is to issue an order for the unilorm use of said book or books atter the expiration of a year from the time of completion, or earlier if any school district should so choose. The sum of $\$ 20,000$ is appropriated for compiling the series of text-books thus provided for, and $\$ 150,000$ for the plant and material for the work. The books so prepared and published are to be furnished to the common school children of the State at cost.

March 3, 1885, the code was amended to the effect that no new district should be formed unless the parents or guardians of at least 15 census children (5-17), resident in such proposed new district and residing more than a mile from any school house, present a petition to their school superintendent, setting forth the boundaries of the new district asked for.

March 5, 1885, provision was made for the establishment of an Industrial Home of Mechanical Trades, in which blind persons may be instructed how to carry on such trades, with a view to self-support, the provision to be available for blind persons of either sex that have resided in the State a year prior to application for admission.

March 9, 188J, "An Act to promote learning and advance the prblic welfare" was approved, this being a new law for endowing, erecting, and maintainug in the State, universities, colleges, schools, seminuries of learning, mechanical institutes, museums, and galleries of art. March 15, there was further provision in this line.

March 12, 1885, came "An Act to regulate the practice of dentistry" in the State, through a board of 7 examiners, themselves engaged in the practice.

March 18, anot her Act was passed, to create a "Caliornia Home for the Care and Training of Feeble-minded Children;" such children to be from 5 to 18 years of age, and resident in the State at least a year before reception into the home.

Also on March 18, amendments to the charter of the Hastings College of the Law, patting it under control of the regents of the University of Calilornia, giving the chief justice of the supreme court of the State power to fill vacancies among the trustees and to act as president of the board of directors; also requiring that there shall always be in said college a course of lectures on the duties of municipal officers of San Francisco, and upon legal ethics, and morality in business.

## SCHOOL SYSTEMS OF CITIES WITH 7,500 OR MORE INHABITANTS.

## ADMINISTRATION.

Boards of education in cities are elected under the provisions of their city school laws. There is, consequeutly, no unilorm rule as to the number of members, or the basis on which such membership shall rest, some having 1 for eaca ward, others 2 ; still others, a fixed number, apparently without regard to wards. A president and secretary appear in each case to be members of the board, while under it, as executive officer, is a superintendent, and in the larger cities an assistant superintendent, with subordinate officers.

Among their powers and duties are the following: to prescribe rnles for their own government and the government of schools; to purchase furniture and apparatus; control school property; build school houses, if authorized by vote; employ teachers; enforce a course of study and the use of the text-books prescribed by due authority; appoint annually a schnol-census marshal; and make at the close of each year a report to their constituents and the State superintendent of public instruction.
sTATISTICS.
1884-'85.

| Cities. | Population, census of 1880 . | Children of schuol age. | Enrollment in public schools. | Average daily attendance. | Number of teachers. | Expenditure. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Los Angeles. | 11,183 | 5,584 | 4,149 | 2, 808 | 68 |  |
| Oikland ...... | 34.555 | 10,115 | 7,915 | 5,609 | 142 | 182,964 |
| Sacramento | 21.420 | 7,816 | 4. 318 | 2,972 | 83 | 92. 710 |
| San Francisco. | 233. 959 | 69, 000 | 43,205 | 32,183 | a,34 | 817.168 |
| San Jnsé..... | 12,567 | 3,690 | 2,738 | 1,919 | 41 | 45, 877 |
|  | 10,282 |  |  |  |  |  |

a Includes 26 substitute teachers.
ADDITIONAL PARTICULARS.
Los Angeles presents an increase of 493 in school youth, of 669 in public school enrollment, of 622 in average attendance, of 19 in teachers, and of $\$ 17,405$ in expenditure for
its free schools in 1884-'85; bat from deficiency of means to meet the expenses growing out of this rapid growth, had to shorten its school term by opening a month later than the usual time, and was only saved (if saved) from an early closure in the spring by a generous offer of the teachers to continue their work for 2 months without pay.

The estimated value of property used for school purposes was $\$ 248,000$, of which $\$ 4.000$ was in apparatus and a library. The sittings for study numbered 3,200, the school buildings 19; the former an increase of 900 , the latter of 7. In place of the music of the preceding year, drawing was taught. In private and parochial schools 759 pupils were reported.

Oakland, next only to San Francisco. in population and importance, reports $\$ 15,509$ additional expenditure for schools, and 507 more children of school age in 188.1-'85; but, from some cause unexplained, enrolled 30 fewer children in its public schools and increased by only 46 the average attendance in them, including 2 evening schools. In private and parish schools the number reported was 1,500 , as in the preceding year. Music and drawing under special teachers were continued. Number of buildings, 15. Public school property (including grounds, buildings, furniture, apparatus, and libraries) was rated at $\$ 419,4 \overline{0} 0$. Of the instruction in astronomy and in cookery, reported last year as projected, no info-mation has come to hand.

Sacramento, the State capital, with 247 more youth of school age, and $\$ 6,761$ more to provide for the instruction of them, shows in 1884-' 85 a falling off of 355 in enrollment, of 374 in average attendance, and of 5 in teachers, school buildings remaining the same in number as before reported. Two ereningschools (one of them for instruction in drawing) were continued, and there were special instructors in penmanship, French, and German. School property was rated at $\$ 220,000$. No private or parochial schools are reported in the written return, which is the only source of information.

San Francisco, which in 1883-'St failed to report fully its statistics, had in that year 63,029 youth of school age; enrolled in its public schools 41,942 of these, besides 7,780 in church and private schools; held 31,578 in average daily attendance under 714 teachers, and expended for school purposes $\$ 797,433$. In $1884-\prime 85$ it went beyond these figares at all points, showing 69,000 school youth; 43,265 enrolled in public schools; 32,183 in average attendance, with 734 teachers, and an expenditure of $\$ 817,168$ for the schools; an increase respectively of $5,971,1,323,605,20$, and $\$ 19,716$. The report shows, however, a very poor condition of many of the school houses, and great need of repairs and of new bnildings. Two new ones were erected through a special appropriation of $\$ 40,000$ by the board of supervisors; and these are spoken of as "model school houses, perfect in their interior arrangements, with all the requisites for health and combort," one of them accommodating 12 classes, the other 8.

A comparatively new feature is reported, under the title of "deportment classes," composed of children that have been wild, unruly, and even dangerous, whom an earnest and calm teacher takes in hand, to improve by quiet but firm discipline, without the use of any corporal punishment. Three such classes have been established, and all in charge of them are said to concur in declaring their influence on both pupils and schools salutary and beneficial. Some of the best results reached appear to have been in an evening school.

Another step beyond the ordinary lines was the establishment of a sewing class in the Broadway Grammar School. In it were 30 little girls from grades 5 and 6 , for whom the work was cut beforehand, and each girl was made to come provided with at least a thimble, and also a card marked distinctly with her name to be pinned on articles wrought by her. With some preliminary instruction from the teacher as to the size of thread and needles, kinds of stitches, and care of hands, the prepared materials were distributed among the pupils, and when a piece was finished, avother kind was given for further effort. The lesson over, each folded her work and pinned her card upon it, so that it might be readily found at the next session, as well as be examined by the teacher meanwhile, and receire the praise or counsel needed. The result was sufficiently encouraging to warrant the teacher in believing that sewing conld be successfully taught in as large divisious as arithmetic, drawing, or other ordinary branches, and that one or two hours a week might be gíven to it with good results, parents to furnish the material, and the fourth, litth, and sisth grades to be open for the work, engagement in it being optional with each pupil.

An experiment was made as to the possibility of securing better results in the grammar grades by having eaeh teacher attend to but few studies, and those the most congenial and closely related ones. A year devoted to the trial of this method by one principal has convinced him, and appears to have conrinced the superintendent, of the usefulpess of this arrangement; and if, on another year's trial, it should fally prove its superiority to older methods, it may be generally adopted for those grades.

In the year which ended July 30, 1835, there were 35 evening classes organized in the city, enrolling 3,021 pupils, 247 of them young women; but, from want of funds and a
comparatively small attendance in 5 of the classes, pupils in these 5 were soon consolidated with other classes. Both the interest and attendance are said to have been well maintained till the close of the day schools, when only those who were expecting to be promoted or to graduate remained. At the final exercises, June 13, 35 from the first grades and 22 from the book-keeping classes received diplomas of graduation, which aroused great enthusiasm.

For the Girls' Normal School and the high schools, see "Preparation of teachers." and "Secondary instruction," further on.

San José again revised its course of study, making several changes, to take effect at the heginning of the school year 1885-' 86 . The chief of these was a transfer of such studies as reading, spelling, history of the United States, English grammar, and common arithmetic from the high school to the grammar grades, adding thus a year to the grammar course and reducing the high-school course to 3 years. Further changes. such as the introduction of kindergarten training and some forms of industrial education, are suggested for consideration. Drawing and music enter into the schedule of studies throughout all the grades, as before. The evening school noticed in the report for 1883-'84 was discontinued. Besides the 2,733 pupils in public schools, 616 were reported in private and church schools.

In all the cities above mentioned high schools, as well as primary and grammar schools, continued to form a part of the school systems, thongh, under the existing constitetion, no funds are received from the State for high-school purposes.

KINDEEGÄRTEN.
In Table III of the Appendia mar be found reports of 2 schools of this class for training teachers; in Table V reports of about 30 more for elementary training in Froebellian methods, most of them in San Francisco, some in other cities of this State.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## GENERAL STATE REQUIREMENTS.

All applicants for employment as teachers in the poblic schools must be at least 18 years old, and must file with the superintendent of the county in which they wish to teach a certificate of qualifications, either from the State board of education or from the county examining board. ${ }^{1}$ The certificates are for 2,4 , or 6 jears, or for life, according to proven qualifications and experience. Those from the State board for life are termed diplomas.

## STATE NORMAL SCHOOLS.

The State continues its 2 normal schools at San José and Los Angeles for the education of teachers for the public schools. Each has an elementary 2 -year course, leading to a certificate for 2 years, and an adranced 3 -year course, leading to a diploma and firstgrade county certificate. Attendance at the former was 566 in 1884-' 85 , of whom 108 graduated; at the latter 231, of whom 35 graduated and were either teaching or about to teach. State appropriation to the San José school, $\$ 40,000$ for the year; to that at Los Angeles, $\$ 15,000$.

## OTHER PREPARATION FOR TEACHING.

This consists of the following: (1) Two private training schools of Miss Marwedel and Mrs. Kate Wiggin, in San Francisco, for preparing young lady kindergartners; (2) a i-vear normal class at San Francisco, compesed of graduates from the girls' high school, the number in 1884-' 85 limited to 66 , admitted in the order of their rank at graduation, 64 of them getting normal diplomas; (3) a 3-year normal course in the Stockton high school, reported in 1883 and supposed to be still existent; (4) instruction in normal studies and methods at Hesperian, Pacific Methodist, and Pierce Christian Colleges, and at a newly reported Sierra Normal College, Auburn. Hesperian offers to its pupils special instruction in the theory and practice of teaching without extra charge: Hierce Christian, like instruction through the collegiate year, with a normal course of a month or sir weeks at the close of the session. . Pacific Nethodist has a special principal for its normal department, and reports 28 students in it, not otherwise connected with the college. Sierra Normal, established in 1882-83, has preparatory and normal courses of 44 weeks each: drills in methods of teaching, school government, and school law of California are offered, and also instruction in the history and philosophy of education and in school supervision; but, though a considerable corps of students is reported, there is no indication how many of them are under specific normal training.

[^44]
## SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

## PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS.

Since 1879 no State school money apportioned on the basis of school population gnes toward the support of schools of a higher grade than grammar. Where high schools exist in cities, they are sustained from special local levies; but, as before stated under "City systems," they do exist in all the cities reporting to this Bureau. San Francisco has 3one for boys, one for girls, and a commercial high school, the total attendance in the 3 rearhing 1,319 in 1884-' 85 , of which number 325 were in the boys', 125 in the commercial, and 869 in the girls' school. Oakland reports 1 for both sexes, with 379 pupils under 9 teachers; Sacramento and San José 1 each, under 5 teachers, pupils not given. Los Angeies shows high-school rooms and teachers, but makes no return of pupils.

## OTHER SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

For statistics of business colleges, private academic schools, and preparatory departments of universities or colleges, see Tables IV, VI, VII, and IX; for summaries of sume, see corresponding tables in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## COLLEGES FOR YOUNG MEN OR FOR BOTH SETES.

The University of California, Berkeley, continned in 1884 -' 85 its 3 reqular 4 -year cnurses in the college of letters (classical, literary, letters, and political seience), leading to the degrees of A. B., Lit. B., and Ph. B., respectively, besides graduate courses leading to higher degrees. There were also, as in preceding years, courses at large, special and limited courses, with one in military science and drill that led to no degree. In the 3 first mentioned there were 151 students, 51 of them in the clavsical course, 52 in the literary, and 48 in that of letters and political science. Besides these there were 2 graduate students, one of them a candidate for the degree of master of arts, the other for that of master of letters, and 3 resident graduates not candidates for a degree.

For courses leading to degrees in agriculture, mechanics, mining, civil engineering, and chemistry, see "Scientific instruction" further on.

All courses are open alike to both sexes, and all the undergraduate oues except the professional (law, medicine, dentistry, and pharmacy) are free of charge for tuition to persons qualified for admission. Since 1884 graduates of approved high schools in the State have been adnitted without examination on recommendation of the principal of the school from which each comes and on his certificate that the candidate has completed all the studies preparatory to the course that he desires to enter.

Besides the University, 12 institutions for young men, or for both sexes, claim collegiate rank, and in most cases prove the claim by fair courses and apparently sufficient bodies of instructors, though naturally there are considerable differences in the degree of thoroughness. The Roman Catholic colleges, which for some years were very unsatisfactory, have improved at many points, though one of them (St. Vincent's, Lns Angeles) still welcomes even primary pupils, ${ }^{1}$ and devolves on 2 professors most of the collegiate instruction; while St. Augustine, Benicia (Prot. Ep.), which formerly rame short of full college training, now presents full and rich 4 -year curricula, classical, literary, scientific, and commercial, together with military drill, and excellent moral and Christian influences that remind one of the English Kugby under Arnuld's principalship.

Washington College, Washington, still remains unheard from since 18\%8-'79.
For statistics, location, and prevailing influence of the reporting colleges, see Table IX of the Appendix; for summaries of the same, the report of the Commissioner proceding.

## INSTITUTIONS FOR THE SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION OF YOUNG WOMRN.

All the departments of the California, Sonthern California, and Pacific Universitics, Pierce Cbristian, Pacific Methodist, California, and Hesperian Colleges, are open alike to both sexes; Washington College, heretofore reported among this uumber, not heard from. Colleges especially for the higher training of young women are: Young Ladies' Seminary, Benicia; Harmon Seminary, Berkeley; Mills Seminary ${ }^{2}$ and College of Notre Dame, San José; to which, from 1884-85, must be added Ellis College, Los Angeles, opened with full courses, good buildings, and fair promise.

[^45]For their statistics and prevailing influence, see Table VIII of the Appendix; for a summary of their statistics, a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION.

## SCIENTIEIC.

The University of California still offers 4 -year scientific courses in agriculture, mechanics, mining, civil engineering, and chemistry; also graduate courses for the degrees of mechanical engineer, civil engineer, mining engineer, master of science, and doctor of philosophy, which courses, however, seem to be but little prosecuted, thongh graduate students desiring to pursue advanced studies for the above degrees find every facility which the libraries, laboratories, and museums of the University offer. ${ }^{1}$ The general library contains 27.000 volumes, agaiust 22,000 in 188:3-'84. The museums include the State geological collections, and others of great value from all parts of the world. The laboratories are planned after careful stndy of the beat arrauged ones in this country and Europe. Of colleges outside of the University, 9 offer scientific courses of 2 to 4 years.
There is also a school of practical civil, mining, and mechanical engineering, surveying, and drawing, under private direction at Sau Francisco.
For statistics of those schools that have reported, see Table X of the Appendix, Parts 1 and 2.

PROFESSIONAL.
Treoroay continued to be tanglt in 3 -year courses at the Pacific Theological Seminary, Oakland (Congregational), and at the San Francisco Theolngical Seminary, San Francisco (Presbyterian). Both test by examination the qualifications of candidates for admission who do not present evidence of academic or collegiate training. The former had, in 1884-'85, under 9 instructors. 4 students, of whom 3 graduated; the latter, under 3 instructors, 4 students, one of whom graduated. Volumes in its library, 16,000; unbound pamphlets, 8,000 .
Pierce Christian College, College City, and ITesporian College, Woodland, both "Christian," give, as before, instruction in the sacred Suriptures, Cinristian evidences, and other things which, to some extent, prepare for ministerial work. At the University of Southern California (Methodist Episcopal) stadents looking toward the ministry are offered instruction in Hebrew and in historieal and systematic theology, studies which, with others prescribed by the church, they are expected to follow up aiter entrance on ministerial work.
Law.-The Unirersity of California, in its Hastings College of the Law, San Francisco, shows still a 3 -year course of 3 ? weeks each year. All the classes are trained in moot courts. Applicants for admission must be 18 years of age, of moral claracter, and good education and culture. To graduate, they must complete the prescribed course and pass all the examinations. C'uch as do, receive the degree of B. L., and are admitted to the bar of the State courts. March 18, 1885, as before stated under "New legislation," it was required by law io acil to its course lectures on the duties of municipal officers in San Franciseo, and upon legal ethics, and morality in business.
Medicine. - Cooper Medich? College, San Francisco, and Toland Medical College, of the same city, the latter a departicnut of the University of California, report, for 1884-'85, the former, 83 matriculates and 19 graduates, under 16 instructors; the latter, 56 matriculates and 12 graduates, unde" 10 instructurs. Both are "regular," hare ample courses: Cooper, 3 annual summer ches of 93 weeks each, and an intermediate one of 18 weeks, making substantially a 4-yent cuturse of 22 weeks each year; 'Toland, a graded 3 -year conrse of 9 montha each year.
Desides these, a new "regular's schnol appears in connection with the University of Southern Calitornia, Los Angules, with 18 rofessors, a 3 -year graded course of 25 weeks each year, and an intermediate one of 8 weeks in the last year. An article of the Act establishing it in 1884 says that its standard for admission shall t,e as high, its course as varied and thorough, and its requirements for graduation as rigid, as in the recognized first-class colleges of medicine in the United States.

The "Women's Medical College of the Pacific Coast" makes also a new appearance in the year 1833, announcing a third annnal session to begin Junuary 5, 1801, and to continue 20 weeks, the course of study graded and extending through 3 years.
All these have examinations for admission of candidates that present no other satisfactory evidence of preparation for medical studies.

[^46]California Medical Colleyc, Oakland (elective), with a regular winter term of 20 wecks, and an intermediate or summer term of 12 weeks, annually, recommends, but does not require, a 3 -years' graded course of study. For admission to its instruction, candidates must present evidence of good character, and, if without a diploma from a high school, college, or university, must submit to an examination as to their preparation for medical study. Matriculates of 1884-'85, 23; graduates in that year, 5. Faculty, 9 professors and a demonstrator.

Hahnemann Medical College of San Francisco (homœopathic), wit’a faculty of 19, a full graded course of 3 years, covering 5 months each year, and an apparently optional intermediate term of 6 weeks yearly. has also an examination of all non-graduates applying for admission. Matriculates of 1884-85, its second year, 17; graduates of the year, 6.

Before being admitted to practice in the State, all graduates of these or other medical schools must secure the approval of a State board of medical examiners.

Dentistry.-The College of Dentistry in the University of California, with 10 professors and 18 other instructors, has an annual session of 36 weeks, and a regular course of 2 years. ${ }^{1}$ For admission there are fairly high requirements; for graduation, the standard of the best schools of its class. An Act to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State through a board of seven examiners, themselves engaged in the practice, was passed March 12, $1885 .{ }^{2}$

The College of Pharmacy in the State University, with 4 professors and 4 assistants, continues its two-years course of 24 weeks each.

For admittance the applicant must hare had a good English education up to the highschool grade, or pass an examination in the common English brancher. Instruction in Latin, sufficient to enable the student to read prescriptions accurately, is given. Candidates for the degree of "graduate in pharmacy" must be recommended by the faculty and the examining board to the regents of the University, who corfer the degree. A wroman was among the graduates of 1884.

For statistics of the above medical schools, so far as reported, see Table XIII of the Appendis; for their summary, report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

## training in art.

The School of Design of the San Francisco Art Association reports for 1884-'85, 78 pupils in the regular classes, 22 in the Saturday class, and 17 in the life class. Officers-a director, assistant director, and teacher of life class.

Music, drawing, and painting enter into the arrangements of nearly all the colleges, both for young men and young women, and considerable numbers of the students appear to have prosecuted courses in these lines. In the public schools of the chief cities drawing has commonly a place, and it has a full and special development at Oakland.

## EDUCATION OF THE DEAF AND OF THE BLIND.

The California State Institution for the intellectual and mannal improvement of these classes of unfortunates, Berkeley, continued in 1884-' 85 its combination of the manual and oral systems for the deaf, with finger reading for the blind. Of the deaf, there are reported at the close of that year 133 ( 81 males, 52 females), making a total of 279 since the foundation of the institution; and 32 of the blind, making a total of 123 from the opening of the school. The instruction of both classes includes all branches commonly taught in common schools and seminaries, with printing, wood working, and gardening for the deaf. A few are prepared for college. A bakery and cooking school, tor which $\$ 5,000$ has been appropriated, was under way and was expected to be opened in January or Febraary of 1885. As noted under "New legislation," provision for instruction of the blind in productive occupations that would prepare for self-support was made by the legislature in March, 1885.

## EDUCATION OF THE FEEBLE-MINDED.

Under the head of "New legislation" it may be seen that imbecile youth will hereafter have provision for training in letters and industries.

## EDUCATION OF ORPHANS.

For statistics of attendance and instruction in homes for orphan children in the State, see Parts 1 and 2, Table XXII of Appendix.

## INDUSTRIAL AND REFORMATORY TRAINING.

The City and Connty Industrial School, San Fransisco, which seems to have come under greatly improved supervision and management in January, 1885, presents a total of 406 inmates for $1884-85$, of whom 162 came over from the previous 5 car, 171 were received during the year, 49 recalled by the school committee, 19 surrendered by parents and guardians, and 5 that had escaped were captured and returned. Of the 406 thus made up, 175 were granted indefinite leave of absence, 44 were discharged, and 7 escaped, leaving 180 remaining in the school, July 1, 1885. The average belonging in school studies, which include a fair English educational course, was 82 ; the average daily attendance, 73. Saturday and Sundar erenings were given to miscellaneous reading. A band leader trained in music from 14 to 16 of the iumates. The industrial element in the school included labor on the farm as well as in a tailor-shop and a shoe-shop, and by exchanging manufactured shoes for leather and findings it was hoped that the shoe-shop might be made self-sustaining.

## EDCCATION OF CHINESE YOUTH

The fall account of this work for 1883 - 84 came too late for the report of that year; there were, howerer, in the 15 California mission schools, under control of the American Missionary Association, 1,864 papils under 27 teachers. In 1884-'85 were reported 18 schools, with 1,457 pupils, under 33 teachers. The schools were all in the hands of deroted and efficient teachers, well located and fairly on the way to become permanent. The school at Alturas, in the northeastern part of the State, though established for the Chinese, was open to all, and the Indians in the ricinity so largely availed themselres of the privilege that they greatly outnumbered the Chinese. The mission at Stockton, the first established by the American Missionary Association in California, was closed in 1884, but reopened in 1885 with a better attendance and greater promise than before.

## EDUCATIONAL CONVENTIONS.

## PACIFIC ASSOCIATION OF COLLEGIATE ALUJIN 疋

Following the example at the East, a temporary organization of the Pacific Association of Collegiate Alumnæ ras effected at San Francisco August 29, 1885. There rere present graduates of Ann Arbor, Cornell, Vassar, and Berkeley. Miss Jackson of Cornell taking the chair, Miss Hamlin of Ann Arbor explained that the purpose of the association was to encourage special lines of graduate study, to maintain intellectual culture, and promote felion feeling and co-operation among educated women from different institutions. She stated that the results already reached had been chiefly in the lines of research in local historr, sanitary science, physical training of women, and health statistics in co-educational colleges. So raluable have been these last that the Bureau of Educational Statistics of Boston, Mass., has requested the use of them, and when compiled it is beliered that they will materially modify the popular impression on this subject. There were found to be in the State 50 alumnæ of Berkeler, and from 15 to 20 of Ann Arbor, Vassar, Cornell, Oberlin, and Wellesley. A committee was appointed to arrange for a permanent organization.

Of the State Teachers' Association no report has come to band.
CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OFFICER.
Hon. Wililay T. Welceeb, Sute superintendent of public irstruction, Sacramento.
[Term, January 8, 1353 , to January 3 , 1887.]

## COLORADO.

## STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

|  | 1883-'84. | 1884-85. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| SCHOOL POPULATION AND ATTENDANCE. |  |  |  |  |
| Children of school age (6-21) | 56, 242 | 57, 955 | 1,713 |  |
| Enrolled in graded State schools.-.- | 22, 131 | 22, 208 | 77 |  |
| Enrolled in ungraded State schools.. | 15, 741 | 16,687 | 946 |  |
| Whole number thus enrolled..-....- | 37, 872 | 38, 895 | 1,023 |  |
| Average daily attendance in State schools. | 23, 307 | 24, 747 | 1,440 |  |
| Per cent. of enrollruent to school youth. | 67.34 | 67.12 |  | 22 |
| Per cent of average attendance to enrollment. | 61.54 | 63.62 | 2.08 |  |
| Per cent. of same to school youth..- | 41.44 | 42.70 | 1.26 |  |
| SCHOOL DISTEICTS AND SCEOOLS. |  |  |  |  |
| School districts reported | 604 | 645 | 41 |  |
| School houses in these districts...-. | 525 | 525 |  |  |
| Sittings in such school houses | 35, 662 | 38,482 | 2, 820 |  |
| Volumes in school libraries. | 6, 387 | 10, 660 | 4,273 |  |
| Average time of schools in days..... | a174 b100 | $\begin{aligned} & a 171 \\ & 6108 \end{aligned}$ | 8 |  |
| TEACHERS. |  |  |  |  |
| Men tearhing in graded State schools. | 66 | 78 | 12 |  |
| Women teaching in such schools .-.. | 347 | 378 | 31 |  |
| Men teaching ungraded State schools- | 262 | 256 |  |  |
| Women teaching ungraded State schools. | 448 | 485 | 37 |  |
| Whole numher employed in the year. | 1, 123 | 1,197 | 74 |  |
| Whole number employed at one time. | 946 | 1, 022 | 76 |  |
| FLNANCIAL STATESENT. |  |  |  |  |
| Aferage monthly pay of meningraded sthools. | \$110 15 | $\$ 10807$ |  | \$2 08 |
| Arerage monthly pay of women in granled schnols. | 6641 | 6763 | \$1 22 |  |
| Average monthly pay of men in ungraded schools. | 5130 | 54 :8 | 348 |  |
| Average monthly pay of romen in ungraded schools. | 4135 | 4937 | 802 |  |
| General arerage mouthly pay of men_ | C3 15 | 6722 | 407 |  |
| Geweralaverage monthly pay of women. | 5229 | 5736 | 507 |  |
| Expenditure for public schools. | 809,898 | 934, 727 | 124, 8 ? 9 |  |
| Valuation of State school property--- | c1, 6,6, 130 | 2, $05: 100$ | 375, 970 |  |
| Amount of arailableStateschool fund. | 114, 220 | 133,829 | 10,609 | --------- |

[^47](From figures furnished by Hon. Leonidas S. Cornell, State superintendent of publio instruction.)

## STATE SCIIOOL SYSTEM.

## GENEIAL CONDITION

The figures of the preceding statistical summary show progress at almost every point: 1,713 more children to be taught; 1,023 more brought under public school instruction; 1,440 more in average attendance; additional seats for such attendance going far beyond the actual demand lor them; an increase of teachers fairly correspouding with the additional number of pupils in the schools; pay of tachers greater, on an average, except in the case of men in graded schools; while, to meet these advances, there was an expenditure for the public schools $\$ 124,820$ larger than in the preceding year.
School property, rated in $1883-$ ' 84 at $\$ 1,676,130$, went up, as may be seen, to $\$ 2,052,-$ 100 , an adrance of $\$ 375,970$ on the estimated value of the preceding year. It is desired that this may be especially noticed, because, though a clerical enror, the school property of the State was, on page 49 of the report from this Iureau for $1883-84$, given as "about $\$ 125,000$, " which was only about the increase of the valuation of it in that year, as shown at the close of page XXVII in the same report. This error is the more regretted hecause a rery competent authority says, "It is doubtful whether in any State of the Union, in proportion to its age and pupulation, can he found a greater number of first-class school buildings or better schools than in the towns of this State."

## ADMINISTRATION.

For the administration of the poblic scbool system there are: (1) a State hoard of education; (2) a State superintendent of public instruction, who is a member of the board; (3) a superintendent of public schools in each county; (4) boards of directors of school districts; those of first class districts of 6 memhers; those of second and third class districts of 3 members. These officers are all elected by the penple of the State, county, or district which they represent; the State and county superintendents for 2 years; directors, for 3 years, with annual change of one-third. Women are eligible to the district boards and may vote at elections for them.

The schools of the State system are free to all youth 6 to 21 years of age, shown by an annual census to be residents in the districts where they are in operation. None such are to be debarred from attendance in them, or subjected to special classification, because of race or color. To obtain State school funds, schools must be kept in session at least 60 days in each year. The studies to be pursned, and the text-books to be used, are determined by each district board. Sectarian instruction is forbidden; but a fair training in good morals is provided for by the requirement that all teachers in public schools shall be of unexceptional moral character, and that school hoards may suspend or expel refractory pupils. ${ }^{1}$ Gradation of studies is provided for up through those of high schools, which prepare pupils for the State University.

## SCHOOL FINANCES.

The means of support of public schools come: (1) from the proceeds of a State school fund; (2) a county tax of 2 to 5 mills on the dollar; (3) optional district taxes; and (4) the riceints from fines. penalties, and forleitares, these last going to the districts or counties id which they have been incurred.
The State superintendent distributes the State funds to the connty superintendents; they apportion these, with what is raised in the county, to the school districts that have maintained schools for at least 60 days under licensed teachers. This apportionment is according to the number of children of school age, as shown by the annual census.

## SCHOOL SYSTEMS OF CITIES WITH 7,500 OR MORE INHABITANTS.

## ADMINISTRATION.

Districts of the first class-i. e., with more than 1.000 inhahitants-are under the administrative direction of boards of 6 directors, the nembers of which are liable to an annual change of 2 . Each board elects a president from its own members; a secretary, who may be a member of the board; and a treasurer, who must not be a memher. Every board of this class has power to make by-laws for its own government and the government of its public schools. It may enploy or discllarge teachers, enforce the rules and regulations of the State superintendent, fix the course of study, and determine the teatbooks to be used for 4 -year terms. Denver and Leadville, the only cities in the State that have a population sufficient for report here, have superintendents of their public schools, elected by their respective boards.

[^48]STATISTIC8.
1884-'85.

| Cities. | Population,census of 1880 . | Children of school age. | Enrolled in public schools. | Average daily attendance. | Number of teachers. | Expenditure. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Denver. | 35, 629 | 9,031 | 5,745 | 3,932 | 115 | \$176,050 |
| Leadville a | 14,820 | 2,067 | 1,712 | 943 | 30 | 49,301 |

$a$ For the sear ending August 31, 1834.

## ADDITIONAL PARTICULARS.

Denver. The city superintendent reports for $1884-$ ' 85 that for the first time in many years there has been no increase of pupils in the public schools, which he regards as an evidence of no increase in population during the year. As compared with 1883-'84, the enrollment was 278 less, while average daily attendance was nearly sustained. ${ }^{1}$ The enrollment was 63.68 per cent. of school youth, and daily atterdance was 43.59 per cent. Adding to the enrollment 500 in private and parochial schools, shows 69.23 per cent. of school youth in school some part of the year. The great rariety of nationalities is given as accounting for the changes in population and attendance in the public schools. The enrollment for 1884 -' 85 was from 46 States and Territories and 18 foreign countries, the nationality of 98 being unknown. Of those enrolled, 1,054 , nearly oncfifth of the whole, were children of mechanics; 631, of laborers ; 473, of agents ; 245, of miners ; 219, of clerks; 242, of railroad employés, showing the uncertain character of about 50 per cent. of the entire enrollment.

Denver, though of recent birth, ranks high for the number and excellence of its school buildings, numbering 15, with over 5,000 sittings, all except the high school completed since 1872 at an expense of $\$ 497,612$. Present valuation not given.

The high school bnilding was to be at once completed, and made not only a beartiful structure, but also a monument to the efficiency and worth of the public school system, and an ornament to the city to which residents may point with pride and satisfaction.

The superintendent claims that while manual education and military drill in the high and grammar schools go to improve the boys, the physical welfare of the girls should also be looked to as of more importance than mental drill; that the assignment of identical tasks for the average boy and girl of 16 is a mistake; and that a somewhat elastic and optional course for girls should obtain.

An experimental night school was held during 4 months of the winter and will probably be continued. The observance of Arbor Day was an interesting and helpful event.

Leadville presents no new statistics, those gisen in lack of later ones being for the year ending August, 1884. Of the 4 school buildings 2 are for the primary schools, 1 for the grammar, and 1 for the high, all valued, with other school property, at $\$ 155,200$. A special teacher of music was employed at $\$ 1,000$ a year. Schools were in session 180 days. The statistics reported show a remarkable enrollment of 82.83 per cent. of school youth, while the average daily attendance was only 45.62 per cent. of the same. With the addition of 280 in private and parochial schools, 96.37 per cent. of school youth mere in school some part of the year. This large per cent. of enrollment over that of daily attendance is doubtless owing to the changing character of population incident to mining cities.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## GENERAL STATE REQUIREMFNTS.

No district board may employ any person to teach in a public school of the State unless such person have a license from the district, county, or State school officers in full force at the date of employment.

Since May 27,1883 , in districts with more than 1,000 children, the examinations of teachers to fill racancies have been conducted by district boards, and those thus eramined are not required to hold a certificate from the county superintendent while teaching in such district. In all other cases there must be a certificate from the superintendent of schools in the county where the applicant desires to teach, or a diploma from the State superintendent of education; the former is good for 6 months, 1 year, or 2 years; the latter during the life or good beharior of the holder.

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## NOEMAL COURSES.

The Uiriversity of Colorado offers what seems to be a thoroagh 4-year training in wormal education to prepare teachers for the public schools. Instruction is given not only in the branches tanght in the common schools, but in the theory of teaching, history and philosophy of edacation, and schuol economy. Applicants for admission must be at least 16 years of age, must declare their intention to become teachers, and must pass a satisfactery examination in the ordinary school branches. The University stands at the head of the public schools, and assures the coraty snperintendents that the faculty will recommend ouly such stndents as, in their opinion, have made a good record.
Colorario Colleye, which showed in $188^{\circ}$ a normal cour $u$ of 4 years, has made no report. of it to this Bureau since that date.
The Cniversity of Lenver continued in 1884-' 85 to offer a special course of 1 vear to those of its students who wished to prepare for teaching in the public schools. This course, said to be conducted by teachers thoroughly familiar with normal methods, embraces methods of instruction in arithmetic, grammar, geography, history, school management, art of teaching, and oral training.
For statistics of these schools see Table III of the Appendix; for summaries of same, the report of Commissioner preceding.

## TEACHERS' INSTITUTES.

These are provided for whenever reasonable assurance shall be given by the superintendent of any county to the State superintendent of public instruction that at least 25 teachers in his county desire to assemble for a teachers' institute, to remain in session 2 weeks of 5 days each. When any such institute is organized, the directors of schools in the county may close their schools to allow teachers to attend the exercises, the pay of such teachers to continue while attending, as if there had been no closure.

## SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

## PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS.

Denver has had a high school since 1873, with division most of that time into general and classical departments, and a 4 -year course for each. Both sexes are admitted. The enrollment from 1875-'76 to 1884-' 85 has increased from 104 to 319 , the average belonging, from 77 to 259.9 ; the average daily attendance, from 74 to 249.8 . The school is furnished with a full line of chemical and physical apparatus, a valuable cabinet of minerals, a collection of Colorado plants and flowers, physiological charts, and inaps for classical and historical work.

Leadville shows also a high school, with a building in which a principal and 3 teachers were employed; number of pupils and length of course not given.
Golden and Pueblo, reported in 1883-'84, have sent no account of their high schools.

## OTHER SEJONDAEY SCHOOLS.

For statistics of business colleges, private academic schools, preparatory schools, and preparatory departments of colleges or universities, see Tables IV, VI, VII, and IX of the Appendix; for their summaries, the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## COLILGES FOR YOUNG MEN AND FOR BOTH SEXES.

The University of Colorado, Boulder (nou-sectarian), as a part of the public school systew of the State, furnishes free tuition to State stadents of both sexes. It arranges its instraction under the departments of philosophy and arts, of medicine, normal school, ouservatory of music, and preparatory school. The department of philosophy and arts includes courses leading to the degrees of A. B., Ph. B., Sci. B., and Lit. B. A full course for a degree corers 24 semesters of 5 exercises a week each. For the degrees of 1. B. and Ph. B., 10 of the 24 semester courses are prescribed, while 14 are optional; for that of Sci. B., 16 are prescribed, 8 optional; for that of Lit. B., 13 are prescribed, 11 optional.
The degrees of A. M. and Sci. M. are given to those who complete a graduate course authorized by a committee of the faculty, it being required that applications for suchdegrees be made a year in advance.
The preparatory school prepares students for coarses leading to the bachelor degree, but students graduating from high schools with a sufficient course of study may be accepted on evidence of such graduation.
The course of study corers 4 years and is in many respects equal to those of good Eastern high schools. There is a choice between a classical, a Latin scientific, and a scientific course.

Colorato College (non-sectarian), in its bulletin, 1885, presents preparatory, collegiate, and scientific courses, the full collegiate leading to the A. B. degree; the "Cutler literary " to a certificate of studies in English, mathematics, natural science, French, German. and Latin, with historical, ethical, and psychological training; the scientific embraces blow-pipe analysis, determinative mineralogy, assaying, chemical analysis, geology, and surveying. The Normal school of 1883 has vanished

The University of Denver (Methodist Episcopal) for 1884-'85 announces, besides its "junior preparatory" school, colleges of letters and scieuce, of music. of fine arts, of business, and of medicine, as beiore. A movement for endowment was in progress in that year, with apparently fair prospect of securing $\$ 100,000$ through an offer trom Mrs. Bishop Warren of $\$ 50.000$, conditioued on the raising of a like amount from subseriptions. A movement to endow a woman's professorship was also on foot.

Two wew Preshyterian colleges, one at Del Norte, another at Longnıont, are reported on official authority, the former with 2 buildings and 34 students in preparatory clusses; the latter with apparently tair prospects of eventual success.

## COLLEGES FOR YOUNG WOMIEN.

Young women are admitted, for special studies at least, to the University of Cniorado, State School of Mines, Agricultural College, and University of Denver. The College of the Sacred Heart, near Denver (Roman Catholic), presents classical. commercial, and modern language courses, but without clear indication how far the instruction in such courses goes.

## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL.

## SCIENTIFIC.

The Unirersity of Co7orado, Boulder, presents in 1884-'85, as before, a fair range of scientific studies in mathematics; physical, mental, and moral science; political economy; topographical drawing; surveqing and engineering. The continuance of this last depended on a detail of a United States Army officer tor its continuance in 1885-' 86.
Colorado Agricultural College, Fort Collins, with preparatory, collegiate, special, and post-graduate studies, reports for the same year 96 students, 50 of then young women; a majority of the senior and post-graduate classes and 12 out of 18 special students being of this sex. The studies of the preparatory and collegiate departments are accompanied by or alternated with 2 hours' labor daily in farm, garden, orchard, shop, and laboratory; for which, with clinics in veterinary cases, there seems to be very fair provision, under 9 instructors, the course of training haring a very practical look throughout. State appropriation, from a 1.5 mill tax, $\$ 21,000$.
The Colorado Slate School of Dinfs, Golden, retains its 3 regular courses in civil engineering, mining engineering, and metallurgy, each of 4 years, with special ores in assaying, chemical analysis, geology, mineralogy, and surveying, for studeuts that wish to prepare for successful work in these lines. Free-hand and mechanical drawing and coloring are taught as part of this instruction, with a view to the development of such skill of band and eye as will enable students promptly and effectively to illustrate any object by suitable sketches. A valuable museum of minerals, ores, and geological specimens, and a library of standard scientific works, with illustrative apparatus, aid in inculcating the instruction given. Faculty, 7; students in 1883-' 84,117 , including 28 ladies attending lectures and drawing.
Culorado College, Colorado Springs, offers to miners and surveyors winter scientific courses in mineralogy, chemistry, blow-pipe analysis, and other branches relating to their occupations, as stated under "Superior instruction" preceding. Statistics of the attendance on these courseshave not been received. If any should be furnished, they may be found in Part 2 , Table $X$ of the Appendix.

## PROFESSIONAL.

Theological. - Up to 1884-'85 this Bureau had no information of any regularly organized theological seminary in the State, except at Denver, where, in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Cathedral, there is such a school, with 4 professors; students in 1884-85, as in the previous year, 3. At the Ronan Catholic Pro-Cathedral, Denver, it is believed that there is also some training for the priesthood, as the records of the ricariate of Colorado show 4 ecclesiastical students, and this cathedral seems to be the only place for training such.
Medical. -The Medical Department of the University of Colorado, organized 1883, had in 1884-285 7 professors, a 3 -year graded course, with an annual session of 39 weeks; requires for admission a literary or scientific degree, or a bigh school diploma, or a thorough examination in the branches of a good English education, including mathematics and
naturai philosoply; for graduation, 21 jears of age, good moral character, and satisfactory examinations.

The Medical Department of the University of Denver reports 19 instructors; has a 3 -year graded course, in annual sessions of 25 weeks; requires for admission a fair Enghish education, with natural philosophy and rudiments of Latin, or a degree of A. B., or a diploma of a high schuol; for graduation, 21 years of age, good rharacter, 3 years of study, attendance of 2 iull lecture coursce, practice in anatomy aud chemistry for 2 sessions, pronciency in diagnosis and therapeutics by practical demonstration on the living subject, and a satisfactory examination in the 7 principal branches of medical science,

Graduates of medical colleges in the State are not allowed to practice medrcine in any of its departments without a license from the State board of medical examners.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

## EDUCATION OF THE DEAF AND BLIND.

The Colorado Mute and Blind Institute, Colorado Springs, tounded 1874, reports for 1885 an enrollment of 46 pupiss ( 26 mule and 20 fenale) under 7 instructors. The studies includt, besides cummon English branches, natural philosophy, general science, and book-keeping. The employnents taught are printing, carpentry, and sewing. Voiumes in library, 250 ; value of grounds ana buldings, $\$ 45,000$; State appropriation for the sear, $\$ 22,000$.

## REFORMATORY AND INDCESTRIAL TRANNING.

As the reports from this State are biennial, information from the State Industrial School, Golden, cannot at present extend beyond 1883-'84, when, in the report from this Burean, it was stated that of 196 receired since the opening of the school, 123 had been apprenticed or discharged, learing 73 remaining, November 1, 1884. Of those discharged, 75 had been returned to homes in Colorado, 19 to homes in other States and Territories, 1 eloped, and 28 had been apprenticed to farming, housework, and other occupations.

## INSTRECTION IN MUSIC AND ART.

The Conservatory of Dusic in the University of Colorado offers courses in parlor, church, and orchestral music, oratorio chorus, and brass and reed instruments, requiring 3 years' study to complete a full course, which time may be reduced by unusual ability.
The College of Music in the University of Denver, while it concentrates its energy on the study of the piano and roice, also furnishes facilities for the study of the violin, flute, and guitar. A course of 2 years leads to the degree of bachelor of music.

The School of Art of the same Unirersity claims to be fairly complete in its collections of casts, materials, and tacilities for art training, taking the technical work done in the Maryland Institute School of Art and Design. Baltimore, as its model. In addition there are two recitations a day in related branches, including modern languages, mathematics, natural science, and belles-lettres.

## EDUCATIONAL CONVENTION.

## COLORADO STATE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

The Colorado State Teachers' Association held its tenth anvual meeting at Denver, December 29-31, 1884. The meeting is said to have been characterized by an unusually large attendance, by the length and ability of the paperssubmitted, and by the unanimity of the procedings. President David K. Boyd, of Greeley, called the meeting to order, and Rev. R. W. Reed, D. D., of Denver, gave a lecture on "Poetic justice," followed hy an address from the president on "The cultiration of the estheticimagination." Miss Harriet Scott, of Pueblo High School, then read a paper on "Unmarked results." Much of the true teachers' work, she said, does not gire direct results, but purposes are fixed, motives invigorated, and the whole child is so touched that in after years the results become apparent. In a paper on "Scientific temperance instruction in schools," A. B. Copeland, of Greeley, stated that temperance people begin to see that the moral aspect of the temperance question must be supplemented by scientific and economic facts. He held that the miseries growing out of intemperance often result from ignorance of the effects of alcoholic drinks. These effects should be demonstrated to youth on the authority of scientrfic men.

Miss A. B. Witter, in a paper on the "Philosophy of teaching," expressed the thought that results were not adequate to the outlay and opportunities enjoyed by youth. Teachers know too little of the rital principles of their work; methods are too superficial and disconnected; we try to do too much, and fail to awaken enthusiasm for study. State Superintendent Jos. C. Shattuck followed with the question, "What lack we
yet?" in which he claimed that on account of the spontaneous growth of the school system, its cordial support, the perfection of our system of instruction, the zeal and ability of our educational workers, and the loyal public sentiment in behalf of free schools, we realiy lack nothing in particular, and only need to continue what we have began, bringing each part of our system to a higher perfection. Dr. H. F. Wegener urged the use of "The microscope in school rooms" as a meaus at once of interest aud of instrnction, bringing vividly to viewr a world of monders of which children usually know almost nothing, yet a world of inteuse interest when shown.

Charles A. McMurray, of Denver, then read a paper on "Theory as related to practice in teaching," said to have been an able production. Mrs. F. C. Houghan, of the Gilpin School, Denver, urged the introduction of "school libraries," as to which she related her experience in interesting her school, and in making a collection of suitable bouks for youth and children to read. She claimed that it is folly to teach children not to read light and immoral literature, and yet not put into their hands anything better.
"School reading" and "Mistakes in school management" were discussed, and many importantsuggestions made as toboth topics. Superintendent Gove, of Denver, then made some admirable remarks on "The teacher out of school," which were followed by a conclading lecture from President E. C. Hewitt, of Normal, Ill., on "The development of character," said to have been worthy of the occasiou and the man.

Having thus far concerned itself only with elementary education, the association proposed to advance to the higher departments, and a college and high school section was organized, to which hereafter a half-day will be given.
Among other resolutions, the following one was adopted:
" $R$ rsolved, That it is the decided sense of this association that the true aim of education is to develop character; that the cultivation of the heart should never be subordinated to that of the head, nor that of the iutellect to the training of the conscience; and that in the realization of this aim we recognize as the most potent factor a true Christian morality, emborlied in the character of the living teacher, and pervading and guiding all the work of the school room."

## CHIEF SCHOOL OFFICER.

Hon. Leomidas S. Cornell, State superintendent of public instruetion, Deneer.
[Second term, with an interval, January, 1885, to January, 1887.

## CONNECTICUT.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

|  | 1883-'84. | 1884-'85. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ropolation and attendance. |  |  |  |  |
| Children of school age (4-16) | 150,601 | 151, 069 | 468 |  |
| Different scholars in public schools.- | 123, 280 | 125, 718 | 2, 438 |  |
| A verage attendance in winter------- | 80, 075 | 82,654 | 2,579 |  |
| Average attendance in summer | 74,787 | 75,450 | 663 |  |
| Per cent. of school youth enrolled.-- | 81.86 | 83.22 | 1.36 |  |
| Per cent. of school youth attending in winter. | 53.17 | 54. 71 | 1. 64 |  |
| Per cent. of school youth attending in summer. | 49.66 | 49.94 | . 28 |  |
| Children in other than public schools . | 14,580 | 14,480 |  | 100 |
| Number in schools of all kinds-. | 127, 860 | 140, 198 | 2, 338 |  |
| Per cent. of this to school youth. | 91.54 | 92.80 | 1.26 |  |
| Children of school age in no school.SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND SCHOOLS. | 20,199 | 19,837 |  | 362 |
| Towns in the State | 167 | 167 |  |  |
| School districts in these | 1,447 | 1,441 |  | 6 |
| Number of public schools | 1,639 | 1,633 |  |  |
| Departments in these | 2,779 | 2,837 | 58 |  |
| Number of graded schools | 338 | 339 | 1 |  |
| Namber of evening schools | 23 | 29 | ${ }^{6}$ |  |
| Number of school sittings .- | 124, 019 | 126, 266 | 2,247 |  |
| School-houses built in the year | 22 | 19 |  | 3 |
| Namber in the State. | 1,657 | 1,658 | 1 |  |
| Number in poor condition | 177 | 167 |  | 0 |
| Average time of schools, in days -- | 179.55 | 179.18 |  | . 37 |
| teachers. |  |  |  |  |
| Men teaching in winter | 562 | 546 |  | 16 |
| Women teaching in winter.. | 2, 347 | 2, 442 | 95 |  |
| Men teaching in summer--- | 307 | 346 | 39 |  |
| Women teaching in summer | 2,596 | 2,625 | 29 |  |
| Teachers continued in the sameschool. | 2, 347 | 2, 463 | 116 |  |
| Teachers serving for first time .-.-- | 485 | 395 |  | 90 |
| financial statement. |  |  |  |  |
| Arerage monthly pay of men teaching. | \$69 17 | \$69 16 |  | \$0 01 |
| Arerage monthly pay of women....- | 3721 | 3764 | \$0 43 |  |
| Cospenditure for public schools. | 1,777, 277 | 1, 852, 221 | 74,944 |  |
| Cost of superintendence of same | 27,890 | 29, 077 | 1,187 |  |
| School district indebtedness --...-. | 1,197, 732 | 1,132, 571 |  | 65, 161 |
| Valuation of public school property-- | 5, 257, 756 | 5, 456, 694 | 198, 938 |  |
| Amount of available school fund. | 2, 017,159 | 2, 030, 124 | 12,965 |  |

(From report of Hon. Charles D. Hine, secretary of State board of education, for the school years ending August 31, 1884 and 1885.)

## STATE SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## GENERAL CONDITION.

As respects school population and attendance the preceding table indicates encouraging advance. A comparatively small increase in children of school age was not only met, but greatly more than met, by*an advance of upward of 5 times that increase in enrollment in the public schools, while children in no school diminished, as may be seen, bv 362. School sittings were also well up to the public-school attendance, 19 new school-houses having been built within the year and 2,247 more sittings having been secured. Teachers serving continuously in the same school were considerably more numerous.

A table appended to the report of the secretary of the State board of education for 1884-'85 shows that in the ten years closing with that report there had been an increase of 16,093 in the number of children entitled to instruction in the public schools, of 6,229 in different scholars registered in such schools, of 11,564 in the number attending private and public schools (besides 5,335 in other schools), of 69 万 in teachers continuously employed, of $\$ 109,637$ in the total pay of teachers, and of $\$ 142,526$ in the whole receipts for the State schools.

With all this advance, however, it is admitted by the superintendent, and decisively declared by the State board of education, that the people are not getting from the schools all they ought to get for the expenditure upon them; that many teachers do not know enough either of the instruction to be given or of the best methods of imparting it; that many school-houses are unfit for use and insufficiently equipped with appliances for teaching; that there is, for these reasons, too little first-rate teaching and much that is very, very poor; and that, consequently, thers is need of a better organization of the school system by transferring the powers of disurict meetings to town meetings, and by uniting the powers of school risitors and district committees in the hands of a town committee. A unity of systems of instruction, it is thought, would be to some extent secured by this, with more skillful supervision, better appliances, and eventually far superior teaching, longer school sessions, and yet, probably, a lessened cost.

## ADMINISTRATION.

The State still has a board of education of 6 members, two of them chief State officers, for general oversight of the free-school system; employs a secretary of this board for visitation, supervision, and report of schools; and gives him the assistance of a clerk for office duties, as also of an experienced agent for enforcement of the laws relatiag to compulsory school attendance.

Towns-answering to townships in most States-hare each a board of school visitors of 3,6 , or 9 members; school districts representing former "school societies," boards of education of 6 or 9 members; ordinary school districts into which towns have been divided, school committees of 3 members. These offcers are liable to a change of onethird each year, except boards of only 3 school visitors, who hold in a body for 3 years.

The minimum session of the free schools is 33 weeks yearly in districts with $100^{1}$ or more youth 4 to 16 years of age; 30 weeks in those with 24 to 99 such youth; and 24 weeks in districts with still smaller numbers.

Well children 8 to $16^{2}$ years of age are now required to attend some public day school, or receive elsewhere regular and continuous instruction in public-school studies while the schools of their districts are in session, ${ }^{3}$ unless excused by the school authorities. Children under 14 who have attended school 12 weeks during the preceding 12 months, and children over 14, are not now subject to this requirement while properly employed to labor; but all except these come under the rule, and any person having control of a child and not complying with the law is subject to a fine of $\$ 5$ or less for each week's failure to do so, not to exceed $\$ 60$ a year. Selectmen and truant officers are to look after the enforcement of these laws and to fine obstinate offenders for violation of them. Habitual truants may also be sent to a house of correction.

Besides the elementary education thus required and enforced, there is provision for high school work, for instruction of teachers in a State normal school, and for aids to school training from town libraries and illustrative apparatus. There is also, since 1884, provision for instruction in manual arts, which has been availed of at least in New Haven, and for instruction in vocal and instrumental music, if a town rote for it at an annual business meeting.

The admission of children of school age to public schools is not allowed to be affected by race or color.
${ }^{1}$ Changed, 1884 , from 110 to 100.
\& Formerly 8 to 14 .
${ }^{8}$ This is an extension of the former 12 weelss to 24 or more.

## SCHOOL FINANCES.

 to apportion, every February, in addition to the allowance from the school fund, \$1.50 for each child 4-16 years of age in towns the school visitors of which certify that the schools have been kept open the full period required by law, under teachers daly examined and approved. The income from town deposit funds, or other funds that have been dedicated to public school instruction, go with the State school fund to increase the amounts that may be roted by torns, at their annual meetings, for the support of public schools. But the State allowance and the specially voted town funds can only be arailed of by districts that have suitable school-houses and outbuildings, and that have made to the school risitors the required reports.

## NEW LEGISLATION.

Besides the law noticed in the report from this Bureau for 1583-'84, autborizing the State board of education to examine applicants for teachers' certificates good throughout the State, there appear in the acts of 1834, at the law library at the Capitol in Washington, the following special laws: (1) one appropriating $\$ 10,000$ to the State Reform School, for the completion and furnishing of two additional cottage buildings; (2) one appropriating $\$ 5,000$ to the Storrs Agricultural School; (3) and one appropriating $\$ 15,000$ for the Industrial School for Girls.

## SYSTEMS OF CITIES AND TOWNS WITH 7,500 OR MORE INHABITANTS.

## ADMINISTRATION.

The school risitors of torns prescribe rules for the management, studies, discipline, and classification of the schools of their respective towns, the choice of text books, and the examination of teachers. They assign the duty of visiting the schools to one or more Acting School Visitors of their own number, who are required to make an annual report to the board. Cities, in at least some cases, administer their school affairs through boards of education, with a superintendent as executive officer. Examples of this appear at Bridgeport, Middletown, and New Haren, and to some extent also at New Britain and Norwich.

STATISTICS.
1884-'85. a

| Cities and towns. | Population, census of 1830. | Children of schoolage. | Enrollment in public schools. | Average dailyattendance. | Teachers employed. | Expenditure for free schools. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Bridgeport. | 29,148 | 8,283 | 6,470 | 4,748 | 112 | 895,032 |
| Danbury........... | 11,666 | 3,260 | 2,608 | 1,872 | 52 | 33, 318 |
| Derby ... | 11,650 | S.670 | 3,221 | 2,136 | 60 | 43, 967 |
| Greenwich | 7, 892 | 1,850 | 1,458 | 831 | 31 | 19,366 |
| Hartford | 42,551 | 9,765 | 7, 3~5 | 4,805 | 158 | 210,567 |
| Meriden ... | 18, 310 | 5,019 | 3, \%. ${ }^{\text {d }}$ | 2, 432 | 69 | 135, 6\%2 |
| Middletown | 11, 732 | 2,591 | 2,113 | 1,290 | 46 | 29, 436 |
| New Britain. | 13,979 | 3, 817 | 2,184 | 1,458 | 45 | 30, 290 |
| New Haven. | 61,383 | 16,782 | 14,067 | 9,693 | 279 | 225, 715 |
| New London | 10,537 | 2,100 | 2, 054 | 1,376 | 42 | 25, 038 |
| Norwalk. | 13,956 | 3,208 | 2,743 | 1,512 | 43 | 42, 507 |
| Norwich | 21, 143 | 5, 288 | 3, 897 | 2,617 | 94 | 60, 135 |
| Stamford. | 11,297 | 2, 823 | 1,914 | 1,233 | 41 | 2S, 563 |
| Waterbury | 20,270 | 6,053 | 4,895 | 3, 490 | 86 | 87.301 |
| Windham | 8,204 | 2,094 | 1,197 | 7.06 | 29 | 27,072 |

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## ADDITIONAL PARTICCLARE.

Bridgeport in 1884-'85 increased by only 97 its youth of school age, yet enrolled in its city schools 495 more than in the previcus year, and had an arerage attendance of 314 more, under 6 additional teachers, learing still, however, 1,409 in no school, and 585 in pritate schools. Two new school buildings of excellent appearance and arrangement were built, accommodating about 450 pupils each, with nearly the same conveniences and facilities for school work as the admirable high school reported in 18s3-84. Yet
with this great improrement in school accommodation the average cost per pupil for the year, based on average attendance, was only $\$ 15.82$. The city training school and evening drawing school were continued.
Danbury, with 114 more school youth, enrolled 121 more in public schools, had 97 more in average attendance under 4 more teachers, with an expenditure of $\$ 1,547$ less. In private schools there were 78 reported; in no school, 650.
Derby added 89 to its school youth, 59 to the enrollment of the previous year, 106 to its arerage attendance, and 3 to the number of its teachers; expenses were $\$ 12,800$ below the reported expenditure of 1883-'84. Under private tuition were 46 pupils; in no school, 646.

Greenwich, from some cause unexplained, declined by 103 in school population, 306 in enrollment, and 16 in arerage attendance, yet more than beld its former rank in expenditure for schools. Private and church schools enrolled 162 pupils, while 374 did not attend school.
Hartford shows a falling off of 322 in enumerated youth, of 122 in such routh enroller in public schools, yet more than held its own in average attendance; diminished samewhat the number of teachers, and by $\$ 15,237$ the expenditure for schools; this last prohably through completion of such expenditure for its new and excellent high sciool building. The State board of education, however, calls attention to the fact that through Hartford's retention of the district system, instead of a city system proper, its expense per pupil is $\$ 10.34$ more than that of New Haven, where the arrangements for instruction and the character and thoroughness of that instruction are generally held to be of higher grade. Beside the public school enrollment, there appear 2,000 in prirate and church schools and 1,200 in no school.
Meriden, in a special return, presents figures differing somewhat from those in the State report, the former indicating 130 more children than in the previous jear, 333 more enrolled in the town schools, 174 more in average attendance, and $\$ 74,276$ more spent for the schools; this last largely from the erection and furnishing of an elegant and substantial high school building that looks as if it might endure for centuries if duly cared for. It reports also monthly meetings of the teachers, with lectures or familiar talks on methods of teaching, followed by discussions in which all present may partake. For other exercises of this kind see "Normal training", fuirther on. In addition to the enrollment in public schools, 940 were reported in church and private schools, and 557 in no school.
Middletown, with 46 fewer school youth, enrolled in public schools 37 more than in the previous year, but had 18 less in average attendance, while in private and church schools Trere 456, and in no school 320. Whether the inmates of the Connecticut Industrial School for Girls, Middletowa, are included among those in private and charch schools, does not appear, but is possible, as this school, though aided by the State, is governed by a benerolent association.

New Britain, in a return, reports $52^{1}$ fewer children but 48 more enrolled in public schools, arerage attendance less by 13 , and expenditure by $\$ 4,067$. In private or charch schools 1,300 were reported; in no school, 430 ; in evening schools, 295. In the model schools connected with the State Normal School 40 children, under 3 regular teachers, were at once receiving instruction and giving candidates for teachership an opportunity to improve their methods of training. The erening schools were deroted to the rudimentary branches for such as could not attend the day schools, and were open from early in Norember till the second week in March. Teachers' meetings were held throughout the year, sometimes for the full corps, sometimes in divisions, with good attendance.

New Haven, in a return, presents an adrance of $502^{2}$ in school youth, of 747 in enrollment in public schools, of 74 in arerage attendance, and yet a decline of $\$ 30,184$ in expenditure for school purposes, though 16 more teachers were employed. Private and church schools had an enrollment of 2,031 pupils, while out of school were 3,609. Special efforts appear to hare been made during the year to improve the spelling and reading of at least the younger pupils through steady drill in the spelling of words with which each child was familiar, till correct spelling became mechanical, and through a like drill in easy reading from fresh and racy reading matter-not committed to memory, but read till a habit of scanning a sentence rather than a mere word was acquired - and then letting each tell, in his own way, the fact or story he had been dwelling on. It is said that where principals hare giren this matter constant personal attention great progress has been made, but that where teachers have been too eager for quick results, and have pushed pupils into reading books too hard for them, there have naturally been failures.

The manual training noticed in 1883-'84 was continued and extended, improved arrangements bringing in a larger number for instruction, so that 48 boys had the advantage of this training every week during the school term, while 118 in all had the opportunity of working 2 months or more, with apparently great adrantage. A class of 40 to

50 girls met also once a week, under a lady teacher, for instruction in sewing, knitting, crocheting, embroidery, and other work in such lines. Classes were formed, too, for wood carving, repoussé work, and modeling. Evening schools lad an attendance of 434, with an average of 181 under 10 teachers.

New L.ondon, with 150 more children to be taught, seems to have gathered only 65 more than in 1883-'84 into its public schools, though average attendance was somewhat better in proportion than the enrollment. In private schools 91 pupils were reported; in no school, 208 . Of these last 35 were of the age for compulsory attendance. The 150 gain in school youth above noted came after a loss of 101 in the preceding ten years, and seems to indicate a decided turn in the tide.

Norwalk, in a return, indicates a loss of 19 in enumerated youth and of 18 in average attendance, this last notwithstanding an advance of 436 in pupils enrolled and of 5 in teachers. Expenditure for schools was, according to the return, $\$ 11,828$ greater than in 1883'84. Church and private schools had 417 pupils additional to those in the publicschools, while 393 were reported as in no school, 34 or them of the age for required attendance.

Norvich had 299 more youth of school age, and enrolled in its public schools 201 more than in 1883-'84, while the average attendance was only increased by 13 . In other than public schools 465 were reported; in no school, 830.

Stamford, with a much smaller population than Norwich, went considerably beyond it in private and church-school attendance, while there were 553 of its children in no school. Itspublic schoolsenrolled 57 fewer pupils than in the yearbefore, but had an increase of 59 in average attendance, of 4 in teachers employed, and of $\$ 3,434$ in expenditure for school purposes.

Waterbury increased its school youth by 179, and its enrollment in public schools by 290.

Windham, with " 0 fewer youths to be instructed, considerably increased its expenditure for schools, but drew only 7 more pupils into them, and lost more than four times that gain in average attendance, 557 being gathered in church and private schools, while there were 277 in no school.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## GENERAL STATE REQUIREMENTS.

The school visitors in each town examine, as a board or by a committee, persons that desire to teach in the public schools of the town. To such as prove their good character and capacity to teach reading, writing, arithmetic, grammar, geography, and history (with drawing, if required), the examiners give certificates to that effect. These authorize the holders either to teach in any district of the town so long as desired without further examination, unless specially ordered, or to teach in any such district during the next school term, or to teach in a certain specified district for that term. Persons found qualified to teach other and higher branches than those above mentioned are to have their qualifications indicated in the certificates given them.

Since $188+$ the State board of education has had power to examine, in such branches and on such terms as it may prescribe, persons that seek certificates good throughout the State; to grant such certificates to those who prove their qualifications for them, and to revoke these certificates in case of need. It is still optional with town boards whether to accept the State board certificates in lieu of their own; but such acceptance will probably soon be general. The certificates given are of two grades, primary and advanced; the former for such candidates as pass in the studies mentioned above; the latter for such as pass also in algebra, geometry, book-keeping, physiology, physics, physical geography, and civil government. Successful candidates for the primary grade certificate, who have passed in studies more advanced than those required of them, may have the fact noted in their certificates. Both grades are valid only for a year, but are renewable on evidence of good work done.

## STATE NORMAL SCHOOL.

The Comnecticut Normal and Training School, New Britain, is the only one established by the State for traiving teachers in the art of instructing and governing the pupils of the puhlic schools. Originally meant to be for both sexes equally, it has gradually come to be almost wholly filled with young women. Applicants for admission must be at least 16 years of age; must intend to teach in the State public schools, and must present certificates of good character from the school visitors of the town in which a residence is claimed, besides passing a satisfactory examination in 7 prescribed studies. ${ }^{1}$ The course after admission is largely in academic studies for one year, and for another year embraces, with these, the theory and practice of the art of teaching. A practice school was opened in 1883, and was enlarged in January, 1884; in April of the latter year 3

[^51]kindergarten class was added. Later information shows 3 model schools in operation is 1885. These greatly aid in illustrating proper methods of teaching and governing. A diploma is granted to students that complete the course.

The statistics of 1884-' 85 show a total of 244 students, including a class of 25 graduated in June of that year. Teachers 14, including the principal.

## OTHER NORMAL TRAINING.

At Bridgeport the teachers have been wont to meet for consultation and interchange of ideas as to the best methods of teaching and school management. In 1884-' 85 there are presented in the State report such meetings with like exercises, including lectures and familiar talks, at Colchester, Bristol, Meriden, New Britain, Norwich, and Windham.

New Haven has a well organized training school for instructing in the same lines as at Bridgeport the graduates of its high school and others of acknowledged merit. For such instruction there has been, since 1883, a special building.

## INSTITUTES.

Although teachers' institutes are not explicitly provided for by name, they are substantially required by a clause in the school law, which says that the board of education shall seek to improve the methods and promote the efficiency of teaching, by holding, at convenient places in the State, meetings of teachers and school officers, for the purpose of instructing in the lect modes of administering, governing, and teaching public schools. There are indications in the State reports of such meetings being held, 17 in 1883-'84, with an attendance of 160 school oficers, 953 teachers, and 2,646 other persons; 147 in 1884-'85, with 166 school officers, 874 teachers, and 2,273 other persons attending.

## SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

## PUBLIC HIGII SCHOOLS.

Besides the elementary free schools required by law, any town may establish and maintain schools of a higher grade, purchase and hold property and buildings for them, levy taxes for school purposes and for support of the schools, and hare a special school committee for their management. The powers of such a committee, however, do not vacate those of the town school visitors.

The number of such schools reported in 1882-'83 was 24; in 1883-'84 only 18; in 1884-'85, 21. Whether the apparent decrease is due to imperfection of reports or to a closure of some schools, does not appear. In 1883 a bill requiring towns with more than 400 families to maintain a high school was considered and continued till the next session. No note of its passage appears in the State report for 1884-' 85.

## OTHER SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

For the titles, location, and statistics of business collegez, private academies, and preparatory schools reported, see Tables IV, VI, and VII of the Appendix; for summaries of their statistics, the corresponding tables in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## COLLEGES FOR YOUNG MEN OR FOR BOTH SEXES.

The colleges of the State in 1884-'85 were in number and titles as before reported: Trinity, at Hartford (Protestant Episcopal), Wesleyan, at Middletown (Methodist Episcopal), and Yale, at New Haven (non-sectarian).

Trinity, in its catalogue for 1884-'85, gives a brief history of itself, which shows that, chartered as Washington College in 1823, and established at Hartford because of large subscriptions from that city, it began its collegiate work there in the autumn of the same year, and held its first graduating exercises in 182\%. In 1845 its title was changed from Washington to Trinity, to indicate more fully that it was meant to be a Christian college. In 1872 it sold its grounds in Hartford to the city as a site for a newState capitol, and purchased much more extensive ones, of 80 acres, on the heights just inside the city limits to the south. In this excellent location•new buildings were begun in 1875 , on a plan presented by a celebrated English architect, and as much of the intended noble structure as was needed for the time was finished and occupied in 1878. In 1883 an additional building, golng toward the completion of the plan, was erected with funds furnished by a liberal friend. Others will be added as needs and means for them arise, till the whole imposing pile proposed shall be complete.

For 1885-' 86 the college presents three courses additional to the four-year classical one
to which it has long held; ono in letters and science, ono in science, and one in letters, each with somewhat lighter requirements for admission than the older course.

Wesleyan presents, for 1884-'85, essentially the same elements as before in its classical, Latin-scientific, and scientific courses, but gives in much fuller detail a statement of what is expected or required in each. In either of the courses there is a considerable number of elective studies; but each student is required to attend at least 16 recitations weekly, besides the rhetorical exercises assigned to the respective classes, and studies once selected, with the approval of the faculty, must be carried through the year. Very fair additions appear to have been made to the means of illustration in the natural science studies. Young women are still admitted on the same terms and for the same studies as young men, and 2 more such appear in the catalogue, making 20 females among the 202 students enrolled, of which enrollment 6 were special students and 3 were graduates pursuing advanced studies. The faculty, including the president, numbered 3 more than in the preceding year, but instead of additional receipts to meet this increase of teaching force, there was a slortage.

Yale lost in 1884-'85 two experienced and faithful professors, Lewis R. Packard, Ph. D., of the chair of Greek, and Benjamin Silliman, M. D., LL. D., of the chair of chemistry; the former, an accurate and painstaking scholar; the latter, a scientist of high repute throughout Europe and America. Dr. S. Wells Williams, the venerable professor of the Chinese language and literature, and also Professor Northrop, of rhetoric and English literature, seem likewise to have dropped away. But in place of Professor Northrop appear a professor of English literature, without the rhetoric, and two prominent lecturens on the same great topic, one of them Donald G. Mitchell, LL. D. Other changes, chiefly additions to the teaching force, appear in the list of faculty and instructors, among them a professor of dynamical engineering, one of physics, and an astronomer in charge of the thermometric bureau of the observatory, the full body of teachers being 113 against 109 in the preceding year.

The whole undergraduate academical course was also rearranged and greatly freshened, and many new elective studies were introduced for the junior and senior years, making no less than 78 in all. And this, it is pleasant to see, was not because the faculty sought to press more work upon the students, but because it was found that the students themselves were voluntarily taking more, many who were responsible for only 15 exercises a week having undertaken 20 and even 25 , and prosecuted them with diligence. To foster this spirit of progress, a system of honors has been devised for giving clear tokens of approval to such students as, not neglecting their regular work in the last 2 years of the course, shall prove an extra proficiency in certain indicated studies of the earlier years as well.

The degrees of Ph. D. and A. M., since June, 1874 , have been given here not as honoraria, but after two years of graduate study, ${ }^{1}$ the efficiency of which is proven by examination.

Additions of 8,120 volumes to the library and of $\$ 179,570$ to the endowment funds were made during the year, $\$ 75,000$ of the latter subject to the usual delays of settlement.

The total attendance of students in all departments for $1884-85$ was 1,$086 ;$ professors and instructors in all, 113.

## INSTITUTIONS FOR SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION OF YOUNG WOMEN.

The situation as to this class of collegiate students and instruction remains substantially unchanged. Wesleyan University still admits women to full collegiate privileges, and Yale admits them to its School of the Fine Arts. In the former, as above stated, were 20 in 1884-'85; in the latter 32 out of a total of 40 .

For other schools that claim to be substantially for collegiate training of young women, see Table VIII of the Appendix; for a summary of their statistics, a like table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION.

## SCIENTIFIC.

Trinity College, Hartford, as before said, added in 1884-'85 a course in letters and science and a course in science to its long-held classical collegiate course; the former, with somerwhat lower preliminary requirements; the latter, with fairly full ones in the line of scientific and English studies. Both courses are of 4 years. Statistics of attendance on these courses are not yet available.

Wesleyan retained its Latin-scientific and scientific courses, with additional instructors and apparently additional studies in them both.

Yale, in its revised classical collegiate course, retains a considerable proportion of such

[^52]scientific studies as mathematics, astronomy, geology, mechanics, and physics. In its Sheffield Scientific School the trend is still more toward studies of this class, physics, chemistry, geometry, trigonometry, civil and dynamic engineering, agriculture, astronomy, biology, and geology prevailing in its courses, with large substitution of French and German for Latin and Greek. These Sheffield courses cover 3 years, the first of them being the same for all; the last 2 branching out into various specialties. A course in drawing extends through the 3 years. For entrance on these courses there is a thorough preliminary examination in English, Latin, arithmetic, algebra, geumetry, and trigonometry. On completion of the 3 -year courses, the degree of Ph . B. is conferred on such students as pass the final examination; that of civil or dynamic engineer on such Ph. B.'s as have taken a first degree in engineering studies, pursued a 2-year higher course, and sustained a final examination, giving evidence of ability to design important constructions, with drawings and calculations. The degree of $\mathrm{Ph} . \mathrm{D}$. comes tn thnse who have taken a bachelor's degree, have studied in the graduate department for not less than 2 years, have passed a satisfactory final examination, and have presented a thesis giving evidence of high attainment in the branches pursued.
The Storrs Agricultural School, Mansfield, which aims to give a scientific knowledge of agriculture, with a practical training in its processes, continued in 1884-' 85 its instruction in these lines for boys of good character 15 years of age and upward, whose parents are citizens of the State. The full course, which must be prepared for by an elementary education, covers 2 years of 35 weeks each, about half the time of each week-day being spent in studies relating to farming; the other half, in good weather, devoted to the actual pursuits of farm-work in field, orchard, dairy, care and use of stock. For statistics, see Table X of the Appendix.

A "Meriden Scientific Association," organized in 1880 with 11 members, presents at the close of its fourth year a membership of 117, with evidence of well-arranged and apparently very useful work, mainly in natural science. The list of subjects treated at the monthly meetings in 1884 indicates careful study in practical lines, and gives promise of becoming a considerable educational force in the community in which it operates. Its fields of research are geology and paleontology, astronomy, archæology and ethnology, anthropology, biology, microscopy, botany, zoology, geography, chemistry, mechanics, technology, electrical science, entomology, ichthyology, and conchology. Each of these lines of study has a director, and chemistry has 2 such. Miss Emily J. Leonard, botanist of the association, a lady of evidently high acquirements in various lines, was lost by death July 16, 1884, in her 47th year, leaving, as one specimen of her scientific work in botany alone, a catalogue of no less than 749 species of plants, which, within 5 years, she had found growing in Meriden, her native town, some of them not noticed by even such botanists as Gray, Torrey, or Wood.

## PROFESSION゙AL.

Theology. - A 3 -year course in this line was continued in the Theological Department of Yale College (Cong.) with a graduate course of a year in addition. Provision is made for elocationary training throughout the 3 years by members of the faculty and by a specially trained expert; besides which, there are optional studies in German, intellectual and moral philosophy, evolution and cosmogony, history; and political and social science. At the Hartford Theological Seminary (Cong.) and at the Berkeley Divinity School, Middletown (Prot. Ep.) 3-year courses, kindred in essential points with that at Yale, were still existent, each meant to follow a collegiate course.
LAW. - For students 18 years of age, of certified moral character, and of collegiate or other respectable training, there is a 2-year course at Yale College embodying all the most important points of legal study, with forensic oratory, forensic elocution, patent law, and corporations. At the close of the spring term each class is subjected to a written examination on the studies of the preceding year. A graduate course of 2 years is open to bachelors of law.
Medicine. - Since 1879, the course in this department at Yale College has been a graded one of 3 years. Each year at present covers 34 weeks, and throughout it instruction is given by lectures and recitations, combined with practical work in anatomical, chemical, physiological, pathological, and histological laboratories. Candidates for admission must prove their qualifications for medical study either by a degree in letters or science, or by passing an examination in mathematics, physics, grammar, spelling, and composition.
For statistics of theological, legal, and medical schools, see Tables XI, XII, and XIII of the Appendix.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

## TRANNING IN THE FINE ABTS.

The Yale College School of the Fine Arts, New Haven, has for its end the cultivation and promotion of painting, sculpture, and architecture, in a course of 3 years. Under

6 professors and instructors there were 49 regalarstudeuts in 1884-85 reveiving instruction in these lines. a large proportion of them young women; while 81 students from the Sheffeld Scientific School had instruction in free-hand drawing, making 130 in all.

## TRAINING OF NUPSES.

This was continued in the calendar year 1884 at the Hartford Hospital and the Connecticut Training School for Nurses, New Haven; the former with a 2 -year course, the latter with one of 13 months. The pupil nurses at Hartford numbered 20; those at New Haven 34, including 11 in private families, but still under direction of the school. light more were soon to complete their studies. During the year 15 were graduated at the latter school, and 6 at the former.

## EDUCATION OF DEAF-MUTES.

The American Asylum, at Hartford, devoted to this purpose, reports an attendance of 209 pupils for the year 1884-'85, of whom 31 were returned to friends and 1 left because of sickness, leaving 177 present May 1, 1885. Of the whole number for the year, 1525 were males and 84 females. Average number, 175. The method of instruction continued to be manual or oral, according to the needs of each case. The asylum began in January, 1885, the publication of manuals in aid of its instruction, its opening one being "First steps in English," by Miss C. C. Sweet, an experienced teacher in the school. Another was in preparation.

A Remington type-writer was purchased to increase the familiarity of the younger pupils with printed words, and with the aid of it lessons written in type and multiplied by a hectograph, were in use, to pave the way to an earlier and freer use of books and newspapers.

The Whipple Home School for the Deaf, Mystic River, in the same year, still prosecuted its plan of teaching the deaf to speak, by pictured representation of the organs of speech in the proper form for the production of "visible speech."

## EDUCATION OF THE FEEBLE-MINDED.

At the Connecticut School for Imbeciles, Lakeville, there was in 1884 a total attendance of 102 , of whom 60 were State beneficiaries. The number present at the opening of 1885 was 92,56 of them State beneficiaries, 24 supported by friends. The teaching is largely by objects, with considerable employment of kindergarten methods.

## STATE REFORMATORY AND INDUSTRIAL TRAINING.

At the Connecticut State Reform School, Meriden, the 2 additional cottages mentioned in the last report as begun in 1883 were completed, making 3 in all, and 150 boys, transferred from the congregate department, were enabled to enjoy in 1884 the good influences of these separate homes. The results are said to have been very satisfactory, the better boys being secluded from the worse ones and brought under closer and kinder moral infiuences, with the benefit of separate instruction in each home. The whole number in the school from December 1, 1883, to November 30, 1884, was 638, of whom 407 remained. Profitable and useful industries are alternated with moral and educational instruction. Vocal music is taught, and a brass band is under constant training.

The Connecticut Industrial School for Girls, Middletown, is not a place to which criminals are consigned for punishment, but one of temporary custody and instruction for viciously inclined girls, 8 to 16 years of age. They are committed to the guardianship of the institution till 21, unless sooner discharged according to law; and are, while in it, subjected to a system of discipline and instruction, physical, sanitary, educational, and industrial, amid healthful surroundings and in a Christian home. One hundred and seven towns in the State have had girls under its care, with generally salutary results. The number cared for from December 1,1883, to December 1, 1884, was 281, of whom 75 were placed out during the year, leaving 206 remaining.

## TRAINING OF ORPHANS.

For information on this point in 1884-'85, see Part 1, Table XXII of Appendix.

## EDUCATIONAL CONVENTIONS.

## COUNCIL OF EDUCATION.

The president of this body, in a letter to the secretary of the State board of education, says that the discussions in the Council for 1885 were mainly on the question of "How to reach a raore efficient system of school supervision." The subject was introduced by Principal C. F. Carroll, of the normal school, New Britain; and while some differences of opinion as to the best method of securing good supervision were elicited, there appears to have been a unanimous conviction as to the necessity for something better than the
system that has been in rogue. This conriction was voiced at a meeting in New Haven, June, 1885 , in a resolution declaring "that, in the opinion of the Connecticut Council of Edacation, further legislation is necessary for the improvement of our schools by more efficient supervision." A plan to secure this by permitting the existing school boards to delegate their supervisory porver to a single person, was urged by Superintendent Dutton, of New Haven, and strongly supported by other members of the Council. Such action would not compel a change in town systems where no change is desired, but would permit such towns as wish it to establish a system of supervision adapted to their needs.

## STATE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

The meeting of teachers for 1885 was in the hall of the high school building, Hartford. October 29-31. The address on the firstevening was by Prof. W. H. Brewer, Ph. D., of the Sheffield Scientific School, New Haven, and was an exceedingly interesting sketch of the peculiarities of tropical America, with its copious rain-fall, perpetual summer, immense variety of plants, luxuriant regetation, comparative lack of color, and terribly oppressive heat.

The next morning, in the high school section under Principal Bartley, of Bridgeport, Principal Merrill, of Willimantic, advocated the abolition of entrance examinations for admission to high schools, and declared himself in favor of a certificate from the pupil's grammar teacher of his application to his work, his knowledge of the subjects taught, and his power of observation. Principal T. W. T. Curtis, of New Haren, adrocated State taxation for support of high schools, as a means toward continuous supply of intellectual force for the promotion of the prosperity and progress of the State. "What becomes of high school graduates?' was shown to some extent by Superintendent Smith, of Danbury, who had looked up the records of 100 such, and found that 36 were teaching, 31 in business, 7 in law, medicine, and civil engineering, 15 in normal schools, 8 taking life leisurely, and 3 could not be traced.

In the grammar school section, the same day, "The place of arithmetic in the grammar school" was presented hy Principal Rossiter, of Norwich, who by blackboard illustrations showed how the difficulties of some pupils as to arithmetical work might be orercome. A paper on "Advanced reading," by Principal Ferguson, of Putnam, struck a note of alarm at the number of persons allowed to pass through school without fair instruction as to clear enunciation, proper tone, and correct emphasis in reading.

In the primary section the same matter was taken up by Miss Hattie F. Barrows, of Hartford, who, before some 600 teachers, showed by interesting exercises how pupils could be brought to think out the sounds of letters, and then of the combinations of letters in words, till right enanciation and due phonic tone come in to make effective speech. From the description of the exercises it would seem that Miss Barrows ought to hare a wider field than any single school for her instructions in this very useful line. Other showings of proper methods were made by Miss H. A. Lnddington, of the State normal school, in a paper on "Oral and written language," and by Miss M. R. Webster, of the New Haven training school, who conducted a class exercise in geography.

At an afternoon session Mr. M. H. Smith, of the Connecticut Literary Institute, deprecated mere cramming with arbitrary facts, and adrocated a study of the characteristics of each scholar, with a view to the awakening of dormant faculties and the cultivation of clear perceptions in all lines. Other speakers were Professor Sumner, of Yale College, on the need of caution as to school expenses; Col. C. M. Joslyn, on too great confinement to text books; Hon. H. C. Robinson, on the propriety of high school training; Hon. Joseph R. Hawley, on giving a place to history, both of the United States and of the State ; and Rev. Howard Crosby, D. D., on the cultivation of a moral sense in pupils as well as a bright intellect.

The closing exercises on Saturday morning included addresses by Director Holt, of the musical department of the Boston public schools, on the simplicity of the elements of music as involving only time and tune, so that children rightly taught can acquire its main ideas very early; by Superintendent Fisher, of Wermoath, Mass., as to the hard arithmetical tasks often imposed on primary school children; and by Superintendent Littlefield, of Newport, R. I., public schools, on the qualities and acquirements which go to make good teachers. He adrocated, too, a system of instruction that should make boys have an alternation of manual and intellectual work.

## CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OFFICER.

Hon. Chasles D. Hine, Secretary of State board of education, Hurtford.
[Mr. Hine succeeded Hon. Birdsey G. Northrop, January 1, 18s3, and serves during the pleasure of the board.]

## DELAWARE.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

|  | 1884. | 1885. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| POPULATION AND ATTENDANCE. |  |  |  |  |
| White youth of school age (6-21) | 35, 069 |  |  |  |
| Colored youth of school age (6-21)-- | a5, 500 |  |  |  |
| Whole number of school age | 40,569 |  |  |  |
| Whites enrolled in the free schools -- | 27,037 |  |  |  |
| Colored enrolled in like schools | 4,226 |  |  |  |
| Whole enrollment, white and colored. | 31, 263 |  |  |  |
| Per cent. of school youth enrolled.-- | 77.06 |  |  |  |
| Average daily attendance, white ---- | 17, 952 |  |  |  |
| Arerage monthly attendance, colored. | 61, 171 |  |  |  |
| SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND SCHOOLS. |  |  |  |  |
| School districts reported | 421 |  |  |  |
| Free schools for whites in these | 544 |  |  |  |
| Arerage time of such, in days | 157 |  |  |  |
| Free schools for colored children | c69 |  |  |  |
| Average time of these, in days. | 104 |  |  |  |
| TEACHERS. |  |  |  |  |
| Teachers in free schools for whites | 546 |  |  |  |
| Teachers in free schools for colored .- | 78 |  |  |  |
| FINANCIAL STATEMENT. |  |  |  |  |
| Arerage monthly pay of white teachers. | \$32 31 |  |  |  |
| Average monthly pay of colored | 2400 |  |  |  |
| Cost of free schools for whites | 205, 918 |  |  |  |
| Cost of such schools for colored | 8,243 |  |  |  |
| Valuation of State school property -- | 608, 056 |  |  |  |

a Not including colored children in Wilmington.
$b$ Average daily attendance of colored youth not reported, except in Wilmington. c Includes some in Wilmington.
(Although the Delaware school law requires the State superintendent of free schools to report annually to the governor the condition of these schools, the publication of that report has of late years been made only biennially. The statistics of 1885 , supposed to be on file at Dover according to law, have hence been sought in vain.)

## STATE SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## ADMINISTRATION.

The supervision of the free schools for both white and colored children is committed to a State superintendent, appointed annually by the governor. He is required to visit every school once a year, to examine persons proposing to teach, to hold a teachers' institute in each county, aud to purchase and distribute, at cost, to each school district text-books that have been selected by a State board of education, and to report annually, on the first Tuesday of December, the condition of the public schools to the governor. He has an assistant, appointed by the governor annually.
The State board includes the secretary of state, the State superintendent, and the president of Delaware College. It selects text-books for the use of the State schools, com-
missions teachers, and acts as a court of appeal in matters of controversy between school officers. The assistant superintendent acts as secretary of the board.

In each school district a school committee of 3 members, elected by the roters of the district, with annual change of 1 , provides school buildings, fuel, and apparatus, employs teachers holding certificates, and levies an annual tax for the support of the schools.

For colored children there is a special agency called the "Delaware Association for the Education of Colored People," which (except in the city of Wilmington and in a small colored corporation elsewhere) provides, through its actuary, for schools of at least 3 montbs' duration yearly.

## SCHOOL FINANCES.

The public schools for white youth are sustained (1) from the income of a State school fund; (2) from the proceeds of certain licenses; (3) from an annual tax of $\$ 150$ in each school district of New Castle County, of $\$ 125$ in each school district of Kent County, and of $\$ 00$ in each school district of Sussex County; these district taxes being used in the districts in which they are levied.

For the support of colored schools there is an annual tax of 30 cents on $\$ 100$ of the property of colored persons, and also an allowance from the State, which is all distributed through the Delaware Association for the Education of Colored People.

## CITY SCHOOL SYSTEM OF WILMINGTON.

## ADMINISTRATION.

Wilmington has a board of public education consisting of 2 members from each of its 11 wards, elected for 2 years, with annual change of 1 from each ward. There has been also a superintendent of schools employed by the board for many years, whose excellent services are still continued.

## STATISTICS.

Population of city by census of $1530,42,478$; estimated present population, 52,000 ; number of children of school age (6-21) not given; enrollment in the public day schools, 8,718 ; average belonging in them, 6,663 ; average daily attendance 5,974 ; number of teachers, 161 , of whom 8 were pupil-teachers in the city training school and received no pay. The schools were taught 198 days in 23 buildings containing 155 rooms with 7,228 sittings for study. One new 6 -room building was erected during the jear, thus farnishing accommodations for 138 more pupils.

Four of these schools were for colored pupils, and had an enrollment of 838, with an average daily attendance of 479, under 11 colored teachers, all women. 'Two evening schools, one for white and one for colored pupils, were maintained during the winter from 7 to 9 o'clock, 5 evenings each week. The study of mechanical drawing in the white school was a new feature contributing largely to the success of the school, and the superintendent recommends that a more liberal provision be made for the future teaching of this important branch. The enrollment in the white school was 133 ; arerage attendance, 66 ; evenings in session, 65 ; in the colored school-enrollment, 64 ; average attendance, 33 ; evenings in session, 75.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## GENERAL STATE REQUIREMENTS.

Persons wishing to teach in the public schools of the State must, for a first-grade, or 3 -year certificate, pass a satisfactory examination in the common and certain higher English branches; for a second-grade, or 2-jear certificate, in the common English branches ; for a third-grade, or 1-year certificate, candidates must answer 60 per cent. of all questions asked at their examination in these latter studies.

## NORMIAL TRAINING.

The last State report gave no note of any provision being made by the State for normal training, except through the annual teachers' institutes. Wilmington, however, has an excellent training school, certain divisions being tanght by pupil-teachers mho are in training and on trial. All graduates of the city high schools may enter the training school. Other persons who desire to teach may enter on passing, with an arerage of 65, an examination in the principal school studies, and with an average of not less than 70 in orthography, arithmetic, and grammar. Those who enter thus are required to study the art of teaching and to teach 4 months in the training school, unless stopped sooner by the committee on teachers.

## TEACHERS' INSTITUTES.

The law requires the State superintendent to hold at least one teachers' institute in each county annually, of at least 3 days' session; teachers are required to attend such in-
stitutes in their respective counties, unless unavoidably detained. The time of each teacher's attendance upon the institute cannot be deducted from the time of service for which pay is given.

## SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

## PLBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS.

The State makes no prorision for high schools, but the city of Wilmington maintains one for each sex. The courses of study occupy 3 years, and include the higher English branches, with Latin and book-keeping.
Lewes reported high school training some years ago, but does not seem to continue it. Dover in 1882 had such training, according to a return, but did not indicate the continuation of it in the report of 1884. Smyrna, in 1884, reported a high school.

OTHER SECONDAIY SCHOOLS.
For information respecting business colleges, private academic schools, preparatory schools, or preparatory departments of colleges, see Tables IV, VI, VII, and IX of the Appendix; and for summaries of thew, see corresponding tables in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## DELAWARE STATE COLLEGE FOR BOTI SEXES.

Delauzare Collegc, Newark, an outgrowth from a former Newark college, still presents 3 courses of study, each of 4 years. These courses are classical, scientific and agricultural, and literary, each leading to a corresponding degree. The qualifications for admission to the first are considerably higher than those for the other two, extending through the ordinary school stadies, with algebra to equations of the second degree and 4 books of geometry; in Latin, through the grammar and reader, Harkness' Prose Composition, part 1, Sallust or Cæsar, Cicero's Select Orations, and Virgil; in Greek, also through grammar and reader, and the first 2 books of Xenophon's Anabasis. For the other two there are only the requirements of good character and acquaintance with common school studies.

In the collegiate courses German and French are optional in the junior and senior years, while many other studies are so after the first year. The required studies are, however, fairly full and good.

Each of the 3 counties in the State is entitled to have 10 students educated at the college free of charge for tuition, or 1 for each member of the legislature.

Students in 1884-'85, 58, of whom 17 were female; graduates in that year, 11.
COLLEGE FOR WOMEN.
Wesleyan Female College, Wilmington, which has been for some years laboring under difficulties, and which presented to this Bureau no report for 1883-'84, is now reported closed.

## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION.

## SCIENTIFIC.

Deluware College, as before said, presents a scientific and agricultural course of 4 years, leading to the degree of B. S. This includes Latin, French, German, astronomy, civil engineering, physics, sanitary science, natural theology, and evidences of Christianity, elements of law, pure and applied chemistry, and laboratory practice.
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## PROFESSIONAL.

No schools of theology, law, or medicine appear to have been yet established in this State.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

## EDUCATION OF THE DEAF, BLIND, ETC.

No information is available regarding the training of the deaf-mute, blind, and feebleminded children of Delaware, except what appears in the catalogues of the Pennsylvania institutions for such children, where are shown 3 deaf, 5 blind, and 3 feeble-minded i:s 1884-'85, from Delaware.

CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OFFICER.
Hon. Thomas N. Williams, State superinten dent of free schoots.
[Term, one year from April, 1881. Mr. Williams, like his predecessor, Mr. Groves, has served for two or three successive terms.]

## FLORIDA.

## STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

|  | 1883-'84. | 1884-'85. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| population and attendance. |  |  |  |  |
| Youth of school age (6-21)a. | b66, 798 | 666, 798 |  |  |
| Enrolled in public schools | c58, 311 | 62, 327 | 4,016 |  |
| Average daily attendauce | c35, 881 | 45, 850 | 9, 969 |  |
| Per cent. of school youth enrolled. | 87.29 | 93.31 | 6.02 |  |
| Per cent. of enrolled in average daily attendance. | 61.53 | 73.56 | 12.03 |  |
| Per cent. of school youth in average daily attendance. | 53. 71 | 68. 64 | 14.93 |  |
| SCHOOLS. |  |  |  |  |
| Number of public schools | 1,504 | 1,724 | 220 |  |
| Average time of schools in days Number of school houses | 1,160 | 95 |  |  |
| teachers. |  |  |  |  |
| Men teaching in public schools. | 809 | 921 | 112 |  |
| Women teaching in public schools..- | 627 | 732 | 105 |  |
| Whole number so employed .-- | 1,436 | 1,653 | 217 |  |
| financial statement. |  |  |  |  |
| Average monthly pay of teachers |  | \$29 34 |  |  |
| Amount expended for public schools. | \$172, 178 | e335, 984 | \$163,806 |  |
| Amount of permanent State school fund. | d 429,984 | 490, 784 | 60, 800 |  |
| Valuation of State school property --- | 210,115 | 300, 242 | 90,127 |  |

$a$ This is the age for attendance in public schools. Fordistribution of school funds to counties it is 4-21.
$b$ School census of 1884.

- Two organized counties not reporting.
a Peabody fund report, 1834.
$e$ Excluding State colleges, normal schools, and seminaries.
(From reports of Hon. A. J. Russell, State superintendent of public instruction for the two years indicated, except where noted.)


## STATE SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## GENERAL CONDITION.

So far as indicated in a brief report of four pages, the condition of public schools in the State is remarkably good as respects the few points reported. A gain of 220 schools over 1883-'84, of 4,016 in enrollment, of 9,969 in average daily attendance, and of $\$ 163,-$ 806 in expenditure for public schools, shows a great advance in school work. The large per cent. of 93.31 of school youth enrolled, of 73.56 per cent. of enrolled in average daily attendance, and the still more remarkable per cent. of 68.64 of school youth held in average attendance, is a gratifying exhibit of school supervision and teaching, and one seldom equaled in a State with 6-21 as school age. In securing this encouraging state of things the superintendent seems to have been commendably active, having visited, during the year, many counties, held meetings at important points in 22 of them, and conducted teachers' institutes in 16.

Special attention is said to have been given to the morals, health, and general comfort of the pupils during school hours.

## ADMINISTRATIOS.

A State superintendent of public instruction, elected quadrennially by the people, has general supervision of the public school system. The superintendent, secretary of state, and attorney-general constitute a State board of education for management of school funds and lands. County boards, not to exceed 5 members, appointed by the State board, act as agents of that board, and are to locate and maintain schools for at least 3 months each year whererer needed, appointing for the schools from 1 to 5 trustees as local superrisors. A county superintendent, appointed by the governor for a 2-year term, acts as secretary and agent of each connty board and looks into the condition of the schools. Uniform text-books, prorided for use in the public schools, cannot be changed oftener than once in 5 years.

## SCHOOL FINANCES.

The public schools of the State are sustained from the interest of a common school fand distributed among the counties in proportion to the school population; from a State school tas of not less than 1 mill on $\frac{1}{1}$ annually, and from an annual county tas, not to be less than one-half the amount apportioned for the year from the State school fund.

## NEW LEGISLATION.

An Act requiring collectors of revenue in the sereral counties to pay orer to their sereral county treasurers all moners collected on account of the 1 -mill tax for the support of common schools, to be disbursed by these treasurers as other school funds are disbursed, became a law February 22, 1885.

An Act of February 12, 18\$5, appropriated $\$ 10,000$ for the benefit of the State Agricultural College, $\$ 6,000$ to be paid in 1885 and $\$ 4,000$ in 1886 , for such uses as the trustees of the college may judge will further its best interests.
February 16, 18 8 , another Act appropriated $\$ 1,000$ for $1 \S \S 5$ and $\$ 1,000$ for 1886 , to enable the superintendent of public instruction to hold teachers' institutes at such times and places as he might designate, he to submit to the next General Assembly a report as to the manner and parposes of the disbarsement of these sums.

## SCHOOL SYSTEMS OF CITIES WITH 7,500 OR MORE INHABITANTS.

## AD3TIISTRATION.

The only cities with sufficient population for notice under this head are Jacksonrille and Ker West, and these hare no organized city school systems apart from the county systems of Dural and Monroe Counties; therefore statistics for them cannot be giren.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## GENERAL STATE REQUIREMENTS.

Persons wishing to teach in the puolic schools must prove their possession of the required literary qualifications, and their ability to gorern, and to impart instruction. To obtain employment, they must hold certificates of such qualifications from the State superintendent, or from the superintendent or board of education of the country in which they intend to teach. The certificates given are of 3 grades, according to educational qualifications and success in school work; those from the State superintendent are good throughout the State; the others, from the superintendent or school board, good in the county where issued.

## STATE AGEXCIES FOR TRAINTNG TEACHERS.

The means of training teachers for the public schools are (1) a school of didactics and pedagogics in the East Florida Seminarr, Gainesrille, and a somewhat kindred arrangement in the Thest Florida Seminary, Tallahassee, both for whites; (2) normal departments in the Lincoln Academr, Tallahassee, and the Union Academy, Gainesrille, both for colored pupils. All these are under State direction and form separate departments of the seminaries and academies with which they are linked, the especial normal training coming apparently in the summer.

The State superintendent reports for 1884 -' 55 a 2 -months' session of the summer normal school, or institute, for coored teachers, at Tallahassee, with 46 students and excellent work done, most of the students receiring certificates as provided by lam. A similar one ras held at Gainesrille, with 53 students; but, oring to a deficieney in prerious training, the best normal teaching comparatively failed; few of the candidates obtaining certificates.

The superintendent suggests the discontinuance of appropriations where the attendance is so small, and where the parties concerned seem to lack appreciation of the opportanities afforded them.

A means of improving existing teachers and of advancing the general interests of education in the State appears in the projection and institution of a Florida Chautauqua, at De Funiak Springs, Walton County, said to be a charming place for an educational assembly. It closed its first session March 15, 1885, after a large number of lectures, exercises, and representations, including a kindergarten and a school of cookery. One of its good issues is indicated in a statement that workers in the assembly went from it for a visitation of other Southern schools, so that the influences of the meeting may have extended through several States.

## OTHER NORMAL TRAINING.

Besides the State schools just noticed, the Cookman Institute, a very respectable school under Methodist direction, Jacksonville, has classes for colored pupils, designed to prepare them for teaching by imparting such a knowledge of elementary English branches of study as may enable them to teach others of their race at least these branches. In its normal department 14.5 students appear for the school year 1884-'85.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTES.
A State appropriation of $\$ 1,000$ a year for institutes, begum in 1883 and since continued, has enabled the State superintendent, with the aid of several teachers and lecturers of high repute, to conduct such means of training in sessions of 1 or 2 weeks, for the benefit of the teachers in 16 counties of the State, great interest being manifested on the part of the teachers entering the institutes and of the people among whom these temporary normal schools were held. In 22 counties the superintendent held also public meetings at important points, delivering addresses in favor of popular education. At the institutes there was an aggregate attendance of 497 teachers.

## SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

## HIGH SCHOOLS.

Although no special provision for high schools exists, the county boards are authorized to open schools of such grade wherever the condition of education may require them. Of this class, there is one in Duval County and one at Key West; possibly some others.

The East and West Florida Seminaries, the former at Gainesville and the latter at Tallahassee, continue to give instruction substantially of the high-school grade, serving as high schools for the counties in which they are located. In these schools normal instruction for both sexes is made free by State appropriations.

The East Florida Seminary, in its report for 1884-'85, shows an apparently new normal and diploma course of 4 years, followed by a preparatory collegiate one of 2 years. For males the discipline is military.

## OTHER SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

For statistics of such business colleges and private academic schools as may report themselves, see Tables IV and VI of the Appendix.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## COLLEGES FOR YOUNG MEN AND YOUNG WOMEN.

The catalogue of Florida University, Tallahassee, for 1884-' 85 presents about the same outline of studies and general condition as reported in 1883-'84, embracing for its projected work a college of literatare, a polytechnic and normal institute, a theological institute (the only one known as proposed in a State university of the United States), a college of law, and a college of medicine and surgery. Though the university was organized in 1883, only 2 of the 5 colleges recognized by the charter were in operation at the date of the report-the literary and the medical. The former includes a military school, and is an outgrowth of the West Florida Seminary, whose separate charter and special organization as to trustees and endowments are still maintained. To some extent collegiate studies seem to be pursued, and courses are outlined which, if carried out, will lead to the degrees of A. B., A. M., and M. D.

The college grounds consist of 10 acres adjoining the city, on which were in 1885 a 2 -story brick building with 2 large lecture halls and 8 rooms for museums; a frame building for the literary college; and a new brick library building, a gift of Governor Walker, of Tallahassee, in which a library, already respectable, is accumulating.

Rollins College, Winter Park, was incorporated April, 1885, for co-education, the collegiate year to begin November 4, 1885. The college takes its name from Mr. A. W. Rollins, of Chicago, who heads the endowment with $\$ 50,000$; in addition to this, $\$ 64,180$ has been subscribed. It is to be non-sectarian, though decidedly Christian, and, so far as announced courses of study indicate, of a probably high literary standard.

Cookman Institute, Jacksonville, has also organized collegiate classes, and though these are set of rery moderate grade, they will probably be gradually elevated. Thirty-nine students appear in them in 1881-'85.

INSTITUTIONS FOR THE SUPERIOR INSTRECTION OF YOUNG WOMEN.
Young women are offered admission to the literary and medical departments of the University on equal terms with young men. Rollins College offers its full courses to women.
For other institutions in the State providing for the higher education of women, see Table VIII of the Appendis.

## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION.

## SCIENTIFIC.

The Fiorida Staie Agricullural College, Lake City, transferred from its former location at Eau Gallie in 1883, was organized, 1884, with reference to the special need of the State for a collegiate education in which liberal culture and practical education shall proceed together. 1 farm of 112 acres was secured, on which farm buildings, propagating houses, conservatories, etc., are to be built from time to time, as authorized by the legislature and demanded by the course of studr. The State superintendent reporting December 31, for $1884-85$, said that the college was fully preparel for the reception of students; that during the year a large and commodious building had been erected on the college grounds as a residence for the president, the members of the faculty, and students; that the college campus had been inclosed with a neat irou fence, and many other improvements made. A large and valuable collection of natural history, with a museum of geological specimens, the property of Ker. Dr. J. Kost, had been transferred to the college, and a library of 3,000 rolumes was soon to follow. The college was fairly equipped for what was hoped would be an excellent course of instruction.
For the present, collegiate instruction is limited to 6 undergraduate courses-classical, literary, general science, engineering, agriculture, letters, and political science. For students deficient in elementary work in physical science and modern languages, temporary prorision is made to gire preparatory training in 3 subcollegiate classes. This will continue till the public schools shall furnish the preparation required for entrance upon the college course.
The college began its first session of 36 weeks Norember 1, 1884, with a faculty of 5 instructors and 38 students in the preparatory, or subcollegiate, department. Valuation of collegiate property was $\$ 35,000$; of productire fund, $\$ 154,500$.
The nemly-organized State Unirersity makes provision for scientific training in the future, the president of the literary faculty being professor of mathematics and engineering, while there is also a professor of chemistry. A polytechnic institute enters into the plan for future years.

## pROfessíional.

Theologr.-Some preparation for the ministry in the Methodist Episcopal Church continues to be giren in the "Biblical studies" of the Cookman Institute, Jacksonrille, a school for the training of the colored race. In 1884-'85, there were 13 in these studies, 10 in Hawley's Methodism, and 3in the moreadvanced study of Wakefield's Theologr.
Medicine. The medical department of Florida Cniversity, organized in 1883, reports for $1884-85$ a faculty of 8 professors, with a demonstrator, and an annual session of 6 months; it admits both sexes, when of suitable age and good morals; requirements for graduation-a good English education and a competent knowledge of the natural sciences, 3 years' reading, attendance on 2 courses of medical lectures, a satisfactory passage of a final examination, and an original thesis. Matriculates of 1884-'85, 20; no graduates of that year reported.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

## HNSTITUTIONS FOR DEAF-MCTES AND THE BLIND.

The State superintendent reports for 1884-'S5 that the institution for the education of deaf-mutes and the blind has been in steady operaticni curing its first year, and open to all deaf and blind youth 9 to 21 rears of age'; thit at the date cf his report there were only 11 papils, the parents of these urfonturates showing, in raiy crses, great reluctance to part with them, even for the instiruction giren without cosi.

## REFORMATORY AND INDUSTRIAL SCHOOLS.

In 1883-'84 the State superintendent called the attention of the legislature to the need of a reformatory and industrial school in the State. At the present writing, no information of any action in that direction has reached this Bureau.

## CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OFFICER.

Hon. A. J. Russell, State superintendent of public instruetion, Tallahassce.
[Term, in succession to Hon. E. K. Foster, resigned, February 20, 1881, to January 6, 1855. Then, according to Spofford's American Almanae, Hon. E. K. Foster again from January 6, 1885, to January $8,1889$.

## GEORGIA.

## STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

|  | 1883. | 1884. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Population and attendance. |  |  |  |  |
| White youth of school age (6-18) | a265, 548 | a265, 548 |  |  |
| Colored youth of school age (6-18) -- | a243, 174 | a213, 174 |  |  |
| Whole number of school age------- | a508, 722 | a508, 722 |  |  |
| White youth in public schools- | 175, 668 | 181, 355 | 5,687 |  |
| Colored youth in public schools | 111, 743 | 110, 150 |  | 1,593 |
| Whole number enrolled.---. | 287, 411 | 291,505 | 4, 094 |  |
| Per cent. of school youth enrolled.-- | 56.50 | 57.30 | . 80 |  |
| Average daily attendance.--- | 188, 371 | 195, 035 | 6, 664 |  |
| Per cent. of school youth attending-SCHOOLS. | 37.03 | 38.34 | 1.31 |  |
| Public schools for white pupils | 4,517 | 4, 700 | 183 |  |
| Public schools for colored pupils .--- | 2,020 | 2,170 | 150 |  |
| Public schools under local laws | 194 | 177 |  | 7 |
| Whole namber reported. | 6, 731 | 7, 047 | 316 |  |
| Number of graded schools $b$ | 142 | 47 |  | 95 |
| High schools reported $b$.----- | 11 | 12 | 1 |  |
| Average time of country schools, in days. | 65 |  |  |  |
| Time of city schools, in days .-.-.-- | 198 |  |  |  |
| teachers. |  |  |  |  |
| Public school teachers reported | 6, 970 |  |  |  |
| financial statement. |  |  |  |  |
| State expenditure for public schools | \$513, 647 | \$653, 868 | \$10, 221 |  |

$a$ State school census of 1882, as corrected by the State school commissioner under a new census of eight counties, apparently taken in 1833.
$b$ These schools are under local laws.
(From reports and returns of Hon. Gustarus J. Orr, State school commissioner, for the years indicated.)

## STATE SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## GENERAL CONDITION.

There has been no State census of school children since 1882, though the figures given hy that census hare been revised since the last report of this Bureau was issued. As compared with last jear, the number of white youth enrolled in public schools shows a considerable increase. This, though much less than that in 1883, still looks encouraying, and, notwithstanding a falling off in enrollment of colored youth, gives a total of (1) 4 mure earolled. Av increase of 6,654 in arerage daily attendance indicates a still ietter state of things, and presents a per cent. of such attendance somewhat higher than thit of the year before, which at the time appeared a large one for a State with such vast yuuce and with comparatively ferr large towns. School buildings ssem to have increased i:1 fair proportion to the increase of accommodation needed, and thus the outlook for the future is on the whole a fair one. The condition of the city schocls seems good.

## administration.

A State board of education composed of the chief State officers, with the governor as president, holds in trust grants and devises for educational parposes, and acts as a court of appeals in questions relating to school law. A State school commissioner, appointed biennially by the gorernor, is a member of this board, and reports biennially to the
gorernor. Each county (except 4 under special local laws) has a county board of education of 5 members selected for 4 -year terms by the grand jury of the county, subject to partial biennial change. A secretary, chosen by each board for a 4 -year term, acts as county commissioner of education, with duties similar to those of county superintendents elsewhere. The county boards choose, for each subdistrict into which their connties may be divided, 3 trustees for local superrision of schools, one to be liable to change each jear.

The public schools are free to all routh of school age; separate schools, howerer, must be maintained for colored and white children, and only elementary branches may be taught, except in counties and cities that hare been farored with special early franchises. The county boards of education prescribe the text-books for the schools in their respective counties. The public schools are to be kept open at least 3 months, unless this is impracticable on account of sparseness of population, in which case the country boards may continue school 2 months in school districts containing not less than 15 pupils. Evening schools are also prorided for.

Teachers of schools under the State system must report to their county school commissioner or other special school officer at the expiration of each school term, as a condition of receiving pay.

## SCEOOL FINANCES.

The following are the productive sources of school revenue: a poll tax not to exceed $\$ 1$ on each roter; a tax on shows and exhibitions, and one on dealers in intoxicating drinks, bowie knires, or fire arms; the net proceeds of fees for inspecting fertilizers and from the hire of conricts, and the dividends from State shares in one railway and from one-half the rental of another.

## AID FROM EXTERNAL SOLECES.

For teachers' scholarships at Nashville, Tenn., there were given from the Peabody fund in 1884-' $85 \$ 2,1 \% 5$; for teachers' institutes, $\$ 1,400$; and for public schools in the State, $\$ 600$.

From the John F. Slater fund there was received $\$ 2,000$ for Atlanta University, $\$ 2,000$ for Clark University, and $\$ 2,314.10$ for Spelman Female Seminary, all three at Atlanta, and $\$ 500$ for Lewis Normal Institute, Macon; total, $\$ 6, \$ 14.10$.

## SCHOOL SYSTEMS OF CITIES WITH 7,500 OR MORE INHABITANTS.

## administration.

Cities that hare 2,000 or more inhabitants may form independent school systems, under boards of education or trustees of schools; judges of courts and mayors of cities may act as ex-oficio members of the boards. Augusta, Macon, and Sarannah combine county a nd city systems, each city employing a superintendent.
statistics.
1851-85.

| Cities. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Popula- } \\ & \text { tion. cen- } \\ & \text { sus of } 1590 \text {. } \end{aligned}$ | Youth of school age | Enrollment in schools. | Average daily attendance. | Number of teachers. | Expendi- |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Atlanta Alsur $^{\text {a }}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 ., 49 \\ & 21,591 \\ & 10,203 \\ & 12,2,79 \\ & 30,709 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 5,293 \\ & 1,666 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 101 \\ & 42 \\ & 32 \\ & 35 \\ & 60 \end{aligned}$ | $576,25$ |
| Sammbus. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 2,915 |  | 50.353 |

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## ADDITIONAL PAETICULARS.

Antruta ciasses its schools as primary, grammar, and high schools; the first and secous corericg 8 years, Thile the high school studies occupy 4 years for girls and 3 for hors. and are of very fair grade for each. A small increase appears in enrollment in pubiic schools, and in arerage daily attendance the high standard of 95 per cent. of enrollment is atrained. The total seating capacity in the pablic school buildings is 4,678 , which comes far short of reaching the enrollment. showing a need for more school room. The superiutendent says that not only is it dificult to provide for the bealth and instruction of the
children in overcrowded rooms, but many children of taxpayers are excluded altogether from school privileges.

Augusta, which formerly reported for a school year ending in June, presents now a return for the calendar year 1834. This shows, by comparison with the figures last presented, a falling ofio of 203 in public school enrollment and of 5 in teachers, but an incre..se of $\$ 4,488$ in expenditure for the city schools. These schools, according to the current southern custom, are for both white and colored papils, the two races, however, haring s.p. arate accommodations. Roman Catholics, as well as Protestants, are included in the teaching force, 6 of the city teachers being "sisters" of the Roman Church. The schools are graded from primary to high, one of the two city high schools being for colored routh and graduating annually 8 to 10 , who nearly all begin to teach. A nornial class for these teachers is held by the superintendent every Thursdav afternoon, and one for the white teachers erery Tuesday afternoon. A special teacher of penmanship is employed, apparently for the whites alone, his instruction reaching through all the grades. The schools were, according to the return above mentioned, held for 177 days in 1884, in 10 buildings with 40 rooms, ralued at $\$ 50,000$. Besides the pablic school enrollment, there was an estimated attendance of 1,500 in private and church schools.

Columbus presents a decrease in school population and an increase in enrollment. The schools are graded. Drawing and penmanship are taught by the regular teachers, and music by a special teacher. The school session covered 183 days, in 6 buildings containing 33 rooms, with 1,460 sittings for stady, valued, with all school property, at $\$ 67,500$. Private schools enrolled 300 papils, leaving, apparently, 1,491 children betreen the ages of 6 and 18 rears not in any school.

Macon shows a falling off of 40 in enrollment and of 100 in arerage daily attendance in 1884-' 85 . Prirate schools enrolled about 400 pupils, learing 1,243 children between the ages of 6 and 13 jears not in any school. The schools were taught 175 days, in 7 buildings, with 23 rooms for primary schools, 9 for grammar schools, and 2 for high schools, furnishing in all accommodations for $1,5: 20$ pupils. Public school property was ralued at $\$ 66,500$.

It appears from the city report that, from want of funds, only one male teacher, the principal of the boys' high school, was employed, and that colored children to the number of sereral hundred in the southern half of the city were still unprorided for.
Savannah has its schools divided into primary, grammar, and high schools. The first and second combined cover 8 years, and high school studies, 4 years. Corporal punishment is allowed, but the saperintendent, while not recommending its total abolition, wishes to see every possible restriction thrown around its use. He says that the work of the teachers has been efficiently done, and that the progress of the pupils for the jear has giren more than the usual amount of satisfaction. There was much need, howerer, of more room in the primary grades in both the white and colored schools. There was an increase of nearly 1,700 school youth, of 47 in enrollment, and of 890 in average attendance, while only one more teacher was employed. Public school property, including 7 brildings containing 3,010 sittings for study, was ralued at $\$ 111,000$. In private schools were about 1,000 pupils.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## GENERAL SIATE REQTIEEIEITS.

Persons desiring to teach in the public schools of any county of the State must procure a license from the county commissioners, the grade to be determined by the qualifications exhibited. The licenses are of 4 grades. Those who un examivation erince the highest degree of scholarship are entitled to a first-grade license, to continue in force 3 jears; the next highest get a license of the second grade, continuing in foroe for 2 years; a third grade is for 1 year; a fourth for 6 months, entitling the holder to teach in subdistricts where children hare made but little adrancement in school studies.

## NORMAL SCHOOLS AND DEPABTMENTS.

Atlanta and Clark Unirersities, both for colored youths, present well-regulated courses of normal instruction, the former of 4 years, the latter of 3 . The common and higher Luglish branches are included, with Latin, drawing, and music, at Atlanta. It is supposed that some normal training is also still given in the Jorth Georgia Agricultural College, as the faculty, by authority of the legislature, may grant licenses to students to teach in the publie schools of the State without further examination. The school systems of Atlanta and Augusta, and perhaps of other cities, hase normal classes for the benefit of teachers, meeting weeklr througiout the year. Paine Institate, Augusta, opened in 1884, ofiers a 4 -year normal course for colored students. Twelre Georgia scholarships were prorided for in 1884 in the Southern Normal School, Nash-
ville, Tenn., by the agents of the Peaboay fund, the incumbents of these positions to teach in the schools of Georgia at the completion of their course.
For statistics of normal schools reporting, see Table III of the Appendix; for a summary of same, a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## TEACHERS' INSTITCTES.

In 1884 there were 3 State institntes held, each continuing 4 weeks, at Dalton, Macon, and Norcross, with an aggregate attendance of 179 white and 103 colored teachers. The institute at Macon is said to have been a success, but the others fell far below the proper standard, from the fact that the common schools in the counties where they were held were in session during the entire term of the institutes. For sustaining these institutes the trustees of the Peabody fund gave $\$ 2,000$. The State school commissioner recommends that the legislature make an annual appropriation of $\$ 1,600$ to further such means of instructing teachers, and that the public schools be closed during the institute term, so that teachers may attend the exercises.

## SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

## PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS.

The State law makes no provision for the maintenance of schools of this grade of instruction, but such schools are fornd in Atlanta, Augusta, Macon, Sarannah, and some other cities. Atlanta has one high school for each sex, with a 4 -jear course for girls and one of 3 years for boys; these schools in 1884 graduated 33 from the full and 7 from the partial course. . Tubman High School for girls, Augusta, graduated 22 in the same year, aurl the colored high school for both sexes, also in Augusta, 10. At Hephzibab, 14 miles from Augusta, in Richmond county, is another high school, conducted in all essentials like the Tubman school. Macon and Sarannah each have a high school for each sex, those of the former city graduating 21 girls and 17 boys in 1885 , aud those of the latter 21 girls and 8 boys in the same year.

## OTHER SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

For statistics of private academic schools, preparatory schools, and preparatory departments of colleges, see Tables VI. VII, and IX, and for business colleges, Table IV, of the Appendix; for summaries of the same, corresponding tables in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## COLLEGES FOR YOUNG MEN OR FOR BOTH SEXES.

The University of Georgia, Athens, in its academic (collegiate) department (Franklin College) continued its courses in arts, science, and letters, leading, ordinarily in 4 years, to the degree of A. B., Sci. B., or Ph. B., with an A. M. degree for such students as take, with other studies, all the junior and senior ones of the 10 schools embraced in the academic department. These departments include Latin language and literature, Greek language and literature, modern languages, belle-lettres, metaphysics and ethics, mathematics, natural philosophy and astronomy, chemistry, history and political science, and natural history and geology.
For other studies, see "Scientific and professional instruction," further on.
Since 1883 the university has had, from donation of Gorernor Joseph E. Brown, the herefit of a scholarship fund of $\S 50,000$, drawing 7 per cent. annual interest, and entitlecl the "Charles MeDonald Brown scholarship fund," in memory of a deceased son of the govervor who had been a student at the University, said to have been of fine intellectual and business capacity, and the soul of honor and integrity. The scholarships it om thais fuud are to go, at the rate of $\$ 50$ to $\$ 200$ annually, to students of good moral character, apt to learn, of reasonable health, and ambitious to prepare themselves jor usefulness; each recipient binding himself to repay, as soon as practicable, the sums received, with interest at 4 per cent. from the close of the year in which each payment came to him.
Othèr collegiate institutions reporting are Atlanta University and Clark University, Atlanta; Mercer University and Pio Nono College, Macon; and Emory College, Oxford. All these have 4 -year classical and preparatory courses. Atlanta and Clark Universities, fo: colored youth, give normal and industrial training, teaching young men the elements of agriculture and mechanical trades, and giving young women instruction in nursing, sewing, and genẹral housework. Both have instruction in music, and Clark University offers a business course. Emory College has schools of business, music, telegraphy, and toolcraft and design. Greek enters into the first 3 years of the collegiate course, and Hebrew into the junior and senior years. Pio Nono offers, in addition to the usual col-
legiate course, a scientific and commercial course, and also a graduate course lending to the degree of A. M. Bowicn Collcge, of more doubtful rank, because imperfectly reported, offers primary, preparatory, colleyiate, and normal studies, and las daily military drill for boys and exercises in calisthenics for girls.

## INSTITUTIONS FOR THF SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION OF YOUNG WOMEN.

Atlanta and Clark Universities and the branch agricultural colleges at Dahlonega and Milledgeville offer instruction to both sexes. For statistics of schools exclusively for young women, sce Table VIII of the Appendix; for a summary thereof, a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioper preceding.

## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION.

## SCIENTIFIC.

The State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, Athens, offers courses, each of 4 years, in agriculture, engineering, ${ }^{1}$ and applied chemistry, with a partial course in architecture and bailding. Some scientific instruction is given also in the branch agricultural colleges of the State University at Cathbert, Dahlonega, Milledgerille, and Thomasrille, and in Atlanta and Clark Unirersities. Special scientific courses of 3 years are found in Emory and Mercer, and in Pio Nono one of 4 years.

## PROFESSIONAL.

Theological studies are rery fairly included in the courses of Clark University (Methodist) and the Atlanta Brptist Seminary, both in Atlanta and both for colored students; while in Mercer Cniversity, Macon (Baptist), and at Emory College, Oxford (Methodist), there is for whites a similar inclusion of such studies in the collegiate course. At Clark the instruction in this line was under 3 professors, with 46 students in 1884-85, part of them taught by correspoudence; at the Atlanta Baptist, under 4, with 35 ; at Mercer, under 1, Tith 3 students. At Emory the indications are that the theological training ras simply an adding of biblical and Hebrew studies to the collegiate course of such students as were preparing for the ministry.

Systematic theological training in a 3 -year course, meant to follow a collegiate one, was continued at the Theological Seminary of the Southern Presbyterian Church, at Colimbia, where were, in $1831^{\prime}$ ' 85,41 students, 3 of them in a special course.

Paine Institute, Augusta (Methodist Episcopal), was opened in 1834 for the training of golored preachers and teachers.

Legal instruction is found in the Depariment of Law of the Ciniversity of Georgia, Athens, in a 1-year course consisting of two terms. Students may at any time enter either clasz, junior or senior, if prepared; but to graduate they must remain at least one term of 6 months. Common, statute, and constitutional law enter into the course, special attention being paid to equits, its jurisdiction. principles, ond practice. Lectures are given on medical jurisprudence and parliamentary latr, and erery Saturday is deroted to practical exercises in conveyancing, pleading, the discussion of legal points, and the holding of moot courts. Graduates are admitted to the bar of the superior courts of the State without further examination, and to all other courts of the State except the supreme court, if properly rouched for as of good character.

Emory College and Mercer University offer each a 1 -vear course of legal training, and graduates are admitted to practice in the State without further examination.

Medical. - The Medical College of Georgia, Augusta, a department of the State University, the Atlantc Medical College, and the Southern Medical College, Atlanta, all "regular," gere in 1834-'85 their usual 2-year courses of from 20 to 24 weeks each year. A 3 -rear graded course is recommended, but not required. The aggregate number of students for the year was 254; graduates, $103 .{ }^{2}$ No requirements for admission, but for graduation students must pass the final examination satisfactorily.

The Georgia College of Eclectic ITedicine and Surgery, Atlanta, formerly the Georgia Eclectic Medical College, offers a 2 -jear course of lectures, of about 21 meeks each. Daily quizzes are held by the facultr. Each member of the senior class is required to present, onse a week, a thesis on some subject already corered by the lectures, and defend the same. No requirements for admission, but a thorough final examination in the branches taught in the college is said to be required. There were 70 students enrolled in 1834-' 85 , and 13 graduated.

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## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

## EDUCATION OF THE DEAF.

The Georgia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb, Care Spring, in 1884-' 85 had 96 pupils, of whom 65 were white and 31 colored, all under 6 instructors, 3 of them semi-mutes, Common English branches were taught, with natural philosophy, zoology, and penmanship, the method of instruction being manual and oral combined. The hoys are taght gardening and shoemaking; the girls, sewing. The school was founded in 1846, since which time 377 pupils have received instruction. The institution owns 57 acres of land, valued, with buildings, at $\$ 40,000$. State appropriation for the year, $\$ 17,000$. Expenditures, $\$ 15,814$.

OTHER SPECIAL IKSTRUCTION.
Of the educational work of the Georgia Academy for the Blind, Macon, there is the same lack of information that has been noticed in 4 preceding years.

For training of orphans in school studies and industries, see Table XXII of the Appendix.

EDUCATIONAL CONVENTIONS.
STATE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.
It is supposed that this association was duly held in 1884 , but there is no reference to it in the State report for that year, nor has information respecting it reached the Bureau from any other source.

CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OFFICER.
Hon. Gustaves J. Orr, State school commissioner, Atlanta. [Sizth term, December 31, 1884, to December 31, 1886.]

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STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

|  | 1883-'84. | 1884-'85. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| population and attendance. |  |  |  |  |
| Children of school age (6-21) | 1, 069,274 | 1,077, 302 | 8, 023 |  |
| Enrolled in graded public schools.--- | 328, 705 | 342, 459 | 13, 754 |  |
| Enrolled in ungraded oues | 399, 976 | 396, 328 |  | 3,648 |
| Whole number in public schools. | 728, 681 | 738, 787 | 10,106 |  |
| Average daily attendance in them. | 485,625 | 490,536 | 4, 911 |  |
| Per cent. of enrollment to school youth. | 68.14 | 68.58 | . 44 |  |
| Per cent. of average attendance to the same. | 45.42 | 45.53 | . 11 |  |
| Pupils in private and church schools . | 75, 821 | 78,164 | 2, 343 |  |
| SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND SCHOOLS. |  |  |  |  |
| School districts reported. | 11,457 | 11,474 | 17 |  |
| Districts with 110 days of school or more. $a$ | 11,311 | 11,333 | 22 |  |
| Districts with less than 110 days $a_{\text {-- }}$ | 101 | 85 |  | 16 |
| Districts with no school | 45 | 56 | 11 |  |
| Districts reporting libraries. | 964 | 1,012 | 48 |  |
| Volumes in these libraries. | 81,272 | 102, 549 | 21, 277 |  |
| Public school-houses.- | 12,008 | 12,076 | 68 |  |
| School-houses built within the year-- | 303 | 269 |  | 34 |
| Whole number of public schools.- | 611, 988 | 612,092 | 104 |  |
| Number graded | 1, 233 | 1,335 | 102 |  |
| Number of high school grade. | 164 | 161 |  |  |
| Average time of schools in days | 151 | 152 | 45 |  |
| Private and church schools. | 774 | 819 | 45 |  |
| teachers employed. |  |  |  |  |
| Men teaching in public schools | 6,714 | 6,804 | 90 |  |
| Women teaching in them. | 13,183 | 13, 815 | 632 |  |
| Whole number of teachers | 19, 897 | 20,619 | 722 |  |
| Teachers in graded schools | 6,240 | 6,680 | 440 |  |
| Teachers that attended institutes | 7,487 | 11, 517 | 4, 030 |  |
| Teachers in private schools .....-. | 1,974 | 2,069 | 95 |  |
| finatcial statistics. |  |  |  |  |
| Average monthly pay of men teaching. | \$51 31 | \$52 45 | \$1 14 |  |
| Average monthly pay of women. | 4044 | 4112 |  |  |
| Whole expenditure for public schools- | 9, 628, 186 | 10, 198, 928 | 570, 74.2 |  |
| Amount of State school fund - | 9, 437, 714 | c9, 450, 280 | 12, 536 |  |
| Valuation of public school property-- | 21, 038, 489 | d22, 340, 069 | 1,301, 530 |  |

[^55](From the published report of Hon. Henry Raab, State superintendent of public instruction, for 1883-'84, and from statistics for 1884-'85, furnished by him in adrance of pablication.)

## STATE SCHOOL SYSTEM.

GENERAL CONDITION.
The figures of the preceding table show a clear and large adrance at almost all important points of the State school system, the increase in enrollment in graded public schools going far beyond the increase in the number of children of school age, the whole number cnrolied in public schools, notwithstanding a falling off of $3,64 \mathrm{~S}$ in ungraded ones, being 10,106 beyond that of $1883-84$, the increase of enrollment in private and church schools rery nearly counterbalancing the decline in the enrollment in ungraded public schools. School districts with school terms of 110 days or more increased. District libraries increased, too, by 48 , the rolumes in them by 21,277 , and thus prorision was made for much more intelligent school work in many lines. The number of school-houses built within the fear was 34 less than in the preceding year; but, notwithstanding this, the whole number reported was 68 greater; the number of public schools, $10 \frac{1}{4}$ greater; the number graded, 102 more; while private and church schools show an increase of 45 . Teachers increased in number in apparently a fair proportion with the increase of schools; those that attended institutes, and thus sought preparation for a higher usefulness, bcing 4,640 more thau in the preceding year. Teachers' pay was somerrhat better than it had been, and there was an increase of $\$ 570,742$ in expenditure for all pablic school purposes; the State school fund was augmented by $\$ 12,566$, and the State school property largely increcsed in value.

## ADMINISTRATION.

For the State there is a superintendent of public instruction, whose duty it is to report biennially to the governor; for each county, a superintendent to risit schools, note the metbods of teaching and discipline, and assist in improring them; while in each tornship a board of 3 trustees has charge of public school property, and under certain restrictions may diride or create districts in which 3 school directors hare control. All these officers are elected by the people; the State and county superintendents for 4 years; the others for 3 years, with possible annual change of 1 . Women are eligible to school oftices.

The common schools are free to all youth $\%$ to 21 years of age, irrespective of eolor. The studies and text books are determined i, the local school officers; but no sectarian instruction is allowed, and no change of text books oftener than once in 4 years. The minimum school period which will entitle districts to a share of the school fand is 110 days of actual teaching in each year. A compulsory law demands the attendance of all children 8 to 14 years of age upon public or private schools for at least 12 weeks of each year, unless excused for reasonable cause.

## SCHOOL FINANCES.

An Act of May 3, 1873, made the annual lery for State schools $\$ 1,000,000$, in lieu of a former 2 -mill tax. To this are added 3 per cent. of the proceeds of sales of public lands, less 1-6 part, and the interest on the surplus revenue fund.

Districts, villages, and cities may add to their share of these s̃tate funds the proceeds of local taxes, not to exceed 2 per cent. for educational purposes and 3 per cent. for buildings. They may also, after all school expeuses have been paid, use any surplus funds remaining from such sources to purchase libraries and school apparatus.

## NEW LEGISLATION.

At the legislative session of 1885 , county superintendents, in addition to the duty, previously derolved on them, of visiting each school in their several counties at least once a year, were required to spend at least half of their time in risitation of unyrader schools. The condition attached to their former visitation - "if so directed by the county board"-was, at the same session, annulled, making the duty imperative.
The previous power of county boards to limit the time spent in these risitations was restricted to counties haring not more than 100 schools; and even in such counties the time spent was made to be from 150 to 200 dass, according to the number of schools to be visited.
Each superintendent of a county was also authorized, with the approval of his county board, to employ an assistant or assistants; was allowed $\$ 1$ a day for special expenses of risitation, and was to hare a suitable office and proper supplies for it, as in the case of cther county oficers.

## SCHOOL SYSTEMS OF CITIES WITH 7,500 OR MORE INHABITANTS.

## ADMINISTRATION.

Chicngo, under a law for cities with more than 100,000 inhabitants, and other incorporated cities with populations from 100,000 down to 2,000 are authorized to elect for their schools boards of education, with power to examine and employ teachers, to prescribe their methods of instruction and course of discipline, and, in the case of Chicago, to determine the studies to be pursued and the school books to be used. These boards generally delegate to superintendents of their own selection the superrisorship of their several school systems.

STATISTICS.
1884-'85.

$a$ These statistics are for school district No. 5, except population, which is that of Aurora city proper.
$b$ Including West Belleville village.
c School census of 1882.
$d$ School census of 1881 .
$e$ Not including 7.190 enrolled in evening schools, 1,595 in arerage attendants on them, or 122 teachers in them. These added make a total of 86,466 enrolled, of 59,889 attendants on an average, and of 1,366 teachers in all public schools of the city.
$f$ These statistics, except population, are for school district No. 2 , which does not include the whole of Moline cits. Population of this district July 1, 1885, 7,, 12.
$g$ These statistics, except population, are estimated by the superintendent, from lack of records.

## ADDITIONAL PARTICULARS.

Aurora, school district No. $\overrightarrow{5}$, not before reported, presents for $1884-$ '85, as may he seen. a fair enrollment for the year, and an average monthly enrollment of 1,7e5. The grades of instruction reached up to a high school, in which were 111 pupils of both sexes. No note of other than public schools appears.

Bellerille reports 5 diferent school buildings with 2,400 sittinys for study, an a verage dails attendance of 43 pupils to each teacher, and no change of teachers during the Jear; monthly teachers' institutes fairly attended, a majority of the teachers attending also the meetings of the county teachers' association and the Teachers' Summer Institute, with obriously beneficial results. Six teachers of German, of whom the superintendent appears to hare been one, held special monthly meetings. Resides the 2,489 different children in the public schools, there was an estimated enrollment of 650 in private and parochial schools, an increase of 21 r in the former, and of 90 in the latter. Public school property was estimated at $\$ 109,000$, including the 5 buildings ahove noticel.

Eloomington, with 10 school buildings, had 2, 900 sittings, somerrhat more than enough for the average daily attendance of 2,303 , and ralued public school property at $\$ 24,5,200$. No schools other than public are reported. These covered the usual primary, grammar, and high school grades.

Chicago, steadily advancing, presents an increase of 3,232 in enrollment in the public schools orer 1883-' 84 , of 2,436 in arerage attendance in them, and of 73 in teachers employed, all exclusire of the city erening schools, the statistics of which have been sepa-
rately given. These evening schools were opened October 6, 1884, and continued till March 13, 1885, employing 97 male and 25 female teachers, and having a total enrollment of 7,190 , with an average attendance of 1,895 , about one-fourth of them being females. One of the schools was an evening high school, with an enrollment of 264 in the first week of its session and of 517 in the last week but one, in which the average attendance was 82.6 ; another was at the Newsboys' Home, where the enrollment for the week was 63 and the average attendance 28.8.

Music, drawing, and German entered into the courses of the city schools; but Greek, which had been dropped from the high school course, does not appear to have been restored, though a petition for partial restoration of it was made at the opening of the year.

Danville increased its public school population by 86, enrollment in its public schools by 80 , average attendance in them by 27 , teachers by 2 , expenditure for city schools by $\$ 1,717$. The average per cent. of attendance in 1883-' 84 , based on average belonging, was 91.47 , an excellent showing. No statement of it for 1884-' 85 has been received. The schools were taught in this latter year 190 days out of the 195 in the school year, and included primary, grammar, and high departments, with 2,500 sittings in 6 buildings, rated, with furniture and apparatus, at $\$ 115,800$. No special teacher of music, drawing, or penmanship appears. Enrollment in other than public schools, 613.

Decatur, with 285 additional school youth, presents comparatirely little increase of enrollment or average attendance, and 5 fewer teachers, but added $\$ 13,352$ to its previous expenditure for public schools. Days in its school year 180, of which 178 were utilized in the 6 different school buildings with 1,844 sittings. Departments, primary, grammar, and high. Enrollment in other than public schools was 350 , an apparent increase of 50 . No note of a special teacher in music, drawing, or penmanship.

Elgin, from some cause unexr lained, indicates a decline of $1,520 \mathrm{in}$ school youth, and of $\$ 787$ in expenditure for public schools, though there was an increase of 34 in enrolled pupils, of 63 in average daily attendance, of 6 in teachers, and of 93 in attendance upon private and parish schools, of which there were 3 , with 21 teachers and 757 pupils, making, with 1,965 in public schools, a total of 2,722 enrolled out of 3,695 of school age. The public schools included a high school.

Freeport, with 1,233 additional school youth, and no report of other schools than public, shows only 47 more enrolled and 19 more in average daily attendance, with 2 more teachers; yet $\$ 3,885$ more expenditure for schools appears, and a total of $\$ 8,326$ for sites, buildings, furniture, and apparatus. The buildings reported were 5 , with 1,860 sittings for study in primary, grammar, and high grades. German was taught by a special teacher, and there was also a teacher of a training school or class, respecting which no other information comes.
From Galesburg there is no report of anything beyond that of 1883-'84, when, with 4,678 school youth, there were 2,096 enrolled, 1,536 in average attendance, under 37 teachers; expenditure for public schools, the only ones reported, reaching $\$ 23,304$.

Jacksonville, not having presented its statistics for the 3 past years, has to stand for the present uncompared with its former self, unless we go back to 1880-'s1, when its school youth numbered 82 less than those now reported, its enrollment 282 more, its average attendance 60 less, and its expenditure for school purposes $\$ 8,174$ greater than the present return shows. Per contra, there are now 8 school buildings presented, instead of 7 , and school property is rated at $\$ 300,000$ instead of the former $\$ 160,000$. The grades of schools reach from primary to high, there being 39 rooms for both study and recitation, while in the grammar and high each there was one for recitation only. Within the year $\$ 551$ was spent on the buildings. No special teacher or teaching reported.

Joliet makes no report for 1884-'85, and therefore holds by its record of the preceding year, when, out of 5,783 school youth, 2,938 were enrolled in public schools, with an average daily attendance of 1,995 under 51 teachers, the expenditure for all schocl purposes reaching $\$ 69,297$.
Moline presents a printed report, its 12th annual one, which, compared with that of 1883-'84, shows an increase of 102 in school youth, of 32 in enrolled pupils, and of 2 in teachers, but a decline of 58 in average daily attendance and of $\$ 8,312$ in expenditure for its city schools. The night schools reported in 1883-' 84 appear to have been dropped, hut the industrial exhibit, meant to develop in useful and ornamental lines the faculties of pupils in the day schools, was renewed and proved highly successful. The articles presented by the pupils consisted of a plow model, a sailing vessel, a circular saw and table, a well sweep and bucket, a sled, articles of furniture and clothing, miscellaneous household articles, bread, cakes, pastry, examples of wood carving, practical carpenter work, hand sewing, crayon work, drawing, painting, and decoration. Receipts at the door of the exhibition rooms, in addition to some remaining funds from the preceding year and a small subscription from manufacturers, met all expenses, and enabled those in charge of the exhibition to give successful competitors varions prizes to stimu-
late to future work. The amount of cash prizes awarded was $\$ 159.50$. The superintendent says that the low average age of the successful competitors indicates that hand training may and should be begun at a very early age.

Ottawa makes return of 3,218 school youth in $180^{\prime} 4$ ' 85 , of 1,648 enrolled in public schools, and of 1,258 held in average daily attendance; this indicates a decline of 62 in routh, of 9 in enrolled pupils, of 13 in average daily attendance, and an increase of $\$ 1,523$ in expenditure for public schools. Drawing was taught by the regular class teachers, and music by a special teacher. The grades in the 7 different school buildings reported were only primary and grammar, but there was a township high school within reach for such as desired that grade of instruction. In 3 private and charch schools were about 300 sittings additional to the 1,415 of the city system.

Peoria, not having responded to requests for report or return, can only be presented through its statistics of 1883 -' 84 , which indicated 10,972 school youth, 6,241 enrolled in city schools, 4,111 in average attendance, and 108 teachers. Expenditure for school purposes, $\$ 124,040$.

Quincy, besides the statistics in the foregoing table, reports 2,100 in private and parish schools, and indicates in other figures an increase since 1882-' 83 of only 43 in public school enrollment, but of 205 in arerage daily attendance, with $\$ 155$ less expenditure for school purposes. One additional school room was furnished in 1884-'85, but indebtedness on account of past expenses made progress in such work slow. The teachers continued their semi-monthly meetings required by a rule of the board of education, and in the last half of the jear met also once a meek for lessons in reading and elocution. Music and drawing enter into the school studies throughout the course.

Rockford presents only approximate statements as to school statistics. These indicate a considerable decline at all points, which subsequent information may perhaps alter. Its school buildings numbered 11, with 2,000 sittings. Grades, primary to high.
Rock Island does not state the number of its children of school age, but, as indicated in the table, shows an apparently fair proportion of its youth enrolled and in average attendance, under 42 teachers. The schools were graded as primary, grammar, and high. Music and drawing were taught by special teachers. In 15 private and parish schools were about 800 sittings.
Springfield indicates an enrollment of 186 more pupils in its public schools than in the preceding year, and an increase of 124 in average daily attendance. The reported expenditure of $\$ 60,422$ for these schools-primary, grammar, high, and training schools-was $\$ 1,720$ more than that of the preceding year. The city has a regular course of study for its teachers, including-besides a careful review of common branchesdrawing, penmanship, language, literature, history of art, history of education, mental science, and pedagogy. At first it was meant that this course should extend through several years and lead to permanent certificates for such as successfully completed the sereral departments of it, as well as bring increase of salaries proportioned to the adrance made by each teacher. A decision of the supreme court that legal examinations must be made by the county superintendent has somerhat hindered this, but it is kept in mind and acted on as far as may be.
A training school to prepare teachers for the city schools, with a course occupying one hour daily in methods of teaching, mental science, and pedagogy, was instituted in 1882 and has been since continued. After graduation from this school the pupil teachers become principals' assistants, and serve also as substitutes in the absence of regular teachers, for avother year, when the full responsibilities of a class teacher may be assumed with fair hope of success.

## COUNTRY SCHOOL STSTEMS.

For a graduating system in country and county schools, see the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## kindergärten.

The Chicago Free Kindergarten Association was established in 1880, with two prime aims: first, that of founding and maintaining a free normal and training class of kindergartners; second, that of extending as far as practicable through the city and elsewhere a system of free kindergärten. Its fifth annual report shows that in February, 1885, 6 young ladies completed their certificate course in the normal class. The directors had decided to discontinue this February class and made no effort to secure new members in place of these 6. But so many applied for admission that a class was finally formed in March, numbering 19 members, of whom 2 had to abandon the work because of illhealth and 2 others left the city, reducing the number to 15 . At the closing exercises of the June graduating class, 27 certificates and 18 diplomas were awarded to as many young ladies, of whom 21 are reported as in active service, making a total of 55 out of 80 graduates of the normal classes engaged in either public or private kindergarten work. Later on 12 free kindergärten are reported as belonging to the system conducted under
the auspices of the association in Chicago and its immediate vicinity up to July, 1885, when another was established for the summer, free to the children of all sojourners at the "Old Hotel," Lake Bluff, where the average daily attendance of such children was 4(. Total number in all the kindergärten of the association for the year, 1,771 , of whom 097 were girls, and 774 boys.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## GENERAL STATE REQUIREMENTS.

Illinois requires of those who wish to teach in its free schools, (1) a fairly proven moral character, and (2) a certificate of literary qualifications from one of the following sources: from an examining board of education in the village or city in which they desire to find employment; from a county or State normal school; from a county superintendent; or from the State superinterdent. Those from the county superintendents are of 2 grades, both valid only in the county where they are given: a first grade for two years, a second grade for one year. Those from the State superintendent are granted only on public examination, in such branches, on such terms, and by such examiners, as the superintendent and the principals of the State normal universities may prescribe. So given, they are valid throughout the State during good behavior of their holders.

STATE, COUNTY, AND CITY SCHOOLS FOR NORMAL TRAINING.
To qualify teachers for effective work in its free schools the State sustains 2 normal uni-versities-the Illinois State Normal University, at Normal, and the Southern Illinois Normal University, at Carbondale. Both impart instruction in the science and art of teaching and in all the studies pertaining to a good school education, from primary to high, with ample mathematical and scientific training, and with Latin and Greek optional at both, German and French optional at Carbondale. Each school has a 3-year regular course, the Southern offering also a fourth and a 1-year graduate course. Each has a model department. No note appears of the former summer normal institutes held for teachers already in the field. To enter the regular courses applicants must prove their intellectual and moral fitness for admission, and must pledge themselves to spend 3 years in teaching in the State public schools, or be liable to the payment of fees for tuition.
Cook County Normal and Training School, Normal Park, established in 1867 to furnish competent teachers for the schools of that important county, comes under a law of 1869 authorizing such county schools, and aims to prepare its pupils for especially thorough work. Under the lead of 2 excellent successive principals, the present one, Colonel Parker, of Quincy fame, it has obtained high reputation for success in such preparation. Like the 2 State schools, it admits both sexes to its faculty and teachings. Course, 4 years, including practice in a training department each year. The highest class is now a professional training-class, given wholly to normal work. ${ }^{1}$
For statistics of these 3 teachers' seminaries, see Part 1, Table III, of the Appendix,
The city of Springfield improved in 1883-'84 its course of study for teachers, making it embrace the branches usually prescribed for State certificates, and also mental and moral science, pedagogy, and history of education. It further prescribes that every year 2 branches taught in the public schools shall be thoroughly reviewred, and that not only the subject-matter, but also the principles and methods of teaching each branch, shall be an essential part of the course. A bi-monthly institute is held during the school session, for discussion and reviev of all the important elements of good teaching. The city training school, before reported, was continued in 1884-'85, with apparently 5 candidates for teachership and a principal. These candidates come from the high school and have a 2 -year course of work and instruction.

## OTHER NORIIAL TRAINING.

The kindergarten normal class of the Chicago Free Kindergarten Association was continmed in 188 !-' 85 , under a new principal, with a total attendance of 39 , of whom 31 romainet at the date of the annual meeting. The course for a certificate is of 10 month; in l'roebel's Philosophy of Education, and practice with the kindergarten gifts and ocenpations; for a diploma, 5 months more of practice work in the schools of the association, attendance on an advanced course of lectures on the history and philosophy of edncatin:). and a proven ability to successfully organize and conduct a kindergarten. For this last there ire opportunities to practice in 13 kindergirten of the association.

Teachers' courses of a year each are reported at Jennings Seminary and Aurora Normal College, Aurora; at Western Normal College, Bushnell; and at Morris Normal and Sci-

[^56]ontific School, Morris. At the Danville Normal Kindergarten Training School and at the Teachers' Truining School and School of Individual Instruction, Oregon, the time, in ordinary cases, appears to be a year or more. At the Northern Illinois Normal School, Dixon, the course is of : ycars; at the Northern Illinois College and Normal School, Fulton, of 1 year, with an option as to longer continuance for a certificate of higher grade.

Hedding, Carthage, Eureka, Ewing, German-English, Illinois, McKendree, Monmonth, Mt. Morris, Claddock, Shurtleff, Westfield, and Wheaton Colleges, and Lincoln University, have normal courses of 3 months to 3 years; Northwestern University, a nommal class each term, with lectures 1 hour a week.

For statistics of normal schools, see Table III of the Appendix.

## TEACHERS' INSTITUTES.

Each county superintendent is required to hold annually a teachers' institute, with a session of at lenst five days, and two or more adjoining counties may hold an institute together. These institutes are generally held in the summer recess of the public schools, and county boards are authorized to make appropriations for them. Instruction at such institutes is free to teachers that hold certificates good in the counties where they are held; others pay a fee of $\$ 1$, unless such fee has been paid before without securing a certificate.

EDUCATIONAL JOURNALS.
The Word-Carrier, a monthly publication, meant to aid educational influences among the Indians in the Northwest, continued its issue from a Chicago press in 1884-'85, being then in the $2 d$ rolume of its new series. The Practical Teacher, from a like press, had Col. F. W. Parker's vigorous editorship in its 8th volume, from September, 1884, to June, 1885, with fair prospects of continuance; while the Present Age, going on from January 3 to June 12, 1884, seems to have then ceased. The schoolmasier, which had taken in June, 1834, the additional title of "Intelligence," dropped the former name and retained the latter, passing into its 5th volume January 1, 188j. It is a semi-monthly. From its ofice and under the same editor, Mr. E. O. Vaile, came also the Week's Current, meant to give fresh educational and general news for schools and families. The New Bethod, a monthly, published first at Chicago and afterward at Englewood, in the interest of a school for the cultivation of the sense of hearing in the deaf, seems to have closed its first volume in October, 1884. Additional to these appears, also from Chicago, the Correspondence University Jowrnal, organ of that university, which proposes to farnish instruction by correspondence to any person, in any study. This was in its first volume at the close of 1884, and began a second, January, 1885.
Besides these Chicago journals, there still appeared from Normal, Ill., the Illinois School Journal, which was in its 4th volume from Miay, 1884, to April, 1885; and from East Illinois College, Danville, the Normal Airror, in its 2 d volume.

## SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

## PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS.

The boards of education in incorporated cities and villages are substantially authorized to establish high schools by a permission given them to establish "schools of different grades." School townships may have them, through a majority vote in favor of establishing them, after notice given of a vote upon the subject fifteen days before the time for an annual election of a trustee or trustees. Number of high schools reported in 1884-'85, 160.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## COLLEGES FOR YOUNG MEN OR FOR BOTII SEXES.

The chief collegiate institution of this State has been, since 1868, the Illinois Industrial University, Urbana. In June of 1885, an Act of the legislature, to take efficet July 1 of that year, changed this title to the University of Illinois. The change apmean' to fudicate an idea that the agricultural, engineering, and natural science courses, which lelonged to it as one of the land grant colleges of 1862, may possibly have overshadoirct the literary and liberal ones, and that a State University must be broad enough to takio all such studies in with equal welcome. Place has been given these in a School of Enelish and Modern Languages and a School of Ancient Languages and Literature, which form a "College of Literature and Science" and prepare for the general duties of hifc, or for any business that requires literary and scientific training. The arrangements for these lines of study appear to be excellent, but the drift at the University is evidently much more toward technical and modern language studies than toward the old classical carriculum. Of 330 students in 1883-'84, the studies of 294 are indicated, and of them

186 were in agricultural, engineering, architectural, chemical, or natural science courses. 94 in modern languages, and only 8 in Latin and Greek. In 1834-' 85 the studies of 322 are indicated, and of them 205 were in the technical studies above mentioned, 102 in modern languages, and only 4 in ancient languages.
In Table IX of the Appendix may be found the statistics of 29 other universities and colleges in this State. In most cases their work seems to be done with fair facilitits, good courses, sufficient buildings, and at least living means. But in too many other cakes there is evidently a struggle for existence, in which, every few years, some drop away, while others only tide over their difficulties through special aid from friends. such aid came to the amount of $\$ 109,870$ for 9 colleges in $1884-{ }^{\prime} 85$, as may be seeu in Table XXIII of the Appendix.
Of the 29 colleges referred to, 16 offered normal courses of three months to three years; 21 had business departments; 3, arrangements for instruction in stenography; 2 trained for type-writing; one of these last, Saint Viateur's, and also Westield College, in telegraphy; and nearly all in French, German, music, and art. Illinois Wesleyan University had post-graduate and non-resident courses; also a department of physiology and health; Knox College, physical training and military drill under an army officer, to secure robust health.
A new institution for superior instruction, the Correspondence Universily, received in January, 1885, a charter from the legislature of Illinois. Having united with it the Correspondence University of Ithaca, N. Y., it presents for $1834-85$ a faculty of 36 or more professors, each of repute in some special line, to which his instruction will be specifically directed. This instruction is to be by correspondence, and to embrace preparatory, collegiate, and post-graduate studies, leading to the degrees of A. B., Sci. B., Lit. B., Ph. B., \&c., according to the subjects pursued and the attainments proven. The seat of the University, for correspondence, is at 162 La Salle street, Chicago. Its teaching force is composed of professors and instructors connected with many of the best colleges of the United States. The topics for study embrace the sciences, arts, mathematics, languages, philosophy, history, political science, law, and theology.

## INSTITCTIONS FOR THE SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION OF YOUNG WOMEN.

Nearly all the colleges for young men in this State, including the University, are open also to young women. In Table VIII of the Appendix may be found the titles and statistics of colleges especially for young women, the instruction in most of which is apparently of fair collegiate character, though not of the highest type. Of these the Woman's College, Evanston; Knox Seminary, Galesburg; and Ferry Hall, Lake Forest, are departments, respectively, of Northwestern University. of Knox College, and of Lake Forest University, occupying buildings separate from the institutions with which they are connected. Another, St. Mary's School, Knoxrille, lost its buildings by fire in 1883, but prosecuted its work in a neighboring college building, and now presents an elegant new structure, among the most beautiful of its kind in all the West.

## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION.

## SCIENTIFIC.

At the University of Illinois the scientific courses provided are in agriculture, engineering, natural science, and military science. For the prosecation of these and other courses a wide range of studies is presented, from which each student is expected to select at least 3 , affording as many class exercises daily. To secure a diffusion of the sciences relating to great industries, it is required that at least one of the 3 studies be chosen from a list of 45 different ones presented, that cover almost the whole field of industrial training. Aids to such training are provided in a spacious mechanical building and drill-hall, with large appliances for practical work; a chemical building with 5 laboratories; a veterinary hall; a museum of zoology and geology, as well as one of engineering and architecture; a school of art and design; and a domain of 623 acres, including a stock farm, experimental farm, orchards, gardens, nurseries, \&c.

Nearly all the denominational colleges in the State have scientific courses, usually of 4 years, but none of them equal in thoroughness those presented by the University. The Dearborn Observatory, of the University of Chicago, though painfully embarrassed by the linancial difficulties of that university, continued its careful astronomical obserrations, and appears to have done very serviceable work.

The sugar Grove Industrial School, Kane county, is understood to hare gone forward with its training in scientific agriculture and horticulture, in connection with school stadies.

The Chicago Mranual Training School, next only in interest to that of Washington University, St. Louis, was substantially in its second year of work in 1884-'85, the school exercises having begun in February, 1884. For this second year 77 new students were
added to the 66 of the first year, making, with 4 in a partial course, 147 , under 7 professors and instructors. The object of the school continued to be "instruction and practice in the use of tools, with such instruction as may be deemed necessary in mathematics, drawing, and the English branches of a high school course." The full work conemplated includes carpentry, wood-turning, pattern-making, iron-chipping and filins. forge work, braziug and soldering, the use of machine shop tools, and such other like iustruction as may he deemed advisable. The working hoars are divided, as equally as possible, between manual and mental exercises. ${ }^{1}$
rROFESSIONAL.
Theological traning appears to have been continued in the 22 colleges and seminaries mentioned in the reports from this Bureat for $185^{\prime \prime}$-' 83 and 1833-'84, sixteen of them haring 3 -jear courses, usually following a collegiate one; 3, courses of 2 years; St. Viateur's gives some theological instruction in its general course: at Mchendree College, Lebanon, a complete course in systematic theology is proposed.

The fall titles of all these, with their location, denominational status, and reported statistics, may be found in Table XI of the Appendix.

The Presbyterian Theological S'minary, Chicago, is understood to have receired from Mrs. Cyrus H. McCormick, of that place. $\$ 100,000$ in 1884-' 85 , making about $\$ 300,000$ from her and her husband, besides some large donations from other members of the family.
LAW SCHOOLS with 2 -year courses were still existent in 1884-'85 at the Bloomington College of Law of Illinois Wesleyan University, Bloomington; at the Union College of Law of Northwestern University; at the Cniversity of Chicago, with its seat at the latter place; at MrEEendree College, Lebanon, and at Chaddock College, Quincy. The first had still no preliminary examination to test the qualification for such study; the others required eridence of at least a common-school education.

Medical training was carried on, as before, in fair courses, by the Rush Medical College, of Chicago; the Chicago Medical College; the Chicago College of Physicians and Surgeons; the Woman's Medical College, of the same city; and the Quincy College of Medicine, a department of Chaddock College, Quincy-all of the regular school.

Of the eclectic school, the Bennett College of Eclectic Medicine and Surgery, Chicago, was still the only representative.
The homeopathic included, as before, the Hahnemann Medical College and Hospital, Chicago, and the Chicago Homeopathic Medical College.
All these schools require at least a good common-school education as a preparation for entrance on their courses, with three years of study under a medical preceptor, and from 20 to 26 weeks of clinical and lecture teaching in 2 of these 3 jears. At the Chicago Medical College the lecture courses corer 3 years of graded studies. All combine clinical with lecture training.
Pharmaceutical instruction is understood to have been maintained at the Chicago College of Pharmacy, with the usual requirements of 4 years' experience, and attendance on 2 lecture courses of 5 months each, in order to graduate as a licensed pharmacist.

Midwifery had from 1830 to 1883 a representatire school at Chicago, with a 22 weeks' annual course, but subsequent information respecting it is wanting.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

TRAINING IN ABT.
The School of Art and Design of the University of Illinois affords the students of the several colleges which form that university, (1) an opportunity to acquire such a knowledge of free-hand drawing as their chosen courses may require; (2) facilities for pursaing stadies in industrial designing, or other branches of fine art. The course is of 4 years: the first 2 in the general principles of art and design, the last 2 in special designing and painting. The study of plane geometry and projection drawing is recommended as a preparation for the course.
At the 12 institutions for the higher instruction of young women which may be found in Table VIII of the Appendix, there are arrangements for teaching drawing and painting, and like arrangements in about the same number of colleges for young men or for both sexes, the young lady students being especially patronizers of these arts.
The art schools of Chicago embrace now, according to official information, the Art Institute, formerly called the Academy of Fine Arts, and the Society of Decorative Art, a former Academy of Design being, at least for the present, in abeyance. The Art Institute has been substantially maintained since $18 \pi_{9}$ by a group of well-known business

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men, who manage its affairs through an executive committee of 7 members under a board of 21 trustees. Artists are eligible to membership on the same terms as others, that is, by election and payment of fees, or may be made honorary members, exempt from dues and with the privileges of members, except the right to vote. The regular members number about 100 . Annual members, who pay $\$ 10$ a year, are entitled to admission, with their families, to all exhibitions, receptions, and public entertainments. The instruction at the institute is mainly in academic art; that is, drawing from the antique and from life, with painting from life and from objects in crayon, oil, watercolor, and other mediums. The classes include antique (day and evening) costumed life, nude life, perspective, artistic anatomy, modeling in clay, compositions, still life, time-sketching, ornamental designing, and juvenile classes.
Other information, courteously furnished, belongs properly to $1885-$ ' 86 , and will be presented in the report of this Bureau for that year.
A society of decorative art has rooms in the Art Institute building.
TRAINING IN MUSIC.
At the State University music dees not enter into the regular courses; but as many students, especially young women, desire instruction in it, the trustees of the university select competent teachers, present an outlined course, and set apart rooms for piano and vocal music, voice culture, and other exercises. The example of the university in this respect is followed by 17 of the colleges for young men or for both sezes, and by all of those for young women.
A college of music at Chicago is reported as projected for 1885-'86. Of the "National Normal Music School," Chicago, and of one at Eureka, there is no report, unless the latter be the music school of Eureka College.

## EDUCATION FOR PRODUCTIVE MANUAL WORK.

Under the head of "Scientific and professional instruction" something has been said of the instruction in agriculture and horticulture given at the Sugar Grove School, Kane county, in addition to public school training, and at the Chicago Manual Training School. Besides this, instruction in cooking is said to have been successfully and scientifically given by Mrs. Ewing, president of the Chicago Cooking Schools and follower of Miss Corson in the conduct of them, while at Moline, as may be seen under what relates to city systems, there is considerable encouragement of elementary industries.

## EDUCATION OF THE DEAF AND DUMb.

The Illinois Institution for the Education of the Deaf and Dumb, Jacksonville, continued its work in the same lines as before, beginning September, 1881, with 491 pupils, under 29 teachers, including the superintendent, in its literary and art departments, besides 6 in its industrial departments. Later information shows a total of 580 pupils in the year that closed December 31, 1884.
The Day Sichools for Deaf-Mutes connected with the city school system of Chicago, are an adjunct of that system rather than a part of it, being sustained from a fund specially appropriated for the purpose by the legislature of the State. The instruction in them embraces elementary studies mainly, with training in morals and manners and the manual and oral methods of speech. Instructors in 1884-'85, 6, including principal.
The Voice and Hearing School for the Deaf, at Englewood, noticed in the last report from this Bureau, found such favor from the success of its methods for developing a sense of hearing in the deaf that in little more than a year from its opening, in October, 1883, it had reached the limit of its accommodations. The substance of its plan is to have ever present with the child an intelligent instructor ready to direct both play and study, and to see that what is learned in the school is used out of it; to suggest the word and help out the sentence which is struggling for expression; to use the numerous blackboards, impressing correct forms by frequent writing or picturing, and in every possible way endeavoring to make speech attractive and desirable.

## EDUCATION OF THE BLIND.

The Illinois Institution for the Education of the Blind, Jacksonville, has literary, musical, and industrial departments-the first with 7 teachers, the second with 4, the third with 2 , besides a principal. Two matrons have charge of the domestic arrangements. Pupils enrolled in 1883-'84, 168, from 75 counties.

## REFORMATORY AND INDUSTRIAL TRAINING.

The Illinois State Reform School, at Pontiac, receives and trains in the lines abovenamed, as well as in school studies, boys, 10 to 18 years of age committed to it by the courts. While there, they attend school 4 hours daily and work 6 hours on weok days.

Very gratifying improvement in many of the boys is reported, and in a considerablo number a complete and lasting reformation. The State Board of Charities gave 308 as the average number of inmates for the year ending October, 1834.

The Iltinois Industrial Ěchool for Girls, Evanston, a private beuevolence, furnishes a home for dependent girls under 18 years of age; teaches them numerous branches of industry; gives them a good common school education; and thus lays a basis for respectable self-support. Homes are secured for those that leave. It is said that 94 out of 100 of those that have had this training, with the various grod influences attending it, have proved the good effect of it by leading honest and industrious lives. The number in 1883-'St was 78 , of whom 47 remained October 1, 1884. In July, 1885, 73 were reported.

## EDUCATION OF THE FEEBLE-MINDED.

The Illinois Asylum for Feelle-Mindeal Children, Lincoln, aims at the development of the intellectual, moral, and physical faculties of the class for which it is intended, and has done much effective work in this direction. The kindergarten training introduced in 1883-'84, with other object teaching, has aided greatly in developing the interest and the perceptire powers of the children, as have pleasant Sunday exercises, with singing and short talks. Dancing and other amusements brighten the Monday evenings. Introduction of industries fitting for partial self-support has been hindered from want of workshops, but is hoped for at an early day. Inmates September 30, 1884, 317.

## - EDUCATION OF ORPHANIS.

For the shelter of orphan and homeless children, and for due training of them with a riew to decent self-support, 15 institutions under private or church direction were reported by the State Board of Charities at the opening of 1884-'85.

At the Illinois Soldiers' Orphans' Home, Normal, the State Board of Charities reported an average of 317 inmates for 1884 . September 30, 1884, the number reported by the trustees as actually present was 353 ; total for the year then ended, 572.

## EDUCATIONAL CONVENTIONS.

## ILLINOIS ASSOCIATION OF COUNTY SUPERINTENDENTS.

The annual meeting of this body was held at Springfield, December 29-31, 1884, the same time as the State Teachers' Association. The only paper read the first day was on the question whether county superintendents should encourage school exhibits at county fairs. The writer and reader, Charles J. Kinnie, of Winnebago, answered the question in the affirmative. The question, "Shall the county institute have a model county school consisting of teachers or of pupils?" was also discussed. The answer, from at least Superintendent Anderson, of Perry, was in favor of the latter, as he held it wrong to try to practice upon grown people as if they were children. Real and live children were used by teachers in his county to practice teaching.
The morning session of the second day began with a paper on "The necessary steps to be taken in the introduction of a course of study in country schools, and how to overcome the difficulties." In the afternoon the question was, "What should an outline of study for country schoois comprise?" For more on this point, see report of Commissioner.

Wednesday morning was occupied with expressions of opinion as to the proper testing of the professional skill of applicants for county teachers' certificates, Mr. Hood, of Randolph, opening. Mr. Trainer, of Macon, then called attention to elementary work and foundation principles. Mr. S. Y. Gillan said that he favored oral examination and placing the teacher in the position of questioner. At the final session in the afternoon there were adopted resolutions in faror of annual school exhibits; of a comparative examination of country schools and schools of villages, with exhibits of at least a portion of the work; of an increase in the pay and visitorial time of county superintendents; of a rebuilding of the burned Southern Normal School and the erection of another normal school in the northern section of the State; and of the institution of an Illinois Teachers' Reading Circle.

## ILLINOIS STATE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

The thirty-first annual meeting of this body was held in the Representatives' Hall of the State Capitol, Springfield, December 29-31, 1884, the heart of the school year 1884-'85. The address of welcome was byState Superintendent Raab; the annual address by the president, Professor M. Andrews. Miss Mary A. West, president of the Illinois Woman's Christian Temperance Union, then urged, by permission, the need of legislation to secure, in every public school thronghout the State, a systematic teaching of the evil effects of alcohol, tobacco, and other stimulants and narcotics on the human system.

The next day the first topic was the proper teaching of language. Mr. O.T. Bright, of Chi-
cago, held the bestway to teach grammar to be by consersation between the teacher and pupils, the former aiming to interest the latter in the subject and to induce a careful cousideration of the language used; letter writing and composition should be taught on account of their practical usefulness. Miss E. J. Todd, of Aurora, and Professor Metcalf, of the State Normal School, agreed substantially that a child must be taught to study carefully the meaning of expressions, and practically understand the language used, in order to secure accuracy. The neglected art of "oral expression" was next presented by Professor J. H. Brownlee, of the Southern Illinois Normal School, who thought that to read and speak with ease, variety of intonation, and impressive eflect, demanded much mare thought and effort, in a world of voice, thau is at present given to it. "The art of teaching history" was then presented by Dr. S. Willard, of Chicago. His paper was against a mere dry memorizing of chronolocical dates, and in faror of a live description of the prominent events and characters in history, with steady reference to causes, results, surrounding circumstances, and the like. Mr. S. Y. Gillan, of Danville, thought that the mode of teaching history must depend much on the intelligence and acquircments of the pupils, and vary with the class, age, and disposition of the taught. Those with retentive minds, who catch and remember dates with ease, should have the time of important events drilled into them; others should hare only the most essential ones impressed upon their memory. The habits, customs, and condition of the races read about, and the probable effect of these in producing the events narrated, may come in; but it was questionable whether there should be much of this ready made philosophy of history. He would rather lead a pupil to the facts, and let him catch what ideas he then could as to causes and results. Other speakers thought that geography and history should be taught together.

Amendments to the State school laws were then presented for recommendation at the ensuing legislative session, ${ }^{1}$ the main ones being that county superintendents should be allowed pay for their full time, which should be spent in the work of superrision; that assistants should be furnished them wherever it was necessary, and that the expense should be paid by the State instead of by the county.

In the evening a committee on the organization of a State teachers' reading circle was appointed, and, as may be seen further on, such an organization was soon effected.

Dr. Allyn, of the Southern Normal School, then urged that county superintendents should be selected because of their special fitness for the place. They should, he said, be school men and experienced teachers, and should hare authority to annul the certificates of incompetents and promote worthy teachers to their places.

The next day the teaching of music and also of morality in the public schools was discussed, as also training in literature, and the relation beiween the high school and the college or university.

## ILLINOIS TEACHERS' READING CIRCLE.

At the meeting of the State Teachers' Association, at Springfield, December, 1884, it was resolved by a large portion of the superintendents and teachers present to form a reading circle, similar to those in Indiana and other States. An organization was effected by the election of a board of 6 directors, 2 of them women, and the choice of a president and secretary from this board; teachers to become members on forwarding their names, with 25 cents admission fee, to the manager for their county, or, in failure of such manager, to the secretary of the circle at the central office, Decatur, and pledging themselves to pursue the settled course of study. Local circles were to be formed (ordinarily under the county superintendent as general manager) to meet once a week or fortnight, for reading or discussion. The studies were to consist of an elementary and an advanced coursee. Those of the elementary course for the first year were to be (1) a study of the child's powers, physical and mental, and the methods of developing these powers; (2) a study of the best forms of school organization and class management; (3) a study of the characteristics of a good teacher, and of his duties as defined by law; (4) a study of the duties of higher school officers as thus defined. Those of the advanced course were, for the same year, to be mental philosophy, history of education, and general history.

It was determined that an examination should be held each year, in each county, under the direction of a county board of managers, who will grade and return to the central office the papers received from members, the questions for this examination to be prepared by the central board and sent to the county boards. To those who complete cither the elementary or advanced course for the year to the satisfaction of the board, a certificate will be issued.

CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OFFICER.
Hon. Henry Raab, State superintendent of public instruction, Springficld.
[Term, January, 1853, to January, 185\%.]

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## INDIANA.

## STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

|  | 1883-84. | 1884-'85. | Increase. | Decrease. |
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| POPLLATION AND ATTENDANCE. |  | .... |  | - |
| White youth of school age (6-21) | 705, 863 |  |  |  |
| Colored youth of school age. | 16, 088 |  |  |  |
| Whole number of school age | 722, 851 |  |  |  |
| White youth in publie school | 402, 239 |  |  |  |
| Colored youth in public school | E, 903 |  |  |  |
| Whole enrollment. | 501, 142 |  |  |  |
| Average daily attendance. | 32-5, 499 |  |  |  |
| Per cent. of enrollment to school youth. | 69.33 |  |  |  |
| Per cent. of attendauce to school youth. | 45.03 |  |  |  |
| SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND SCHOOLS. |  |  |  |  |
| School districts reported | 9,491 |  |  |  |
| Districts reporting public schnols | 9,414 |  |  |  |
| Districts without schools . | \% |  |  |  |
| Schools for colored youth | 115 |  |  |  |
| Graded schools.... | 789 |  |  |  |
| A verage school term in days | 126 |  |  |  |
| Public school houses | 9,654 |  |  |  |
| Number built within the year | 340 |  |  |  |
| Private schools in public buildings | 634 |  |  |  |
| TEACHERS. |  |  |  |  |
| White men teaching in public schools -- | 6. 739 |  |  |  |
| White women teaching in same | 6, 428 |  |  |  |
| Colored men teaching | 82 |  |  |  |
| Colored women teaching | 63 |  |  |  |
| Whole number of teache | 13,312 |  |  |  |
| financial statement. |  |  |  |  |
| Arerage monthly pay of men teaching A rerare monthly pay of $\pi$ memen | \$39 66 |  |  |  |
| Whole expenditure for public schools.- | 4,660, 000 |  |  |  |
| Valuation of State school property. | 13, 619, 561 |  |  |  |
| State school fund available | 9,339, 328 |  |  |  |

(From report of Hon. John W. Holcombe, State superintendent of public instruction, for the year 1883-'84, and from statistics furnished by him for 1884-'85.)

## STATE SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## GENERAL CONDITION.

The printed reports of the Superintendent being biennial, and the last being only brought down to include 1883-'84, little official information is available as to the condition of the public schools during 1884-'85. A perusal of the files of the Indiana School Journal and of the Educational Weekly for that year shows, howerer, a healthy condition of educational sentiment. This is indicated, among other ways, by an increased attendance of teachers on the county institutes; by an improvement in the instruction given therein; and by the success attending the teachers' reading circles, recently organized, nearly all the counties having united in the work, the superintendents
taking the management. Throughout the State, it is said, the porrer and influence of the normal schools and colleges were felt more keenly than ever before.

The district schools, it is claimed, are generally equal to such schools anywhere; but in some counties, particularly in the northern portion of the State, they are injured by a prevailing custom of dividing the school year into a winter and a summer term, employing for the latter a cheaper teacher, on the ground that the pupils attending in summer are young, and that less skill is required to teach young children than those who are older. A movement was made to correct this evil, in at least one countr, by providing for a continuous term of 7 to 8 months' school, without change of teacher-certainly a better method.

The plan of school management by township trustees, conferring, as it does, large powers upon one man, while it expedites business, has in the case of a few trustees proved a temptation to fraud too great to be resisted. As a check upon the porrer of these officers the creation of a board for the purchase of school supplies, or of an auditing committee, is suggested, so that more than one man would know what supplies are furnished, and at what price, before the money is paid out.

## ADMINISTRATION.

The general public school interests are administered by a State board of education and a State superintendent of public instruction, who is president of the board. Local school affairs are in charge of county superintendents-one for each county, township and city school trustees, and directors for rural districts. The State superintendent is elected by the people for 2 years; county superintendents, by the assembled township trustees of each county for a like term; and township trustees by the electors of the township, also for 2 years.

Trustees may provide separate schools for colored children, but if they do not, such children are allowed to attend the schools for white children; and pupils of colored schools who deserve promotion to a grade not included in these schools, are entitled to enter a white school of that grade.
Teachers must make a full statistical report to the proper trustee at the close of each term, and one-fourth of their wages is withheld until such report is made. Trustees must report annually to the county superintendent, and the latter to the State superintendent, a penalty for failure being provided in both cases. The State superintendent is required to make a full biennial report to the General Assembly, and for the alternate years a brief statistical one to the governor.

## FINANCES.

Public schools are supported from the income of a common school fund, a Congressional townshipschool fund, the proceeds of a State tax of 16 cents on $\$ 100$ and of 50 cents on each taxable poll, and the iacome derived from liquor licenses and unclaimed fees. Special taxes for school houses, furniture, school apparatus, fuel, and other necessary expenses, may be leried by the trustees of the seremal townships, torns, and cities; but such taxes must not exceed 50 cents in any one year on each $\$ 100$ worth of tasable property, nor $\$ 1.00$ on each poll.

## NEW LEGISLATION.

The editor of the Educational Weckly, of Indianapolis, states that the legislature of 1885 made a change in the tax on dogs which may diminish the small revente for school purposes received from this source. It also provided that where a library established by private donation has a value of $\$ 1,000$ or more, and is open for the use of the people of a township, the township trustee may levs annually a tax of not more than 1 cent on $\$ 100$, and pay the same to the trustees of the library for the purchase of books. With the consent of the county commissioners, the torwship trustee may levy and collect a tax of not more than 5 centson $\$ 100$ for not more than 3 . years, to assist in the erection or enlargement of a library building when necessary. School trustees that had in certain cities purchased real estate for library purposes, but found that the rerenues would not pay for the purchases, were authorized to pay for such property out of any special school revenue.
By another law, the former plan of sending the State school moneys from each county to the capital, and then from the capital back again to the counties, was abolished, and arrangements were made for a transfer to deficient counties of what is needed for their schools, and for a like transfer to the State treasury of the surplus school moneys in the richer counties.

## SCHOOL SYSTEMS OF CITIES OF 7,500 OR MORE INHABITANTS.

## ADMINISTRATION.

In cities with less than 30,000 inhabitants the public schools are managed by hoards of 3 trustees, elected by the common council for terms of 3 years, "with annual change of
one. In cities of 30,000 or more inhabitants a board of school commissioners, comprising one member from each city school district, is elected by the people. School boards have porer to employ a superintendent and to prescribe his duties.

STATISTICS.

| Cities. | Population census of 1880. | Children of school age. | Enrollment in public schools. | Average daily attendance. | Number of teachers. | Expenditure. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Eransrille..................... | 29,250 | 17,206 | 5,931 | 4,744 | 143 | \$119,915 |
| Fort Wayne................... | 26,880 | 14,712 | 3, 827 | 2,988 | 107 | 72,019 |
| Indianapolis................... | -5, 0.56 | 40,286 | a18,188 | 10,488 | 276 | 275, 927 |
| Jeffersonville.................. | 9,359 | 3, 682 | 1,901 | 1,364 | 39 | 22,831 |
| La Fayctte b.. ................. | 14, 860 | 7,600 | 3,065 | 1,700 | 51 | 58, 621 |
| Logansport.................... | 11,198 | 4,159 | 2,002 | 1,470 | 36 | 22, 167 |
| Madisoen c........................ | 8,945 | 3,926 | 1,670 | 1,117 | 31 | 19,113 |
| New Albany b................. | 16, 423 | 6,364 | 3, 071 | 2,123 | 55 |  |
| Richmond ....................... | 12,742 | 5,610 | 2,512 | 1,925 | 54 | 80,500 |
| South Bend. | 13,280 | 6,312 | 2,258 | 1,680 | 43 | 31,048 |
| Terre IIaute. | 26,042 | 10,002 | 4,605 | 3,488 | 94 | 89, 312 |
| Vincennes .................... | 7,680 | 2,517 | 1,052 | 827 | 21 | 28,368 |

a Including duplicate enrollments. b Figures of $1853-84$, in the absence of later ones. c Fig.
ures of $1832-83$. ures of $1832-83$.

## ADDITIONAL PARTICULARS.

Evansville reports a marked improvement during the year in public school enrollment, average daily attendance, and punctuality, also a decrease in truancy and corporal punishment. In fact, the use of the rod in school government has been disappearing since 1880. Teachers are seeking to form in pupils habits of self-control; also to make the subjects of the lessons attractive, and thus create a love for study that will leave little inclination to waste time in mischief. Ont of 143 teachers employed, 104 were able to conduct their schools without resorting to physical force, and these, too, produced the most satisfactory results in the matter of discipline. The decrease in truancy, moreover, is ascribed to this effort on the part of teachers to cultivate self-control in their pupils and to make study attractive. The course of study includes the studies of music and German.
In addition to the public school enrollment presented in the table, there were reported 1,690 in private and parochial schools. These, with the 5,931 in public schools, made a total of 7,621 under instruction, learing still 9,535 not in school, many of these, doubtless, being of the 7,214 reported as over 16.
Fort Wayne, besides its public school enrollment of 3,827 , reports 3,800 in private and parish schools. This still left 7,035 in no school, but probably very many of these were of the 5,308 reported as over 16 years of age, when for the great majority of children school life ceases. In the 9 public schools there mere-including high, normal, and evening schools- 4,174 sittings, more than the reported enrollment, while in other schools there were 3,850 , makiug total of 8,024 , so that there scems to hare been no lack of room. Music, drawing, and penmanship, as well as reading, were attended to by special teachers. A city normal school had 8 sittings for study and 2 teachers.

Indianapolis indicates the possession of 28 school buildings, with 12,387 sittings, one of the buildings accommodating a city normal school, with 23 seats, under 1 lady teacher. The 2 city high schools had 690 seats; the grammar schools, 3,773; the primary schools, 7,895. For instruction in drawing there was a special teacher, but no specialists for music or penmanship. All city school property-including grounds, sites, buildings, furniture, and library-was valued at $\$ 357,300$.
Sis kindergärten were reported, of which 4 were free, 3 of the latter having been opened in 1884 under the auspices of the Indianapolis Free Kindergarten and Children"s Aid Society. One of these, for colored children, had 50 pupils; the whole attendance in the 3 was 400 .
Jeffersonville presents a slight decline in children of school age since its last report, 1882-'83, a slight advance in the number enrolled in public schools and in average attendance, with a considerable decrease in expenditure for its schools. For instruction in German 2 teachers were employed. Grades of schools from primary to high. Of other than public schools no report is made.

Logansport, compared with itself in 1882-'83, shows a falling off of 212 in school youth, and yet an increase, notwithstanding this disadvantage, of 73 in enrollment, of 52 in average daily attendance, and of $\$ 1,105$ in expenditure for city schools, the estimated en-
rollment in private and parish schools remaining the same. A special teacher of music continued to be employed. School gradation from primary to high.

Irickmond. - In explanation of the small proportion of youth of school age enrolled in public schools, the city report points out that the legal school age embraces a period oì 15 years, while the public school course of study extends only over 12 ; that many who are included in the enumeration are employed in various kinds of business, while others are in college or in private schools, the latter reporting 980. The course of stady includes instruction in music, draming, and German, and extends orer 8 years, not including the high school course. Enrollment in this school has declined for some rears past, althongh the work done in it has been good; but it is believed that this decline has reached its limit, and that the coming year will show growth. The course of study has been rearranged and the facilities for instruction increased, especially in the department of natural science.

South Bend reports additions of some needed rooms to public school buildings during the year ; the increasing usefulness of the high school and an increase in its library ; and $:$ satisfactory condition of discipline in all the schools. Improvement in the respect last mentioned is ascribed partly to a change in the methods of dismissal and a modification of the forms of recess. The success of a night school, taught by one of the public school teachers, shored the necessity for such schools.

Terre Faute shows by a return that it still retained in 1884-' 85 the 12 school buildings previously reported, but had increased by 166 the total of its seats for stady in them since 1883-'81. School property, however, was rated considerably lower than in 1883-'84, though expenditure for public schools had adranced from $\$ 63,298$, in the last report, to $\$ 89,342$. It seems, therefore, to be doing good work, but under difficulties.

The 2 kindergärten of the city society for organizing charity, noticed in the last report, appear to have been continued, and one is reported to hare been established, at the opering of the school term of 1884-'85, in connection with the State normal school.

Vincennes reports the same number of school buildings as in 1883-' 84 , but indicates an enlargement of $2 \vdots$ in the seating capacity. The number of children of school age had diminished from 3,952 to 2.517 , according to a return, but the superintendent ascribes this to mistakes made in the former cnumeration of such children. Enrollment in the public schools had slightly increased; that in private or parish schools was estimated at the same as at the date of the preceding return. The city schools ranged from primary to high. Music and German were taught in them by persons specially engaged.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## STATE REQUIREIIENTS.

No teachers may be employed in the public schools without certificates of qualification from the State normal school, the State board of education, the county superintendent, or an officer of the school board of a city having 30,000 or more inhabitants. The State board issues life certificates to persons who have taught successfully for 48 months, of which 16 months have been in the State, and who hare passed a satisfactory examination in the common school and higher English branches and in the science of teaching. Certificates of countr superintendents are good in the county where issued for $6,12,21$, or 36 months, according to the ratio of correct answers given by the holder.

## state normal training.

The Indicna Staie Normal School, Terre Haute, gives to those desiring to prepare themselves for teaching free instruction in a number of different courses of study, and requires of residents of the State a pledge to teach therein a period equal to twice the time spent in the school. There are two 3 -year courses of study-one purely English, the other English and Latin. For those desiring a higher scholarship, a graduate courso of one year has been provided. There is also a 2-year course for graduates of the best high schools and academies, and a year of professional training intended for cuilege graduates, which prepares them to fill the positions of school superintendents and principals of high schools. The school aims to give a thorough and scientific linowlelge of the common-school branches, and of methods of teaching them; a knowledge of montal science, school government, and diseipline; of the legal relations aud responsiBlities of the teacher, and of the philosophy and history of education; also a knomlclge of the actual school, gained by actual observation and work under a critic teacher in the 8 grudes of the training school. A kindergarten has been opened in connection with the normal school, to be used as a school of obserration; and it is in the plan to have regular instruction in the theory and art of li udergarten training giren to all the students in some stage of their course.

## CITY NORJAL TRAINING.

The cities of Fort Wayne and Indianapolis provide training departments in connection with the public schools and support them from the general school fuads, the course of study in the former extending over one year, and in the latter over 15 months.
The American I?ormal Collegc, Logansport, organized in 1834, with preparatory, normal, busiuess, and other courses, receives aid from the city.
other normal schools.
The private normal schools reporting are: Central Normal College, Danville, with a 3 year course of study; Central Indiana Normal School and Business College, Ladoga, with a ¿-vear course; the Southern Indiana Normal College, Mitchell, with preparatory, teachers' Hementary, teachers' scientific, and teachers' classical courses, each requiring 1 year for completion; Richmond Normal School, Richmond, with a course of 3 years, of which each year is complete in itself, the first preparing teachers for the common schools, the second for an 8 -year professional State license, and the third for a life certificate; Northern Indienct Normal School, Valparaiso, which presents a variety of courses besides the normal, and claims to give an adequate preparation for teaching in 2 or 3 terms of 10 weeks each to persons thoroughly versed in the common branches; and Ellkhart Normal School and Spencerian Business lisstitute, Elkhart, with a teachers' course of 2 years, which includes the common and higher English branches and Latin or German.
There are two kiadergarten training schools for teachers, one at Indianapolis, the other at La Porte.
Normal departments, or teachers' courses, are reported by at least five of the colleges and universities in the State, among them DePauw Normal School, Greencastle, a department of DePauw University, with a normal course of 3 years, and the normal department of Mcore's Hill College, Moore's Hill.

## TEACHERS' INSTITUTES.

Institutes were held quite generally in the State during the month of August, 1835, the law requiring one to be held in each county of the State at least once a year. The number actually held during 1885 cannot be giren, but as a whole the work done was said to be better than ever before, the attendance larger, and the interest greater on the part of teachers ; more instructors were employed and more money was spent. Still, all these institutes were not equally good. In some a great deal of time was wasted in organizing, in waiting for motions, in enrolling, in reading minutes, in waiting for order, etc. The superior character of the work done this year was mainly due to the study of principles as the basis of methods. Then, too, with few exceptions the instruction was all professional. Academic instruction, when given, took the form of illustrated lectures on physics or some branch of natural science, psychology also receiving its fall share of attention. The science of teaching was almost universally handled from the standpoint of mental philosophy.

EDUCATIONAL JOURNALS.
The Iudiena School Journal, Indianapolis, the principal educational periodical of the State, and the cfficial organ of the superintendent, was in its thirtieth volume in 1885. The Educational Wreekly, of Indianapolis, commenced in July, 1833, was merged, November, 1835, in the Journal of Education, published at Boston.

## SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

## PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS.

No definite information as to the number of high schools in the State, or the number of pupils attending therein can be given, althongh it is known that studies of high school wride are included in the courses of the schools of all the larger cities of the State, as veil as of many of the smaller ones. Graduates of all having an approved course of study are admitted to the freshmanclasses of the State university and Purdue University withoat examiantion; and 75 schools, that had in 1884-'85 proved themselves worthy of the privilege, were authorized by the State board the following fall to send graduates to the State uaiversity.

## OTHER SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

For statistics of business colleges, private academic schools, preparatory schools, and preparatory departments of universities and colleges, see Tables IV, VI, and VII of the Appendix; for summariessee corresponding tables in report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## COLLEGES FOR YOUNG MEN OR FOR BOTI SEXES.

Indiana University, Bloomington, recognizing in its privileges no distinction of religious belief or of sex, gives free tuition and admits graduates of approved high schools to its undergraduate courses without examination. These courses, comprising one in ancient classics, leading to the degree of A. B.; one in modern classics, to that of Lit. B.; and one in science, to that of Sci. B., are equal in extent, requiring four years each for completion, and as nearly as possible equivalents in culture and mental discipline. The course was somewhat modified in April, 1885, chiefly in requiring fewer recitations weekly and in giving a wider range of elective studies in the junior and senior years. The action of the General Assembly of 1883, in giving to the university a pernanent endowment fund, supplemented by that of the Assembly of 1885 and of the Cointy of Monroe, in replacing the losses by the fire of 1883 , has placed the institution, after nearly sixty years of struggle and uncertainty, on a secure and permanent foundation.

Besides the above, 13 other colleges and universities report for 1884-'85, viz: Wabash College, Crawfordsville; Concordia College, Fort Wayne; Franklin College, Franklin; DePauw University, Greencastle; Hanover College, Hanover; Hartsrille College, Hartsville; Butler University, Irvington; Union Christian College, Merom; Moore's Hill College, Moore's Hill; University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame; Earlham College, Richmond; Ridgeville College, Ridgeville; and St. Meinrad's College, St. Meinrad.

All except the two first named and the last admit both sexes on equal terms. Nearly all report classical departments of 4 years; and all but Concordia and St. Meinrad's scientific courses of equal length. Nearly all furnish instruction in modern languages and music, several adding drawing and painting; 5 offer commercial courses; 5, normal; 6, theological and biblical; 2, legal; and 1, a medical course.

Only 3, in addition to the Indiana University, report having received gifts during the year, and these not to any considerable amount, the aggregate being only $\$ 3,000$. Of this, $\$ 1,000$ was given to Moore's Hill College for the endowment of a woman's professorship.

DePauw University (formerly Asbury University), since it received the munificent donation from Mr. DePauw noted in a previous report, has largely increased its work, both in variety and extent. It includes, besides its College of Liberal Arts, schools of theology, law, military science and tactics, music, fine arts, and horticulture; also a normal and a preparatory school. Mr. DePauw's doustion, amounting to $\$ 1,500,000$, came at an opportune moment, when the old Asbury University was in a very embarrassed condition. His intention had first been to found an independent institution, and he had made provision for this in his will, but the friends of Indiana Asbury induced him to make the gift during his life and to bestow it on that institution, offering to take the name of DePauw.

For statistics of colleges and universities see Table IX of the Appendix; and for a summary, see the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## COLLEGIATE INSTITUTIONS FOR YOUNG WOMEN.

Equal opportunities being afforded young women and young men in most of the above colleges and universities, the demand for institutions exclusirely for women appears to be not very great in this State. Only two are reported, viz., DePaur College, New Albany, a Methodist Episcopal institution; and St. Mary's Academic Institute, St. Mary's, a Roman Catholic one. Both of these are authorized to confer collegiate degrees. For statistics of colleges for young women, see Table VIII of the Appendix, and for a summary, see the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION.

## SCIENTIFIC.

Scientific instruction is given in Indiana Eniversity, Bloomington, Purdue University, La Fayette, and in Rose Polytechnic Institute, Terre Haute; also, to some extent, in nearly all the colleges and universities above named, which offer courses for the degree of Sci. B. One of these, Notre Dame, also provides a course in civil engineering.

The Indiana University gives several courses leading to the degree of bachelor of science, embracing biology, geology, mathematics, physics, and chemistry, and in the course for bachelor of philosophy includes a number of branches relating to social and political science.

Purdue University, a college of science, agriculture, and mechanic arts, embraces, besides a preparatory class, 5 special schools, viz: school of agriculture and horticulture, school of mechanics and engineering, school of science, school of industrial art, and school
of pharmacy. All the courses include about the same instruction in general science, mathematics, English history, political and mental science, and industrial drawing, besides the technical branches peculiar to each. The agricultural course aflords daily instruction in agriculture and horticulture throughout the 4 years, that of mechanics and engineering 2 years in each branch, that of science 4 years in laboratory work, and that of industrial art training in industries throughout the 4 years. Two scholarships for each county are given, the county commissioners making the appointments.

Rose Polytechnic Institute, founded in 1874 by the late Chauncey Rose, of Terre Haute, and opened in March, 1883, is devoted to the higher education of young men in engineering, the term including all those productive and constructive arts by which the forces of nature are made subservient to the needs of man. Mechanical engineering, civil engiveering, chemistry, physics, and drawing are among the branches taught. A feature of the course in mechanical engineering is a well-furnished manufacturing machine shop, where manual training is combined with the study of principles. ${ }^{1}$
Scientific courses of 4 years, and of fair standard, appear also in 1884-' 85 at Wabash College, Crawfordsville; Franklin College, Frauklin; DePauw University, Greencastle; Hanover College, Hanover; Hartsville College, Hartsville; Butler University, Irvington; Moore's Hill College, Moore's Hill; University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame; and Earlham College, Richmond; this last seems always to do well and thoroughly whatever it undertakes to do. Franklin College, above mentioned, entered on its second half century June 6, 1834, and held a jubilee in commemoration of it.

## PROFESSIONAL。

Theology is tanght in DePauw University (Methorlist Episcopal) and St. Meinrad's College (Roman Catholic), in regular theological courses of 3 years; also to some extent in Butler University, Union Christian College, and Earlham College, in connection with the collegiate course. Earlham added this feature in 1884, establishing a department of Biblical instruction, with the purpose, as it is explained, of meeting the wants of ministers, Bible school teachers, and other Christian workers who feel the need of better preparation for their work. For statistics of theological schools, see Table XI of the Appendix; and for a summary, see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.
Law departments are reported by DePauw and Notre Dame Universities, the course of study in the former extending over 2 years of 27 weeks each, in the latter comprising 3 years of 40 weeks each. Both require an examination for admission. For statistics of these departments, see Table XII of the Appendix; and for a summary, see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.
Medicine.-Seven medical colleges report for 1884-'85, as follows: Medical College of Indiana, Indianapolis (formerly a department of Butler University); Central College of Physicians and Surgeons, Indianapolis; Fort Wayne College of Medicine; Hospital Medical College of Evansville; Beach Medical Institute; Indiana Eelectic Medical Callege; and Physio-Medical College of Indiana, the 3 last at Indianapolis. The 4 first named belong to the regular school of practice, the next $\approx$ to the eclectic school, and the last is "independent." The Beach Medical Institute, organized in 1884, is a successor of Beach Medical College. This latter institution was merged in the Indiana Eclectic before the commencement of the lecture course of 1884 ; but about 6 wee'ss after its commencement the Beach element withdrew, organizing the Beach Medical Institute. ${ }^{2}$
The whole number of matriculates in all the 7 colleges wis 187, of graduates 78, or nearly 42 per cent., the 4 regular schools enrolling 118 and sreduating 50. All require of applicants for admission evidence of at least a fair English education; for graduation, 3 years' study of medicine, including attendance on '2 courses of lectures. Two, the Central College of Physicians and Surgeons, and Fort Wayne College of Medicine, offer and advise a 3-year graded course. The lecture courses occupy from 20 to 28 weeks, the longer term being found at the Fort Wayne College of Medicine.
For statistics, see Table XIII of the Appendix; aud for a summary, see the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

## EDUCATION OF THE DEAF AND DUMB.

The Indiana Institution for the Education of the Deaf and Dumb, Indianapolis, offers maintenance and instruction, free of charge, to all the deaf and dumb of the State of suitable age and capacity. Until additional accommodations shall be provided, the age

[^59]of admission is limited to from 12 to 21 for boys and from 10 to 19 for girls. The course of instruction in the primary department, embracing all the elementary English branches and including articulation, requires generally 7 years for completion. For the benefit of those who wish to qualify themselves for teaching or for other intellectual pursuits, a high class has been established with a course of three years in the sciences; the superintendent may admit to this class each year the most promising of the graduates from the primary course. Three hours on 5 days in the week, with 2 on Saturday, are devoted to industrial pursuits, pupils receiving instruction in shoemaking, cabinet-work, chaircaning, baking, sewing, housework, and other employments, and the introduction of a greater variety of such pursuits is recommended.

## EDUCATION OF THE BLIND.

The Indiana Institute for the Education of the Blind, Indianapolis, a branch of the educational system of the State, admits fit subjects for its instruction free of charge, all their expenses being paid, except those for clothing and traveling. The age for admission is from 9 to 21, but exceptions are sometimes made in favor of those who are over 21 , at the discretion of the board of trustees. In the literary department the common and some of the higher English branches are taught, also reading in line and point print, and writing in the New York point system and with lead pencils. Special effort is made to teach pupils how to study, to discipline their minds, to strengthen their powers of concentration, recollection, and reflection, and to enable them to form correct habits of attention and observation. The musical department, which inclades vocal and instrumental music and tuning, affords means of instruction to all pupils who have an ear for music in one or more of these branches, as well as special training to those who wish to become teachers of music. Increased attention and care are given to the industrial department, which is regarded as in many respects the most important of all. It includes broom making, cane seating, sewing, knitting, and fancy work.

## TRAINING SCHOOL FOR NURSES.

The Flower Mission Training School for Nurses, Indianapolis, organized in 1883, reported 14 pupils in 1885 and 5 graduates. Arrangements have been made with the authorities of the Indianapol is City Hospital for giving training to the pupils. The school receives $\$ 200$ a month from the city.

## EDUCATIONAL CONVENTIONS.

## INDIANA STATE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

The Indiana State Association held its thirty-first annual meeting at Indianapolis, December 29-31, 1884. The meeting was not as large as that of the previous year, but the exercises in point of merit are said to have been above the arerage. According to a criticism in the School Journal the programme was too full, leaving but little time for the miscellaneous discussion of papers.
"A retrospective and a prospective view of Indiana's school system" was the subject of the inaugural address of the president, Supt. H. B. Hill, in which he spoke of the need for longer school terms, better teachers, and a compulsory school law. The address was referred to a committee for consideration. Among other topics presented were "The moral education of the young;" "Profit and loss of the graded school system;" " Personality in teaching;" "The element of trust in government;" "The citizenship of the teacher; " "The examination question;" "Learn to do by doing." this by Col. F. W. Parker, of Normalville, Ill.; and "The philosophy of teaching," by Dr. E. E. White, of Cincinnati.

The committee on the president's address, in accordance with instructions, submitted a report embodying certain recommendations to the legislature, among which were the establishment of uniform terms for all schools of the same class, none to be less than 8 months; the provision of a sufficient fund for the maintenance of county institutes; the enactment of a mild and well guarded compulsory education law; and the introduction of the elements of industrial drawing into the school system.

The high school section of the Association was very largely attended, and the sessions were interesting and profitable; but they interfered with the main association by being held at the same hours. The topics discussed were "The high school-its place in educational economy;" "Methods of teaching the English language and literature in the high schools of Indiana;" "The scientific method and its educational value;" "Methods of teaching science in the high schools;" and "How to make the library do most service to the schools."

## NORTHERN INDIANA TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

The Northern Indiana Teachers' Association met at Rome City, July 21-24, 1885, about sixty teachers being present. Addresses were delivered on "Elementary instruc-
tion;" "How to derelop the power of thought;" "The use and abuse of the Grube method;" "How far can the knowledge of mental science he utilized by the common school teacher?", "True knowledge and its fimetions;" "How to cultivate a love for reading good books;" and "The relation of the first four to the remaining years of the course of study." The last paper placed great stress on the fact that the chief purpose of the schools is to develop character, and insisted that the place to begin this is in the primary schocls.

## SUPERINTENDENTS' CONVFENTION.

The third meeting of the superinteadents of eity and tom schools of Indiana and Ohio was held at Richmond, November 5-7. 1885. Anong other topics discussed were "Methods of promotion;" "Teachers' meetings;" "How to promote culture aruong teachers;" "Examinations;" and "Gradation of seliools:" "Methods of promotion" was given an entire evening, and was quite generally discussed, a variety of views heiug dereloped. "Culture among teachers" was also exhaustively discussed, in the course of which the teachers' reading circle and associations for professional improvement were -commended.

## INDIAN゙A COLLEGE ASSOCIATION.

The meeting of this very respectable body in 1885 was at the parlors of the Bates House, Indianapolis. It was well attended, and had exercises of unusual interest. Professor J. C. Ridpath, of DePaum University, was the president elect, and took for his theme, "The true evolution," defending the development theory of Charles Darwin. President Darid S. Jordan, of the State Unirersity, also delivered an address on Charles Darwin, which Professor P. S. Baker, of DePaurr, heartily endorsed.
Professor R. B. Warder, of Purdue Unirersity, read a paper on "The true place of industrial education," advocating the teaching of a few manual industries in the common schools and the cultiration of accurate ideas of common things. but not recommending technical instruction in colleges. Professor Alma Holman, of D2Pauw, gave reasons why natives are better than foreiguers as instructors in modern languages. Professor J. L. Campbell, of Wabash, read a very instructive address on "The present conditions of the physical development of Indiana," Dr. A. W. Brayton, of the Indianapolis High School, following with a paper on the same theme.
Professor Camphell, of Wabash, was elected president of the association for the ensuing year.

## OBITUARY RECORD.

## CHARLES O. THOMPSON, A. II., FE. D.

President Charles O. Thompson, of Rose Polytechnic Institute, Terre Haute, was born at Windsor, Conn., September 25, 1835, and died at his home in Terre Haute, March 17, 1885. His untimely death was felt as a severe loss not only by the institution at whose head he had been since 1883 , but by all who knew him, includi $\cdot \boldsymbol{r}$ many eminent educators in the State aud elsewhere. Prior to accepting the presidency of the Rose Polytechnic Institute Mr. Thompson was for several years at the head of a technical school in Worcester, Mass., where he met with great success. He was a member of the National Council of Education from its organization, and was greatly honored by that body for the ability and wisdom which he brought to the consideration of all educational questions, for his ripe scholarship, and for the valuable contributions he made toward the solution of some of the most important educational problems of the times. He was universally beloved for his amiability, generosity, and that large-heartedness which led him to entertain, in a catholic spirit and with kind hospitality, the opinions of those who differed from him. He was admired for his rich literary attainments and brilliant social qualities, and reverenced for his sincerity and loyalty to trath, and for the courage with which he followed the lead of his convictions, as well as for the purity of his life and his devout Christian character.

## CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OFFICER.

Hon. Joun W. Holcombe, State superintendent of public instruction, Indianapo?is.
[First term Miarch 15, 1883, to March 15, 1835; second terin, March 15, 1885, to March 15, 1857.]

## IOWA.

## STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

|  | 1883-'84. | 1884-' 8 ¢ | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| population and attendance. |  |  |  |  |
| Youth of school age (5-21) | 623, 151 | 634, 407 | 11,256 |  |
| Enrolled in public schools--- | 472, 966 | 477, 663 | 4,697 |  |
| Average attendance .-.-.-.-.-.-.-- | 284, 498 | 281,794 |  | 2,704 |
| Per cent. of school youth enrolled. | 75.89 | 75.29 |  | . 60 |
| Per cent. of same in average attendance | 45.65 | 44.41 |  | 1.24 |
| Per cent. of attendance to enrollment $\qquad$ | 60.15 | 58.99 |  | 1.16 |
| Number attending private schoolsschools. | 17,158 | 17,974 | 816 |  |
| Public graded schools | 530 | 561 | 31 |  |
| Public ungraded schools .-.-.--- | 10,436 | 10, 949 | 513 |  |
| Whole number of public schools-- | 10, 986 | 11, 510 | 544 |  |
| Average time of schools in days... | 144 | 144 |  |  |
| School-houses of brick or stone .-- | 966 | 1,003 | 37 |  |
| Whole number of public schoolhouses | 11,975 | 12,309 | 334 |  |
| teachers. |  |  |  |  |
| Men teaching in public schools .-- | 5,760 | 5,809 | 49 |  |
| Women teaching in public schools | 17,359 | 17, 900 | 547 |  |
| Whole number of teachers | 23, 119 | 23,715 | 596 |  |
| Teachers' institutes held | 99 | 99 |  |  |
| \$CHOOL FiNasces. |  |  |  |  |
| A verage monthly pay of men teaching | $\$ 3740$ | \$37 95 | \$0 55 |  |
| Average monthly pay of women... | 3042 | 2045 |  | \$0 97 |
| Whole expenditure for public schools | 6, 236, 971 | 6. 054,313 |  | 182,658 |
| Valuation of State school property | 10, 808,089 | 12, 690, 326 | 1, 882, 237 |  |
| Permanent State school fund -...-- | 4, 386, $„ 59$ | 4, 432, 966 | 46,707 |  |

(From statistics furnished by Hon. Joln W. Akers, State superintendent of public instruction for the years indicated.)

## STATE SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## GENERAL CONDITION.

The above special statistical report, sent by the superintendent of education, shorrs an increase during 1884-' 85 of 11,256 in the number of youth of school age, and of 4,697 in public school enrollment, with 2,704 ferrer pupils in arerage daily attendance; also a slight decrease in the percentage of enrollment and average attendance based on school population, and of average attendance based on enrollment. Miore public schools were taught and more teachers employed; the average monthly pay decreased slightly. The whole amount expended for public schools also decreased, while the amount of the permanent fund increased, as did the valuation of public school property.

The biennial report of the superintendent for 1883-' 85 mentions an increase in the average pay of teachers, both men and women, as well as in their zeal and activity in their work. Indeed, school facilities and buildings, it is said, are being improved each year; and teachers are rapidly improving in all that goes to make them successful.

The neeting of the National Educational Association at Madison, Wis., in 1884, at which Iowa was well represented, was one of the principal causes leading to this increased educational activity. Its influence was exerted not only through the usual addresses, discussions, aud criticisms, but also by its exhibit of industrial education, which gave a practical direction to the interest in this topic, showing how many opportunities the school room affords, even mithout adding to the present courses of stady, for creating a taste for industrial occupations and laying a foundation for such instruction.

Following closely upon the gathering at Madison came the Exposition at New Orleans, in which the educational status of Iowa was exhibited, under the supervision of the Department of Public Instruction. The material used at the Madison exhibit was put in order for this purpose, and additional work was furnished, including excellent displays from the institutions for the blind and the deaf. The Department issued a circular of information, setting forth the organization and practical operation of the school system of Iowa, and containing a lithograph school-house map of the State, having a dot for each school-house. Altogether, the exhibit was representative, comprehensive, and complete; as at Madison, it placed the State in the foremost rank for educational privilege and endearor, and gave an important stimulus to educational effort.

The recent organization of teachers' reading circles is noted as one important indication of adrance. This step was adrised by the State Teachers' Association, and a committee of 9 persons was appointed to arrange a course of study and to make other provisions for carrying the plan into effect. It is designed, among other objects, to secure to teachers the employment of all their spare time in the way most useful to them professionally, by a careful study of educational literature. This study is made more interesting by the fact that many others are going over the same ground, and that results will be,compared, while the habit of annotation fixes the knowledge acquired in the student's mind in an orderly way, making it arailable for use when necessary.

## ADMINISTRATION.

A State superintendent, elected by the people for 2 years, has general superintendence of the public schools. There is also a State board for the examination of teachers. Each county has a superintendent; each tomnship and indeperdent district a board of directors; each subdistrict into which a township may be divided, a subdirector, the subdirectors of the subdistricts forming the district township board. Women are eligible to any school office in the State, and one member of the State board of examiners must be a woman.

At least one school must be taught in each subdistrict for not less than 120 days during the year. The public schools are free to all resident youth of school age ( $5-21$ ). Besides common schools, the system includes high schools, normal schools, teachers' institutes, schools for soldiers' orphans, a State universits, a State agricultural and mechanical college, reform schools. and institutions for deaf-mutes and the blind.

To be legally employed in public schools, teachers must have certificates of qualification from the county superintendent or other duly authorized officer. They must each keep a school register and make an annual statistical report to the board of directors. The secretary of the board in turn reports to the county superintendent, and he to the State superintendent. Boards of directors must set out at least 12 shade trees on each school site, and county superintendents must see that such trees are growing. Industrial expositions for displaying useful articles made by public school pupils may be held in each district, if its board of directors deem it expedient; such exhibitions must be held in the school room on a school day, and not oftener than once a month.

## FINANCES.

Public schools are sustained from the income of a permanent State school fund, a temporary fund, and from county and district tases.
The permanent State fund comes ( $\alpha$ ) from $\overline{5}$ per cent. of the net proceeds of public land sales; (b) from sales of 500,000 acres of lands granted by the general Government in 1811; (c) from proceeds ol escheated estates; (d) from sales of 16 th section lands in each township, or of lands selected in place of these. Amount in $1885, \$ 4,432,966$. The temporary fund consists of the annual product of forfeitures for the benefit of the school fund, of fines for violation of penal laws or non-performance of military duty, and of sales of lost goods and estrass. Both are distributed to the districts in proportion to the number of youth from 5 to 21 years of age.
County tases must be not less than 1 mill nor more than 3 mills on the dollar. District taxes must not exceed 10 mills on the dollar for a school-house fund; $\$ 5$ per papil for
a contingent fund; or $\$ 15$ for each resident pupil for a teachers' fund, this last including the amount received from the State by semi-annual apportionment.

## NEW LEGTSLATION.

By Acts of April 1, 1884, $\$ 64,500$ was appropriated for the State university, $\$ 27,800$ for the State normal school at Cedar Falls, and \$2j, 088 for the girls ${ }^{\frac{j}{3}}$ depariment of the lowa State Reform School.

One-halr of these amounts was made available in 1884 , the remaining half in 1885.
April 5,1884 , it was determined that the reform schools of the State should thereafter be known as industrial schoois, and the trustees of them as the Board of Trustees of Industrial Schools.

The same day appropriations of $\$ 32,10)^{2}$ were made for improvements at the State agricultaral college, $\$ \%, 000$ of this amount to go for a building for the mechanical and engineering departments of the college, $\$ 10,000$ for two buildings for the school of veterinary science, $\$ 3,000$ for fire-proof vaults, and $\$ 3,000$ for a professor's resideuce.
It was also determined that schools for instruction of students in mechanic arts should be reported by the Commissioner of Labor Statistics, such report to indicate what prorress has been made in schools of this kind, and what systems have been found most practical.

## SCHOOL SYSTEMS OF CITIES WITH 7,500 OR MORE INHABITANTS.

## ADMINISTRATION.

Public schools are controlled by boards of 6 directors in cities, towns, or villages with 500 or more inhabitants, 2 of these directors being subject to change each year. In the larger cities superintendents are usually employed. for the scheols. A tax for school purposes, not to exceed 10 mills on the dollar in any one year, may be voted by the electers.

STATISTICS.
1884-’5.

| Cities. | Population, census of 1880. | Youth of school age. | Enrollment in public zehools. | Average daily attendance. | Number of teachers. | Expenditure for public schools. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Burlington a.......... | 19,450 | 7,621 | 4, 099 | 2.830 | 74 |  |
| Cedar Rapids a ...... | 10, 104 | 4,197 | 2,717 | 2,014 | 56 |  |
| Clinton ................. | 9, 052 | 3,709 | 2, 327 | 1,572 | 42 | \$32, 855 |
| Council Bluffs ........ | 18,063 | 7,522 | 2,763 | 1,747 | 59 | 99,544 |
| Davenport............ | 21, 831 | 9,412 | 65,332 | 63.407 | 89 | 73, 877 |
| Des Moines (West).. | 14,005 | 6,018 | 3,512 | 2,894 | 75 | 98,511 |
| Dubuque............... | 22. 254 | 10,204 | 4, C82 | 2,817 | 78 | 55, 817 |
| Keokuk.... | 12, 117 | 4,931 | 2,398 |  | 52 | 41,316 |
| Muscatine.. | 8,295 | 2, 800 | 1,532 | 1,352 | 38 | 27, 914 |
| Ottumwa $a$. | 9,001 | 3,100 | 2,1®4 | 1, | 36 | .............. ..... |

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## ADDITIONAL PARTICULARS.

Burlington shows 12 school buildings in 1883-'84, one of them a high school, another a city normal school, in which graduates of the high school that desire to teach spend a year in study of methods of instruction and in practice teaching. The school year covers 10 months.

Cedar Rapids, with 7 buildings, one of them partly occupied by a high school, which indicates the possession of all the ordinary school grades, bas a school session of 9 mont ${ }^{\circ} \ldots$

Cinton divides its course of study into primary, grammar, and high school dep....
ments, each of four years. There is also a practice school which gives a year's training to such graduates of the high school as intend to teach. The work of each term in the schools is not prescribed, but is left largely for the teachers to decide upon. In choice of methods, too, each teacher is left free to employ such as are best adapted to the wants of her school. The high school, comprising English, Latin, and German courses of stucy, has graduated 142 pupils since 1874 , of whom 109 were young wo men. Just one-half the graduates have become teachers, and 43 hare taught in the city. The public school library, absolutely free to teachers and pupils, comprises 2,477 volumes.

At Council Bluffs the public schools were taught 199 days in 15 buildmgs having 2, 718 sittings for study. Over $\$ 43,000$ were expended during the year for buildings and
$\$ 6,621$ for furniture and apparatus. The schools included primary, grammar, and high grades, the latter enrolling 115 pupils, of whom 87 were girls. In 5 private and parish schoo's, with 310 sittings forstudy, 198 pupils were reported, making, with those in the uty schools, a total enrollment of 2,961 .

The Davenport public schools-comprising primary, grammar, high, city normal, and evening schools-were taught in 11 buildings, which were capable of seating 4,264 pupils. Besides the public school enrollment above noted, it is estimated that about $1,000 \mathrm{pu}$ pils attended private and parochal schools, making a total of 6,332 , or a little more than 67 per cent. of the school population. Music entered into the city school course under the oversight and instruction of a lady teacher.
under the oversight of a special teacher. The city normal school had 12 female pupils
Des Moincs ( Wcst) reports public schonls taught for 177 days out of 180 in the school year, in school buildings valued, with sites and furniture, at $\$ 270,000$. Of the total amount expended for pablic schools, as above reported, $\$ 21,681$ were for sites, buildings, furniture, and apparatus.

Two kindergärten report an aggregate attendance of 134 pupils under 11 teachers. These schools, established in 1876, were in 188'3-'34 adopted by the public school system,

The schools of Dubuque were taught for 196 days, in 12 buildings, valued, with sites, furniture, and apparatus, at $\$ 200,000$. About 2,500 pupils attended private and parochial schools, making, with public sehool enrollment, a total of 6,588 children under instruction. A library comprising, in 1884, about 800 bound volumes, was connected with the public school system. No special teachers were employed.

Keokuk reports public schools taught for 178 days, in 9 school buildings, for primary, grammar, and high grades, valued, with other school property, at $\$ 100,000$. Music, drawing, and peamanship were taught by special teachers.

At the close of the term, in June, 1885, the public schools gave a very extensive exhibit of pupils' work, two large halls being completely filled with it. The display of kindergarten work was noticeably fine, and the industrial work attracted much attention. Fancy work, wood work, machines, and numberless other articles showed the skill and ingenuity of the pupils, while the fine maps, examination papers, and drawings in ink and crayon indicated their diligence in their proper work. All the schools were fully represented, from the primary to the high, the latter offering a fine display of botanical specimens, skinned, stuffed, and mounted birds, and technical drawiugs. The citizens of Keokuk were liberal in their offers of prizes for good work, and for three days and nights the exhibition was thronged.

The Muscatine public schools, primary, grammar, and high, were taught 182 days during 1884-'85. The 9 schoul buildings, affording seats for 1,600 pupils, were valued. with sites and other school property, at about $\$ 80,000$. About 200 pupils attended prirate or parochial schools, making a total of 1,752 under instruction.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## STATE REQUIREMENTS.

Teachers cannot be employed in any common schools receiving a share of the school fund unless they hare certificates of qualification from their county superintendent or other officer authorized by law to give them. These other officers are the members of a State board of examiners, which includes the State superintendent of public instruction, the president of the State university, the principal of the State normal school, and two persons appointed by the executive council, for terms of 4 years, one of the two to be a woman. Of this board the State superintendent is ex officio president. It holds annually at least 2 public examinations of teachers, at which a member of the board presides, assisted by one or two qualified teachers.
Successful candidates who prose their acquaintance with all the ordinary English school studies, and with such others as physiology and history of the United States, and their possession of good moral character and capacity for governing and instructing children, receive from their county superintendent a certificate to that effect, good for a year. Those that before the State examiners add evidence of acquaintance with book-keeping, algebra, botany, natural philosophy, drawing, civil government, Constitution and laws of Iowa, and didactics, get from these examiners a State certificate good for 5 years. Those that add also proof of acquirements in higher mathematics, the chief natural sciences, political econony, rhetoric, English literature, general history, and other studies, receive State diplomas good for life, unless reroked for cause.

## STATE NORMAL TRAINING.

The Iova State Normal School, Cedar Falls. presents several courses of study, the longest nne, of 4 years and including the graduate scientific course, leading to the degree of bachelor of didactics, and designed to qualify for the highest positions in the school system.

A shorter course of 3 years gives a proportionate preparation for teaching in all grades of the public school system. There is also a graduate professional course of one year, designed for college graduates, and a graduate scientific course. Students who complete the 3 -year course are entitled to certificates, but not to diplomas. Music, peumanship, book-keeping, and drawing are among the branches studied, and professional work is arranged for every day throughout the course. The certificates and diplomas do not by law entitle the holders to teach in the State without further examination, but many county superintendents in the State recognize them as proof of capacity to teach, and they are also accepted in California and other States.
The Chair of Didactics of the State Cniversity of Iowa offers an elective course of study occupying 1 year, which is purely professional in its provisions. Graduates are given certificates of qualification as teachers, and after 2 years' successful work may receive the degree of bachelor of didactics.

## CITY NORMAL SCHOOLS.

A training school connected with the public school system of West Des Moines gives students desiring to teach the benefit of 1 year's professional training and practice.
Davenport, as before mentioned, makes return of a city normal school under the charge of a lady, whose salary indicates high estimate of her work, and who had under her 12 pupils during 1884-' 85.

OTHER NORMAL SCHOOLS AND DEPARTMENTS.
Among the private institutions which present normal departments as an important part of their work, the largest is, perhaps, the Western Normal College and Shenandoah Commercial Institute, Shenandoah, which, though first opened in 1883, enrolled in 1883-'84 over 700 normal pupils, besides about 400 others. A common school course of study is provided for those who are not well grounded in the elementary branches, very backward pupils being encouraged to enter with the expectation of acquiring sufficient preparation, after a full year's study, to enter the professional course. This extends over a full year of 12 months.

Dexter Normal School, Dexter, offers a teachers' professional course of one full year of 50 weeks, besides preparatory, scientific, classical, and commercial courses.
The Normal and Scientific Institute, Bloomfield, provides a course of study which qualifies for teaching in all grades of the public schools, besides courses in business, fine arts, science, and music.

Eastern Iowa Normal School, Columbas Junction, reports a full course of normal study extending over 5 years. This includes an elementary course of 3 years and an advanced one of 2 , graduates of the latter receiving the degree of bachelor of pedagogical philosophy.

Provision for the training of teachers, in courses of from 1 to 5 years, is also made at Amity College, Upper Iowa University, Norwegian Luther College, Drake University, Parsons College, Iowa College, Lenox College, Simpson Centenary College, German College, Cornell College; Oskaloosa College, Penn College, and Central University of Iowa.

## TEACHERS' INSTITUTES.

Each county superintendent is required by lavv to hold an institute annually in his county, and $\$ 50$ is appropriated by the State to aid in defraying the expenses. Further provision is made for their support by the requirement of a registration fee of $\$ 1$ from each person attending, and also an equal sum from every applicant for a certificate. These institutes are schools of from two to four weeks' duration, the objects of which are to improve the scholarship of teachers and to acquaint them with the best methods of instruction and school government. The number attending during 1884 was 14,793 , more than twice as many as mere present in 1874. . Great improvement has also been made during these 10 years in the management of institutes and in the work done in them.

## EDUCATIONAL JOURNALS.

Among these are the Iovca Normal Monthly, published at Dubuque, the organ of the State department of education; the Central School Journal, Keokuk, also a monthly; and the Northwestern Journal of Education; all containing a large amount of educational information and instruction.

## SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

## PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS.

The law provides for county and township high schools, but thus far the people hare not generally availed themselves of the opportunity to establish them. The number of graded schools is 530, or an average of more than 5 to each county; and in a majority of
such schools the higher branches are tanght, many of them preparing students for admission ta the State University.

## OTHER SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

For statistics of business colleges, private academic schools, and schools for preparin: students for college, see Tables IV, VI, and VII of the Appendix; and for summaries, see corresponding tables in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## COLLEGES FOR YOUNG MEN OR FOR BOTH SEXES.

The State University of Iova, Iowa City, an outgrowth of the policy of the National Gorernment to aid education, has collegiate, legal, medical, and dental departments, the medical including both regular and homeopathic. The report shows a decided increase in the efficiency of the unirersity daring 1884-' 85 , although the number of students in all departments was about 100 less than the prerious year. This was owing to an elfration of the standard of instruction in the law school and of that for admission to the medical schools. Other departments also adranced their requirements for admission, but yet liave increased their enrollment.
The collegiate department of the Unirersity embraces a school of letters, with classical and philosophical courses, and a school of science, with scientific and engineering courses, each extending orer 4 years, and leading to the degrees respectively of A. B., Ph. B., Sci. B. and C. E. Graduates of approred high schools and academies are admitted without examination.
Other colleges and universities reporting are Amity College, College Springs; Griswold. College, Darenport; Norlegian Luther College, Decorah; Drake University. Des Moines; University of Des Moines; St. Joseph's College, Dubuque; Parsons College, Fairtield; Upper Iova Cniversity, Fayette; Inva College, Grinnell; Simpson Centenary College, Indianola; German College, Mt. Pleasant; Iova Wesleyan University, Mt. Pleasant; Cornell College, Mt. Vernon; Oskaloosa College, Oskaloosa; Penn College, Oskaloosa; Central University of Iova, Pella; Tabor College, Tabor; Western College, Toledo; and Lenox College, Hopkinton. All of these except Griswold, Luther, and St. Joseph's admit both sexes; all have classical courses of study which extend over 4 years; all except two report scientific courses, which are generally of equal length with the classical; sereral add philosophical courses, a few Latin or Greek scientific, and one an engineering course. Commercial courses are offered by 13 of the above, and as many afford opportunity for preparation to teach. All but 3 provide courses in music and drawing, all teach German, and all but 3 French also. Professional instruction is given by sereral, the particulars of which will be noted further on.
Nine of the abore colleges receired gifts and bequests during the year in sums ranging from $\$ 160$ to $\$ 50,000$, and amounting in the aggregate to about $\$ 90,000$, all but $\$ 5,000$ of this being giren unconditionally. The largest amount, $\$ 50,000$, was receired by Cornell College from contributions, one half of it being intended for endowment, the remainder to build a ladies' hall. The next largest gift, $\$ 22,000$, was to Western College, for library, apparatus, and endorment. Iowa Weslejan University receired $\$ 5,000$ from Mr. Timothy Whiting for general endowment, on condition that $\$ 14,000$ be contributed by others within 3 years.
For statistics of colleges and unirersities, see Table IX of the Appendis; and for a summary see the report of the Commissioner preceding:

## COLLEGIATE INSTITETIONS FOR YOUNG WOMEN.


#### Abstract

At least 3 institutions for the superior instruction of young women are known to be in existence, although only 2 send statistics for 1884-' 35 . The three are Irmaculate Conception Academy, Darenport; Callanan College, Des Moines; and St. Agatha's Academy, lowa City; the last two are authorized to confer collegiate degrees. From Mt. Pleasant Female Seminary, formerly reporting, no information has been receired for sereral years. For statistics of Callanan College and Immaculate Conception Academs, see Table VIII of the Appendix; and for a summary, see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.


## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION.

## SCIENTIFIC.

As has been noted, scientific studies are parsued to some extent in nearly all the colleges and universities of the State, which gire the usual scientific course, generally of 4 years. The school of science of the State Unicersity of Iova, besides such a general scientific course designed to afford liberal culture on the basis of science, presents a
course in engineering, which aims to lay a good foundation in the principles of engineering science, and in their practice, the topics studied corresponding to the requirements of the professional engineer. Cornell College also provides a course in civil engineering and gives instruction in military science and tactics.

Iowa Agricultural College offers one general course of study, and 4 technical courses leading to degrees; the former aiming to gire a liberal education in the sciences and other branches which underlie the great industries of the country, without confining it to any particular pursuit or profession, while the others are intended to meet the requirements of some special pursuit. These are (1) a school of agriculture; (2) a school of engincering, with courses in mechanical and civil engineering; (3) a school of reterinary science: and (4) a school of domestic economy. In addition to the foregoing there are certaia lines of technical and scientific study, including either one science or several relaterd ones, not leading to any degree, which may loe pursued by students properly qualifed. A department of military science and tactics is included. The school of domestic economy comprises all branches of housework, bousehold management, the purchase and care of supplies, care of the sick, physiology and hygiene, as well as chemistry, botany, dairying, vegetable and landscape gardening, home architecture, house furnishing and decoration, dressmaking, sewing, and other branches.

For statistics, see Table X of the Appendix, and for a summary, the report of the Commissioner preceding.

PROFESSIONAL.
Theological instruction is given in Norwegian Augustana Theological Seminary, Beloit, a Lutheran institution, having a 3 -year course of study and requiring no examination for admission; also in theological and Bible departments belonging to 5 of the colleges and universities above named. The theological departments of Griswold College (Protestant Episcopal) and of German College (German Methodist) present regular courses of 3 years. The ecclesiastical department of St. Joseph's College (Roman Catholic) prepares priests for that church in certain defined lines, but the length of course is not given. Oskaloosa College (Christian) offers a 4-year course in sacred literature, which is free to those looking forward to the ministry as a life work, and leads to the degree ot bachelor of letters. The Bible department of Drake University (Disciples') requires 3 years of study, which, in the case of those who intend to graduate, follow the collegiate course, while any students of good Christian character are admitted who desire to increase their capacity for Christian work.

For statistics of theological schools see Table XI of the Appendix.
Departments of Law are reported by the State University of Iowa and Drake University. In the law department of the State University the course of instruction now extends over two school years of 9 months each, instead of one year as formerly. This departure was necessitated by an Act of the General Assembly, passed in April, 1884. regulating admission to the bar. The course of study includes both doctrine and practice; text books, recitations, explanations, lectures in pleading and procedure, and moot courts are among the means of instruction used. Applicants for admission are required to furnish evidence of a good English education.

The law department of Drake University also presents a course of instruction both theoretical and practical, so arranged as to be completed in 2 years. No examination is required for admission.

For statistics of schools of law see Table XII of the Appendix.
The medical schools reporting for 1884-'85 are as follows: Iowa College of Physicians and Surgeons, Des Moines; College of Physicians and Surgeons, Keokuis; Medical Department of State University of Iowa; Homeopathic Medical Department of the State University of Iowa; Iowa Medical College (a department of Drake University); and King Eclectic Medical College, Des Moines. The 3 first named belong to the regular school of medicine, 2 of the remaining 3 being eclectic, and one, as its name shows, homeopathic. All make some requirement of preliminary education of applicants for admission, and all require for graduation 3 years' study of medicine, including attendance on two lecture terms of about 20 weeks, while all but one (the Iowa Medical Callege) offer ::lso an optional 3-year graded course. The whole number of matriculates in the abore s hools during 1884-' 85 was 327 , of whom 121 were graduated. Of these 240 matriculated in the 3 regular schools, 54 in the eclectic, and 33 in the homeopathic.

For further statistics, see Table XIII of the Appendis, and for a summary see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SPECLAL INSTRUCTION.

## EDUCATION OF THE DEAF AND DUIB.

The Iova Institution for the Education of the Deaf and Dumb, Council Bluffs. a part of the public school system of the State, maintains and educates its pupils free of charge, admitting all proper subjects 10 to 25 years of age. Besides an elementary department,
in which the classes are carefully graded, the course of instruction includes academic. art, and industrial departments. In the academic, the course has been arranged with the special idea of making it preparatory to the National Deaf-Mute College at Washington. lupils are employed $\frac{1}{2}$ hours for 6 days of the week in the shops, the house, or the farm, receiving instruction in carpentry, broom, shoe, and dress making, housework, gardening, and printing.
For statistics, see Table XVVIII of the Appendix; and for a summary, see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

EDUCATION OF THE BLINVD.
The College for the Blind, Vinton, a part of the State educational system, embraces in its literary department the common and higher branches of an English education. In its musical department, which includes all pupils who have any musical ability, the use of a number of instruments is taught; piano, harmony, and vocal culture are continued throughout the course, and training is given to those who desire to become teachers of music. The industrial department comprises cane-seating, broom and mattress making, serring, knitting, and fancy work. This department has been more than self-supporting, although the element of profit to the institution is held to be a secondary consideration.
For statistics, see Table XIX of the Appendix; and for a summary, see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## TRAINING OF THE FEEBLE-MINDED.

The Iowa Institution for Feeble-Minded Children, Glenwood, in 1884-'85 had 259 children under its care, with 50 instructors and other employés to look after them. It has succeeded in demonstrating the fact that such children can be educated to a rery considerable extent. The really good letters written to parents by many of the children, entirely unaided, would, it is said, greatly surprise many people unacquainted with the work accomplished at these institutions. Noreover, even if no intellectual improvement resulted from this training, the good habits of personal neatness, and of politeness and good manners here acquired, would many times compensate the State for the expense of sustaining the institution.

## INDUSTRIAL AND REFORMIATORY TRAINING.

The Iova Industrial School, Eldora, formerly styled the Iowa Refcrm School, had 290 boys under training during 1884-' 5 , of whom all but 20 were white, and all but 76 native-born. The institution costs about $\$ 25,000$ a year, and its earnings amount to about $\$ 4,000$. The boys work at shoemaking, tailoring, broom-making, farming. and gardening, and are taught the common school branches. Notwithstanding the fact that their former habits have been altogether unfavorable to study, many make such progress as would compare farorably with that of pupils in the best common scacols. As an evidence of this it is noted in the report for 1883 that a recently disctared inmate had been employed to teach a winter school in the county in which the industrial school is situated. About 75 per cent. of all who have been under the training of this institution become orderly and useful members of society.
The department of this institution for girls, situated at Mitchellrille, sends no infomation for 1884-'85. The training given, however, is known to embrace both ind:trial and literary branches, including the various departments of housekeepin ami needle-work, with thorough instruction in common school studies.

## EDUCATION OF ORPHANS.

No late information has been received from the Iowa Soldiers' Orphans' Home. Dr. enport.
The German and English Asylum for Orphans and Destitute Children, Andrem Jac County, reported 280 under itscare during 1884-'85. It admits children between $2: 2 \ldots$ years of age, teaches domestic work, farming, and the common school branches of knowl edge, and is sustained by voluntary contributions. Boys are sent out at 14 years of age. girls at 15. All are given an outfit of clothing, and have the privilege of returning to the home in case of sickness or when out of work.

## EDUCATIONAL CONVENTIONS.

## iowa state trachers' association.

The twenty-ninth meeting of the teachers' association, held December $22-24,1884$, was well attended, 336 teachers, representing all grades of educational work, haring been present. Papers embracing a rariety of educational topics were presented and discussed. President Seerley's inaugural address touched on moral, industrial, and prac-
tical education and teachers' institutes, urging in respect to the last subject the necessity for a uniform graded course of instruction in the institutes throughout the State, supplemented by a definite course of reading and study between the sessions. The committee appointed to consider this address reported favorably as to its suggestions, commending those relating to institutes to the careful attention of the State department of public instruction, and advising the appointment of a committee of 9 persous to arrange the proposed course of study.

Other papers read were on "Ancient and English classics," "Secondary education from a high-school standpoint," "Language culture," and three on the text-book question, which were very fully discussed, one of them advocating uniformity, another arguing against it, and a third urging the publication of text books by the State. A paper on "Voice and hearing for the deaf" urged the value of the oral method in teaching the deaf to articulate and read the lips, and further claimed that a large proportion of those believed to be entirely deaf have still some sense of hearing, which should be cultivated. There were four papers on school sanitation, the respective titles being, "The health of our girls," "The real causes of the poor health of our boys," "Ventilation of Iowa school buildings," and "Physical education."

Among the resolutions passed before adjournment was one favoring the continuance of instruction in school concerning the effects of alcoholic stimulants and of narcotics, and recommending that some such instruction be given in normal institutes.

Before the graded school section of the association were read papers on the graded school work at the Madison exhibit, the American high school-its origin, province, and scope, and teacher's meetings-iheir object and the methods of conducting them.

The county superintendents and normal departments had under consideration, among other subjects, the province of the normal school, proposed changes in the county institute system, and needed reforms in country schools.

## COUNTY SUPERINTENDENTS' CONVENTION.

This convention was held at Okoboji, July $7-13,1885$. State Superintendent Akers introduced the first topic, that of "State institutes," which was further discussed by the meeting, the prevailing sentiment being favorable to such institutes; and it was subsequently resoived that Superintendent Akers be requested to bring the matter before the State educational council at the next annual meeting of the State Teachers' Association. Mrs. L. B. Collins, of Des Moines, gave several talks on the kindergarten during the progress of the convention, showing the material used and illustrating the methods employed for the development of the child's mind. Other questions presented were "School visitation;" "Examination of country schools;" "Professional enthusiasm," including the plan of teachers' reading circles, which was unanimously indorsed; "Supplementary reading for country schools;" "State examinations of teachers;" "The new $r$ s. the old;" "What share of education justly falls to the school?" "The universal problems;" and "Teaching as a means of self-culture." The question of the new education elicited the greatest interest and brought out the finest thoughts of the convention, the drift of thought being in favor of whatever of method, principle, and personality in the teacher best tends to draw out the good qualities of the child.

## CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OFFICER.

Hon. John W. Akers, State superintendent of public instruction, Des Moincs. [Second term, January 7, 1881, to January 4, 1886.]

## FANSAS.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

|  | 1883-'84. | 1884-'85. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| POPULATION AND ATTENDANCE. |  |  |  |  |
| Youth of school age (5-21) | 411, 250 | 461, 044 | 49, 994 |  |
| Enrolled in public schools | 303, 601 | 335, 533 | 31,937 |  |
| Arerage daily attendance | 207,339 | 194,325 |  | 13, 01 |
| $P_{\text {gr }}$ cent. of enrollment to school youth. | 73.82 | 72.77 |  | 1.05 |
| Per cents of average daily attendance to school youth. | 50.41 | 42.14 |  | 8. 27 |
| Per cent. of a rerage daily attendance to enrollment. | 68. 29 | 57.91 |  | 10.38 |
| SCHOOLS. |  |  |  |  |
| Number of school districts | 6,706 | 7,142 | 436 |  |
| Number of districts reporting | 6.127 | 6,963 | 841 |  |
| Number with schools of 3 months or more. | 6, 236 | 6, 551 | 315 |  |
| Arerage school term in days |  | 116.5 |  |  |
| Number of school-houses | 6,354 | 6,568 | 214 |  |
| Number of school rooms | 7,318 | 7,914 | 596 |  |
| TEACHERS. |  |  |  |  |
| Men teaching in public schools | 2, 936 | 3, 586 | 650 |  |
| Women teaching in public schools $a_{\text {- }}$ | 4,915 | 5, 454 | 539 |  |
| Whole number of teachers $a$-- | 7,881 | 9, 040 | 1,189 |  |
| FINANCLAL STATEMENT. |  |  |  |  |
| Arerage monthly pay of men teaching. | \$40 \% | \$40 85 | \$0 15 |  |
| Average monthly pay of momen teaching. | 3285 | 3023 |  | \$2 57 |
| Whole expenditure for public schools. | 2, ¢82, 963 | 3, 388, 65.2 | 505, 689 |  |
| Talnation of public school property -- | 5,715, 582 | 6, 547,745 | 832, 163 |  |
| Public school fund apportioned | 290,554 | 328, 960 | 33, 406 |  |
| Whole invested school fund. | 1,102, 807 |  |  |  |

$a$ Three counties not reporting.
(From a special return furnished by Hon. J. H. Lawhead, State superintendent of public instruction.)

## STATE SCHOOL SISTEM.

GENERAL CONDITION.
The abore statistics show an increase during 1884-' 85 of nearly 50,000 in the school population, and of more than 30,000 in the number enrolled in public schools, although, from causes unexplained, 13,000 fewer pupils were held in average daily attendance. Nearly 73 per cent. of the school population of the State were enrolled, and a little over 42 per cent were in average attendance, while the per cent. of average attendance to the number enrolled was nearly 58 ; there was a slight decrease during the jear in the percentage of enrollment to school population, and a larger one in that of arerage attend-
ance to school youth, while the proportion of average attendance to enrollment decreased over 10 per cent.

Public schools were sustained for 3 months or more by 315 more districts than in 1883-'84, 214 more school-houses being used and 1,189 more teachers employed; the arerage pay of women, however, decreased by $\$ 2.57$ a month. The valuation of public school property increased by over $\$ 800,000$, and the whole amount expended on the schools by \$505,689.

Among the indications of educational activity in the State may be mentioned the organization during the summer of teachers' reading circles. This was effected by the teachers of the State, led by prominent educators, and assisted by the Western School Journal, which in May sent out circulars containing a plan of organization by correspondence. This was accepted, replies ${ }^{\circ}$ being received from 1,600 teachers, who then elected a State board of 5 directors. These directors immediately held a meeting to adopt a course of study and make other necessary arrangements.

## ADIIINISTRATION.

A State superintendent of public instruction, elected biennially by the people, has general supervision of educational interests. There is a State board of education for the examination of applicants ror State diplomas and certificates, and a State board of commissioners for the management and investment of the public school funds. County school affairs are in charge of superintendents elected by the people biennially. School districts have boards of 3 members, elected for three years, with annual change of 1. Women may rote at school meetings and hold school offices.

The public system embraces primary, grammar, high, and normal schools, teachers' institutes, a State agricultural college, a State university, a reform school, and schools for the deaf and blind. No sectarian teaching is allowed in any of these, and no religious sect or sects may control any part of the common school or university funds. Public schools are free to youth 5 to 21 years of age, and all youth from 8 to 14 are by law required to attend at least 12 weeks each year, unless excused by school authorities or taught elsewhere. Uniformity in text books is required. Teachers must make a report at the close of each term to the district clerk, or forfeit their last month's pay; district clerks report anuually to their county superintendents, whose reports to the State superintendent are quarterly and anuual, the State superintendent reporting to the legislature biennially.

## FINANCES.

The public schools are supported from the income of a permanent school fund, largely from United States land grants, with additions from an annual tax of 1 mill on $\$ 1$, an annual fee of $\$ 50$ from every insurance company doing business in the State, and from district taxes, which must not exceed 1 per cent. on the taxable property of the district for school-house sites, and the same for teachers' wages.

## NEW LEGISLATION.

An Act of March 4, 1885, requires that from January 1, 1886, instruction in physiology and hygiene with reference to the effects of narcotics and stimulants on the human system shall be given to all pupils in the State public schools; and that no certificate shall, after that date, be granted to any person proposing to teach in the public schools who has not passed a satisfactory examination in the elements of the above topics.

For new legislation as to school boards in cities, see below.

## SCHOOL SYSTEMS OF CITIES WITH 7,500 OR MORE INHABITANTS.

## ADMINISTRATION.

Cities of the first class, viz, those having more than 15,000 inhabitants, lave each a board of education consisting of 3 members from each ward, elected by the voters of the city for 3 years, one of the 3 being liable to change each year. In cities of the second class-that is, with from 2,000 to 15,000 inhabitants-the board of education, formerly of 2 members from each ward, is, in cities with from 10,000 to 15,000 inhabitants, under a new law of 1885 , made to consist of 6 members only, elected at large from the whole city without regard to wards, 2 of the 6 to be chosen annually for a 3 -year term. This leaves a class of cities, with from 2,000 to 10,000 inhabitants, still under the old law.

Boards in cities of the first class may elect each a superintendent of the public schools, not of their own body; those in the smaller cities must elect such a superintendent. They also appoint, in cities of the first and second class at least, examining committees to test the qualifications of persons applying for teacherships in their schools.

STATISTICS.
$1884-85$.

| Cities. | Population, cell sus of 1880 | Children Qf school age. | Enrollment in publie schools. | Average daily attendance. | Number of teachers. | Expendi- |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Atchison $a$. | 15,103 | 4.985 | 2,570 | 2,333 | 30 | Sas, |
| dawrence..... | 8,510 | a3 318 | 2,360 | 1.691 | 31 | 2-3, |
| Topeka $a . . .$. | 15, 45.2 | 7, 031 | 4, 695 | 3, 3 ¢ ${ }^{\text {bu }}$ | 33 | [1.415 |

a Statistics of 1883-’S4.
b Exclusive of amount paid for indebtedness.
Laurence reports a public school enrollment of about 70 per cent. of enumeration, a proportion considerably larger than that of the previous year. The law requiring attendance of all children 8 to 14 appears to have been strictly obsersed, since 43 more pupils between these ages were enrolled than had been enumerated by the school censu: of 1884. In fact the crowded condition of the schools made it necessary to exclude all children under 6. Nearly the entire corps of teachers employed in the schoois during the previous year was retained, a fact which may be at least partly explained br the further one that the teachers' institute, meeting semi-weekly, was very generally attended. Some changes were made in the course of study, and another year was added to it, making the whole course 11 years. Of these the primary grades occupy 5 years, and the grammar and high each 3. In this last the graduating class of 1885 included almost as many boys as girls, the tendency of late having been toward improvement in this respect.

A private kindergarten is reported, haring an enrollment of about 16 children. The total estimated enrollment in private and parochial schools was 400.

Leavenworth, whose population has increased since the last United States census to 29,199, and the assessed valuation of taxable property to over $\$ 5,000,000$, reports public school property valued at $\$ 200,000$. Publie schools were tanght 183 days during the year, a little less than 47 per cent. of the school population being enrolled, but over 82 per cent. of the number enrolled being in average daily attendance. Besides the public school enrollment, there were 1,240 children attending private and parochial schools, making a total of 4,652 under instruction.

But little information later than for 1884 has been received from either Atchison or Topeka. A kindergarten is reported from the latter, organized in 1880 and having an attendance of 63 pupils under 3 instructors.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## STATE REQUIREMENTS.

No person may teach in the Kansas public schools without a diploma or certificate from the State board of education; from a county board of examiners, of which the county superintendent is chairman; or from the examining committee of a city board of education, unless graduates of the State normal school or of the normal department of the State university. The diploma of the State board is valid throughout the State during the lifetime of the holder, unless revoked; a diploma from the State normal school has the same force. Certificates of graduation from the normal department of the university authorize the holders to teach in any part of the State, Certificates of the State board are valid for 3 or $\overline{5}$ years, according to grade. Those from county boards are good only in the county in which issued, and for a term of 2 years, 1 year, or 6 months.

As stated under "New legislation," preceding, ability to teach physiology and hygiene with reference to the effects of stimulants, narcotics, \&c., on the human system, is from January 1, 1886, required of every person proposing to teach in any of the State prblic schools, Kansas haring been the sixth State to adopt that rule.

STATE NORMAL TRAINING.
Provision is made in the State normal school, Emporia, and in the University of Kan= sas, Lawrence, for the free instruction of those who desire to prepare themselves for teaching.
The State Normal School presents 4 courses of study: 2 full courses of 4 years each, one of which is entirely English, while the other includes Latin and elementary and
academic courses of 3 years each, the former including a professional year, the latter without professional instruction. Students completing any one of the professional courses receive the diploma of the institution, which, as has been stated, is by law a life certiticate to teach in the schools of Kansas. The only charge made to students in the normal department is an incidental fee of $\$ 5$ per term of 20 weeks, and this is remitted during the professional year to those who declare that their purpose is to teach in the schools of the State. A kindergarten department forms a part of the regular work of the school, and one which is regarded as of great importance. Students may enter this department without taking any of the studies of the others, and on graduating they are granted a certificate showing the course pursued.

Although the normal department in the University of Kansas, Lawrence, has been discontinued, provision is still made for the training of such as desire to teach, a special course in didactics, under a special professor, having been arranged in connection with the collegiate department for the junior and senior years. To such as complete this course the degree of bachelor of didactics is given, if desired, instead of that of A. B. or of Sci. B. The practice teaching which forms a part of the course must cover a year of successful practice in the school room.

## OTHER NORMAI TRAINING.

Kansas Normal College, Fort Scott, offers, besides classical, scientific, and business courses of study, a teachers' course of 1 year, following a preparatory year in the case of those who have had only a district school training. The teachers' course, which prepares students to take charge of common and graded schools, aims to give a thorough knowledge of the branches to be taught and of the best methods of instruction. A class is maintained in theory and practice of teaching aud school management, the recitations being conducted by pupil teachers.

The Kansas Normal School and Business Institute, Paola, comprising normal, business, academic, and other departments, is partly sustained by the city, and gives free tuition in the training department to all of school age living in that school district. The studies of the normal department comprise, among others, mental philosophy, natural science, logic, and didactics. No definite time is required for completion of the course, but candidates for graduation must pass an examination in all the studies. Students can study where and when they please, and many of them do so while teaching. The training department comprises a thoroughly graded system of schools, and a model district school under the supervision of the principal.

Salina Normal University, Salina, first opened in 1884, and having a 4 -year course of study, reports 133 normal students during the year.

Normal departments or courses are also reported by the following collegiate institutions: Baker University, 3 years; Highland and Lane Universities, 2 years; and Ottawa University, 4 years. Graduates of the full course of the last named institution receive certificates of the highest grade, while those who complete the studies of 3 years receive second-grade certificates, those completing the studies of 2 years, third grade ones.

## TEACHERS' INSTITUTES.

A county teachers' institute must, according to law, be held each year by the superintendent of each county for a term of not less than 4 weeks; but two or more counties may unite for this purpose in sparsely settled portions of the State.

## EDUCATIONAL JOURNALS.

The Western School Journal, formerly the Educationist, published at Emporia, and the Industrialist, published weekly at Manhattan in the interest of the State Agricultural College, are the principal educational journals of the State.

## SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

## PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS.

High schools or departments are found in connection with the public school system of most of the larger cities in the State, but no general statistical information regarding them can be given for 1884-'85 Graduates of any of such high schools as may have adopted one or more of a number of courses of study approved by the regents of the State university are admitted to that institution under certain conditions without examination, and during the last year 28 such schools were approved by the regents.

## OTHER SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

For statistics of business colleges, private academic schools, and preparatory schools, see Tables IV, VI, and VII of the Appendix; and for summaries, see corresponding tables in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## COLLEGES FOR リOUN゙G MEN OR FOR BOTH SEXES.

The Unirersity of Kmsas, Lawrence, endowed by the State with 72 sections, or 46,000 acres, of land set apart by Congress in 1861 for a State university, and receiving fiom the city of Lawrence the site of Lawrence University and buildings, worth about $\$ 180,000$, besides annual appropriations from the State, gives free instruction to its students and admits both sexes on equal terms. Of the several departments contemplated in the act of incorporation there are 4 in operation, viz, departments of science, literature, and the arts, of lam, of elementary instruction, and of music. A chair of pharmacy was authorized by the legislature of 1885 , and during the same year the normal department, which had been in operation, was discontinued by the hoard of regents, a 2 -year course in didactics, ssstems of education, and practice teaching, coming in place of it. The department of science, literature, and the arts comprises 4 distinct courses, 2 scientific, a classical, aud a modern literature course, the first 2 leading to the degree of bachelor of snience, the 2 last to that of bachelor of arts. Prorision is also made for students not candidates for a degree, who wish to pursue special branches.
The other collegiate institutions are St. Benedict's College, Atchison; Baker University, Baidwin City; College of Emporia, Emporia; Fighland University, Highland; Lane Unirersity, Lecompton; Ottawa U'niversity, Ottawa; St. Mary's College, St. Mary's; and Washburn College, Topeka. All except St. Benedict's and St. Mary's admit both sezes; all present classical courses of study, and all but three, scientific courses; four report literary courses, while the same number gire instruction in business and make provision for training teachers.
The College of Emporia (Presbyterian), now in its second year, has made rapid progress. Beginning with 17 students, nearly 80 in all departments were enrolled in $1854-$ - 85 , and the work was rapidly assuming the character of that of a well-organized college. Its collegiate departments (summarized in the abore) are classical, philosophical, and literary, the second substitnting German for Greek, and the last omitting both Greek and Latin, for which German and French are substituted.
Gifts were received during 1884-' 85 by Baker University, College of Emporia, Highland University, Ottawa University, and Washburn College, amounting in all to orer $\$ 148,000$, counting that which was pledged and in process of collection. Of this amount the College of Emporia receired $\$ 35,000$ from the citr, besides 38 acres of land, and $\$ 50$,000 from the Presbyterian Synod of Kansas, the purpose being to establish a college of high rank.
For statistics of colleges and universities, see Table IX of the Appendix; and for a summary, see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SUPERIOR INSTRECTION OF WOMEN.

As already stated, 7 of the 9 collegiate institutions above noted are open to young women on thesame terms as to young men. The only institution exclusively for women is the College of the Sisters of Bethany, Topeka, sustained by the Protestant Episcopal Church. It offers a collegiate course of 3 years, besides kindergarten, primary, and preparatory departments, and is authorized by law to confer collegiate degrees. Music, rocal and instrumental, drawing, painting, elocution, French, and German all find a place in the curriculum. For statistics, see Table VIII of the Appendix; and for a summary of the same, see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION.

## SCIENTIFIC.

Instruction in the sciences is given in the University of Kansas and in 6 of the other unirersities and colleges, as well as in the State $\mathbf{A}$ gricultural College. The State unirersity, besides a general scientific and a Latin scientific course, offers to students of either of these at the beginning of the junior year special courses in natural history and physics and chemistry. It has also a 4 -year course in ciril engineering.
The State Agricultural College, Manhattan, receives both sezes, and prorides parallel courses of study for each, with such differences as their necessities seem to call for. 4 rears being required for the degree of bachelor of science. Closely adjusted to the course of study is industrial training in sereral of the arts, to which each student is required to derote at least one hour a day. Among the different lines of industry offered to the choice of students are farming, gardening, fruit growing, carpentry, cabinetmaking, iron work, printing, or telegraphy for young men; and sewing, printing, telegraphy, foriculture, or music for young women. Tuition is free, the income of about $\$ 35,000$ from the endowment meeting all expenses, and the State providing buildings.

The farm, comprising 171 acres, is valued, with stock, furniture, etc., at over $\$ 50,000$, the buildings at $\$ 100,000$.

For statistics of schools of science see Table X of the Appendix; and for a summary, see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## PROFESSIONAL.

Theological instruction was given in St. Benedict's College (Roman Catiolic) in an ecclesiastical course of 2 years, and, at last accounts, also in the Kansas Theological Sckool Topeka (Protestant Episcopal), which, hewever, sends no report for 1884-'85. A ministerial course of 2 years appeared in the catalogue of Lane University, Lecompton (United Brethren), but without note of students in it in 1883-'84.

Leanl training may be obtained in the department of law of the University of Fensas, designed to furnish a complete course of wastruction for persons intending to practice at the bar in any State of the Union. All persons entering upon the study are earnestly udvised to take first a course of liberal studies. Graduates of literary colleges are admitted without examination; others must satisfy the faculty that they possess such qualifications as will enable them to pursue the course with profit. For statistics, see Table XII of the Appendix.

The only medical school reporting from this State is the medical department of the University of Kansas, Lawrence. The course of instruction embraces 2 terms, each of 20 weeks' duration, annually, making a preparatory medical course which it is claimed is accepted by all the leading colleges of the West as equivalent to the first year of a 3 -year course.

A chair of PHARMACY has also been established by the regents of the university in accordance with a law passed at a recent session of the State Legislature.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

## EDUCATION OF THE DEAF AND DUMB.

The Kansas Instilution for the Education of the Deaf and Dumb, Olathe, sustained by the State, gives all pupils from Kansas instruction and maintenance free of charge. Pupils are received generally from 10 to 21 years of age, though children of weak constitutions are advised not to come till they are 12. The course of instruction covers 6 years; but the superintendent may extend it 2 years longer to such as he may believe would be particularly benefited by the additional training.

Instruction is given in the common English branches and in various industries, the method used being the manual or sign language and articulation combined. For statistics, see Table XVIII of the Appendix.

## EDUCATION OF THE BLIND.

The Kansas Institution for the Education of the Blind, Wyandotte, gives free instruction to its pupils, admitting all between 10 and 21 who are not incapacitated for useful instruction by physical, mental, or moral infirmity. They are taught the common and some of the higher English branches, music, vocal and instrumental, also the employments of broom and brush making, chair caning, and sewing. Several of the girls have been successfully employed in broom making and caning chairs. For statistics, see Table XIX of the Appendix.

## REFORMATORY AND INDUSTRIAL TRAINING.

The Kansas State Reform School, North Topeka, had 106 boys under training during 1884-'85, of whom 94 were white and 12 colored. They were instructed in the common English branches, including vocal music, also in farming, gardening, etc. Established in 1881 , the school has since given instruction to 219 boys, of whom only 4 white boys have failed to profit by the training received.

An industrial school for the training of Indian youth was established during the year 1884 near Lawrence. The farm, comprising 280 acres in the fertile valley of the Wakarusa, is cultivated by the Indians under the charge of a practical farmer. Industrial training is one of the principal features of the school. Pupils are required to work onehalf of each day, the boys, in addition to farming, being taught blacksmithing, shoemaking, and carpentry; the girls, all kinds of cookery, housekeeping, sewing, etc. In the school the common branches are taught, including music, which is very popular with most, and drawing, in which they show decided ability. Over 300 papils were under training during 1884-'85.

## EDUCATIONAL CONVENTIONS.

## Kansas state teachers' association.

The trenty-fifth annual session of this association, held in Topeka, December $28-30$, 1284, was one of the best attended and most interesting in its history.

Among the topics before the convention were "Secondary education in Kansas," by Prof. I. H. Canfield, of the State university, who strongly adrocated a system of county ligh schools; "The duties and methods of teachers;" "The duty of the State to ein"anrage the tine arts;" "Musical instruction in the public schools;" "Rural sekools "City schools;" "Primary schools;" "Private schools;" "State nurmal sebool:" ". Igricultural college;" and "State universitr." President Sharpe, of the hoard of regents of the State normal school, in his address on the needs of that institation. invored the concentration of funds on it, rather than the foundation of new schools, a riew which mas discussed by others, pro and con. Prof. Graham, of Baker miversity, adrocated the study of the classics as a foundation for all higher culture. His position ras indorsed by some and opposed by others, the latter including I'resident Fairchild. of the Agricultural College, who afterward gave an address on indusirial work in public schools, showing that progress in this, although slow, may be sure, provided those advocating it are judicious and willing to work with small heginnings. The last evening was deroted to fire-minute speeches, and after the reading of congratulatory dispatches from associations of other States then holding sessions, the conrention adjourned, to meet in Topeka, December 29, 1885.

The Southwestern Kansas Teachers' Association met at El Dorado, March 27, 1885, about 75 teachers being present. Among the topics discussed were "The no-recess plan," "Natural science in the public schools," "Written examinations - their importance and how conducted," and "The mission of the teacher in the nation."

The plan urged by the first-mentioned paper of having frequent rests in the schools, but no recesses with their opportunities for demoralization, was opposed by five and indorsed by one, out of the six members who engaged in the discussion.

CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OFFICER.
Hon. J. H. Lawhead, State superintendent of public instruction, Topeka.
[Term, January 12, 1885, to January 10, 1887.]

## ESNREUCKY.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

|  | 1881-'82. | 1882-'83. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| POPULATION and attendance. |  |  |  |  |
| White youth of school age (6-20) | 488, 815 | 493, 667 | 4,852 |  |
| Colored youth of school age $a$.....- | 74, 365 | 87, 655 | 13,290 |  |
| Whole number of school youth | 563, 180 | 581, 322 | 18,142 |  |
| White youth in public schools | 240, 585 | 250, 682 | 10, 097 |  |
| Colored youth in public schools | 29, 976 | 31, 832 | 1,856 |  |
| Whole enrollment in public schools-- | 270, 561 | 282, 514 | 11, 953 |  |
| Per cent. of this to youth of school age. | 48. 04 | 48.60 | . 56 |  |
| Average attendance of white pupils-- | 155, 533 | 156,742 | 1,209 |  |
| Average attendance of colored pupils | 19, 960 | 21,930 | 1,970 |  |
| SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND SCHOOLS. |  |  |  |  |
| School districts for white youth | 6,330 | 6,376 | 46 |  |
| School districts for colored youth | 843 | 854 | 11 |  |
| Whole number of school districts | 7,173 | 7, 230 | 57 |  |
| Districts with schools for white youth. | 6, 270 | 6,302 | 32 |  |
| School-houses for white youth - | 5, 749 | 6,010 | 261 |  |
| School-houses for colored youth | 482 | 536 | 54 |  |
| Average time of schools, in days | 101 | 102 | 1 |  |
| Private schools of all grades reported | 859 | 932 | 73 |  |
| teachers. |  |  |  |  |
| Men teaching in white schools | 4,014 | 3,721 |  | 293 |
| Women teaching in the same .-.--- | 2,970 | 3,287 | 317 |  |
| financial statement. |  |  |  |  |
| Average monthly pay of teachers in counties. | \$22 77 | \$23 33 | $\$ 056$ |  |
| Average monthly pay of men in cities | 11900 | 10345 |  | \$15 55 |
| Average monthly pay of women. | 4093 | 3994 |  | 999 |
| Valuation of public school property for whites: | 2, 161, 254 | 2. 140,111 |  | 21,143 |
| Total expenditure for white public schools. | 735, 076 | 700,790 |  | 34,286 |

a For 1881-'82 school age was 6-16; for 1882-'83, the same as white, 6-20.
(From statistics furnished by Hon. J. Desha Pickett, State superintendent of public instruction, for the two years indicated.)

## STATE SCHOOL SYSTEM.

general condition.
No statistics later than the above can be given from this State in the absence of any late report. A comparison of the figures for 1881-' 82 with those of 1882-' 83 shows a condition of progress in nearly all important points, and a glance over the files of the Educational Courant for 1884-' 85 indicates a continuance of this progress. Especially in the reports of county teachers' institutes held may one find evidences of continued educational vitality, some counties reporting an attendance of nearly all the teachers therein cmployed, and a number expressing the opinion that a marked advance in interest among teachers and friends of education was made apparent by these institutes.

A note from Superintendent Pickett indicates that. for white and colored alike, the

State expenditure per capita would be in 1884-' 85 increased by 15 cents over the $\$ 1.40$ of the preceding year.

## ADMINISTRATION.

A State superintendent of public instruction, elected by the people, and a board of education of which the superintendent is president, have general supervision of the educational interests of the State. There is also a board of examiners to test the qualifications of teachers for State certificates. A county superintendent is elected by the people in each county for the term of 2 years, and a board of 3 trustees in each school district for 3 years, one being changed each year. No person is eligible to the office of county superintendent unless he hold a certificate from the judge of the circuit court of the county, showing that he has been publicly examined before him, and that he is qualified to discharge the duties of the office. Schools for colored children must be kept separate from those for whites, and they are governed by colored district trustees, but are under the supervision of the State and county superintendents. Widows with children of school age may vote at elections for district school trustees. No literature of sectariau, infidel, or immoral character may be used in any public school.

## FINANCES.

Public schools are sustained from the income of a State schonl fund, and from county and district taxes levied in aid of schools, if the roters thereiu so decide. The school fund includes interest at 6 per cent. on a bond of the State for $\$ 1,327,000$; dividends on 735 shares of the capital stock of the Bank of Kentucky, representing a par value of $\$ 73.500$, owned by the State; interest at 6 per cent. on a bond issued for surplus due counties by the State; an annual State tax of 22 cents on each $\$ 100$ of taxable property; a special tax of 50 cents on each $\$ 100$ of the capital stock of certain banks in the State; and all other moneys set apart by law for public schools, including taxes, fines, and forfeitures.

## NEW LEGISLATION.

Among other amendments to the school laws, approved May 12, 1884, were those providing for 3,4 , and 5 months' schools, instead of 3 and 5 months' only, as formerly; that persons over school age may attend public schools by paying tuition, and that all officers collecting special fines, taxes, etc., shall make an annual report of the same to the State superintendent. The county was made the unit of the school system by providing for the election of county superintendents and for the levy of county taxes; the trustees of each school district were directed to adopt text-books selected from lists furnished by the State board, such books to be used for at least five years, and each county was required to supply its indigent orphan children with them free. Physiology and hygiene were added to the course of study. Half-time and third-time schools were prorided for in districts extending beyond the legal area, so as to afford the privileges of school to all. The distributable State school funt was increased from $\$ 150,000$ to $\$ 200,000$ a year, and the capitation tax on every patron of a district school was also increased. A penalty was provided for failure of trustees to perform their duties; also in case any should accept a consideration for the employment of a teacher. The State superintendent was authorized to hold 3 model State teachers' institutes annually; he also was empowered to hear appeals and construe the school laws, and required to report biennially to the legislature.

## SCHOOL SYSTEMS OF CITIES WITH 7,500 OR MORE INHABITANTS.

## ADMINISTRATION.

Each city and town which maintains a system of common schools is deemed a school district, and its affairs, as in other school districts, are under the control of boards of trustees, who also appoint city school superintendents. Some cities under special charters have boards for the examination of teachers.
statistics.
1884-'85.

| Cities. | $\begin{array}{c}\text { Popula- } \\ \text { tion, cen- } \\ \text { sus of } 1880\end{array}$ | Children of school age. | Enrollment in schools. | Average tendance. | Number of teaci- | Expenditure. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Covington. | ${ }^{29,720}$ | 10,910 | 3,926 | 2,891 | 64 | \$60, 653 |
| Louisville.. | 123, 20,738 | ${ }_{5}^{58,978}$ | 22,087 2,617 | 15,227 1,953 | 372 | 284,015 |
| Paducah a.. | 8,036 | 2,108 | 979 | ${ }^{1,79}$ | 15 | 8,387 |

## ADDITIONAL PARTICULARS.

The Corington public schools are graded as primary, grammar, intermediate, and high. The first and second have courses of 3 years each, the intermediate one of 2 years, while the high school has a classical course of 4 years and a scientific course of 3 . The superintendent observes in his report that although the percentage of the enrollment of youth of school age has improved, there is margin for improvement in this particular, as well as in the per cent. of average attendance of those enrolled. The tardiness, however, was rery rreat. Efforts have been made to gradually correct faults in methods of instruction, especially a slavish dependence on text books and the mere memorizing of lessons.

Lousisille reports a graded school system with a high, city normal, and evening schools, all taught in 33 different school buildings, valued, with other school property, at $\$ 898$,122 , including $\$ 5,257$ expended during the year for sites and buildings. Of the enrollment. 1,026 pupils were in evening schools under 23 teachers. German formed a part of the course of study, requiring the employment of 36 special teachers.
Oksisborough, closely approximating if it has not already reached the required population for notice in this connection, shows for 1884-85 a total of 1,865 school children between 6 and 20 years of age, an enrollment in public schools of 1,209 , and an arerage daily attendance of 895 . Whole number of children 6 to 13 years of age in the city, 1,170. Children of and between these ages in public schools, 933; in private schools, 142. It is said that only 1 per cent. of white children of this limit of age was out of school. A table of comparative statistics shows that in enrollment and attendance it stands abreast with several of the most advanced cities in the Western States. Instruction in German extended through all the course.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## STATE REQUIREMENTS.

Persons desiring to teach in the public schools are required to present certificates of qualification from State, county, or city boards of examination. First class certificates are for 4 years, second class for 2 years, and third class for 1 year. No certificate other than first class can be issued to the same person more than twice.

## STATE NORMAL TRAINING.

The State makes provision for the training of teachers in the normal department of the Agricultural and Mechanical College, Lexington, and in teachers' institutes. The former offers a course of normal study extending over 3 years, to which may be admitted from each representative district, free of tuition charge for one year, 4 teachers or persons preparing to teach. Normal students of this class must stand a preliminary examination in English grammar, arithmetic, and geography, and must sign an obligation to teach in the State for as long a time as they, receive tuition.

## OTHER NORMAL TRAINING.

Louisville makes provision for the training of the teachers of its public schools in a normal school connected with the public school system, which enrolled 37 pupils during the year 1884-' 85.
The Southern Normal School and Business College, Bowling Green, which receives an appropriation from the city, makes its teachers' course an especial feature, and makes use of the city graded schools as model schools. Its teachers' course is of 48 weeks.
The School of Pedagogics of South Kentucky College, Hopkinsville, presents a normal course of 2 years; the State university, Louisville, an institution for secondary instruction, sustained by the Baptist Woman's Educational Convention, has a normal department with a 4 -years course of study, to which are admitted pupils who can read and who understand the fundamental rules of arithmetic. Berea College has special normal instruction, with a view to the preparation of teachers, and gives during the spring term a course of lectures upon the theory and practice of teaching. A normal class also forms part of the course of instruction in the Kentucky Female Orphan School, Midway, an institution organized and sustained chiefly by charitable contributions.

A plan for the organization of teachers' reading circles, an important meaus for the improvement of teachers, was adopted by the State Teachers' Association at its meeting in July, 1883, as will be seen in the proceedings of that association; and during the remainder of the year a beginning was made in different parts of the State in the course of study adopted.

## TEACHERS' INSTITUTES.

Besides authorizing the organization annually of 3 model State teachers' institutes, of 3 weeks' sessions each, the law now requires that county institutes be held annually. At each session of the institutes every subject embraced in the common school course
must be brought before the institute, illastrated, and discussed, the school laws of the State read and expounded, and every feature of school organization and management considered. Teachers who have attended the full session of any one of the State teachcrs' institutes may be excused from attending their next county institate. That these institutes were generally held during 1884-' 5 is shown by the files of the Educational Courant, which contains reports of institutes for colored teachers as well as white, but n.0 statistics of either class are given.

## EDUCATIONAL JOURNALS.

The only journal from Kentucky regularly received at this office which has given general educational information is the Educational Courant, a monthly, published at Louisville, which entered its second volume June, 1855. The Herald of Education, another educational journal, appears to have been also published there in the same year.

## IECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

## PUBIIC HIGH SCHOOLS.

Full statistics cannot be given for $1884-185$ in respect to these schools, which, however, exist in all the more important cities of the State, Loaisville reporting two with an aggregate attendance of 641 pupils, and Covington one, with 152 attending.

The ninth and tenth years of the public school course of Owensborongh are passed in the post-grammar, or high school, department; in this were, in 1884-' 85,64 pupils.

OTHER SECONDARY SCHOOLS.
For statistics of business colleges and private academic schools see Tables IV and VI of the Appendix, and for a summary of them see corresponding tables in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## COLLEGES FOR YOUNG MEN OR FOR BOTH SEXES.

The following colleges and universities report for 1884 or 1885: St. Josepl's College, Bardstown; Berea College, Berea; Ogden College, Bowling Green; Center College, Danville; Eminence College, Eminence; Kentucky Military Institute, of collegiate rank, Farmdale; Gcorgetoun College, Georgetown; South Kentucky College, Hopkinsville; Kentucky University, Lexington; Kentucky Westeyan College, Millersburg; Kentucky Classical and Business College, North Middletown; Central University, Richmond; Bethel College, Russellville; and St. Dary's College, St. Mary's. About half of the above admit both sexes. All have preparatory and classical courses of study, and all, except St. Joseph's, courses which lead to the degree of bachelor of science. All include French and German in their curricula, and many also music, drawing, and painting. Nine report commercial courses, two courses in engineering, one a medical, and one a theological course, while two others give biblical instruction throughout the four collegiate years. Four report gifts received during the year amounting to nearly $\$ 45,000$, Berea College receiving from friends $\$ 12,458$; Center College, $\$ 4,500$ from subscriptions, principally to endow a chair; Central University of Kentucky, $\$ 3,000$ for endomment; and Georgetown College, $\$ 25,000$. For further statistics of colleges reporting, see Table IX of the Appendis, and for a summary see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## COLLEGIATE INSTITUTIONS FOR YOUNG WOMEN.

Besides the adrantages afforded young women in about half of the colleges and unirersities above named, reports from this State show twenty-three colleges, seminaries, and academies exclusively for them, all ofiering a collegiate course and all bat 2 of them authorized by law to confer collegiate degrees. Music forms a part of the course of study in all these institutions, German in all but 2, and French in all but 3 . For statistics see Table VIII of the Appendix, and for a summary see a corresponding tahje in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION.

## SCIENTIFIC.

The Statc College of Kcntucky, Lexington, presents preparatory, agricultural and scientific, and classical courses of study, each extending over 4 jears, besides normal and
commercial courses. Each legislative representative district may send each year, on a successful competitive examination, one student to whom tuition is free, preference being given to energetic, moral young men whose means are not large. All joung men receiving free tuition must, and all others may, pursue a course of practical instruction in mechanics and agriculture. For labor that is valuable otherwise than as a means of instruction, compensation is allowed. All young men belonging to the college who are not excused therefrom are required to belong to the department of military art and science. A new college building has been erected, containing a chapel, and lecture and recitation rooms, etc., sufficient for the accommodation of 600 students; also a dormitory with rooms for 90 .
Besides the general scientific courses offered by nearly all the colleges and universities, as above noted, Ogden College and Kentucky Military Institute have schools of ciril engineering, and departments of military science and tactics are reported by South Kentucky College and St. Mary's College. For statistics of scientific schools reporting see Table X of the Appendix, and for a summary see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## PROFESSIONAL.

Theological instruction in a 4 -years course is reported by the College of the Bible, Lexington (Disciples), a school intimately connected with the Kentucky University, althongh independent of it in administration and control; in the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, in a course of 3 to 4 years. In Preston Park Theological Geminary, Louisville, and St. Joseph's College, Bardstown (Roman Catholic), ecclesiastical instruction, with a view to church service and the priesthood, is also given. The Theological Seminary of the Presbyterian Church, Danville, formerly reporting, has been in partial suspension since 1882-' 83 , having but one professor and one student in April, 1885, though well endowed. Theological or biblical instruction is also given to some extent in Berea College. For statistics of such theological schools as report, see Table XI of the Appendix, and for a summary see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.
Law. - No report has been received from the Louisville School of Law for several years, and no other institution for legal instruction is known to exist in the State.

Medical training is given in the medical department of the University of Louisville, Kentucky School of Medicine, Louisville Medical College, and Hospital College of Medicine, all at Louisville and all following the regular school of practice. An examination for admission is required by all except the first named, where it is optional. All present a 3 -years course of medical study, including 2 terms of lectures, the latter ranging from 20 to 26 weeks in length. The whole number of matriculates during 1884-' 85 was 546 , of whom 219, or about 40 per cent., were graduated. For further statistics see Table XIII of the Appendix, and for a summary see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner, preceding.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

## EDUCATION OF THE DEAF AND DUMB.

The Kentucky Institution for the Education of Deaf-Mutes, Danville, a free school supported by the State, admits white pupils 10 to 30 years of age, of sound mind and good health. Instruction is giren in the common school branches, with physiology and natural philosophy, the sign language being the method principally employed, although articulation has been introduced. Training is also given in printing, bookbinding, carpentry, gardening, sewing, and general housework.
The question as to what is to be done for the colored deaf-mutes of the State has come up for consideration, and it has been suggested that another institution for them should be established, under the same board and the same principal, but separate and distinct.

## EDUCATION OF THE BLIND.

The Kentucky Institution for the Education of the Blind, sustained by the State, gives support and free instruction to its pupils; also clothing, in cases of destitution. The age for adnission is from 6 to 18, but persons over 18 may be receired under special conditions. The course of literary instruction is similar to that of any well endowed boarding school for pupils that can see. Special attention is paid to the cultiration of music in all who give promise of success in the art. Training is also given in chair caning, broom and mattress making, sewing by hand and machine, cutting and fitting of garments, and knitting. A kindergarten class for the younger pupils, which belongs to the course of training, has proved a very valuable aid. developing, as it does from the
very outset，the sense of touch as well as other faculties peculiarly necessary to a blind child．

## REFORMATURY AN゙D INDDUSTRIAL TRAIN゙IN゙G。

The Louiscille House of Refuge，under municipal control，receives both white and col－ ored boys and girls who need its care，and in separate departments aims to give them， with the elements of an English education，thorough training in such industries as cane seating，shoemaking，gardening，farming，sewing，laundry work，and housekeeping．No statistics for the year 1884－＇ 85 have been reccived．

Mission Industrial School，Lexington，non－sectarian and supported by voluntary con－ tributions，reports 120 girls under training during 1884－＇ 85 ，and 1,200 since the organi－ zation of the institution in $18 \% 5$.
The House of the Good Shepherd，Newport，a Roman Catholic institution，supported in part by voluntary contributions and in part by industry，reported 80 girls under instruc－ tion during the year，most of whom were orphans，who received instruction in the com－ mon branches，housework，and sewing．

## EDUCATIONAL CONTENTIONS．

## KENTUCKY STATE TEACHERS＇ASSOCIATION．

This association held its session for 1884 at Louisrille，December 29．Committees were appointed to consider and report on the following subjects：＂Federal aid；＂＂Union of teachers＇and county associations；＂，＂Normal schools；＂＂Grading and supervision of schools；＂＂Educational journalism；＂＂Moral education；＂＂Certificating teachers：＂ ＂The new education；＂＂Local taxation；＂＂Compulsory education；＂and＂Tenure of ofice．＂Some of these topics came before the association in the form of addresses and papers，as well as in the reports of committees．The report of the committee on compul－ sory education，stating the necessity for a State lay to enforce school attendance，was adopted enthusiastically without discussion；that of the committee on Federal aid，urging the necessity for a Congressional appropriation for common schools，the same to be con－ trolled by the State authorities，was likewise unanimously adopted．The association re－ solved，also，as recommended by the committee on the relation of public schools to poli－ tics，that as teachers they would hereafter gire more attention to the selection of men for office by political parties，and to their opinions on the subject of common schools．
The constitution was amended so as to provide for the election of a rice－president for each Congressional district，besides the one for the State，to constitute a board of council for the association，the district rice－presidents to be selected by the members of each Congressional district present．

Another meeting of the association was held July 2－4，1885，at Lexington．Among reports by standing committees that on the＂Limits of the proper work to be consid－ ered by the State Teachers＇Association＂was read by the chairman and ordered to be printed，as also was one from a committee on the＂New education．＂A paper on the teaching of physiology，with reference to the effects of the use of alcoholic stimulants， was read by a delegate from the W．C．T．U．After listening to a paper suggesting changes in the schools laws，the association adjourned to attend a banquet offered by the citizens．

At subsequent sessions reports were read from rarious committees，including that on ＂Defects in common schools and their remedies，＂in which were recommended amend－ ments to the school laris，proriding，among other things，that county superintendents be elected for four years，and be required to derote their whole time to their work．A committee previously appointed to draft a plan for organizing a teachers＇reading circle reported such a plan，which was adopted．It prorides that the circle shall be under the control of a committee of 3 ，to be selected by the association；the course to extend orer 3 years，at the end of which time each member that has faithfully pursued it will receive a diploma，signed by the president and board of control of the association．A paper from the committee on Federal aid，approving of the Blair bill to appropriate money in aid of education in the States in proportion to illiteracy，was read，and after some discussion was approred．

The association adjourned to meet at Catlettsburg at the call of the State Board of Education．

## OBITUARY RECORD．

## GEORGE E．BOBERTS．

Maj．G．E．Roberts，one of the oldest principals of public schools in Louisrille，died at his residence in that city，April 21， 1835. Born at Milton，Pa．，in 1803，he came to Louisville in 1856 to take charge of a school，and remained in connection with the schools
of that city or vicinity during the remainder of his life. He assisted in organizing the tirst teachers' association in Louisrille, more than 25 years ago, and this sketch is obtained in part from appreciative resolutions adopted in respect to him at a late meeting of the Educational Association of that city. Among other testimonies to his excellence it is said that at no time in his life did he fall behind in the march of thought and professional adrancement, but was ready to try all things promising improvement, bringing to their test a judgment capable of perceiving, and willing to see, merit wherever it existed.

## CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OFFICER.

Hon. J. Desia Pickett, superintendent of public instruction, Frank:fort. [Second term, September, 1883, to September, 1857.]

## LOUISIINA.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

|  | 1884. | 1885. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| POPULATION AND ATTENDANCE. |  |  |  |  |
| Youth of school age (6-18) | a 291, 049 | a 291, 049 |  |  |
| White youth in public sehools | 49, 931 | 59, 032 | 9,101 |  |
| Colored youth in public schools | 31, 093 | 40,909 | - 9,816 |  |
| Whole enrollment...... | 81,024 | 99,941 | 18,917 |  |
| Average attendance of whites | 35, 487 | 41,029 | 5, 542 |  |
| Average attendance of colored | 21,862 | 29,317 | 7,455 |  |
| Whole atverage attendance............ | 57,349 | 70,346 | 12,997 |  |
| Per cent. of attendance to enrollment. | 70.78 | 70.39 |  | .34 |
| Pupils in private schools reported.... |  | 21,746 | -......... |  |
| SCHOOLS. |  |  |  |  |
| Public schools for white pupils ...... | 1, 080 | 1,071 |  | 9 |
| Public schools for colored pupils..... | 538 | 582 | 44 |  |
| Whole number of public schools...... | 1,618 | 1,653 | 35 |  |
| Length of schools in days for whites.. | - 88 | 110 | 22 |  |
| Length of schools in days for colored.. | 93 | 108 | 15 |  |
| Private schools reported.... | 131 | 391 | 260 |  |
| TEACHERS. |  |  |  |  |
| White men teaching | 590 | 575 |  | 15 |
| White women teaching................ | 897 | 918 | 21 | ........... |
| Colored men teaching. | 362 | 419 | 57 |  |
| Colored women teaching | 154 | 208 | 54 |  |
| Whole number in public schools...... | 2,003 | 2,120 | 117 |  |
| Teachers reported in private schools.. | 139 | 771 | 63. |  |
| flyanclal statement. |  |  |  |  |
| Average monthly pay of white men teaching. | \$33 95 | \$34 82 | \$0 87 |  |
| Average ronthly pay of white women teaching. | 2945 | 3175 | 230 |  |
| Average of colored men. | 2940 | 2036 |  | \$9 04 |
| $\Lambda$ verage of colored wome | 2825 | 2750 |  | 75 |
| Expenditure for public schools ...... | 470,317 | 450, 030 |  | 20,287 |

a United States census of 1880.
(From the biennial report for the rears 1884 and 1885 of Hon. Warren Easton, State superintendent of public instruction.)

## STATE SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## GENERAL CONDITION.

The aloore figures show a large increase during the last yearin the number of pupils, both white and colored, enrolled in the public schools, and in average daily attendance therein, while a comparison of these items with the figures for $1882-83$ shows a still mere remarkable growth. The number of public schools taught also increased during 1-85, as did that of teachers for them. As for the pay of these, it does not appear whether the average for the State decreased or not, although the whole expenditure for public schools was over $\$ 20,000$ less than in 1884.

The State superintendent says the jears 1884 and 1885 were years of a great educational revival; that the people are awakening to the vital necessity of protection
against ignorance. He thinks, however, that certain changes in the school law are absolutely necessary to secure the full benefits which are expected, and which should result from the public school system. Among the amendments suggested is an increase in the minimum rate of State taxation from 6 to 7 mills on assessed valuation; one and a half mills to be set apart for the support of public schools, and one-half mill for the payment of interest on school funds, the support of the office of State superintendent, of normal schools, and tcachers' institutes. Ho thinks parish superintendents should bo appointed by the State superintendent, subject to confirmation by the Senate, insteal of being, as at present, appointed by parish boards; that the duties of parish boards should be more clearly defined; a better plan adopted for the appointment of toachers ; the teacher's tenure of office mado more secure ; and a provision adopted giving preference to graduates of the State normal school in making appointments of teachers.

ADMINISTRATION.
The State school system is administered by a State board and a State superintendent of public education. The board is composed of the governor and other State officials, with two citizens appointed by the governor for 4 years; the State superintendent, who is ex officio a member of the board, is elected by the people, also for 4 years. Parishes, answering to coumies in other States, have (except that of Orleans) each 5 to 9 directors of public schools appointed by the State board for terms of 4 years. Each parish board of directors may appoint a superintendent of public schools, who is ex officio secretary of the board, and whose salary for his double functions must not exceed $\$ 200$ annually. The parish board divides the parish into wards, or districts, and appoints for each, at its discretion, auxiliary visiting trustees, who report quarterly to the board. The State board has power to make regnlations for the government of the public schools and to select, every 4 jears, the text books used in them. The State constitution provides that women over 21 shall be eligible to any office of control or management under the school laws.

## FINANCES.

The meaus provided by the State for the support of public schools come from interest $\cdots \cdots$ a nominal State fund $(\$ 1,130,867)$ to be paid annually to each parish in proporis, $u$ to the number of youth thercin 6 to 18 years of age; from a poll tax on each voter not to exceed $\$ 1.50$ annually nor to be less than $\$ 1$; from a State tax not to exceed $1 \frac{1}{2}$ mills on $\$ 1$, aud from a local lery of 2 mills on $\$ 1$, which any parish may order.

Aid from the Peabody Fund was received during the year amounting to $\$ 1,800$, of which $\$ 1,000$ were applied to the support of teachers' institutes.

Fiom the Slater Fund there was no allowance for the year except $\$ 1,400$ for a denominational college at New Orleans.

## NEW LEGISLATION.

The Lonisiana laws of 1834, page 61, provide that, in addition to the regular woris of the session of the State Normal School, at Natchitoches, the faculty shall be required to hold at least 3 teachers' institutes every year, of not less than 2 weeks each, at different points in the State, due notice of which is to be given at least 30 days before the close of the annual session of the schools.

The course of studies in the normal school is to embrace a series of lectures on the principles of education, the art and science of teaching, modes of discipline, school management, and other branches of pedagogic science, with such iustruction in natural science, hygiene, physiology, and other useful branches of learning as the faculty, with approval of the board of administrators, may elect. The normal course may be divided into 2 years; but there is to be no preparatory department, nor admission of pupils under 18 years of age ; nor may any one be admitted who is not proficient in the ordinary branches of a common school education, or who does not express a bona fide intention to teach at least a year in the schools of Louisiana.

For suppurt and maintenance of the school $\$ 6,000$. annually is appropriated.

## CITY SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## NEW ORLEANS.

Officers. - The public schools of this city are under the control of a board of $\$ 0$ directors, of whom 8 are appointed by the State board of education, and 12 by the board of administrators of the city. $\Lambda$ city superintendent is appointed by the board of directors.

Statistics.-Population of the city (census of 1880) 216,090 ; youth of school age (6-18), 63,000 ; enrolled in public schools, 23,180 ; average daily attendance, 13,138 ; number of teachers, 379 ; total expenditure for public school purposes, $\$ 249,000$.

Additional particalars.-The 53 public schools taught during 1884, comprising 41 for white and 12 for colored children, were classed as primary, grammar, and high; to these were subscquently added a normal school and a school for deaf-mutes. To the 12 colored schools, embracing 2 primary and 10 grammar schools, may be added the Southern Unirersity, a State institation which supphes the place of a high and normal school for colored boys and girls.
The Cotton Contennial Exposition held here in 1885 had a decided influence on the schools, and a favorablc one in most respects. True, it curtailed the working period of the school year by increasing the number of holidays, and by absorbing the attention of pupils it diverted their minds from the regular routine of study; but on the other hand, the desire to display creditable work gave an impetus aud force to what was before but dull routine. Among the lessons drawn from a comparison of this work with that shown by other cities is, that sufficient attention has not been giren here to drawing, modeling, and the various minor arts of an industrial school. It was evident, too, that kindergarten instruction during the first jear of school life gives pupils a great adrantage in sach branches; and the city board of directors consequently made a beginning tnwards the establishment of kindergarten primary schools. 'Erening classes in drawing, for the benefit of mechanics and others wh. are occupied during the lar, have been sustained by Tulane University (an institution outside of the public echool system), which has given also free instruction on Saturdays to all teachers who wish to undertake the course. These classes, moreover, which have been fully attended, hare made possible the introduction of drawing into the public schools.

PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## STATE REQUIREMENTS.

No person may be employed to teach in the public schools of any parish in this State without a certificate from a special committee appointed by the parish board to examine teachers.

## STATE NORMAL TRALNING.

The Louisiana State Normal School, for the establishment of which an appropriation of $\$ 8,000$ was made by the legislature of 1884 , was located at Natchitoches, that town, with the parish, having given buildings and grounds for its use. The school was organized October 29, 1884, but,owing to various difficulties encountered, was not opened till the following fall.

As already noted, provision was made in May, 1885 , for the organization by the city school board of a normal school at New Orleans, a resolution to that effect having been made effective by the State board of education appropriating to the purpose all the accumulated rents and revenues of the State normal school property situated in New Orleans.

## OTHER NORMAL TRAINING.

The Peabody Normal Seminary, New Orleans, and the Peabody Normal School, also at New Orleans, the former for white students, the latter for colored, were, up to 1883, maintained solely by contribations from the Peabody Fund. This aid has since been discontinued, the State failing to make any appropriations for the schools or encourage them in any way. The seminary, from its organization in 1870 up to 1883 , had sent out as many as 250 well qualified teachers, most of whom have served efficiently in the public schools of the State; while the school for colored teachers had during its 6 sears' existence provided at least 40 carefully trained teachers. The value of both institutions being freely acknowledged, the board of trustees asked the legislature in 1834 for an appropriation of $\$ 3,000$ towards the support of the normal seminarr, and of $\$ 1,200$ towards the support of the normal school for colored students; but what action was taken on the perition does not appear. Still, a letter receired br the agent of the Peabodr Fund from Saperintendent Easton, and quoted in the report for $1884-35$, says that the entire State was aroused to the importance of doing more tor the common school interests, and a belief is expressed that at the next scssion of the general assembly normal and institute work will receive liberal support.
Normal training is given in Leland University, where a 3 -jears course of sinds prepares students for teaching schools of high grade; in New Orleans University: where the instruction is connected with the college course; and at Straight University, where there is an elementary course of 2 jears and a higher one of 2 ; while in Southern University lectures are given on the principles of teaching and discipline, supplemented by practical class work.

## teachers' institutes.

In the law of 1884 creating the new State normal school, provision was made, as already noted, for teachers' institutes, to be held by the State superintendent and the faculty of the school. Institates received from the Peabody Fand during 1884-' 5
$\$ 1,000$. They were held in 6 different places, continuing in session 5 days eaoh. The attendance was good, including both white and colored teachers; the discussions were earnest, and the subjects practical.

## EDUCATIONAL JOURNAL.

The Louisione Journal of Education, a monthly, edited by a former State superintendent, and pablished at Nen Orleans, is the ofticial organ of the Louisiana Educa. ional Society. It contains a large amonnt of inturmation on school matters, as well as interesting discussions on edicational topics.

## TEACHLRS' READING CIECTE.

The State superintendent notices the formation of such a circle as a new and vamable agency in the work of improving the teachers, by gettiug them to read and stucj a course that will elevate and broaden their educational ideas.

## SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

## PCELIC HIGE SCHOOLS.

No definite information can be giren regarding any of the public high schools of the State except the two in New Orleans, one for girls and one for boys, having an enrollment in 1885, respectively, of 210 and 95 , and an aggregate arerage attendance of 229 . The reports show that a high degree of prosperity attended both schools dnring the year.

OTHER SECONDARY SCHOOLS.
For statistics of business colleges and private academic schools see Tables IV and VI of the Appendix, and for summaries see corresponding tables in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

At Tulane University, New Orleans, there is a preparatory high school, which has courses of 3 rears-classical, literary, mathematical, natural science, commercial, and mechanical-with drawing, manual training, and gymnastics. No other is reported in Louisiana.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## COLIEGES FOR YOUNG MEN OR FOR BOTH SEXES.

The Lonisiana State Cniversity and Agricultural and Mechanical College, Baton Rouge, opened under its present name in 1877 , had its origin in certain grants of land made by the United States Government at different times from 1806 to 1862 . It provides literary and scientific courses of iustruction, each of 4 years, intended to give a systematic training in the most important branches of liberal and technical education. The literary course, besides mathematics and natural sciences, includes Latin, Greek, Dinglish, French, mental and moral science, history, English literature, and practical economy. The institution is governed and its financial matters controlled by a board of supervisors, 12 of whom are appointed by the gorernor and 3-the governor. State superintendent, and president of the faculty-hold their positions ex-officio. The discipline of the university is in the hands of the president; the method of the government is military. Col. Darid F. Boyd, the efficient head of the institution from 1865 to 1880 , became again its president in 1883 .

The other colleges and universities reporting are Jefferson College, St. James; St. Charles College, Grand Coteau; Centenary College of Louisiana, Jackson; with 6 others. all at New Orleaus, namely : College of the Immaculate Conception, Leland Euiversity, New Orleans University, Straight University, Tulane Eniversity of Louisiana, and Southern University. Four of the above, viz, Leland, New Orleans, Southern, and Straight Universities, admit both sexes to their regular conrses, and Tulane University has special free courses to which they are admitted. All have preparatory and classical departments; 3 add courses for the degree of bachelor of science; 3 courses in theology ; 2 in law; and 1 in medicine. Four prepare for business, and an equal number for teaching; all include French in their courses of study, and all but one German, either as an elective or required branch, while several include Spanish, music, and art.

Southern University, opened in 1883, has its college courses arranged in distinct schools; there are also an industrial and a normal department. The degrees conferred are those of bachelor of arts, bachelor of science, and bachelor of literature.

Gifts were received during 1884-'85 by Straight University from friends in Massachusetts of $\$ 1,000$ for scholarships, and by Tulane University, from Paul Tulane of Princeton, N. J., $\$ 60,000$, of which $\$ 10,000$ were for the museum and the remainder for manual training, to be applied to the education of the white youth of Louisiana.

For statistics of the above institutions see Table IX of the Appendix, and for a summary see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION OF WOMEN.

Provision for the superior instruction of young women, in addition to the opportunities offered in the above-named colleges, is made by four collegiate institutions, vi\%: Silliman Female Collegiate Institute, Clinton; Keachi College, Keachi; Mansfield Female College, Mansfield; and Minden Female College, Minden. All these aro anthorized by law to confer collegiato degrees; all present undergradarte courses of 4 years, or the equivalent of this in distinct schools; all include French, music, drawing, and painting in their courses; and all German also, except Minden, which substithtes Spanish for German. For statistics of these colleges see Table VIII of the Appendix, and for a summary see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION.

## SCIENTIFIC.

The scientific department of the State University, embracing agricultural and mechanical studies, mathematics, French, German, English history and English literature, drawing, theoretical and practical mechavics, zoology, botany, phessics. and chemistry, both general and agricultural, ains to give the liberal and practical education contemplated in the Congressional grant to the college. Being intended especially for those who expect to derote themselves to the industrial arts or to agriculture in Louisiana, it prepares them to cultivate and handle the staple crops of the State, sugar, cotton, and rice; it also gives instruction in a few of those branches of general and special culture which help to make the home of the planter or mechanic comfortable. The agricultural and mechanical courses are accomplished in 2 years, just half the time required for a degree. This is not considered a full course for mechanical or civil engineers, but one which will give a sound and thorough groundwork. It leads to the degree of graduate in mechanics.

Centenary College and New Orleans University provide general scientific courses; Southern University, in which the curriculum is arranged in distinct schools, gives the degree of B. S. ; and Tulane University, also thus organized, presents natural science and mechanical courses as 2 of the 6 schools which lead to tho degree of B. A.
For statistics of scientific schools reporting see Table $X$ of the Appendix, and for a summary see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## PROFESSIONAL.

Theology.-Theological instruction is given in Leland University (Baptist), New Orleans University (Methodist Episcopal), and Straight Univer:ity (Congregational). The course for the degree of bachelor of divinity extends over 3 rears. Those students who have not previously taken the degree of bachelor of arts are given certificates on completion of their thological studies. Straight Univessity reports that its sehool continues to be rather a theological class than a systematized department, ow pg to the lack of college graduates and of ca didates for the ministry who are wiling to spend 3 full years of study in preparation. Thus its students are largely young men already licensed as local preachers, and doing work as evangelists, who feel their need of Biblical iustruction, and come for this in the intervals of their evangelistic work.
Law.-Legal training is given in the law department of Tu'ane University of Louisiana, and in that of Straight University, the latter for colored students. Both require for gra uation a 2-years course of study, to whi h students are admitied without examination. The report of the law department of Tulane University expiesses a hope that the te den $\bar{y}$ there may be towards an early elevation of he standard. The degree of bachelor of laws granted by this school authorizes the holder to practi e law in all the courts of the Siate, and the course aims to prepare them for practice in siny of the States of the Union.

Medicine. - The Medical Department of Tulane University, New Orleans, regular school of medicine, offers and recommends a 3-years graded course of study, but required for graduation in 1884-' 85 only the ordiuary 3 jears of study, including attendance on two annual courses of lectures. No e amination was required for admission.
The former med cal departments of New Orleans and Straight Universities appear to have been discontinued, but Leland University expresses in its catalogue f r $1831-$ 85 an intention to organize such a department as soon as circumstances will admit of it.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

## - EdUCATION OF tHE dEaF aND dUMb.

The Louisiana Institution for the Deaf and Dumb, a free school supported by the Stare, gives instruction by the manual method in common school studies, the pupils being divided into four carefully graded classes. A beginning only has been made in the matter of industrial training, the great obstacle to this being a lack of room.

A printing office and the nucleus of a carpenter's shop afford opportunity to a few of the boys to learn something of these employments; while the girls are taught sewing, including fancy work and mending.
Since 1884 a class in articulation has been added and needed repairs made in the buildings.

## EDUCATION OF THE BLIND.

The Louisiana Institution for the Blind, Baton Rouge, gives its pupils instruction free of cost in the branches of a first class English education, including music, as well as in several special departments of mechanical work. The house occupied by the institution, however, cannot accommodate half the number of pupils that should be in attendance-as appears from the report for 1885 , during which jear about 30 pupils received instruction. An additional house is needed, capable of accommodating 40 pupils.

## EDUCATIONAL CONVENTIONS.

## STATE EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION.

This association, organized in 1884, met at Monroo, August 11, 1885. Its president, Hon. Warren Easton, State superintendent of public instruction, delivered an address urging the necessity for public education, saying among other things that education diminishes crime and pauperism, and that those who own propertr obtain good insurance by contributing to public school interests. An eloquent address by Governor McEnery illustrated methods of educating the joung; and one on the education of the colored race reviewed some of the writers on this subject, noted its difficulties, urged the importance to these people of moral as well as mental training; also the point that those people who were reared with them are better fitted thau any others to instruct them. Colonel Nicholson, of the State university, spoke of the objects of the State Educational Association, which, he said, includes in its membership not only teachers, but all persons interested in education, of whatever profession or avocation. Other topics presented were: "The education of girls;" "The co-education of the sexes;" "Natural history;" "Scientific temperance in common schools;" "School organization;" "Physiology and hygiene in public schools;" and "Teaching and the qualification of teachers." A paper was also read on common schools, presenting with great force points looking to improvements in the system.

## LOUISIANA EDUCATIONAL SOCIETY.

This society, organized in 1884 to advocate and promote public education in the State has, besides the efficient work noticed in the Report from this Bureau for 1883' 84 , aided in securing amentments to the school laws, in assisting to inaugurate an educational department in connection with the Cotton Centennial Exposition at New Orleans, and in arousing an interest in public education throughout the State. About 4,000 circulars and documents were forwarded to prominent gentlemen and newspapers urging the formation of auxiliary societies in the respective parishes, a number of which were organized. Plans for the establishment of a fre kindergarten were made by the ladies comprising the committec of the Socicty on Woman's Work, and only a lack of means has prevented their realization, an obstacle which it is hoped the liberality of citizens will before long remore. Various other steps have been taken in accordance with the aims of the society, some of which succeeded and others failed temporarily; amoug the latter was an effort to sccure the formation of a public library in New Orleans.

## CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OFFICER.

Hon. Warren Easton, State superintendent of public education, New Orleans.
[Term, January, 1884, to January, 1888.]

## MAINE.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY. ${ }^{1}$

|  | 1883-'84. | 1884-'05. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| population and attendance. |  |  |  |  |
| Youth of school age (4 to 21) | 213,524 | 214,121 | 597 |  |
| Number of different scholars enrolled in public schools. | 146, 345 | 145, 121 |  | 1,2.24 |
| Average daily attendance in winter.- | 100, 630 | 99, 964 |  | 666 |
| Average daily attendancein summer. | 97, 414 | 98, 992 | 1,378 |  |
| Per cent. of different scholars enrolled to enumeration. | . 69 | . 68 |  | 01 |
| Number attending free high schools . schools. | 9,757 | 9,596 |  | 161 |
| Towns baving the tornship system.. | 54 | 60 | 6 |  |
| School districts in other towns...... | 3, 865 | 3,813 |  | 52 |
| Parts of districts reported.. | 329 | 306 |  | 23 |
| Arerage school term in dajs. | 104 | 106 | 2 |  |
| Number of graded schools | 771 | 821 | 50 |  |
| Number of ungraded schools | 4, 048 | 4,011 |  | 37 |
| Whole number of schools | 4,819 | 4,832 | 13 |  |
| Public school-houses | 4,312 | 4,348 | 36 |  |
| School-houses built during the year. | 73 | 72 |  | 1 |
| School-houses in good condition..... | 3, 046 | 3, 050 | 4 |  |
| Towns having high schools ......... | 123 | 142 | 19. |  |
| teachers. |  |  |  |  |
| Men teaching (summer and winter).. | 2,088 | 2,058 |  | 30 |
| Women teaching (summer and winter). | 7,658 | 7,692 | 34 |  |
| Whole number of different teachers.. | 7,448 | 7,596 | 148 |  |
| Number having experience.. Graduates of normal schools | 6, 374 | 6, 485 | 111 | 8 |
| financial statement. |  |  |  |  |
| Arerage monthly pay of men teaching. | \$32 59 | \$32 07 |  | \$0 52 |
| Average monthly pay of women teaching. | 1628 | 1584 |  | 44 |
| Whole expenditure for public schools | 1,134,050 | 1,086, 894 |  | 47,156 |
| Value of public school property...... | 3, 045, 822 | 3, 077, 396 | \$31, 54.4 |  |
| Cost of houses built during the year. | 82, 573 | 48, 128 |  | 34, 745 |

(From the thirty-second annual report of Hon. N. A. Luce, State superintendent of common schools, for the jears indicated.)

## STATE SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## GENERAL CONDITION.

The above statistics, when compared with those of the previons year, show an improved and improving condition of the schools. The increase in school children is taken as an indication that the limit has at last been reached in the decrease in this item which has been going on for many jears. The decline in pablic school enroll-

[^61]ment is not deprecated, since its correct interpretation is found in the fact that there is a growing feeling against sending the child of four years to the ordinary public school. On the whole, the statistics of attendance are considered as showing a mose intelligent and active parental interest, compelling by its demands better teaching and better supervision, and securing by its exercise a more continuous and regular scbool attendance.
There was an increase of two days in average school term and of 1,632 in the number of meeks taught, the latter estimated to be equal to one week's schooling of $4 i, 158$ pupils. An increase of 50 in graded schools shows progress in the direction of more systematic school work, and in connection with the small increase of 13 in the Whole number of schools and the considerable decrease in ungraded ones, indicates that many small schools have been absorbed into the larger ones. There is thus at trend in the direction of the gradual strengthening of the whole system by the extinction of the unnecessary sinall schools, which are sources of waste in almost all respects.
The whole expenditure for public school purposes decreased during the year by over $\$ 47,000$; but this was chiefly from a decrease in the amount paid for new schoolhonses, anc from a more careful, efficient, and economical management of the schools in general.
Another indication of progress is found in a continuance of the decrease in men teaching and the increase in women which has been going on for four years. Taken in connection with the fact that duriug the same period the expenditures for public schools have increased, and that for the same pay a better qualified woman than man can be employed, the superintendent thinks the increased proportion of women teaching is a stronger proof of the demand for better teacbers than anything else that could be adduced. Less indicative of improvement is the increase in the number of different teachers employcd during the year, at least 2,000 changes occurring, each entailing a waste of two weeks; these changes, too, occurring generally in the ungraded rural schools, in towns still burdened by the district system, where waste can be least afiorded. A slight decrease in pay of teachers may partly account for the number of changes, and for the lack of increase in normal graduates employed. While this decrease in teachers' pay has made possible longer school terms with a smaller expenditure of money, the sacrifice, the superintendent says, was needless, as the proper direction for economy is the abolition of the needless, small, and weak schools, in which much of the people's money is wasted, thus securing larger and stronger schools, and better qualified and better paid teachers.
Eight towns abolished the district system at their last anvual meetings, and two which voted to abolish last year decided to return to the old system; so that the net gain in this direction was but six. This, the superintendent thinks, does not express the full measure of the growth of opinion in faror of the abolition of the system. He believes that the intelligent public opinion of the State is, by a large majority, strongly in favor of this reform. On the whole, the superintendent thinks, the facts show a healthy, thongh slow progress, towards greater eficiency; more economy in management of schools, improvement in their organization, a better quality of instruction, comparative increase in amount of work done in them, and more efficient supervision. There were also an extension of the system of high schools and a growing adjustment of their work to that of the common schools; an increase of atiendance on normal schools and of the numbers graduating from them; a more efficient organization of teachers' associations; increased attendance on them, and more systematic and practical work done in them. Further progress is needed, however, in these and other lines, and the superintendent urges earnest and united effort of school officers to secure the adoption of improvements, such as free text-books, the extension of free high schools, and substitution of the township for the district system.

## ADMINISTRATION.

A State superintendent of common schools, appointed by the governor and council for a term of 3 years, has charge of public school interests in the State. In each township a superintending school committee of 3 members is elected by the voters of the town, or a supervisor of schools is chosen in the same way. In every school district, at its annual meeting, a school agent is chosen, either by the town or by the district, to attend to school affiairs. Towns may raise money to provide school books for the use of pupils, or may sell the books to them at cost. Provision for free instruction in industrial drawing may be made in towns and cities for persons over 15 , either in day or evening schools. Attendance on some school at least 12 weeks each year is required of children between 9 and 15, unless they are excused by the proper school officers. The system includes graded, high, normal, and reformatory schools, and makes provision for the instruction of the deaf in the asylum at Hartford, or the Portland School for the Deaf, as parents or guardians may choose.

## FINANCES.

Pablic schools are sustained from the interest of a permanent State school fund, a tax on bauks, a 1 -mill tax on each $\$ 1$ of taxable property, and a local tax of not less than 80 cents on each inhabitant. The proceeds of all except the local tax are distributed among the towns according to the number of children in each between 4 and 21 . Failure to raise the local tax involves forfeiture of from twice to four times the amount of deficiency and also forfeiture of the town's share of the State school fund for the year.

## NEW LEGISLATION.

An Act of March 6, 1885, makes the abolition of school districts in a town (township) carry with it av abolition of all union districts that have been formed by such town in concurrence with other towns, and all districts that have been chartered by act of the legis'ature. Districts thas abolished may not ke re-established within 3 years following.
Another Act, approved Febraary 19, 1855, makes the maximum pay for deaf papils sent to the American Asylum, Hartford, Conn., $\$ 175$ a jear, aud for those sent to the Portland School for the Deaf, \$200.
An Act of 1884 , relating to temperance instraction in public schools, makes it the duty of school committees and supervisors, as the proper local school authoritics, to provide for instracting all pupils in all schools supported by public money, or under State control, in physiology and hygiene, with special reference to the effects of stimulants and narcotics on the human system. The act further prorides that no certificate shall be granted to any person to teach in the public schools of the State after July 4, 1885, who has not, by passing satisfactory examination on this point, given evidence of being properly qualified to impart the above-mentioned instruction.

## SCHOOL SYSTEMS OF CITIES WITH 7,500 OR MORE INHABITANTS.

## ADMINISTRATION.

Schools of cities and torrss are managed by a superintending school committee of 3 members who are eler ted by the people for 3 years, or by a supervisor of schools elecied in the same manner. The committee may appoint one 0 their number to examine the schools, and must make a written report annually to the town m eting as to their efficiency. Superintendents are also appointed in most of the larger cities, all except two in the following list having such.

STATISTICS.
1884.85.

| Cities, | Populatinn, census of 1880. | Children of school age. | Enrollment in public schuols. | Average daily attendance. | Number of teachers. | Espenditure. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Auburn | ¢ 556 | 3,061 | 1,414 | 1,208 | 52 | \$21,468 |
| Angusta. | 8,666 | 2,226 | 1, 2*9 | 971 | 42 | 24, 574 |
| Bangor . | 16,857 | 5, 253 | 2,943 | ............ | 89 | 38, 075 |
| Bath ${ }^{1}$... | 7,874 | 2, 8.0 | 1, 950 |  | 36 | 18, 793 |
| Biddeford | 12, 651 | 4,321 | 1, 590 | 1,186 | 44 | 23,705 |
| Lewiston ${ }^{1}$ | 19, 083 | 6, 672 | 2,789 | 1,795 | 61 | 30, 269 |
| Portland.. | 33, 810 | 11, 662 | 7,027 | 4,603 | 151 | 95, 748 |
| Rockland. | 7,599 | 2, $2 \div 7$ | 1,402 | 1,097 | 33 | 12,485 |

${ }^{1}$ Statistics for $1883-84$.
Augusta (village district) reperts satisfactory progress in the public schools, notwithstanding too many changes in the corps of teachers. This prosperity is aser bed to the fact that the people have always been ready to provide the necessary funds and to the earnest labors of director and teachers. Music was taught during the year without the aid of a special teacher, and with as satisfac ory results as formerly, when one was employed. The cuare of study comprises 10 years below the high zchocl. Gradnates of this have the opportunity of practico in the primary schools for the puypose of studfing the art and science of teaching. The report of the superrisor in renent to the suburban schools notes the great need for repars on the scholhouses and for more cfici nt supervision; and, to secure tive latter, repeats the recommendation of his predecessor that the district system bo abolished.
Bangor reports good progress made during 1884-85, notwithstanding the disadrantage of a large number of ch nges $n$ he corps of teachers. There was less inte:ruption of study than usual from sickness, and fewer cases of truancy occurred.

Among other ckanges in the course of stady during the year, the instruction in geng. raphy and in arithmetic was simplified by leaving out many unimportant details, and that in grammar in the fourth class was made entirely oral.
Portland has, in addition to primary, grammar, high, and ungraded schools, a scheol for the deaf and dumb, and a practice school, or class for the training of teachers. Penmanship, drawing, and music are taught with good results. The course of study remained about the same as during the previous year in all but the high school ; in this several changes occurred, particularly in the order in which stuciies follow each other in the course, an opportunity being thus made to introduce industrial dra wing when means shall be provided for it. The various school questions which vecupy attention at present, such as manual training in schools, the limits of school work, overcrowding, test examinations, corporal punishment, and others, have been considered by the school board. Corporal punishment in the schools is not forbidden, but its use is discouraged, and in some of the schools under teachers of rare excellence it was not found necessary during the year.
Rockland public schools increased during the year in the number of pupils enrolled, average attendance, length of term, and amount expended. Of the 25 schools in operation, 1 was a high school, 3 were grammar, 8 intermediate, 12 primary, and 1 was a mixed, or district school.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## STATE REQUUREMENTS FOR CERTIFICATES.

No person may be emplosed in the public schools without a certificate from the superintending school committee, showing, besides adequate literary qualifications, good character and suitable temper and capacity for government.
state normal training.
Three State normal schools, at Farmington, Castine, and Gorham, and a training school in "Madawaska Territory," are provided by the State for the preparation of persons desiring to teach in the public schools. The State makes annnal appropriations to the normals, and tuition in them is free to students who pledge themselves to teach in the public schools for a length of time equal to that spent in the school. The regular course of instruction, extending over 2 , jears, prepares for teiching in the common schools; an additional graduate course is ofiered by two of the normals to those desiring a preparation for higher positions. The Madawaska Training School, for the purpose of giving a preparation to teach the common schools in the French districts, is sustained a part of the year at Fort Kent and the remaining part at Grand Isle.
During $1884-85$ there were 267 pupils admitted to the schools, the largest number present during any term being 344, and 99 were graduated, au increase for the year of 57 in the whole number adinitted, and of 10 in graduates. These figures are considered Yery satisfactory, measuring not only the amount of work done, but the estimation in which that work was held. In the Madawaska Training School, taught for a term of 42 weeks- 22 at Fort Kent and 18 at Grand Isle-the attendance was the largest ever had, registering 78 women and 36 men, who were prompt and regular in attendance and earnest iu their work, accomplishing all that ought reasonably to be expected of them. The State appropriation for the year, both regular and for repairs, amounted to $\$ 21,500$, of which all but $\$ 26$ was expended, the Madaraska Training School receiving $\$ 1,300$ of the whole amount.
The tiree normal schools, the State superintendent sass, are growing in popular favor, in eficiency, aud in power for good. The outlook for their future has never been so full of promise; but, that such promise mar be fully realized, there is needed the aid which school anthorities have special facilities for giving, especially loy employing and encouraging the cmployment of their graduates.

The Portland Practice School, a part of the city school sjstem, prenares teachers for the public schools, siving a year of instruction free of tuition.
The normal department of Maine Central Institnte, Pittsfield, commenced its session
 During this time 52 different pupils were in attendance, 10 of whom completed the course and graduated in Juwe.

## TEACHERS' CONVENTIONS.

The school law provides for teachers' conventions to be held annually in each countr of the State, for improvement in the science and ort of teaching, for creativg a popular interest in the best methods of improving public schools, and for diffusing a kuomledge of these methods. By a resolution of the legislature of 1881 an appropriation was made, and for the next four jears renewed each jear, for holding these meetingw, which, from the first, so met the needs of teachers as to give promise of their becom-
ing a permanent part of the system of public instruction. This was accomplished in 1885 , when a fixed amount annually was appropriated for their support, and public school teachers were anthorized to suspend their schools for two days each sear during the sessions, without forfeiture of pay, unless otherwise directed in writing by the school officers. Twenty conventions were held during the year. That the teachers appreciated the right granted thent was evident in an exceptionally large and constant attendance, and in the interest manifested in the exercises.

As an ausiliary to these associations in the work of securing the improvement of teachers, it is proposed to organize teachers' reading circles, and preliminary steps in that direction will soon bo taken. One county, Androscoggin, inaugurated the work, 50 of its teachers having enrolled themselres as members of a reading circle.

## SECONDARY NSTRUCTION.

## PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS.

High schools were taught in 142 torms, 19 more than during 1883-' 84 , the number of terms havivg increased by 34 , and the aggregate number of weeks tanght by 230 , showing growth in the directions most to be desired, viz, the extension of their benefits into the rural towns. . There was, howerer, a small decrease in the aggregate number of pupils attending ( 9,596 ), while the arerage attendance $(8,002)$ was larger than the previous year. As the decrease in aggregate attendance was owing to the adoption of a higher standard of admission, the fact indicates improvement in the instruction giren.
The figures as to pupils in different studies show that these schools are gradually coming into more proper relations to the common schools, supplementing the work done in them by taking up only that not properly found there. The rudimentary work which belongs to the common school, but which the high school in many loculities bas had to do to some estent, is rapidly being relegated to its proper place; and this fact is shown, also, in kindred statistics of the common schools. There seems to be a process of erolution going on by which the common and high schools are mutually modifring each other, and so becoming adjusted as parts of a symmetrical whole. The superintendent thinks the time is coming when the high schools are to become as much a part of the system as the common schools, under the same compulsion that makes the latter general, but that these must first be brought into proper condition by the abolition of the district system and the improvements consequent thereon.

## OTHER SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

For statistics of business colleges, private academic schools, and schools preparing for college, see Tables IV, VI, and VII of the Appendix, and for summaries of them see corresponding tables in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## COLLEGES FOR YOUNG MEN OR FOR BOTH SEXES.

Boudoin College, Brunswick, including collegiate and medical departments, continues to offer in the former an nndergraduate classical course of study, which allows a wide range of electives in the junior and senior years, including German, Anglo-Saxon, and Sanskrit. Provision is also made for special students not candidates for a degree, and for graduate students prosecuting special studies.
Bates College, Lewiston, comprising theological and collegiate departments, and giring in the latter a 4 -sears classical course of studs leading to the degree of bachelor of arts, admits young romen on equal terms with men. There are here 10 State scholarships giving free tuition, intended to aid indigent and meritorions students, among whom preference is given to children of those who have fallen in defense of their country; also 13 free scholarships endowed by private gift, one of them being for a lady.
Colby Unircrsity, Waterville, presents a 4 -rears classical course of studr, which takes its constituents in due proportion from the old and the new ideas of education. Both sexes are admitted on equal terms. Persons of suitable attainments, not candidates for a degree, may pursue a partial course of study, but not for a less time than a jear. Students mar, if necessarr, engage in teaching during the second college term ( 8 weeks) without loss of time, provided they make up all the recular work of their classes, a special arrangement to favor those whose means are small. There are also, for the assistance of worlhe and indigent students, 69 endowed scholerships, Those incomes vary from $\$ 36$ to $\$ 60$ a jear.
Colby University receired gifts during 1884-85 amounting to 850,225 , intended for general purnoses, of which sum $\$ 50,000$ was from Gardner Colbs, esq. (deceased); Bowdoin College reports a gift of $\$ 2,000$, from William G. Means, to found a scholar-
ship, and Bates College the receipt of about $\$ 3,000$, the name of donor and purpose of gift not mentioned.

For statistics of the above colleges see Table IX of the Appendix, and for a sum. mary see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

SUPERIOR INSTRCCTION OF WOMEN.
Two institutions for the higher instruction of young women, viz, Maine Wesleyan Seminary and Female College, Kent's Hill, and St. Catherine's Hall, Augusta, are known to be in existence, although no report from either has been received for 1884-85. Coburn Classical Institute, Waterville, formerly reported unoer izie heading and included, like the others, in Table VIII, claims to be only a secondary school and will now be found in Table VI.

## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION.

## SCIENTIFIC.

The Maine State College of Agriculture and the Mechanic Arts, Orono, provides 5 full courses of study extending over 4 years, viz: in agriculture, science and literature, chemistry, civil engineering, and mechanical engineering, giving the degree of Sci. B. on the completion of the first 3, and, for the other 2, B. Civ. Eng. and B. Mech. Eng. A special point is mado to furnish opportunity for practically applying lessons learned in the class room. The farm contains 370 acres of fertile land, with great dirersity of soil, and thus well adapted to the purposes of the institution. Valuable scientific apparatus, a library of nearly 5,000 volumes, and 3 rell equipped machine shops where students are required to work and thus learn to apply the principles they have studied, are among the facilities for illustration. The terms are so arranged that the long vacation occurs in the winter season, when students, if they will, may engage in teaching, thus enabling those of small means to defray a large part of their expenses. Then, too, all taking the course in agriculture work on the farm, and for such labor compensation is given according to eficiency. The college received during 18¥4-' 85 from ex-Goreroor Abner Coburn, of Skowhegan, a gift of $\$ 100,000$ for general purposes, of which the interest only is to be used. For statistics see Table X of the Appendix, and for a summary see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## PROFESSIONAL.

Theology.-Bangor Theological Seminary (Congregational) and the theological school of Bates College (Free Baptist) are the institutions reporting theological training. Both require an examination for admission and provide courses for the degree of bachelor of divinity extending over 3 years; each term lasting, in the case of the former, 37 weeks, and in the latter, 39 . The school at Bangor has, during the 60 years of its existence, as shown by a statement mado in $18: 0$, sent out 600 graduates, besides giving a degree of preparation to 166 who studied for one or more jears without graduation. A gift of $\$ 600$ was received by this school, in 1881-85, from Lucy S . Adams, of Castine. For statistics of theological schools see Table XI of the Appendix, and for a summary see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.
Medical instructicn is given in the Medical School of Maine, Bowdoin College, the Portland School for Medical Instruction, and the Eclectic Medical College of Maine, the first two of the "regular" school of practice. The school at Bowdoin College provides the ordinary 3 -years medical course, including two annual lecture terms of 16 weeks each; the school at Portland, 2 annnal terms of 15 weeks each; the latter, however, not giving a medical degree. The eclectic school, organized in 1881, provided an adequate amount of instruction during the first years of its existence, but does not appear to be doing this now, the annual lecture term comprising only 16 weeks. For statistics see Table XIII of the Appendis, and for a summary see a correspouding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

## REFORMATORY AND INDUSTRIAL TRAINING.

The State Reform School, Portland, receives boys from 8 to 16 rears of age who need its care, giving them instruction in fundamental English brazches as well as in manners, morals, aud industries such as baking, cane-seating, carpentry, farming. fardening, house and laundry work. The mechanical department, recently orqañized, in which 24 boys were employed, had, at the date of report, already qualified thern to do excellent work in making repairs about the building. The shop is equipped to its full requirements with benches, first class carpenter's tools, eugine, ete. Reformation is the first and leading idea of the institution, and to this end all the methods of management point. Good conduct, progress in study, attention to work,
and personal neatness, are each given merits, and, upon the attainment of a certain number of these, promotions are made into a higher grade and often release obtained before the boy attains majority. During the year one boy was indentured, aud 25 were let out on leave of absence, only one of whom was sent back to the institution. Whole number under instruction, 105.
The Maine Industrial School jor Girls, Hallowell, is under the mana gement of a board of 12 trustees, including the governor, secretary of state, and state superintendent of common schools, and is supported partly by contributions and partly by State appropriations. Friendless girls, who have offended against the laws or are in danger of becoming offenders, here find a home where they are taught such useful knowledge as is adapted to their capacity, including the branches of a common school education, housework, knitting, and sering, and are thins fitted for homes in families, which are found for them. During 1 1205, 22 were sent to homes, 5 were returned to the school, 1 was marrit d, and 16 were committed, the average number present being 49. The new building provided for by the legislature of le84 was completed during the year, and at date of the report, December, 1885 , was expected to le ready for occupancy in a few weeks.

## EDCCATION OF THE DEAF AND DUMB.

No State institution is sustained for this class. but provision for their ed ecation is made either at the Hartford Asylum or at the Portland School for the Deaf, as parents may prefer.
The school at Portland, a day school belonging to the city srstem, gires instruction in all the branches pursued in schools for the hearing, the articulation method being that in use. Few changes in routine or methods occurred during $188^{\prime}-{ }^{\prime}=\mathbf{z}$, bat the progress was more satisfactory than in former jears, owing to an impruvement in the grading. There were 46 pupils in attendauce.

## EDUCATIONAL CONVENTIONS.

## STATE ASSOCIATION.

The Maine Pedagogical Society, which holds two sessions each rear, of two and three days each, is strictly professional in character, none being admitted to membership except such as are making educational work, in some of its forms, their sole or leading business, and such as have prored their fitness for it by a successful experience. It has for its purpose the consideration and discussion of all questions relating to the organization and government of schools, methods of instruction, professional standards, and the principles which should control the policy and legislation of the State in respect to education. The exercises consist of formal and carefully prepared presentations of subjects for consideration, general discussion of the subjects so presented preliminary to their reference to appropriate committees, and final discussion and decision regarding such subjects after reports from committees.
The second meeting of 1884 , held at Portland, October $16-18$, is reported as the largest and most profitable in the history of the organization. The annual address of the president, following one of welcome from the mayor of Portland, took grounds against the introduction into the schools of too many studies and of such as are not adapted to the capacity of pupils, an excessive amount of system at the expense of the teacher's individuality, a tendency to impose too mach responsibility on the school, making it take the place of parents, church, and society, and also against the sentimentality that would compel a teacher to wear out life in endeavoring by moral suasion to control scholars whose home life has destroyed the feelings to which appeal must be made in such an effort. Among other topics presented in addresses were: "Teaching history,"," Professional reading for teachers," "Natural science as a common school study," "A conrse of study for ungraded schools," "Symmetry of derelopment," and "Ranking and examination as inducements to study, as grounds of promotion in classes, and as honors at graduation." The last elicited a discussion in which various opinions, pro and con, were expressed. The paper on "Natural science as a common school study" was also considerably discassed, and before adjournment the committee on that topic was directed to take into consideration the formation of a plan for organizing in each town a circle of science for the study of mineralogy, geology, etc., and to form these local circles into a State circle. It resolved, too, that appropriate instruction as to the physiological effects of alcohol on the human system should be giren in a! the public schools of the State.
The next meeting of the association was held at Bangor, May 14-16, 1885. The first address, by Mrs. Mary H. Hunt, was on "Scientific temperance," and before adjournment a special committee was appointed to see what aims, methods, and means should be adopted to carry out the new State laws on temperance instruction. A paper on "The Agassiz Association in relation to schools" gave a brief history of the origin and growth of this association, which now has 800 chapters, and members
numbered by thousands. A talk on geography was given by Superintendent B. P. Snow, of the Biddeford schools, who illustrated his remarks by means of maps and charts and all the apparatus which is used in schools to aid in this study, urging the advantage of engaging the pupil's imagination in it, also the great importance of map-drawing. A paper on the same subject, prepared by Mr. W. C. Waterville, followed, in which the general line of thought was similar to that which had preceded. Other papers read were on "Mineralogy," "Moral instruction obligatory," "The uses of the imagination in teaching," "The education demanded by modern busiuess methods," and "Ancient history."

CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OEFICER.
Hon. N. A. Luce, State superintendent of common schools, Augusta. [Second fall term, February 6, 1883, to Febraary 6, 1886.]

MARTLAND.
STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

|  | 1883-'84. | 1884-85. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| POPULATION AND ATTENDANCE. |  |  |  |  |
| Youth of school age (6-21). | 319, 201 | 319, 201 |  |  |
| Attending public schools............... | 170,393 | 176, 393 | 6, 000 |  |
| Average daily attendance | 86, 486 | 92,963 | 6,477 |  |
| Colored pupils enrolled................ | 31, 327 | 32,690 | 1,363 |  |
| Colored average attendance | 12,574 | 14,392 | 1,818 |  |
| Per cent. of school jouth enrolled | 53.38 | 55.26 | 1.88 |  |
| Per cent. in average attendance...... | $\stackrel{6}{6} .09$ | 29.12 | 2.03 |  |
| Per cent. of average attendance to enrollment. | 50.75 | 52.70 | 1.95 |  |
| SCHOOLS. |  |  |  |  |
| Public schools reported................ | 2,097 | 2,090 |  | 7 |
| Public schools foi colored pupils..... | 415 | 422 | 7 |  |
| Average school term in dajs .......... | 182 | 198 | 16 |  |
| TEACHERS. |  |  |  |  |
| Men teaching in public schools |  | 1,178 |  |  |
| Womeu teaching in public schools |  | 2,240 |  |  |
| Wbole number of teachers............. | 3, 353 | 3,418 | 65 |  |
| Number in colored schools............ | 536 | 549 | 13 |  |
| FINANCIAL STATEMENT. |  |  |  |  |
| Average monthly pay of teachers..... | $a \$ 4000$ | \$41 33 | \$133 |  |
| Amount paid teachers ................. | 1, 245, 684 | 1, 277, 887 | 32, 203 |  |
| Whole expenditure for public schools.. | 1, 720, 264 | 1,745, 258 | 24,994 | ..-........ |
| Estimated value of school property... Amount of available school fund .... |  | 3,000,000 |  |  |
| Amount of available school fund ..... | 906, 229 | 906, 229 |  |  |

ん In 1882-'83.
(From reports and returns of Hon. M. A. Newell, State superintendent of public instruction, for the 2 years indicated.)

## STATE SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## GENERAL CONDITION.

The report of the State board of education, through its secretary, presents a decrease $0{ }^{3} 7$ in public schools reported, but in all else a fair advance, viz, of 6,000 in pupils enrulled, of 6,477 in average attendance, of 16 days in average school term, of 65 in teachers employed, of $\$ 32,203$ in the amount paid teachers, and of ${ }^{1} \$ 24,994$ in the expenditure for all school purposes.
Excluding the schools of Baltimore, there is shown, in a table of the State repnrt, an increase from 1875 to 1885 of 248 in schonls, of 23,020 in enrolled pupils, of 14,405 in arerage daily attendance, of 471 in teachers, and of $\$ 93,153$ in expenditure for schools.
For the 20 years that elapsed from 1865, when the State schools were first regularly organized, to 1885, when the present State report was made, Superintendent Newell says the progress has been steady, but not rapid. There was need of time for them to take root in the affections of the people before there could be much upward growth. And the caution which dictated this time-taking has not been since lost sight of.

[^62]For more than twelve years no changes have been made in the organic law. Inconveniences from such fixity of legal statutes have been obviated by giving the State board of education permission to enact by-laws for administration of the system, provided that they should not be at variance with the school law. Changes which experience has shown the need of are now proposed, and probably will be, ere long, accomplished.

## ADMINISTRATION.

There is a State board of education, consisting of the governor and 4 persons ap: pointed by him, with the principal of the State normal school, who is secretary and executive officer of the board, and ex officio State superintendent of public instraction. County school affairs are managed by boards of school commissioners of 3 to 5 members, appointed for two years by the judges of the circuit courts; district atairs, except the full licensing of teachers, by boards of 3 trustees chosen by the commissioners.
Public schools are free to all white children of 6 to 21 years, resident in the districts where they are held, and to colored children of 6 to 20 years. Schools for the two races must be separate. In every district there must be estajlished one school or more, according to population, for white youth, and in each district where the average attendiance is not less than 15 there must be one for colored youth, the latter under the direction of a special board of trustees, but subject to the same laws and furnishing instruction in the same branches as the schools for white children. The schools must be taught for 10 months each year, if possible. The system includes high schools, teachers' institutes, and a State normal school.

## SCHOOL FINANCES.

The income for the support of public schools is derived from a State tax of 10 cents on each $\$ 100$ of taxable property, levied annually, and the proceeds of real and personal estate granted for the use of any county or school district, such grants to be exempt from all State and county taxes.

## NEW LEGISLATION.

The only apparent legislative act of 1884-85 looking to educational improvement is the incorporation of the noble library presented by Mr. Enoch Pratt to the city of Baltimore, as a means of improving the intellectual advantages of its people, and entowed by him with $\$ 1,145,833$. This incorporation insures to the library an income of $\$ 50,000$ annually from the city, which becomes the trustee of the larger part of the endowment fund, and guarantees to pay this interest. By means of a central building for the more important works and 4 branch libraries in other portions of the city, the 32,000 books already on the shelves and the continuous additions to them still to come will meet the reading tastes of multitudes of people, and diffuse widely through the city a literary atmosphere.

## CITY SCHOOL SYSTEM OF BALTIMORE

## ADMINISTRATION.

The schools of Baltimore are controlled by a board of 20 school commissioners appointed by the city conncil for 4 years, 5 going out each year. The board appoints a superintendent of public instruction for the city, who serves 4 years, devoting his whole time to the work. There is also an assistant superintendent.

## statistics.

Population of city, 332,313 ; youth of legal school age ( $6-21$ ), 86,961 , by school census of 1879 , the last taken; pupils in school during the year 1885, 52,970 ; average daily attendance, 34,217 ; number of teachers, 930 ; total expenditure for public sehools, $\$ 727,995$. Of 131 schools under the charge of the board, 10 were evening schools, 6 of these for white pupils and 4 for colored; 97 were primary and grammar day schools for white children, and 15 were for colored. There were also 5 public Finglish-German schools, a manual training school, 2 high schools for girls, and the Baltimore City College for boys and young men. The enrollment in day schools $(39,888)$ increased during the jear by 1,210 , and the average daily attendance by 1,218 ; but the number of pupils attending evening schools ( 1,310 ) was not so great, aud the attendance not so regular as had been expected. In fact, Superintendent Wise says, the usefulness of these schools has been injured by the presence of a class of persons who attend for amusement, absorbing the attention and time of teachers, in the effort to preserve discipline, to the detriment of bona fide pupils. In view of this, the superintendent recommends the adoption of a plan similar to that follored In some cities and towns elsewhere, requiring of applicants for admission to these schools the deposit of a small entrance fee as a guarantee of their intention to attend regularly and to behave properly, the fee to be returned, on leaving school, to those

Who have complied with the conditions. Of 69 buildings occupied by the schools, 61 were owned by the city and 8 were rented, the estimated value of those owned being $\$ 1,200,000$. Liberal appropriations were made during the year for the erection of 4 new buildings and for the repair of old ones, leaving, however, much more to be done in order to satisfy the urgent demand for better accommodations.
The plan of instruction in the primary and grammar schools bas been changed and the grades rearranged, giving 3 in the primary departments and 5 in the grammar. each requiring a fear for completion. Examinations for promotion will be annual, but principals will be authorized to advance during the year any pupil who mas show exceptional intelligence. Geometry, physics, physiology, and hygiene havie been added to the studies in the eighth grade of the grammar schools, in response th frequent requests of parents who wish their children to receive such instruction rithont the necessity of entering the city college. The aim has been in this rearrangement of the course to teach all the subjects more thoroughly and practicall:The amount of work to be doue by each grade, instead of being limited to certain pages of the text-book, is topically announced, and an understanding of the subject in its most important bearings secured, rather than the memorizing of the text. The use of supplementary reading matter has enabled teachers to improve their classes very much in reading, and has also assisted greatly in the cultivation of a taste for good books.

Music and drawing are recognized as important branches in the course of study. The supervisor of drawing reports satisfactory progress in this branch made in all the schools. The early prejudice against teaching music in the schools has yielded to a more enlightened judgment of its value. Music is now regarded as useful not only for its own sake, but also for its assistance in discipline and in the cultivation of the æsthetic nature of teachers and pupils.
The discipline of the schools was good, and this was generally secured through moral suasion. Corporal punishment is still permitted, bat the power to inflict it is restricted to principals of schools, who must make a bi-weekly report to the superintendent of all cases and their causes. A great change has taken place daring the past 10 years in the use of this means of discipline-one, too, which induces the hope that it may be entirely dispensed with at an early period.

Success in proportion to the facilities afforded has attended the work of the Manual Training School, established about two years ago as a part of the public school system. Notwithstanding a share of opposition, which new experiments often have to enconnter, it has accomplished good results and has secured the public confidence. For further particulars in regard to this school see "Special instruction," farther on.

## HALF-TIME SCHOOLS AND KINDERGÄRTEN.

The day and evening schools, the superintendent says, do not afford all the necessary opportunities for the instruction of the foung in a city like Baltimore. There is a class of children ranging from 6 to 12 who cannot attend more than two and a half or three hours each day, their services being needed by their parents. For this class he thinks there should be half-day schools, and for younger children of the same class free kindergärten. The assistant superintendent says that the crying need of elementary education can be met by the establishment of kindergarten, and suggests the use of the basements of churches for free kindergärten for the poor, thinking the church could do no better work for humanity than to gather the little ones in from the streets and tenement houses, give them training in Froebel's beautiful system of harnonions development, and even clothing and food when necessary. Such a plan would, it is not doubted, lessen crime, decrease taxes, and advance civilization.

Reports have been received from 5 kindergärten in the city, having an aggregate attendance of 168 prpils. One of these was a free school, sustained by the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, with 55 children enrolled; another, with 60 pupils, belonged to Saint Vincent's Orphan Asylum.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## state requtrements.

Persons desiring to teach in the public schools must have certificates of qualification from the examiners of the counties in which they propose to teach, or trom the state board of edncation or the principal of the State normal school. If at the end of 6 months the examiner is satisfied of the teacher's fitness to govern and impart instruction, he may issue a certificate for 3 years. Certificates of the first class may be renewed with or without examination; but teachers with second-class certificates must be re-examined at the end of 3 years. Graduates of State normal schools and holders of first-class certificates or college diplomas, who have had 7 years' experience in teaching ( 5 of them in the State), may apply to the board of education for a certif. cate which is good for life, unless annulled for canse.

## STATE NORMIAL TRAINLNG.

The Maryland State Normal School, Baltimore, receiving an annual appropriation of $\$ 10,500$ from the State, gives instruction free of charge to 200 students, or 2 for each representative in the general assembly, candidates for these free scholarships to be selected by the county boards of school commissioners and the Baltimore city board of commissioners. The course of study extends over 3 years, but students who come well prepared may graduate in less time. To give professional training to those who intend to become teachers is the main object of the school, and all departments of study are considered as a means to this end, although the course is mell adapted to those who merely wish to obtain a thorough and liberal education. An academic or model school, comprising all the grades from primary to high, is connected with the normal. The enrollment for $1884-85$ was the largest since the organization of the school, including 267 young women and 17 young men under 12 instructors. Average enrollment about 250 .
The Baltimore Normal School for the Education of Colored Teachers, aided by the State to the amount of $\$ 2,000$, prepares its pupils for teaching in the public schools, providing a 4 -years course of study, in which were engaged in 1884-'85 about 30 normal students, out of 106 in all, a large majority being in the preparatory department. The school is reported to be doing good service, and commands the approbation of its patrons; among the seniors are several who give promise of becoming good teachers. It is difficult, however, to keep many of the most promising as long at school as they ought to stay, since fer inducements are offered them to go out into the State as teachers and there is no place for them in the city schools.

## OTHER NORMAL INSTRUCTION.

Centenary Biblical Institute, Baltimore, a theological school of the Methodist Episcopal Church, also offers a 3 -jears normal course, as well as a classical, to which both sexes are admitted. Normal students in 1884-'と5, 130.
St. Catharine Normal Institute, Baltimore, a Roman Catholic institution, reports students for le84-'85. The Theresianum, Govanstown, also a Roman Catholic institution for the training of teachers, reported students attending in 1883-'84.
Baltimore Female College offers instruction in a normal or teachers' class to young women who desire to qualify themselves for teachers.
Pedagogical instruction forms a part of one of the undergraduate courses at Johns Hopkins University. Lectures are given on the history of education, including the ancient and modern theories, the derelopment of ancient and modern school systems, learned societies, technical schools, methods in each department, school legislation in different countries, etc.

## TEACHERS' LNSTITUTES AND ASSOCLATIONS.

The law requires a teachers' institute to be held in each county ouce a year, to continue in session 5 days, the county examiner to be present and to give normal instruction each day to the teachers. These institutes are designed to be temporary normal schools; they are to be presided over by the principal or one of the professors of the State Normal School, if either of them can be present, assisted by the county examiner and any member of the board of county school commissioners who may attend.
District, county and State teachers' associations are recommended by the school law as important means of elevating the standard of public education, by mutual conference, interchange of views, and suggestions as to systems of teaching and discipline.
The State report gives no general statistics as to attendance on either of these means for the inprovement of teachers; it appears from the county reports included therein that in many counties both classes of meetings are depended on to accomplish this end. Dorchester County relies on them as a means of keeping alive the interest of teachers and of giving them instruction, and finds the good results justify their continuance and extension. In Kent County the regular quarterly meetings of the teachers' association have not been neglected during the past 10 jears, and these meetings have rendered the annual institute less necessary. Five meetings were held in 1884-'85. Montgomery County reports these quarterly meetings " a material benefit"; and Baltimore County, that they do more good than the annual institutes. The teachers' association in Talbot County has established a library of pedagogical works, and has secured a number of duplicates of the best books on methods of teaching and school management.

## SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

## PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS.

While the exact number of public high schools is not given in the State superintendent's report, it appears that some of the branches belonging to such a course of study are taught in all the counties of the State. In Washington County, where there was nominally only one high school, the grammar departments of nearly all the graded
scbools were doing high-school work; and in Kent Countr, which reported no high school, a course of study equal to that recommended for such schools by the State board was pursued in several of the graded schools. Throughont the State, exclusive of Baltimore City, there were 1,266 pupils studying bookkeeping; 2,563, algebra; 2.148. philosophy; 1,247, geometry; 5,550, drawing; 2,355, physiology ; 492, Latin; 17, Greek; 80, Frencl ; and 67, German. In Somerset County, reporting 5 high schools with an aggregate attendance of 895 pupils, classical training was "on the rane," as a result of the tendency toward that which is "practical," and the superintendent suggests the advisability of insisting upon a regular classical course. The 2 high schools for girls in Baltimore enrolled 1,127 pupils. Baltimore City College, having a course of 5 sears and a faculty of 15 , stands as the city high school for boys, although including mucb collegiate work, and reports 630 pupils, making a total of 1,757 under instruction.

## oteer secondary schools.

State aid was given during the year to 16 academies and other institutions for secondary instruction, ranging in amount from $\$ 100$ to $\$ 2,600$, and amounting in all to \$11,8u0. Five of these schools taught Greek, 14 Latin, 9 French, and 6 German; 1,167 students were enrolled and 45 teachers employed.
For full statistics of these and other academic schools reporting, see Table VI of the Appendix; for business colleges see Table IV; and for summaries see corresponding tables in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## COLLEGES FOR YOUNG MEN OR FOR BOTH SEXES.

Johns Hopkins University, with collegiate, university, and graduate departments, reports a sear of quiet and satisfactory work, without any fundamental changes in methods or buildings.
For the degree of bachelor of arts seven parallel courses of study are arranged, all of which include, though in varying proportious, the stady of language and literature, mathematics and other exact sciences, and historical and moral science. These are (1) the ordinary classical collegiate course ; (2) the mathenatical-phssical; (3) chemical biological, adapted to those, among others, who are looking towards the medical profession; (4) physical-chemical; (5) Latin-msthematical, which dispenses with prolonged attention to Greek; (6) historical-political, furnishing a basis for the subsequent study of law; and (7) modern language, in which English, French, German, and sometimes other moderu languages take the place of Latin and Greek. Adranced and graduate students are received, with or without reference to their being candidates for a degree, and attend such lectures and exercises as ther may select. Such instruction is giren in the different departments by methods which vary with the nature of the subject and the character and proficiency of the scholars, but in all alike the aim is to encourage the student to become an independent and original inrestigator, as well as to make him familiar with results attained elsewhere, and to add to his intellectual culture. The system of fellowships secures the presence of 20 special students imbued with the uni yersity spirit. Seminaries limited to a few adranced students hare been organized in various subjects; societies devoted to philology, to mathematical, physical, and natural science, metaphysics, history and political science, and to archæology, afford opportunities for the presentation of nemoirs and original communications. There are also clubs for the reading and discussion of papers on special topics, courses of lectures by professors on topics to which ther have given special attention, while easily accessible libraries and a well-supplied reading room are among other facilities aftorded.
Of 290 students enrolled during 1584-85, 174 were graduates from 95 different colleges and universities; 69 were collegiate students, candidates for the degree of bachelor of arts; and 47 were special students not candidates for a degree. Of the whole attendance, 130 were residents of Maryland, 145 were from 32 other States of the Union, and 15 from foreign countries. Nine were admitted to the degree of A. B., 13 to that of Pb . D.
Nine other colleges report from this State, viz: St. John's College, Annapolis; Frederick College, Frederick; Westeru Maryland College, Westminster; Washington College, Chestertown; Loyola College, Baltimore; Rock Hill and St. Charles Colleges, both at Ellicott City; Mount St. Mary's College, Emmitsburg; and New Windsor College, New Windsor. Four of these receive aid annually from the State, through which they are enabled to offer a limited number of free scholarships. Only two are open to both sexes. No changes are reported as having been made during the year in the courses of study of any of the above. All have preparatory and classical courses, While 3 add scientific and 4 commercial; Mount St. Mary's adds an ecclesiastical, and St. John's a graduate course. French is included in the curricula of all except Frederick, while all but two offer instruction in German.

Superintendent Newell says the impulse which has sustained and carried forward the public schools during the last ten years has not extended to the colleges. The four receiving the State aid (including the Agricultural College) enrolled 363 stndents in 1875 , and in 1885 only 255 . This decline is ascribed to the fact that the amount of aid received by them from the State is only about half what it was ten years ago.
St. John's College, Annapolis, with 6 professors, reporting 85 stadents during the year-of whom 26 were given free tuition and board, and 16 others free tuition-received $\$ 8,200$ from the State. A few years ago the amount allowed the college was $\$ 25,000$ a year. State Superintendent Newell holds that no institntion can flourish under such vicissitudes; while without any State aid, it might adapt itself to adrerse circumstances, or with moderate assistance, given regularly and uniformly, might prosper. He therefore urges that the oldest of the educational institutions of the State may receive such an appropriation for its support as will bring it into line as one of the factors of the public school system and make it a connecting link between the high schools and the university.

Tashington College, Chestertown, with 3 professors, gave tuition, board, books, etc., free, to 15 out of her 29 students, as well as free tuition to 5 ; there were 4 grad uates. The character and tone of the students are inproving, and the management of the institution is in all respects satisfactory to the Visitors.

Western Maryland College, the only one of the incorporated colleges receiving State aid which admits persons of either sex, gave instruction during the year to 74 men and 52 wousen ; gave free tuition to 12 students, and to 26 others free tuition, board, and books, receiving for this parpose $\$ 5,200$ annuelly. The college also receives $\$ 1,090$ a jear as part of the academic donation of the county.

For other statistics of colleges reporting, see Table IX of the Appendix, and for a summary see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

For Baltimore City College, see the heading "City school ssstem of Baltimore."

## COLLEGES FOR WOMEN.

The institutions for the superior instruction of yonng women reporting for 1884-'85 are: Baltimore Academy of the Visitation; Baltimore Female College: Cambridge Female Seminary, Cambridge; and Lutherville Female Seminary, Lutherrille. All except one are authorized by law to confer collegiate degrees. Two of the above are non-sectatian in their control, while the first named is Roman Catholic and the last Lutheran. All include in their curricula, besides other collegiate studies, music, drawing, painting, French, and German, the last adding to this Italian and Spanish. Burkittsville Female Seminary and the Misses Norris' School, formerly reporting, have beed closed.
For full statistics see Table VIII of the Appendix, and for a summary see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION.

## SCIENTIFIC.

The chief institutions for scientific training in this State are the Maryland Agricultural and Mechanical College, the United States Naval Academr, and Johns Hopkins University. General scientific courses of study are, as formerly, given in St. John's, Rock Hill, and Frederick Colleges. The Maryland Military Academr, Oxford, combines a system of military and naval instrnction with sundies ordinarily pursued in academies and colleges, including the natural sciences.

The Maryland Agricultural College, near College Station, Prince George's County, offers a course of study embracing agriculture (scientific and practical), civil engineering and physics, English literature, mental and moral science and history, mathematics, chemistry, ancient and modern languages, with military science and tactics. The college farm contains 206 acres of land, varying in quality and condition, and thas affording good opportunity for experiments. Students who do not wish to become farmers may omit practical agriculture, and take the ordinary classical and scientific course. By the charter of the college, instruction must be given also in the mechanic arts, and it is the intention to develop technical education as far as possible. The institution receives $\$ 7,000$ annually from the United States land scrip fund, but no other appropriation. The State, although owner of one-half interest in the valuable property of the college, has contributed nothing to its support for several vears. The number of students in 1884-'85 was 45.
The United States Naval Academy, besides affording careful training in the higher English studies usually found in a collegiate course, in modern languages, seamanship, shipbuilding, and brauches peculiar to the profession of naval warfare, includes such scientific studies as chemistry, electricity, surveying, applied mechanics, and steam-engineering, special attention being given throughont the course to free-hand and mechanical drawing. The number of cadets admitted is one for every member and delegate of the House of Representatives, one for the District of Columbia, and

10 at large, the latter being nominated by the President of the United States. The course of instrnction comprises 4 years at the Academy and 2 at sea.
Johns Hoplins Chiversity affords the highest facilities for scientific studf, both elementars and adranced. The 3 midergraduate courses previously noted, viz, the mathenatical-physical, which mects the wants of those whose purposed vocation requires mathenatical discipline, the plirsical-chemical, and the chemical-biological. Adranced work in physics, chemistry, and biologr, given chiefly by means of lecture and laborators practice, includes thermodynamics, heat-condnction, physical ontics. electricits. magnetism, animal physiologr, animal histologr, animal morphologr. and plysiological psychologr. The student in any of these fielld is aider by completely equippeit laboratories and well selected libraries. Those in biology have a journai clnb, in which all the articles of importance published on their topic are digested: also a naturalists' field club, the latter admitting to membership others besides members of the universits. A building for a new phrsical laberatory, to be completed September 1,1856 , is expected to furnish much needed relief in this department, a relief that other departments also stand much in need of by the rapid increase of students in them. For statistics see Table X of the Appendix, and for a summary a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## professional.

Theological training is given in the Theological Seminarr of St. Sulpice and St. Mary's University, Baltimore; Mount St. Mary's Ecclesiastical Seminarr, Emmitsburg; the Scholasticate of the Congregation of the Most Holr Pedeemer, Ilchester: Westminster Theological Seminary, Westminster; and Centenary Biblical Institute. Baltimore. The three first named are Roman Catholic institntions, haring courses of study extending over 4,5 , and 6 years, that at Ilchester bearing the nature of a private school rather than a seminary. The seminary at Testminster (Methodist Protestant) has a theological course of three years; that at Baltimore, a Methodist Episcopal institution with a 3 -rears course of studr, is for colored students. For statistics see Table XI of the Appendix, and for a summary see the report of the Commissioner preceding.
Law.-The only institution in this State reporting instruction in law is the Law School of the University of Maryland, Baltimore. This provides a 3 -years graded course of stud5, which students are advised to follow, but those who cannot do this are allowed to go through the prescribed work in less time, provided they are able to pass the required examinations at the close and comply with the other requirements for graduation. A new building was completed for this school in 1834, and on February 29th was formally opened with interesting ceremonies. For statistics see Table XIII of the Appendix.
Medicine.-Fire medical institutions, all at Baltimere, and belonging to the "regular" school of practice, report for 1884-85 as follows: School of Medicine of the Unirersity of Maryland, College of Phrsicians and Surgeons, Toman's Medical College of Baltimore, Baltimore Medical College, and Baltimore University School of Medicine. The last two mere both reported in $1=83-84$ as Baltimore Medical College, but in 1885 one procured a charter under the nane of Baltimore University School of Medicine. All but the last two named schools provide a 3 -rears graded conrse of study, but only require for graduat on the common medical course of 3 years of study, including attendance on tro lecture terms, except that in the Toman's Medical College, whose lecture course is graded. Besides the abore a preliminary course of training for soung men who propose to pursue the stady of medicine is giren at Jouns Hopdins University, the principal elements of the course being physics, chemistry, and biologt, with Latin, German, French, and English.
The whole number of matriculates in the 5 medical schools was 675 during 13ミ4-85, of whom 24\&, or nearly 3 per cent., were graduated. For further statistics see Table XIII of the Appendix, and for a summary see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

## edtcation of the deaf and demb and tee blind.

The Maryland School for the Deaf and Dumb, Frederick Citr, maintains andinstructs, withont charge, all pupils of this class of 9 to 21 Jears, whose parents are residents of the State, and who are not disqualified by infirmities. Instruction is giren by the combined method, which the management considers, from experience in this sehool, to be decidedly better than either of the others alone. From the last biennial report, October $1,18<3$, it appears that an additional teacher in articulation had been emplosen, and increased success was expected in this department, where "some very successful talkers and lip-readers" had already been trained. Besides the English branches, pupils are instructed in cabinet-making, shoemaking, printing, sewing, acid general houserork.

There were 121 pupils in the school at date of the last report received by Secretary Newell, and he says that a careful investigation showed that there were 25 other deaf mutes who ought to have been sent there. The institution can accommodate 200. The whole attendance for 1884-'85 was 126.

The Maryland Institution for the Instruction of the Blind, Baltimore, opened in 1862, receives blind persons 9 to 18 years of age, if of good character and free from disease. A course of study is provided similar to that generally pursued in schools for the blind, including literary, musical, and industrial training. The system of reading and writing the point letter (Waits') has been found very valuable both in literature and music. Broom and mattress making and chair caning are taught in the shops, while the girls learn to sew by hand and machine, to mend, knit, and do various kinds of fancy work. There is also a class in piano tuning, the progress of which has been gratifying. Whole number under instruction in 1884-85, 70, of whom 7 completed the whole course or a partial one, or withdrew, leaving 63 present July 1, 1885.

The Maryland School for the Colored Blind and Deaf Mutes, Baltimore, was organized in 1872 by the directors of the Institutions for the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind, aided by the State, which makes annual appropriations for its support. Instruction in the elementary English studies and in such employments as broom making, clair caning, and sewing, is given. "Not more than half of those entitled to its advantages," said Secretary Newell in 1885, "have arailed themselves of its benefits," and he advises school commissioners and examiners throughout the State to direct the attention of those interested to the liberal provision made by the State for the education of this class.

## INDUSTRIAL TRALITNG.

The Baltimore Manual Training School, opened in March, 1884, by the city as a part of its school syst m, is intended to give instruction in the use of tool s , a a d, as much as may be necessary, i"mathematics, drawing, and the En. lish branches of a high sch ol course. The tool instruction is to include c rpentry, wood turning, pat-tern-making, iron ehipping and filing, forge work, brazing a d soldering, the use of machine-shop tools, and such oth r instruction of a similar character as may be deemed advisa' le. The course of study requires 3 yea's, and a diploma is given on graduation. Candidates for admission must be at least 14 rears of age, of good character, and abl" to pass an examination in reading, spelling, writing, geography, English composition, and the fundamental operations of arithmetic, as applied to integers, common and decimal fractions, denominate numbers, and the extraction of the cube root of numbers. Ability to use the English language correctly is especially desired. The school has been a pronounced success. Opening with 62 pupils, it had on the roll in September, 1884, 150, a larger number than could be properly accommodated.

Some changes were made during the year in the course of study and in the plan of conducting the school. It wa: determined, since manual training was its chief object, to make that departmen most prominent. Certain changes were made, too, in the laculty, which now comprises a principal, one teacher in the mental department, one in wood-work, and one in metals.

The Baltimore Manual Labor School for Indigent Boys, first opened in 1841, is a bona fide farm school, a free boardin school for boys o good character whose relations are unable to provide for them. Here they receive the first rudiments of ellucat on and in two or three years are apprenticed to a mechanic or a farmer, who agrees to support them until they are 18 years of age. The aim of the schonl is to rescue homeless boys from the danger of vicious associations and train them in hahits of industry. Two thousand dollars a year are re eived from the state, and $\$ 1,500$ from the city, to aid in its support. Forty boys, 10 to 14 years of age, were under instruction during the year, the expense per capita being $\$ 125$.

McDonogh Institute, founded in 1873, in accordance with the will of Joln McDonogh, of New Orleans, formerly of Baltimore, was intended by its founder to give insiruction in "Christian religion, a plain English education, music, and the art of husbandry," to poor bovs of good character and of respectable associations, living in Baltimore. The institute owns in productive investments $\$ 705,000$, and in real estate, furniture, etc., an amount which makes the whole over $\$ 973,000$. Improvements are made, as a rule, from interest on the funds invested, consequently progress is sure rather than rapid. There were 60 boys in the school during the year, the whole cost of whose maintenance was defrayed by the institute, and it is proposed to admit 10 more every sear till the number reaches 100 . The pressure for admission is great, and entrance can now be secured only by competitive examination. The trustees have, given a very liberal interpretation to John McDonogh's "plain English education," having included in the course of study algebra, geometry, trigonometry, surreying, analytical geometry, zoology, physiology, botany, drawing, music, and German. A bequest left by Dr. Zenus Barnum, amounting to $\$ 80,000$, will be used to establish a manual training school in connection with the ordinary work of the institute.

## TRAINING SCLOOL FOR NURSF.S.

The Training School for Nurses, under the auspices of the Woman's Medical College of Baltimore, which beld its first session in the spring of 1884, was not continued in 1855 and is not likely to be resumed.

## REFORMATORI AND INDUSTRLAI TRAINING.

The House of Refuge, Baltimore, an institution for bors, under State, municipal, and private control, reports 24 C bors under training daring les $4-\varepsilon 5$, all but 6 being native born. Ther are taught the common English branches and various trades, although during the year their labor was confined mostly to farming and the necessary work of the institution. Fire hours of the day are devoted to labor and the same length of time to school work.
The Female House of Refuge, Baltimore, had 65 girls under training during the year, the majoritr being orphans or half orphans. More attention than erer before has been devoted to systematic labor; a number of sewing machines hare been purchased, and work has been done for a business honse of the citr.

The House of the Good Shepherd, an institution fcr girls, under State control, receires ragrants and others needing reformation, gives them instruction in the common bravches, sewing, and houserrork, and finds homes fur them. There were 197 under training during the Jear, all but 12 being native born.
The House of Reformation for Colored Boys, Cheltenbam P. O., receires children 7 to 16 jears of age and teaches them tailoring, shoemaking, chair caning, and farming.

## ART AND NUSIC.

The Peabody Institute, of the city of Baltimore, reports that during 1884-95 its library, art gallers, and lectures were of the same high character as formerly and continned mell patronized. The only falling off mas in the attendance at the conservatory of music - 210 during the first term and 198 during the second.

ART AND INDUSTRY.
The Marrland Institute schools of design were largels attevded during the year, the day school by 267 students, mostly ladies, and the night school by 389 young men. The work of the day school, extending over 3 Jears, comprises drawing, Water color and oil painting, modeling in clay, elementary designing, geometry, etc. The night classes are known as the free hend, the mechanical, and the architectural. At the last commencement 22 students were graduated from the school, -6 of them frow the artistic dirision, 9 from the architectural, and 7 from the mechanical. Superintendent Newell sars it is not easy to overestimate the importance of these schools to the prosperity of the State.

## EDUCATIONAL CONVENTIONS.

No information is at hand relative to any State educational associations or conrentions.

CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OFFICER.
Hon. M. A. Mewell, State superintendent of public instruction, Baltimore.
[Serenth term, January, 1884, to January, 1886.]

## MASSACHUSETTS.

## STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

|  | 1883-84. | 1884-'85. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| POPCLATION AND ATTENDANCE. |  |  |  |  |
| Children of school age (5-15) | 336, 195 | 343, 810 | 7,615 |  |
| l'upils of all ages in public schools.... | 342, 012 | 339, 714 |  | 2,293 |
| Average membership for the year.... | 27\%,241 | 282, 154 | 4,913 |  |
| Arerage attendance ................... | 248, 168 | 253,955 | 5,787 |  |
| Per cent. of enrollment to children of school age. | 101. 73 | 98.80 |  | 2.93 |
| Per cent. of children of school age in average attendance. | 73.77 | $73.8 \%$ | . 10 |  |
| Per cent. of arerage membership to school age. | 82. 40 | 82. 00 |  | . 40 |
| Per cent. of arerage attendance to average membership. | 89.51 | 90.00 | . 49 |  |
| Enrollment in erening schools....... | 13, 231 | 15, 422 | 2,171 |  |
| Average attendance in evening schools. | 6,975 | 8,447 | 1,472 |  |
| Enrollment in high schools. | 20,012 | 20,489 | 477 |  |
| Pupils in State charitable and reformatory schools. | a963 | 8\%: |  | 91 |
| Papils in academies and private schools. | 34,438 | 3i, 972 | 534 |  |
| SCHOOLS. |  |  |  |  |
| Number of public day schools ......... | 6,358 | 6,447 | 89 |  |
| Arerage term, in days.. | 180 | 184 | 7 |  |
| Number of erening school | 125 | 142 | 17 |  |
| Number of high schools. | 228 | 224 |  | 4 |
| Schools in State charitable and reformatory institutions. | $a 15$ | 15 |  |  |
| Academies and prirate schools ........ | 470 | 433 |  | 37 |
| TEACHERS. |  |  |  |  |
| Men teaching in publie schools | 1, 058 | 1, 061 | 3 |  |
| Women teaching in public schools.... | 8, 340 | 8,460 | 120 |  |
| Whole number teaching. | 9,398 | 9,521 | 123 |  |
| Number required for the schools | 7,950 | 8, 171 | 227 |  |
| Graduates of normal schools | 2,240 | 2,392 | 152 |  |
| Haring attended normal schools..... | 2,744 | 2,866 | 122 |  |
| FINANCIAL STATEAENT. |  |  |  |  |
| Average monthly pay of men teaching. | \$108 02 | \$120 72 | \$12 70 |  |
| Irerage monthly pay of women...... | 4418 | 4385 |  | \$0 3 |
| Vixpenditure for public schools. | 6,502,359 | 7,020, 430 | 518,071 |  |
| l'crmanent State school fund | 2,710, 209 | 2,710,209 |  |  |
| Income of State school fund.. | 68,642 | 67,973 |  | Cinis) |

$a \operatorname{In} 1882-83$.
(From reports of Hon. John W. Dickinson, secretary of State board of education, for the two jears indicated.

## STATE SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## GENERAL CONDITION.

The summary indicates that the pablic schools continue to grow with the growth of the State in population and wealth. An increass of 7,615 in children of school ace was met by 89 new schools. While the whole enrollment decreased by more than 2,000 , the average membership for the fear increased by nearly 5,000 and the : Heracse attendance by 5,787 , raising the ratio of average attendance based on membership to 90 per cent. The ratio of average membership to youth of school age slightly decreases annually, corresponding to a steady decrease in the number of very young children enrolled, and probably due to a more enlightened public senti. ment as to the proper age at which school life should begin. The total expenditure ou public schools was about $\$ 518,000$ more than for the previous year, a considerable part of this being due to the operation of the free test book law. Too many changes in the corps of teachers is shown by the excess of the number actually employed over that necessary to supply the schools. As a remedy it is suggested that in country towns, where most of this change occurs, teachers be elected for the year, instead of for the term. Evening schools increased in number, eurollment, and attendauce. The slight decrease in the number of high schools is due rather to a change in name than to any actual change in the character of the schools, while the number and elegance of the buildings recently erected for them shows a continued confidence and support on the part of the people.
A steady improvement in the equipments for teaching; in school-houses and care of them; in apparatus; in the introduction of supplementary reading; in the supply of free text-books, in some instances resulting in improved attendance; and in better provision for truants, - is reported; while the evidence of progress in the improvement in school discipline, a healthy stimulation having taken the place of compulsion, causing corporal punishment to become as unnecessary as it is unpopular, is most encouraging. But in these respects only is there progress. Improyement in methods was limited to individual schools; often to one branch of study in a single school, generally the work of a trained teacher or an experienced committee-man. The great need of the schools was for more good teachers and better supervision, especially the latter, since a good superintendent will be sure to have good teachers. Special provision is recommended for the training of superintendents in colleges having schools of pedagogy and in the State normals, women, as well as men, being competent to do effective work in this field. While it is at present impossible to supply every school with a good teacher, every town may have a good superintendent; and, in order that uniform progress may be made throughout the State, the system of superintendency should be extended to all the towns.

## ADMINISTRATION.

A State board of education of 10 members, 8 appointed by the governor, who presides, has general charge of State school interests, aided by a secretary chosen by the board and by 3 officers styled agents of the board, whose duties are to visit the different sections of the State, inspect schools, hold institutes, and stimulate school officers and teachers to effective work. Cities and towns have each a school committee of 3 members or some multiple of 3 , elected by the people for terms of 3 years. No person is ineligible on acconnt of sex.

Schools must be maintained for at least 6 months each year, under competent instructors, and all children 5 to 15 years of age must attend, unless elsewhere instracted. The employment of children under 10 years of age in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment is forbidden, and no child under 14 may be so employed, except during the vacations of the public schools, unless in the jear preceding he has had at least 20 weeks instruction in some school approved by the school committee. All persons who employ children contrary to the law, and parents or guardians consenting to such employment, are liable to a fine of $\$ 20$ to $\$ 50$. The State system comprises high and normal schools, teachers' institutes, reform schools, and schools for the deaf, blind, and feeble-minded. Any town may, and every city and town of 10,400 or more inhabitants must, annually make provision for giving free instruction in industrial or mechanical drawing to persons over 15 years of age, in either day or evening schools under the school committee. Industrial, nautical, and union schools are also provided for, with schools for the education of persons over 12 years of age. School committees prescribe the text-books used, procure them at the expense of the town, and must furnish them free of charge to all pupils not supplied by parents or guardians. Towns and cities may also by vote authorize the committee to lend the requisite books to all the pupils, under such regulations as may be considered necessary.

## SCHOOL FINANCES.

Public schools are supported from the income of a State school fund and from taxes voted by the people. Towns determine at their annual meeting the amount of funds necessary to the support of their public schools; and any town refusing or neglecting to raise such money forfeits a sum equal to twice the highest ever voted for the support of schools therein.

## SCHOOL SYSTEMS OF CITIES AND TOWNS WITH 7,500 OR MORE INHABITANTS.

## ADMINISTRATION.

School commitices of 3 members or some multiple of 3 , chcsen for 3 years, have charge of the public schools, generally with the assistance of a superintendent. Boston, besides a superintendent, has 6 supervisors for special parts of the school work.

STATISTICS.
1884-'85.

| Cities and towns. | Population, 1880. | Children of school age. | Enrollment in public schools. | Average daily attendance. | Number of teachers. | Expenditure. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Attleborough ${ }_{\text {a }}$ | 11, 111 | 2,231 | 2,567 | 1,738 | 70 | \$59, 110 |
| Beverly ${ }_{\text {a }}$ | 8,4186 362,839 | 1, 6813 | - $\begin{array}{r}1,475 \\ c 59 \\ \hline 191\end{array}$ | 1,144 52,039 | - $\begin{array}{r}38 \\ 1,345\end{array}$ | - ${ }^{26,5158}$ |
| Brockton $a$ | 13,608 | 2,864 | 3,550 | 2,684 | 79 | 41, 707 |
| Brookline .... | 8,057 | 1,409 | 1,681 | 1,258 | 39 | 43, 771 |
| Cambridge .... | 52, 669 | 10,682 | 9,187 | 7,865 | 228 | 223, 429 |
| Chelsea. | 21,782 | 4,563 | 4,736 | 3,401 | 89 | 83, 088 |
| Chicopee | 11, 286 | 2. 185 | 1,604 | 1,043 | 40 | B, 4 |
| Clinton $a$ | 8,029 | 1,768 | 1,762 | 1,378 | 40 | 27, 8 |
| Fall Rivera | 48,961 | 11, 767 | 10,430 | 6,918 | 3 | 180,411 |
| Fitchburg. | 12,429 |  | 3,120 | 2,262 |  | 58, 044 |
| Gloucester. | 19,329 | 4, 340 | 4,193 | 3,380 | 95 |  |
| Haverhilla | 18,472 | ${ }^{3} 5,539$ | ${ }_{4}^{3,680}$ |  | 98 | , 135 |
| Lawirence | - | 7,177 | 6,109 |  | 147 | 96, 113 |
| Lowell ....... | 59,475 | 11, 168 | d7,548 | d6, 320 | 215 | 213, 143 |
| Lynn . | 38, 274 | 7,380 | 7,302 | 5,736 | 173 | 115, 002 |
| Malden | 12,017 | 2,643 | 2,285 | 1,853 | 69 | 52, 12 |
| Mariborou | 10, 127 | 2,250 | 2,356 | 1,836 | 52 | 29, 19 |
| Medrord ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | 7,573 | 1,437 | 1,554 | 1,266 | 33 | 39, 905 |
| Milford $a$ | 9,310 | 1,710 | 1, 1,745 | 1,392 | 55 | -32, 223 |
| Natick $a \ldots . .$. | 8,479 |  | 1,745 | 1,418 |  |  |
|  | 26, 845 |  | 1,886 1,836 |  | 4 | ${ }_{2}^{97,830}$ |
| Newton ${ }^{\text {b }}$. | 16,995 | 3, 611 | 4,027 | 3,047 | 93 | 107, 951 |
| North Adams | 10, 191 | 2,765 | 2,657 | 1,744 | 55 | 29, 73 |
| Northamp | 12, 172 | 2,383 | 2,384 | 1,848 | 63 | 33, 888 |
| ${ }_{\text {Peabondy }}$ | 9,028 | 1,913 | 3,009 | ${ }_{1}^{1,442}$ | 38 | 29, 815 |
| Quiney ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | 10,570 | 2,734 | 2,514 | 1,817 | 53 | ${ }_{46,939}$ |
| Salem $a$. | 27,563 | 5, 212 | 3,777 | 3,022 | 93 | 94, 884 |
| Somerville.. | 24,933 | 6, 032 | 6,014 | 4, 533 | 114 | 127, 056 |
| Springfield .......... | 33, 340 | 6,327 | 6,465 | 4,622 | 131 | 118,643 |
| Waunfon.. | 11, ${ }^{212}$ | $\stackrel{4}{4}$, | ${ }_{2}^{4,} 792$ | ${ }_{2}^{3,248}$ | 60 | 57, 000 |
| Westiold | 7,587 | 1, 557 | 1, 642 | 1, 237 | 61 | 25, 676 |
| Wermouth. | 10,570 | 2,675 | $\stackrel{2}{2,173}$ | 1, 844 | 53 | 35, 461 |
| W orcester.... | 10,931 | 2,629 13,269 | 12,981 | 9,608 | 263 | 40,043 266,860 |

[^63]Boston comprised in her public school system, during the year, 454 primary, 50 grammar, and 10 Latin and high schools, a normal school, 14 evening and 5 evening drawing schonls, a school for the deaf, and one for licensed minors. The last, for newsboys, boot-blacks, and others who could attend but a few hours each day, was discontinued in September, 1885, the pupils being received into the ungraded classes of the ordinary public schools. The superintendent notes a continuation of the decrease formerly mentioned in attendance of the younger pupils. This is supposed to be chiefly caused by insufficiency of primary school accommodations in some parts of
the city, and it is hoped that the completion of houses in process of erection will arrest the evil. It is recommended, however, that the matter be carefully lonked into in each district, and, if possible, the primary schools be made more attractive to parents of young children, and that such parents bo made better acquainted with the advantages of the schools. No striking changes are, noted in the management of the primary and grammar schools, but marked improvement is reported almost everywherc. Extracts from reports of supervisors show that care is being taken to aroid overpressure, and to teach children to see, to think, and to express thoughts, for themselves. Continued use of supplementary reading causes it to be appreciated more and more in every grade. In the primary schools such reading is used mainly for additional practice; in others it serves also as a means of imparting knowledge. The course of study has been amended by the introduction of physiology and hygiene, including a study of the effects of alcoholic drinks, stimulants, and narcotics on the human system. The new law requiring all text-books and school supplies to be furnished at the expense of the city has somewhat increased the expenditure for the year, but only by about $\$ 1.22$ per capita; and it is believed that even this amount will be greatly reduced during succeeding jears, the expeuse for the first jear being necessarily greater than for those following.
The 13 evening elementary schools are said to have been well taught and well attended, having good accommodations in the day school buildings. The evening high school, taught in the rooms of the High and Latin School building, is reported to have filled a niuch needed place in the school system. An indication of the appreciation in which the evening school instruction is held may be seen in the fact that 70 per cent. of the average number of 3,117 pupils belonging were in average daily attendance.
Experiments recently made by the board in combining manual training with public school work have resulted satisfactorily. Tnstruction in carpentry was given for 2 hours a week to 200 boys belonging to 10 different grammar schools, no boy being taken who was not 14 or who had not the expressed permission of his parents to receive the instruction. A very lively interest was shown by all the boys in this new stady, and at the close of the first year, in March, 1885, it had been fully demonstrated that this class of work can be joined to that of the ordinary grammar school with good effect. An equally successful experiment was made later in the jear for the benefit of the girls, who in two different parts of the city were taught cookery. The special committee of the board in charge of these scliools speaks of their success in the warmest terms and recommends the establishment of others.
Brockton reports an average sear in respect to efficiency in the schools, which, in some cases, were overcrowded. Commendable progress was made by pupils in the evening school. The recent establishment of the office of city school superintendent is expected to give a new impetus to education. Though some parents regard the compulsory attendance law a hardship, manufacturers generally acknowledge the propriety of it.
In Brookline fewer changes than usual were made in the corps of teachers; the per cent. to be attained in examinations for promotions was raised from 60 to 65 ; school accommodations were enlarged; satisfactory work was noted in the high school as well as in the evening school, which was fast becoming a valuable aid in reaching those who cannot attend during the das. An industrial school, taught 10 weeks during the summer under the auspices of the school committee, gave excellent satisfaction. Pupils ranging in age from 10 to 15 were taught to use tools. An appropriation was made to continue the school the following year.

Cambridge reports (for the calendar year 1884) no change in school curriculum or management. The teachers, as a whole, were faitbful and painstaking, but many of the schools were overcrowded, including the high school, in which the attendance was 50 more than the previous year. A training class for teachers was organized during the sear with satisfactory results. Four evening schools were taught, the nost serious difficulty in the way of their usefulness being irregularity of attendance, measures for correcting which were taken. Increased interest in drawing was expected to follow the appointment of a special lady teacher, which was made during the year. The evening class in free-hand drawing opened in October, with 104 scholars; the mechanical class with 66; the former giving instruction in perspective free-hand outlining in pencil, and shading in crayon, also in industrial designing; the latter instructing in geometry, isometric and orthographic projection, machine-draming, and building construction. An experiment was made here, also, in industrial training in connection with public school instruction. Sirty boys selected from the various grammar schools spent half a day each week in carpentry work, only those being chosen who could maintain their standing in other studies with the loss of half a day each week. Great interest in the work was shown by the pupils and good progress was made, and the masters all gave cordial support to the experiment. All, however, are not entirely agreed as to the effect of the half day's absence on the other studies.

Chelsea maintained 77 public schools during 1884-85, the same number as the previous jear, but this year had them all housed in buildings belonging to the citr, which was not previously the case. Increased accommodations were provided, but these barely kept pace with the increased demand. The course of study in the high school was revised and brought more into harmony with modern ideas and needs; evening schools were well taught and well attended by pupils ranging from 11 to 54 years of age; and the evening drawing school, with 65 pupils, including both sexes and representing various trades and occupations, did good work.

Fitchburg reports in 1884-' 65 a considerable increase in number of pupils eurolled and in average daily attendance, which is attributed in part to the operation of the new text-book law, whose results thus far have been for the most part beneficial. The subject of half-time schools has been under consideration, and a number wer established during the year among the primary and secondary grades as a matter of necessity, though there is a general opinion that three hours a day is sufticient time for pupils from 5 to 7 to spend in school work. The half-time schools made as good progress as they would have done had they remained in session the whole day. Two evening schools were successfully taught, one being larger and more efficiont than any previously sustained in the city.

The school population has increased during the past five jears by 23 per cent., and the average daily attendance on public schools by 30 per cent.

Gloucester reports a larger number of pupils enrolled than during the previous year, but an increase in average attendance less marked, owing to a prevalence of epidemic diseases. Aside from such causes, the average attendance was all that could be desired, and this regularity is secured by the strong public sentiment in the schools. It is considered dishonorable to break the record except for sickness or such urgent necessity. Discipline in the schools is excellent, having greatly improved during the past fer years, owing to a change of methods on the part of teachers, who have come to rely largely on moral forces, on the power of pleasant tones and cheerful looks, and on the sense of justice in children. The books furnished under the free text-book law were generally in excellent condition, and it seems probable that with the extra care given them under the present system they will last twice as long as formerly, while the pupils will learn an important lesson in carefulness and cleanliness.

Holyoke reports a constantly increasing school population and a corresponding pablic school enrollment and attendance, which have necessitated increased school accommodations; good progress made in all the schools in arithmetic and in the practical use of language, while improvement in reading has been less noticeable; special attention given to rocal music with good results; attendance in evening schools was so irregular as to render their usefulness questiouable.
The truant officer finds that while the law relating to the employment of youth 14 to 16 is not oniversally observed, generally through inattention on the part of employers, nearly all such south in the city were able to read and write, his last tour of inspection having discovered only 14 out of 811 of that age who were unable.

Lowell reports an increased number of pupils attending the high and grammar schools during 1884, while the prevalence of contagious diseases reduced attendance in primary grades. Useful work is reported in the evening schools, of which 9 were taught, 8 elementary and 1 high. Certain changes were adopted in the management of the latter; it was modeled as nearly as practicable on the plan of the Boston evening high; 6 rooms in the day high school building and a corps of 7 teachers were placed at its disposal, a course of study adopted, and the school placed on an equal footing with the day school. As one of the results, it is noted that the average attendance during the months of November and December, 1834, was 84 per cent. of the membership, against 40 per cent. for the same months of the previous year. Music is a recignized study in the public schools and its importance understood; penmanship and drawing received due attention under a special teacher, with satisfactory results, and the free evening d awing schools were in good condition, eurolling 541 pupils at the beginning of the term 1884-85.

Lynn reports a course of stady during 1884 nearly the same as the previous year, the only change being a further omission of non-essentials and the introduction of mental arithmetic into the 3 upper grammar grades. The objective method is followed in the primary schools, spelling being taught chiefly by means of writing. The progress in music, writing, and drawing, directed by special teachers, was satisfactory. Music is tanght in all the grades, note singing prevailing from the very first, and in the high school pupils are able to read music at sight. Additions tere made to school accommodations, bat more were needed. A sanitary committee was doing much for the health of pupils in drainage of school yards, provision of better light, and other improvements. Erening schools had a larger attendance than usual, and good practical work was do:e in them; but the problem of how to secure regularity of attendance had not yet been solved. The number of pupils enrolled was 554 ; arerage attendance, 246.

Marlborough reports a school superintendent appointed during the year 188:-'85, Tho devoted his entire time to the work of supervision, but no radical changes were made in the management of the sehools. They are said to have given, in the main, sound instruction in the common branches and in high school studies, to have been generally well disciplined, and to have had a good influence on the manners and morals of pupils ; still, tho superinteudent sees need for reform and improvement. School-houses were generally in a satisfactory condition, although too little attention has been paid to rentilation and to other matters having reference to the lealth of pupils.

New Bedford reports an increased attendance in the public schools, which is attribrited in part to the release of parents from the expense of text books. Music and drawing were successfally taught under the charge of special teachers. The evening drawing school has prepared hundreds of poople in the city to gain a livelihood. In the three elementary evening schools taught there was an inprovement in regularity of atteridance, with corresponding attention to study and improvement therein. The schools for factory children have been of great value, not ouly to the pupils who attend them, but also to the graded schools, which, in default of their aid, would be disturbed by continually receiring an element that could not be properly graded. These mill schools enroll during the year between 300 and 400 children of 12 to 34 years of age, their entire personnel being changed nearly four times a jear. In the truant school, industrial training was, to some cytent, added to the other studies, a mechanic having been engaged to give the boys instruction on Saturdays in the use of tools. Serving is taught the girls in all the day schools, one hour each week being devoted to it.

Necton reports school work retarded by excessive heat at the opening of the term and the prevalence of sickness during the winter, yet substantial progress was made, throngh the earnest efforts of teachers and pupils and the co-operation of parents. Some improvement was made in the methods of instruction, especially in reading and arithmetic. The topical method was pursued more largely than before, and special attention given to training pupils to think. The free text-book law is expected to prove beneficial, tending to increase the average attendance, to lengthen the average term of years spent in the schools by pupils, and to exert a healthful influence on their character from the care they are required to take of the books; it also effects a saving of time and of expense. The evening school work done was successful and useful, as also was the special instruction given the girls in the day schools, a mounting to one hour a week in each.

North Adams reports its schools working harmoniously and the methods of study remaining about the same as the previous year. Language study, both oral and written, is made prominent in all grades; much attention is given to the building of sentences and great gain has been made in this branch. The free text-book plan has worked well. Books have been better cared for than when owned by pupils, and the cost of them to the city probably only about a third what it used to be when bought by parents. Evening schools were taught for the first time and were fairly successful. About 137 pupils were in average attendance, a large proportion of them being mill operatires, many of whom could not read or write.

Peabody reports an increased attendance, additions and repairs made during the year in school buildings, free text books supplied according to law, and the books well taken care of. To the faithfulness of the truant officer is ascribed, in part, the increase in the number of pupils in the schools. Of 129 cases of truancy reported only 23 cases were habitual, and it is thought that with a place of commitment for the worst of these cases, the evil would almost disappear.
Pittsfield, notwithstanding overcrowding, reports good work done in the public schools and improvement made in its quality. Constantly increasing excellence is found among the primary teachers, probably owing to the fact that those who have shown aptness in this work have been continued in it and have been rewarded by increase of pay rather than by change of grade and position, since no good reason is seen here for giving teachers of intermediate and grammar grades preference over those of primaries, which require in their management an equal amount of abilits, tact, and teaching power.
Salem notes in its report for 1884 an increase of truancy, also too many cases of corporal punishment in the public schools. These consist of primary, grammar, high, and evening schools, also an ungraded school for French Canadian children conuected with the Naumkeag factory, and who speak no English. In the ungraded school, especially, the nem free text-book plan has been a great assistance.
Springfield, whose latest report received is also for 1884, has during this year introduced serring in the grammar schools and the Indian Orchard (or mili) school, the girls receiving instruction in this branch for one hour a week. The plan has been in every sense attended with satisfactory results. The free tert-book law has resulted in an increase of attendance. Improvement was secured in evening school attendance by requiring an excuse for absence, and better work was accomplished also
through a more systematic classification under suitable teachers. It is found that the very best teaching talent is required for erening schools; and to an absence of experience on the part of teachers is attributed the lack of success often obtained in the schools.

Taunton public schools, comprising primary, grammar, high, evening, and evening Irawing schools, show a fair record in respect to attendance, considering the fact that there was an almost unprecedented prevalence of contagious diseases. Thus while only about 72 per cent. of the whole number enrolled were in a rerage daily attendance, 97 per cent. of the average membership were in constant attendance.

The most notable occurrence in connection with the school system during the rear was the completion of anew and commodious high school building, about $1 ; 0$ by is feet in extent and 3 stories high, including a basement, and capable of accommodating 250 to 300 pupils. The building is heated by steam, the most approved methods oi lighting and ventilation have beeu used, and care taken that the rooms for the daily work of the school be mainly on one level, and on the floor next above the basement, thus aroiding the necessity of much going up and down stairs.

Westfield reports 2 new school-houses erected, and repairs and improvements made in nearly every school-house in the torn; also punctuality and diligence on the part of pupils and good attendance, notwithstanding a prevalence of scarlet fever. $\Lambda$ year's experience has confirmed the belief of the committee in the advantages of the free text-book law. The committee urge the appointment of a city school superintendent and the introduction in the schools of industrial education.

Woburn.-The superintendent thinks some of the schools have been wasting a certain amount of energy from the lack of a definite course of study; that the line pursued in some studies-notably language, is ragne and indefinite; that better results in arithmetic would follow from a more rational course, and that the time deroted to geography is out of proportion to the amount of benefit derired, that in the last, the motto "From the known to the unknown" has not been sufficiently observed. The school buildings were in excellent condition, with the exception of a faulty arrangement for the admission of light in many of the rooms. In the evening schools irregularity of attendance was a great drawback, although their benefits were unquestioned. A requirement of a deposit of tuition fees, to be forfeited in case of truancy, is suggested as likely to induce more regular attendance.

Worcester, including in its public school system primary, grammar, high, evening, and evening drawing schools, reports an increase in the number of children of school age and in that of those under instruction, the day schools showing a larger increase in the average number belonging and in arerage attendance than in the number enrulled. This increase of attendance, as compared with registration, shows, as the superintendent points out, the faithfalness with which the law for school attencance is executed, while the daily attendance indicates the interest papils take in their schools. That over 90 per cent. of the number belonging' were held in average attendance is thought very satisfactory, especially considering the severity of the climate, the laborious habits of the population, and the fact that no attempt is permitted to "fix up" the records or to insist on the attendance of children regardless of the necessities of health and of other reasonable causes for absence. The enrollment in day schools was nearly equal to the school census of 1885 ( 13,269 ), or about onesixth of the population. Including 465 pupils in evening schools and drawing classes, it was almost one-lifth; and, counting the estimated 1,500 in private schools, the proportion would be still greater.

Evening schools were, as usual, carried on successfully. The plan of requiring a depesit of one dollar for admission as a guarantee of constant attendance and attention to duty vindicates itself anew with each succeeding Jear. There is no more question about the orderly and studious beharior of pupils in erening schools than in any others. The "deposit" plan has proved so useful in these schools that it has been adopted in the free evening draming schools, where its effects have been equalls good.

Music has been taught in the schools by a special teacher for more than 20 years. Aside from the benefits thus conferred upon the community in supplying an important source of pleasure and refinement, this study has been found to exert a strong influence for good in the schools, in relieving the attention from other studies, in miving variety to the exercises, in expanding the langs, and in softening the asperities of school discipline. A large part of the steady decrease of the disagreeable, which has steadily been going on in school discipline during the last two decades, is ascribed to the influence of this study; and in this respect alone it has been worth three times. as much as it cost.

## Kindergarten training.

It is the opinion of the secretary of the State board that children are by a course of kindergarten instruction prepared to enter with facility on the primary school studies, and that the experiences they acquire by actually handling the objects of
their study give both the strength and the love for investigation. He thinks it would be well if the kindergarten could be made a universal institution, and its spirit introduced into all primary education. How it may be included in a system of public schools does not clearly appear, but this it is thought can be partly accomplished by allowing the primary schools to pursue kindergarten methods for some time before entering upon what is now considered to be elementary training. Another way suggested is to combine kindergarten instruction with regular primary school work. In the latter case, children would enter school at an earlier age than at present.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## STATE REQUIRENENTS.

Teachers of town or district schools must obtain from the school committee a certificate in duplicate of their qualification to teach, a cony to be filed with the selectmen before pay for services can be obtained.

## STATE NORMAL TRAINING.

Six normal schools, including a normal art school, located respectirely at Bridgewater, Framingham, Salem, Westfield, Worcester, and Boston, are provided by the State for the training of persons intending to teach in the public schools. In them all, tuition is free to those intending to teach; and for the further assistance of those who find eren the remaining expenses burdensome, the State makes an annual appropriation of $\$ 4,000$. To supplement this aid, the school at Salem has the income from a fund of $\$ 5,000$ given by Nathaniel I. Botrditch, of Brookline. The design of these schools is strictly professional, and the plan of instruction one which will, it is believed, prepare in the best manner possible for the work of organizing, governing, and teaching the public schools, this being understood to include a thorough linowledge of the branches to be tanght, of the best methods of teaching them, and of right mental training. The full course of study, extending over 4 jears, prepares for the highest positions in the public school system. In all bat the normal art school a shorter, or elementary course, is provided, which fits for primary and grammar school grades, and requires 2 years for completion, except in the Worcester school, where another half jear is added, the fourth half year being spent in apprentice teaching in the city schools. There has also grown up at this school a practice of granting to undergraduates who desire it temporary leave of absence to engage in actual teaching for longer or shorter periods. Of the last graduating class fully one-half had taught $\varepsilon$ chools of their ornn luefore receiving their diplomas. The Visitors report a remarkable absence of dull routine in this school. While the regular work goes forward steadily, fresh interest and animation are given by experiments in new directions. Duriug 1884-85, for example, there has been an effort to enlarge the study of psychology by making the systematic objective study of children a prominent part of the work of the more adranced classes. Independent personal observations are made of children, their nature and instincts, plays, games, ideas, and modes of thought and feeling; their habits, aptitudes, acquirements, etc., and the results are recorded npon blanks prepared for the purpose. Several hundred such records hare been made. The experiment gathers interest and precision day by day, and has already attracted the attention and received the approval of several prominent educators.

The school at Bridgemater, one of the first three established on this continent, haring receired its first classes in 1840, has since that time given instruction to over 3,000 students, nearls 90 per cent. of whom hare taught and 60 per cent. have been graduated, 70 of these from the 4 -rears course. An adrance is reported in this school in the teaching and stndy of the natural sciences during the year. More comprehensive analyses of the subject were made, sets of working specimens provided for each member of the class, as well as more extended means for microscopic study and illustration. Special attention, too, is called to a steady increase in the number of those who give more than tro years to normal training, showing that the demand for thoroughly trained teachers grows with the growth in importance and dignity of the teaching profession, also that the colleges do not supply the demand for teachers in the higher grades. In fact, graduates of this and other schools from either course are in demand to fill good positions in the public schools, but particularly those from the longer course and those who have taught, and the demand is rapidly increasing and is already greater than the supply.
Framingham, moting the increasing demand for graduates, reports a steady growth in the namber attending, the last class being the largest admitted for 30 years, and an equal improvement in the character and fitness of the pupils.
The Massachusetts Normal Art School, Boston, first opened in 1873, was rendered necessary by the law of 1870 requiring draming to be tanght in the public schools and indtustrial drawing to all jonth over 15 in cities and towns of more than 10,000
inhabitants. Its chief work is the preparation of teachers of industrial art, and especially of industrial drawing for the public schools. It also aims to provide for high skill in technical drawing. Applicants for admission must be over 16, of good character, and able to pass an examination in the common English branches and in freehand drawing of ornament from copy. The school is meeting a pressing public necessity, and more and more year by year is justifying the wisdom of its establishment. Such has been the growing appreciation of its work that there is now no longer any question of its continuance, and the legislature at its last session made an appropriation of $\$ \Sigma 5,000$ for the erection of a suitable building for it.

The five normal schools enrolled during the year over a thousand pupils, 139 of them belonging to the normal art school.

## OTHER NOORMAL TRAININGG.

The Boston Normal School, a part of the city system, gives professional instruction in a course of one year to young women who intend to teach in the Boston public schools. A training school with primary and grammar grades, connected with the normal, affords opportunity for practice. City normals or normal departments also form a part of the public school system in Fall River, Lawrence, Harerhill, and Cambridge.

Opportudities for obtaining preparation to teach outsude of the public school system are offered in departments of Wellesley College, Wellesley, and Cushing Academy, Ashburton ; while for kindergarten work there was at last accounts a training school in Boston.

## TEACIIERS' INSTITUTES.

Two kinds of institutes were held during the year,-one, as in other rears, for the benefit of the teachers of a group of adjoining towns, the other for the teachers of single towns. Of the former, 6 were held, 516 teachers attending. Besides the regular exercises of the day session, an erening lecture was given in connection with each institute, the speakers being the secretary of the board, on "The school srstem of Massachusetts"; Mr. Geo. H. Martin, agent, on "A practical education;" and Rer. A. D. Mayo, on "Country schools."

More time, however, was given to the class of institutes for single towns. They were held under the supervision of the agents of the board, who, after visiting torns and inspecting schools, met the teachers and committees and spent a day, or a part of one, in conference concerning the needs of the schools. At these meetings criticisms were made on existing defects in buildings and on equipment and methods of work; plans were proposed for remedying the evils and illustrative exercises were given upon methods of teaching. In most of the towns the people were addressed in the evening by the secretary or agents, or both. This form of institutes has given general satisfaction, and the committees and teachers everywhere speak of them as stimulating and helpful.

## EDUCATIONAL JOURNALS.

The Journal of Liducation, Boston, a weekls, in its twentietl volume, is devoted to the publication of educational ideas, methods, and nerrs, giving information from all parts of the Union and numbering among its contributors some of the best known writers and thinkers on educational topics. The sanie oftice issues a bi-monthly journal entitled Education, for the discussion of the science, art, and literature of education. The American Teacher, a monthly, pnblished at Boston and devoted chiefly to kindergarten interests, entered on the ninth volume of the old series September, 1885.

## SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

## PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS.

There were 224 public high schools taught during the year by 644 instructors and attended by 20,489 pupils, an increase for the year of $4 \pi i$ pupils. According to law any town may establish a school for instruction in the higher English branches; towns with 500 familics must have such schools taught 10 months of the year and include ordinary high school studies; and towns of 4,000 inhabitants must add instruction in Greek, French, astronomy, geology, rhetoric, logic, intellectual and moral science, and political econony. Recent legislation has mado physiology and hygiene compulsory, particularly in their relation to stimulants and narcotics.

## OTHER SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

For statistics of business colleges, private academic schools, and preparatory departments of colleges, see Tables IV, VI, VII, aud IX of the Appendix, and for summaries see corresponding tables in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## COLleges for young men or for boti sexes

Harrard Cnitersity, Cambridge, comprehends the following departments: Harvard College; schools of divinity, law, medicine, and dentistry; the Lawrence Scientific School; the graduate department; the museum of comparative zoology; the Bussey Institution; the college library; the astronomical observatory; the botanic garden and herbarium; and the Peabody Museum of American Archæology and Ethmologr. The degrees giren in course are bachelor of arts, of science, of divinity, and of laws; doctor of medicine and of dentistry ; civil and mining engincer; master of arts; doctor of philosophr; and doctor of science. There are four grades in the degree of A. B., according to the measure of distinction earnerl in the final examinations. This degree, owing to the elective system of the college, does not mean that all holding it have passed through the sami course of study, nor eren since 1834 (in Which rear three-fifths of the work of the freshman rear was made elective) does it mean that all bachelors of the same year have necessarily studied together, while in college, any subject except rhetoric, English composition, and the barest elements of chemistry and physics. It means, howerer, that all who have received it have spent from 7 to 10 jears in liberal studies; that they hare learned at school the elements of Greel, Latin, mathematics, physics, ancient histors, English literature, and French or German, passing somewhat beyond the elements in at least two of the first four named topics; that at college they have added the elements of a fourth language-German or French-to the three studied at school, besides pursuing the few prescribed studies; above mentioned; and that they have also spent three years and a half on a prescribed quantity of liberal studies selected by themselves; all studies being accomited liberal which are pursued in the scientific spirit for truth's sake.
The influence which this large liberty in selection has had on the college is discussed by the president in his report for $1884-\mathrm{s} 5$ in the light of facts. In repls to the question whether the freedom to concentrate study on special branches has been carried too far, it is shown that in the case of 92 per cent. of 350 selections of courses during the last two years, and tabulated in the report, the freedom to specialize liad not been used to any degree which could seem inexpedient eren to persons who doubt the wisdom of. specialization; and that this liberty, far from being abused, had been as yet scarcely nsed. An inspection of this table of 350 choices shows, moreover, that there has been a fair degree of harmony in the courses selected, that incoherent cheices have been rery few, and that a comparatively small number of students have takea the less difficult studies from motives of indolence.
There were enrolled in this department of the university during 1384-' 8593 , sthdents candidates for the degree of A. B., and 70 special students. The graduate department enrolled 76 students, of whom 56 were candidates for the degree of A. M.. Ph. D., or Sci. D.: 13, including 4 candidates for degrees, were holders of fellowships; and 11 were neither holders of fellowships nor candidates for degrees. Other departments will be noticed under "Scientific and professional instruction."
Boston University, Boston, comprising a college of liberal arts, 3 professional schools, riz, of theologr, lar, and medicine, a school of all sciences, and a college of music, is open on equal terms to both sexes. The school of agriculture of the university is supplied by the Massachusetts Agricultural College, students matriculating in both institutions, and enjoying the facilities for instruction afforded by the unirersity, and on graduation receiving from it the degree of bachelor of science. In the College of Liberal Arts the regular course of stndy leads to the degree of bachelor of arts, thongh a lim:ted number of persons who desire to prepare for the professional schools of the university, but are unable to spend so much time, may take a three-years electire course for the degree of bachelor of philosophy. A recent arrangement permits students of the regular course to take their studies in any order ther please, when their object is to secure greater thoronghness or more leisure for reading or laboratory work. The School of All Sciences, intended for graduates of this and other colleges, and of professional schools, aims to provide thorough instruction in all cultivated languages and their literatures, in all natural and mathematical sciences, all theological and medical studies, all fine arts, properly so called, and all branches of special historical study. The College of Mrusic is designed for graduates of the best American conservatories. Students in this are admitted to the classes of the College of Liberal Arts withont estra charge. Of the 620 students in all departments of the university during 1834-85, 164 were soung women.
Amherst College, Amherst, as formerly, reports a course of study leading to the degree of bachelor of arts, embracing philosophy, history, art, ancient and modern languages, literature, and science. Arrangements are made for graduate study, and also for special students not candidates for a degree. One of the admirable prorisions here is that of a department of hrgiene and physical education. This is under the charge of two phrsicians, whose duty it is to leep themselves informed in regard to
the physical condition of each stadent and advise him as to the course he shail pursue for the maintenance and increase of his health and strength. Each class practices regularly in the gymnasium four days of the week, and unless excused for disability every student is required to take part.

Tufts College, College Hill, comprising classical, scientific, philosophical, and theological courses, offers in that leading to the degree of A. B. a number of optional studies in the sophomore, junıor, and senior classes. In the philosophical course, of which the chief peculiarity is the substitution of modern languages for Greek, opportunity to pursue electives is afforded to a somewhat greater extent than in the classical course. The degree of master of arts is given graduates who follow a prescribed course for at least a year, at the college or elsemhere; but in the latter case an examination must be passed to show that the necessary attainments have been acquired.

Williams College, Williamstown, continues to give a prescribed course of study for the degree of bachelor of arts, except during the senior year, when a number of electives are offered, among them Greek, Latin, French, German, and Sanskrit; the required studies of the senior jear relate chielly to man as a physical, intellectual, moral, and religious being.

The College of the Holy Cross, Worcester, gives a 4 -years collegiate course of study after a preparatory one of 3. All are required to pursue the regular course. In this, French is a prescribed study; other modern languages, and music and drawing, are optional.
Boston College added in 1879 to the regular classical course of study one in which exclusire application to Euglish studiee, jncluding bookkeeping, the modern languages, and the sciences, takes the place of Latin and Greek.

Gifts were received by 5 of the above colleges, during 1884-'85, amounting to orer $\$ 142,000$. Among those received by Harvard University were three of peculiar interest: Prof. John Tyndall, London, giving $\$ 10,800$ to found a scholarship for the promotion of the study of theoretical physics; Mr. John Eliot Thayer, a graduate in arts of the class of $18 \Sigma 5$, giving $\$ 15,000$ as a fund the income of which is to be used to encourage the publication of contributions to political econowy; while Mr. Samuel Bridge presented an ideal statue of John Harvard in bronze. To Boston University was given in cash the sum of $\$ 19,300$, of which $\$ 16,800$ was from David Snow, esq., to establish a professorship of elocution and oratory; to Amherst College, from Henry Winkles, of Philadelphia, $\$ 60,000$ to endow a professorship of history and political economy ; to Tufts, from rarious friends, $\$ 36,036$ for chapel, natural history, and the general fund.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION OF YOUNG WOMEN.

Eight institntions for the superior instruction of young women report for 1884-'85. No report appears for this Jear from Wheaton Female Seminary, Norton; and MapleWood Institute, formerly at Pittsfield, has been closed. All the institutions reporting include music, draming, painting, French, and German in their courses of stud5, two adding Italian and one also Spanish; all but the Swain Freo School provide a gymuasium for physical training. Only Smith and Wellesley are anthorized to confer collegiate degrees, and these present courses of instruction of high grade, Smith offering 3, classical, scientific, and literary; Wellesley 2, classical and scientific. In the latter, besides the regular courses of 4 years, one of 5 has been arranged for such students as wish to include music or art in their studies for the degree of bachelor of arts or of science. Harvard College issued one certificate of final examination to a woman in $18 ษ 4$-'85.
For statistics of those institutions that have reported see Table VIII of the Appendix, and for a summary, the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION.

## SCIENTIFIC.

Scientific training is continued in the Massachusetts Agricultural College, Amherst; the Massachusetts Institute of Technologr, Boston; the Worcester County Free Institute of Industrial Science, Worcester; the Lawrence Scientific School and the Bussey Institution, of Harvard University; the Boston Unirersity School of all Sciences; and to some extent in connection with the collegiate courses of most of the colleges and universities already noted.
The Massachusetts. Agricultural College, besides the higher English studies, modern languages, and Latin, gives instruction in the sciences as related to agriculture and the mechanic arts, the course extending over four years. During 1834-85 the collese prospered in many respects. Among these it is noted that the standard of scholarship was raised, the course of study extended, buildings and grounds were improved, and new buildings were erected. An appropriation of $\$ 6,000$ made by the last legislature for the repair and improvement of North College was carefully ex-
nended. The librars and chapel building, for the erection of which $\$ 25,000$ was appropriated, was to be completed July, 1-oci. There are $\varepsilon 0$ State scholarships and il established by the trnstees, giving free tuition.
The Massachusetts Institute of Technology, including in its plan a society of arts, a musenm of arts, and a school of industrial science, provides in the last named a series of scientitic and literary stndies and practice comprising 9 distinct courses, cach of 4 years, viz: in civil and topographical cngincering, mechanical engine ring, mining engineering, architecture, chemistry, electrical engineering, uatural hisiony aud biology, physics, and a general course. In some of these, optional studies are allored, to chable students to specialize even more closely. Provision is also mar!e for special students not candidates for the degrec of Sci. B., to which all the abow lines of study lead. That of Sci. M. is given after a definite course of gradnate study extending over at least one year. The degrees of Sci. D. and Ph. D. may be çaiticil after two sears of such study.
The Trorcester County Fice Institute of Industrial Science was founded by John Bornton in 1865, through a conviction that it is possible adrantageously to unite in a course of training thorongh mental discipline and a knowledge of the application of science to some of the practical arts. It offers a good education, based on the mathematics, liring languages, plessical sciences, and drawing; and gires sufficient practical instruction in some branch of applied science to secure to its graduates a livelihood. It is specially designed for those who wish to become mechanics, civil engineers, chemists, or designers. Special prominence is given to the element of practice, which is required in every department. The training of students preparing for mechanical engineers occupies three and a half years; that of all others 3 years of 42 weeks each.
Harrard Cniversity.-The faculty of the Lamrence Scientific School, Cambridge, made an important rerision of its four principal courses of instruction, viz, in engineering, chemistry, natural history, and mathematics, each of which covers 4 sears. These changes were for the general purpose of utilizing all appropriate instruction given in the college, remoring incongrnities and interferences, and reducing somewhat the amount of work required of the regular student. Most of these courses are now open to college students, haring been gradually, one after another, placed in the list of college electives. One result of this has been, while really increasing the amount and improving the quality of scientific instruction in the university, to cause an apparent decrease of interest in scientific stadies by drawing students from the scientific school to the college.

Chemical investigations were pursued in the college laborators, Boylston Hall, with the usual zeal, the number working in it mereasing from jear to rear. As usual for many years past, courses of instruction were given here during the summer. They were attended by 25 students, many of whom were teachers.
The work of furnishing and equipping the Jeffersou Physical Laboratory was prolonged throughout most of the year. The first report of the director shows a division of the work between elementary and adranced instruction and original research, an interesting feature being a course of experimental lectures on electricits, magnetism, and allied subjects.
Boston University school of All Sciences, for college graduates only, embraces, besides many other topics, instruction in the calculus, mechanics, quaternions, biology, zoologr, chemistry, phrsics, botany, and the physiology of the rertebrates, and affords any desired amount of laboratory practice.

## PROFESSIONAL.

Tineology.-The theological schools are Andover Theological Seminary (Congregational); Harvard Dirmity School (non-sectarian); Episcopal Theological School, Cambridge; Boston University School of Thenlogy (Methodist Episcopal); Tufts College Divinity School, Medford (Universalist): Newton Theological Institute, Newton Center (Baptist); and New Church Theological School, Waltham (Smedenborgian). These all present the usual 3 -rears course of studr for the degree of bachelor of dirinity, the school at Tufts having also a 4 -rears course for students not college graduates. Nearly all these schools require of applicants for admission a collegiate or othersis: liberal training. In the latter case their competencs to pursue the course must b. shown br examination. Graduate study is prorided for by the seminary at Andorer. the Harrard Divinity School, the Episcopal school at Cambridge, and Newton Thenlogical Institute.

The school at Harvard reports for 1884 -' 85 the success of a limited elective srsten recently introduced, and a prorision made for systematic instruction in methods of social reform; also that the immediate construction of a new library building has been made sure. Of 26 students connected with this school during the rear, 21 , or 80 per cent., had the degree of bachelor of arts. A steady adrance has been made, it appears. for 5 sears in this respect. The proportion in the other schools, leaving out that at Waltham, which does not report, was nearly 64 per cent., or 143 out of a total of 224 ; and learing out of the summary Tufts College Dirinity School, where the

4-rears course makes special provision for those not college graduates, the proportion is raised to 70 per cent.
The seminary at Andorer received during the year a gift of $\$ 1,000$ for the increase of the Taylor Professorship of Biblical History; that at Boston Uuiversity, a bequest of $\$ 500$ from Mrs. Hannah G. Russel, in aid of needy students.
Law.-Legal instruction and training are given in the law schools of Boston Unirersity and Harvard University, each offering full graded courses of study extending over 3 years; the annual term comprising, in the former case, 36 weeks; in the latter, 37. Both require an examination for admission of applicants who do not hold a collegiate degree in letters or science. The proportion of students holding such degree during 1884-'85 was as follows: In Harvard University Law School, 116 out of 153 ; in that of Boston University, 60 out of 171 ; the per cent. of the whole number being a little over 54. For further statistics see 'Table XII of the Appendis, and for a summary see the report of the Commissioner preceding.
Medicise.-The schools for medical instruction are Harvard University Medical School, Boston University School of Medicine (homœopathic), and the College of Physiciaus and Surgeons, Boston. All present a 3 -years graded course of medical studr, the first two also offering a fourth Jear, which they advise students to pursue. The Harvard school gives the degree of doctor of medicine cum laude to candidates who have pursued a complete 4 -years course of study and obtained an arerage of 75 per cent. in examinations. There were 385 students in the 3 schools during the year, of thom 91 were graduated, 91 of the matriculates and 26 of the graduates belonging to the homœopathic school of Boston University.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

## SOCIETY FOR THE ENCOURAGEMENT OF HOME STUDY.

This society, for the benefit of those women who wish to pursue a course of study or reading at home, supervises such studies by correspondence through a staffi of officers, all women. It appears from the twelfth annual report, apparently for 1884-'z, that a total of 4,597 students have been connected with the society since its organization. Of the 604 belonging during the past year, 280 were new and 324 had been with it before, 4 of them for 10 years. They represent, geographically, 38 States and 1 Territory. There were also sereral in Canada and one each in France and Japan. More than half were between 20 and 30 years of age, about one-fourth between 30 and 50 , one-sisth under 20, the remainder either over 50 or of unknown age. The leading subjects of study are history and English literature, science and art coming next in the number of students taking them, and German and French literature last. The percentage of perseverance, however, is, curiously enough, in an inverse ratio to that of the number engaged in a study. German, with the smallest numbers, has the highest ratio, French coming next.

## instruction in art.

Systematic training in this line, with a view to the preparation of art teachers for the public schools, continued to be given at the State Normal Art School, Boston, under Mr. George H. Bartlett, principal, with a corps of skilled assistants. The pupils in 1884-85 numbered 139 , of whom 25 were young men, 114 young women. Certificates were given to 72 , and 27 received appointments as teachers of drawing, 10 of them in the schools of Boston, 7 in other cities of Massachnsetts, the remainder in New Hampshire, southern and western cities, and in Canada. Mr, Charles M. Carter, of the Art School, also visited many towns and cities of the State, to harmonize the art instruction in the public schools and give it, as far as possible, the same general character throughout. To aid in this he has presented in the State report an outline of an 8 -years course of training.

In the Lowell Institute of Practical Design, held in the rooms of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, there is given instruction in designs for manufactures, and in the Massachnsetts Institute itself training in architecture forms an important element of the course.
The Boston Museum of Fine Arts also affords opportunities for study in its very considerable collections of art treasures; the New England Conservatory of Music, Boston, has an art department for instruction in drawing, painting, and modeling; Mt. Holyoke Seminary, South Hadley, a senior year course in the history of art ; Gannett Institute, Boston. studies in the history, literature, and philosophy of art ; Bradford Academy, Bradford, essentially the same; the Swain Free School, New Bedford, a 3-vears course in art; Smith College, Northampton, a 4-years course; and Wellesley College, Wellesley, one of 5 jears.
training in music, oratory, and language.
The Nen England Conservatory of Music, under thedirection of Prof. E. Tourjee, still sustains its high position, as evinced by an attendance of 1,971 for the year. Of
these 1,193 were from Boston and vicinity, the remainder from the several States and from foreign countries. Several important additions to its faculty were made during the rear.
The Boston Cniversity College of Music presents a high standard of requirements for admission, promotion, and graduation. Since its opening in 1872 to the close of $1884-35$, only 15 students were graduated. Of these but 2 were able to meet the requirements for the baccalaureate degree in music. The membership for the year was $: 35$, but none of the adranced class finished the course. The faculty prefer to wait mitil the preparators schools and conservatories can furnish stadents of the required grade. Important additions of eminent artists were made during the year, and the course of study was revised with a view to a standard equal to anything in America at least.
Wellesley College School of Music. Wellesley, in a spacious and beautiful music hall of 33 rooms, with 40 pianos and 2 large organs, continued its 3 full courses in piano, organ, and roice music, each of 5 years, with other optional studies in place of these. Students who complete either course receive the diploma of the school of music, and if especially successful the degree of Mus. B. Students for the year 143, of whom 88 were in the piano class.
Swith College, Northampton, has also a school of music, with a 3-jears course, conferring the degree of Mus. B. on those who complete the course.
Lasell Seminary, Anburndale, offers a course of 5 grades in piano playing, and one of 4 grades in roice culture. Graduates from either are admitted without examination to the second year in the college of music of Boston University.
Instruction in music and elocution is given in the Abbot Academy, Andover; in music, not including elocution, in the Gannett Institute for Young Ladies, Boston, and in the Bradford Academy, Bradford.

## TRANTNG IN DOMESTIC ARTS.


#### Abstract

Mrs. Hemenway's Facation School for Girls, Boston, after 2 summers' trial, had, in $1334-85$, passed from an experiment to an assured success. It brought together a class of poor girls of an average age of 16 , who had been in the past kept in the citr during the summer months, but were here taught housekeeping, marketing, needlework, modeling, and cabinet-making, in which last there is said to have been dereloped a surprising proficiency. Pupils enrolled, 125; in average attendance, 120.


## EDUCATION OF THE DEAF AND DUMB.

Provision is made by the State for the free education of such deaf-mutes as the governor may consider fit subjects for it, at the American Asylum, Hartford, the Clarke Institution for Deaf-Mrutes. Northampton, or any other such school in the Commonwealth as parents or guardiaus may prefer.
The Clarke Institution, while claiming to be specially adapted to the education of the semi-deaf and semi-mute, still admits others. Instruction is giren only br means of articulation, lip reading, writing, and reading, the course of study comprising primary, grammar, and high-school branches. The girls are also taught serring and housework, and the older boys cabinet work and carpentry, 17 haring been instructed during 1884-' 85 in the latter industries, and with better results than in any previous year. Indeed, work has been done by them which would be creditable to the arerage mechanic.
The Horace Mann School for the Deaf, also confining itself to the method of articulation, Was established by the Bostun school committee in co-operation with the State board of education, as a day school for deaf children. It is designed to gire an elementary English education, but first aims to teach all its pupils to speak, and to read the speech of others from their lips. Ans deaf child over 5 years of are, residing in Boston, is entitled to admission free of charge. Those living out of Boston pas the average cost for tuition, unless received as State beneficiaries. The girls are taughr to sew, and the bors share the opportunities for mannal training afforded to those oi the other public schools, making as rapid progress in their work as do the bors who can hear. There were 81 pupils belonging to this school in June, 1885 ; bors, 40 : girls, 41.
The New England Industrial School, Beverle, is a private school for the deaf. sustained by charitable donations and the sale of farm products. The combined system of instriction is used-signs for those entirely feaf. and articulation and lip reading for those who show an ability to make progress in this direction. Besides the schon! staclies, pupils are taught farm work, housemork, and sewing. Instrnction in trates will be given when the school shall be able to erect shops.

## EDUCATION OF THE BLIND.

The Perkins Institute and Massachusetts School for the Blind, Boston, gires a good common school education, with training in various industries, to blind routh of 9 to is jears of age, of scund mind and good moral character. An annual fee of $\$ 300 \mathrm{in}$ -
cludes all expenses except those for clothing. Pupils who belong in the State, and whose parents or guardians are unable to pay the whole or a portion of this sum, are admitted gratuitously by application to the goveinor. The employments taught are mattress and broom making, cane-seating of chairs, tpholstering of parlor furniture, serving and knitting by hand and machine, and fance work. Music is carefully taught, and the piano tuning department still retains the costract for keeping in order the pianos of the 132 public schools of Boston. Special ariention is given to the physical training of pupils, including exercise in the open air and regular gymnastic drill under shelter.
Object teaching, which has always been one of the main features in the methods of instruction in this institution, is employed with great efficiency, and during the jear an advance has been made in this direction. In addition to the usual careful handling and examination of educational objects of all kinds, many of the younger pupils have learned to make articles or models of various sbapes and forms out of clay and other pliable material, this being the outcome of the manual dexterity and of the ideas of shape and form dereloped in the kindergarten classes.
A movement for the establishment of a separate kindergarten and primary school for blind children between 5 and 9 jears of age made satisfactory progress in 1884-'85, and promises to be crowned with complete success. An eligible estate has been-purchased in Roxbury at a cost of $\$ 30,000$, and the work for the erection of a building large enough to accommodate from 35 to 40 had been begun at the date of the State report.

## TRAINING OF NURSES.

Four training schools for nurses, 2 of them in Boston, 1 in Roxbury, and 1 in Worcester, report a total of 137 pupils under instruction and 50 graduates in 1885. The school in Worcester was organized in 1883; the others, which had been in operation for 7,12 , and 13 years, had trained about 312 nurses, most of whom had remained in the business. A number had continued in the same line of study and taken the degree of M. D.

## EDUCATIONAL CONVENTIONS.

STATE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.
The Massachusetts Teachers' Association held its 40th annual meeting in Boston, December 29-31, 1884. The speakers were some of the most talented men and women in the educational field. Of the more important topics discussed may be noted an address by Dr. Frank Wells, vice-president of the Massachusetts Emergency and Hygiene Association, on "School hygiene: its relations to the Massachusetts Emergency and Hygiene Association." After a discussion of this paper and of various points connected with the general question of school hygiene, an illustrated talk on color was given, committees were appointed, and the association adjourned, to meet, according to custom, in sections. Uniting again in the evening, the members listened to addresses by Governor Robinson, and President Eliot of Harrard; the latter on the relations of the 228 high schools of the State to its 9 colleges. Dr. Bicknell urged the importance of honest and fearless discussions of educational questions, instancing those of overpressure, examinations, tenure of office, as questions which demand careful investigation. He also spoke of his trip to Alaska, of the remarkable races there, and their susceptibility of high advancement in art and in industrial education.

On the following day Superintendent Seaver, of the Boston schools, as chairman of the committee on educational progress, read a report from the committee asserting the fact of such progress and stating that evidences of this may be found by a careful study of the methods of teaching in use, and of the conditions affecting the teacher's work. In surveying the work of schools, more especially of high schools, during the year, the committee has learned through extensive correspondence that the free textbook law has operated beneficially, increasing the attendance, and probably prolonging the actual school life of many children; that methods of teaching natural science, especially chemistry and physics, are decidedly improving, becoming more practical and making more use of laboratories; that the discussion of the Greek question has unsettled the views of many pupils preparing for college, and that a speedy settlement of the requisitions for admission to college, if there are to be changes, is highly desirable; that a serious increase in the work required for preparation of high school pupils cannot reasonably be expected; that on the part of high school principals a more thorough acquaintance with the aims, methods, and results of grammar school work would be beneficial; that there is need of better professional preparation of teachers for their work; that for high school teachers, especially, there should be professional instruction given in the colleges; that the demands for books upon the principles of teaching is greatly increasing, and that the interest erinced in teachers' meetings and institutes is hearty. The report alludes to the unsatisfactory tenure of office of teachers and looks forward to a remedy. It suggests that the board of education be clothed with powers over public libraries, so as to bring them into closer
relation with the schools, and concludes with a statement that the number of pupils in the high schools is about 8 per cent. greater than it was a year ago.
The subjects before the primary echool section were "Economy in teaching the elements of numbers," "Observation lessons on insects," "Moral training in the primary schools," and "Primary school work in preparation for geography." The first paper argued that instruction in arithmetic, in all subsequent primary grades as in the first, should be concrete, should deal with oljects and not with abstract terms, also insisting that such should be the chicf method used e, a through the grammar schools.
Papers read before the grammar scbool section were on "The use of numbers," "Citizenship and the grammar school," showing that education is necessary to the safetr of a government based on popular suffrage, and "Fingers aud eyes in education, ${ }^{, *}$ which insisted on the importance of pictures in all school studies, assisting, as thes do, not only to train the ese to habits of observation, but to aid in the understanding of facts and to impress them on the memory.
The high school section listened to a paper on "Drawing as an aid in teaching," which offered similar arguments to those in the one just mentioned for the teaching of drawing in high schools, and which was followed by approving remarks by members; also to a paper on "Physics in our high schools."

## MASSACHUSETTS CLASSICAL AND HIGH SCHOOL TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

The eighteenth annual meeting of the association of classical and high school teachers was largely attended by a body of intelligent and cultirated teachers, including some college professors. The papers presented were strong and broad; sharp and incisive criticism frequently occurred both in papers and discussions; the latter being particularly characterized by directness, conciseness, and good jud ment.
Among the papers were one by Mr. Parmenter, of the Waltham High School, on the "Development of the scientific spirit," and one by Mr. Martin, agent of the State board, on "Science instruction in high schools." A paper by Professor Fay, of Tufts College, on the "Relation of preparatory schools to a modern language equivalent for the Greek now required for admission to college," devoted much time to a comparison of the disciplinary value of portions of the grammar of the modern and classical languages. He stated that he has sent a circular to 350 college professors, to get the general drift of scholarly opinion on that subject. In response to an inquiry whether the equivalent should be both French and German, 41 per cent. of the replies were in the affirmative, 40 per cent. in the negative, and 10 per cent. were undecided. The response to the inquiry whether the equivalent should be German or French, 67 per cent. adrocated German, 16 per cent. French, 10 per cent. believed them to be of equal value, and 7 per cent. were undecided. Other papers were "Latin in country high schools," "The chief object in translating," two scholarly papers on Greek topics, "Notes on Harper"s Latin lexicon," "Preparation in English for high schools," "The study of authors," and "Relation of the preparatory school to the college and universitr."

The committee appointed at the last session to take action on resolutions for cooperation between the teachers of preparatory schools and the faculties of colleges reported that a copy of these resolutions had been sent, according to the instructions of the asscciation, to the presidents of 19 colleges (the colleges of New England having been specified br the resolution), but only 3, Harrard, Colby, and Boston Unirersities, had replied. A committee of 3 was then appointed to take the matter into consideration during the coming jear.

Before adjournment resolutions were passed indorsing a bill before the legislature authorizing school committees to elect teachers to serve during efficiency and good hehavior. An extensire debate preceded the adoption of the resolutions, which only receired four or five negatire votes.

CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OFFICER.
Hon. John T. Dickinson, secretary of the State board of education, Boston.
[Mr. Dickinson has been secretary of the board since 1877.]

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STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

|  | 1883-'84. | 1884->5. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| population and attendance. |  |  |  |  |
| Youth of school age (5-20) | 577, 063 | 595,687 | 18, 6:4 |  |
| Enrolled in graded schools | 174,275 | 179, 004 | 4, $7<9$ |  |
| Enrolled in ungraded schools | 230, 691 | 232, 950 | 2,2:9 |  |
| Eurolled in all public schools. | 404, 966 | 411,954 | 6,988 |  |
| Per cent. of school age enrolled | \%0.18 | 69.16 |  | 1.02 |
| Enrolled in private schools . | a27, 130 | a30,458 | 3,328 |  |
| DISTRICTS AND SCHOOLS. |  |  |  |  |
| Townships and independent districts. | 1,176 | 1,186 | 10 |  |
| Graded school districts. | 437 | 440 | 3 |  |
| Ungraded school districts | 6,378 | 6,492 | 114 |  |
| Whole number of districts | 6,815 | 6,932 | 117 |  |
| Districts maintaining public schools. | 6,728 | 6,830 | 152 |  |
| Number of public school-houses ..... | 7,073 | 7, 164 | 111 |  |
| Sittings for study in them : | 498, 859 | 512,659 | 13,800 |  |
| Average length of schools, in days .. | 152 | 141.83 |  | 10.17 |
| Folumes in public school libraries. | 347,557 | 371,669 | 24,112 |  |
| Numiver of prirate schools ..... | 290 | 303 | T |  |
| trachers. |  |  |  |  |
| Men teaching in public schools. | 3, 757 | 3,876 | 119 |  |
| Women teaching in public schools | 11, 503 | 11,482 |  | 21 |
| Whole number of teachers .... | 15,260 | 15,358 | 98 |  |
| Necessary to supply the schools..... | 9,480 | 9,621 | 141 |  |
| State teachers' institutes held |  |  | 6 |  |
| Enrollment in same.... | 6, 361 | 7,090 | \%29 |  |
| Teachers in private schools | 636 | 714 | 78 |  |
| financial statement. |  |  |  |  |
| Average mouthly pay of men teaching. | \$4692 | 84617 |  | §0 \% |
| Average monthly pay of women teaching. | 3068 | 31.8 | \%ิ์ ${ }^{\text {(n) }}$ |  |
| Whole expenditure for public schools. | 4,636, 335 | 4, 228,941 | 92, 608 |  |
| Value of public school property | 10, 945, 178 | 11,267, 056 | 321, 878 |  |
| Permanent fund available.... | 3,795,225 | 3, 838, 729 | 43, 04 |  |

$a$ Estimated.
(From reports of Hon. H. R. Gass and Hon. Theodore Nelson, State superintendents of pablic instruction, for the two years indicated.)

## STATE SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## GENERAL CONDITION.

The preceding table is a gratifying exhibit as to nearly ererything belonging to cutueational interests in the State. Almost the only tetrogressive steps perceived are a lessened number of school youth ( $\bar{\xi}-20$ ) enrolled in public schools, and a shortening of the average school term bp nearly ten and a half dars. But the former was to a fair extent made up for by a large increase in the enrollment in private and church schools, and may have cone from causes that perhaps would have justified the shortening if giren. Townships, independent districts, and graded school districts in-
creased, as may be seen, by 13; the whole number maintaining public schouls by 152 ; the number of pullic school-houses by 111; the sittings for study in these by 13,800, the whole unuber of sittings going besond half a willion. The increase of teachers in State schools, of expenditure for these schools, and of the value of the property devoted to State school purposes, induces the idea that these schools may eventnally swallow up all the others, and a complete public school system come to prevail throughout.

## ADMINISTRATION.

The school system is administered by a State superintendent of public instruction, olected by the people for 2 years; a State bnard of education, clected for 6 years, of which the superiutendent is a member and secretary $e x$ officio ; and a board of regents of the University of Michigan, elected for 8 years, with aunual change of two. The local officers are county boards of 3 school examiners for the examination of teachers, township boards of 3 school inspectors, and district boards of trustees comprising 6 for graded and 3 for ungraded school districts. County boards of examiners are elected by the chairmen of the township boards of inspectors of their counties; district boards by roters of the district or townchip. Public schools are free to all residents of school age ( $\overline{-}-20$ ) without distivetion of race or color, and no separate school for either race is allowed. All children of 8 to 14, unlees excused for goorl reason, must be sent to school at least 4 months in each rear, 6 weeks of which attendance must be consecutive ; and no child under 14 may bo employed in any business by any person, company, or corporation, unless he has attended at least 4 months of the preceding year. Public schools must be unsectarian, and must be taught for at least 9 months in districts having 800 or mere youth of school age, at least 5 months in districts of 30 to 800 , and 3 months in smaller districts.

Besides common schools the system includes high and normal schools, a State unirersity, an agricultural college, schools for the deaf and for the blind, reform schools, and a public school for dependent and neglected children.

## SCHOOL FINANCES.

Public schools are maintained from the income of a State primary school fund, a township tax of one mili on a dollar, and district taxes. These last must not exceed $\$ 50$ for each month of the school year (including the amounts received from the onemill tax and the school fund) in districts having less than 30 pupils. Districts may also vote such tax as is deemed necessary to proride school-houses and sites.

## NEW LEGISLATION.

In the Michigan Public Acts of $\mathbf{1 8 8 5}$, pages $100-112$, it is ordered that cities and rillages maintaining a graded school may establish one or more ungraded ones for the instruction (1) of habitial trnants from a school in which they have beeu enrolled as papils; (2) of children who, while attending a public school, are incorrigibly turbulent, disobedient, or insubordinate, or are vicious or immoral in conduct ; (3) of children not attending any school, but frequenting streets and other public places without lawful employment, business, or occupation which might render attendance at school impossible; and may require said children to attend such ungraded school for the whole or a part of each school day.

In cities with an organized police force, the police authority must detail, at the request of the school anthorities, one or more policemen to assist in the enforcement of the required attendance; and in cities or villages without a regular police force, the board of education, or school district oficers, must designate one or more constables to assist in enforcing the act.

Truant officers, under direction of the school authorities, are to warn alleged truauts and incorrigibles, and their parents or guardians, of the consequences of belonging to any of the juvenile classes of disorderly persons, and are to serve written or printed notice upon the parents or guardians of classes 1 and 2 that such children must begin attendance at the ungraded school within 5 days of the date of said service. Under like direction they must give like notice to the parent or guardian of a child of class 3 that such child is not attending any school, and must begin to attend the ungraded one within 5 days of the date of notice. If parents or guardians refuse or fail to send such child to school, ther must, on conviction, be panished by a fine of $\$ 10$ to $\$ 25$. Should they plead inability to cause the child to attend, such child, if a boy, must be sent to the Reform School at Lansing; if a girl, to the Industrial Home for Girls at Adarian.

## SCHOOL SYSTEMS OF CITIES WITH 7,500 OR MORE INHABITANTS.

## ADMISISTIAATION.

The city of Detroit has a board of education of 12 joembers and Grand Rapids one of 16. Other cities have boards of 6 trastees elected for 3 years. Superintendents are employed in the larger cities and in many of the smaller ones.

In all the Michigan cities or school districts included in this report, the usual gradation of schools from primary to high prevails, a superintendent of schools presiding over and guiding the instruction given.
statistics.
1884-'85.

| Cities. | Population. census of 1880. | Children of school age. | Enrollment in public schools. | Arerage daily attendlance. | Number of teachers. | Espenditure. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Adrian $a$. | 7,849 | 2,382 | 1,645 | 927 | 31 | \$19,853 |
| Ann Arbor | 8,061 | 2, 876 | 1,930 | 1,525 | 47 | 35, 946 |
| Bay City. | 20,693 | 7,578 | 3, 519 | 2, 344 | 59 | 4 7,924 |
| Detroit. | 116,340 | 45, 641 | 19,751 | 13, 4.50 | 315 | 310, 012 |
| East Saginam. | 19, 016 | 7,734 | 4,023 | 3,204 | 74 | 65, 166 |
| Flint.... | 8,409 | 2,403 | 1,998 | 1, 4 $\because 2$ | 38 | 34, 661 |
| (irand Rapinds | 32, 016 | 12, 218 | 8, 136 | 5,726 | 168 | 2\%0, 206 |
| Jackson, Wistrict | 16,105 | $\left\{\begin{array}{l}2,714 \\ \mathbf{2}, 339\end{array}\right.$ | 2,123 | 1, 418 | 36 | 25,945 |
| Kalamazoo © ...... | 16,105 | $\left\{\begin{array}{l}2,339 \\ 3,949\end{array}\right.$ | 1, 3,381 | 1.868 | 21 | 15, 925 |
| Lansing a... | 12,5319 8,319 | 3, 2,72 | 2,590 | 1, 1,215 | 33 | 58, 334 |
| Mnskegon | 11,262 | 5,458 | 3,610 | 2,381 | 62 | 60, 414 |
| Port Huron | 8, 883 | 3,724 | 2, 018 | 1,481 | 32 | 23, 409 |
| Saginaw | 10,525 | 4,430 | 2,359 | 1,779 | 41 | 45,111 |

$a$ State report.
$b$ These figures include 211 pupils in erening schools, 59 in arerage attendance on them, and 4 teachers in them.

## ADDITIONAL PARTICULARS.

Adrian, with 87 fewrer youth of school age, had a considerably larger enrollment than in 1884, but showed a smaller average attendance and expended $\$ 662$ less for its schools. Drawing is taught in every grade. A training school for teachers is reported and high school courses of 4 years.

Ann Arbor fell off slightly in the number of youth enrolled in its schools, but had a considerable increase in average attendance in 1884-'85. The schools were classed as primary, grammar, and high, the sessions covering 190 days. Music, drawing, and penmanship were taught by special instructors. Other than public schools enrolled about 200.

Bay City presents an increase of 816 in school south, of 219 in enrollment in public schools, of 246 in average attendance, and of 2 in teachers, but a decrease of $\$ 9,469$ in expenditure for school purposes from 1883-'s4. In private and parochial schools about 600 were reported.

Detroit shows 1,801 more school jouth, 1,603 more of these enrolled in public schools, 1,002 more in average daily attendance, and 18 more teachers, while the expenditures for the jear increased by $\$ 19,098$. The schools occupied 31 buildings, with 15,429 sittings, valued, with sites, etc., at $\$ 1,001,950$, and were taught 196 days. A special teacher of drawing is reported, but none of music or penmanship. Teachers of evening schools appear, but no statement of the number of such schools, or of the instruction or attendance in them. In private and parochial schools there are 8,378 pupils.

East Saginaw reports a fair increase in all public school statistics, 69 more jouth of school age, 183 more enrolled in public schools, 198 more held in average attendance under 6 more teachers, with an expenditure of $\$ 2,609$ for schools beyond that of $18833^{-84}$. The schools occupied 11 bnildings, with 3,525 sittings, valued, with other school property, at $\$ 212,0 \dot{0} 0$. Private school enrollment was 475 .
Flint, with 35 fewer school south than in 1883-'84 to draw upon, enrolled 9 more in its public schools, and showed 60 more in average daily attendance, with an expenditure for school purposes of $\$ 2,576$ less. Its 7 public school buildings aftorded 1,850 sittings for study, which seem to have been fairly sufficient. The schools were taught 194 days, instruction in reading being given by a special teacher. Eurollment in private and parish schools, 250.

Grand Rapids valued its 22 public school buildings, with $7,5 \% 0$ sittings, at $\$ 628,490$. Evening schools were taught in 4 rooms, the enrollment being 211, nnder 4 teachers. Special teachers of music, drawing, and penmanship were emploved at an annual salary of $\$ 1,000$ each. Private school enrollment was 1,100 . The figures throughout show a considerable increase in enrollment, arerage attendance, teachers, and expeuditure for schools.

Jackison.-District number 1, with 124 more school youth, enrolled 100 more in public schools, and had 92 more in average attendance, but had 3 ferwer teachers and espended $\$ 5,562$ less for school purposes. The schools were taught 192 days, drawing under a special teacher entering into the instruction given.

Lalamazoo, according to the figures of the State report for 1884-'85 and those in the Report of the Bureau of Education for 1882 -' 3 , shows an increase in two years of 317 in school routl, of 1,007 in enrollment in public schools, of 230 in average attendance, and of $\$ 16,402$ in expenditure for its school system.
Lansing, with 113 additional school yonth in 1884-'55, appears, from the statisties of the State reports for that and the preceding year, to have fallen off in public school eurollment and average attendance, though it seems to have expended $\$ 3,125$ more for its schools.
Muskegon shows an increase of 372 in enrollment in its city schools, of 241 in arerage daily attendance, of 7 in teachers, and of $\$ 12,747$ in expenditure. The schools were tanght 197 days in 9 school buildings, with 2,780 sittings. At least 1 erening school was beld, with 2 teachers, 1 male, 1 female. Special teachers of músic and penmanship also appear.
Port Huron shows an increase of 107 in enrollment in public schools, of 5 in teachers, and of $\$ 7, E 29$ in expenditure for all school purposes. Private and parochial schools had an estimated enrolluent of 300 .
Saginave, with 227 more school youth in 1884- 85 , enrolled only 59 more such yonth in its public schools, bat increased by 215 its average attendance, and br $\$ 13,904$ the expenditure for all school purposes. The city schools were taught 195 days in 7 buildings with 2,043 sittings, under 3 male and 38 female teachers. Music and drawing were attended to by special teachers. In private and parish schools there was an estimated enrollment of 641 .
Public school property was ralued at $\$ 128,000$.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## STATE REQUIREMENTS FOR CERTIFICATES.

Graduates of the State Normal Ẽchool, Ypsilanti, recommended by its board of instruction, mar have from the State board of education a diplowa which secures a certificate of qualification to teach in any of the public schoois. The State board also holds, at fixed times, meetings to test the qualifications of any persons that desire certificates good throughout the State, and such certificates, when granted, are ralid for 10 years, unless revoked. For other certificates of ability to teach in city or district schools the State board prepares questions for the use of offcers authorized to examine teachers, and the State superintendent of public instrnction furnishes these questions to such officers, who determine from their examination of candidates Whether the certificates giren shall hold for 1,2 , or 3 jears.
state mormal training.
Michigan State Normal School, Ypsilanti, presents essentially the same courses of instruction in 1884 -'85 as in the preceding year, namely, scientific, literary, language, and music courses, each of 4 rears, any one of which, fully completed, secures a certificate of qualification to teach for life, unless reroked; while an English course of 3 years brings a 5 -rears certificate.

Cnirersity of Michigan, Ann Arbor, gives instruction in the science and art of instruetion and government of schools, the historical development of educational systems and methods, with discussion of special topics in the history and philosophy of education, etc., from 2 to 4 days each week. Teachers' diplomas are given to such students or resident graduates of the university as complete one of these courses and oue of the other teachers' courses offered by other professors, and shom marked proficiency in the course or courses chosen.

## OTHER NORNAL TRALNING.

Adrian and Hillsdale Colleges continued in 1884-'5 the offer of normal instruction noticed in the last Report, that at Adrian still of 2 years, that at Hillsdale lengthened to 4 jears. Olivet College presents a 3 -jears English normal course; a 4 -rears language course; a fall and spring term normal class; and a summer normal of 5 weeks. A teachers' association appears at Albion College.

## TEACHERS' INSTITUTES.

These temporary normal schools are required to be held annually, one in each county in ordinary cases, though in exceptional circumstances they may be omitted, or be held for the benefit of 2 or more adjoining counties and receire the proper institute funds from each. In $1884-{ }^{\prime} 55$ there $\pi$ ere reported 74 State institutes, against 68 the preceding year, the attendance of enrolled teachers reaching 7,090, an increase of

729 over the number in 1383-84. As in other years, a large part of the eniollment was composed of women, 5,157 of these against 1,933 men.
In 35 counties ( 3 less than in 1883-'84) county teachers' associations were reported.

## EDCCATIONAL JOURNAL.

The Michigan School Moderator, Grand Rapids, a valuable paper, well edited, and full of usefnl educational information, continued its issues in 1884-85.

## SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

TUBLIC HIGII SCHOOLS.
Statistics of the high school departments of 59 graded school districts give an enrollment of 6,830 pupils. In the 248 graded schools reporting statisties, Latin was taught in 66 ; Greek, in 9 ; Freuch, in 14; German, in 53 ; vocal music, in 43 ; drawing, in 40.

## OTHER NEC'ONDARY SCHOOLS

For statistics of private secondary schools, such as business colleges, academies, and preparatory departments of colleges, see Tables IV, VI, and IX of the Appendix, and for a summary of the same, see corresponding tables in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, has a department of literature, science, and arts, of medicine and surgery ; of law; of pharmacy; a homœpathic medical college; and a college of dental surgery, each having its own faculty and under its own management, while the unirersity senate, composed of these faculties, cousiders questions of common interest. The State provides free taition, admitting persons of either sex who are qualified. In the department of literature, science, and the arts, different courses of study are marked out, leading to the degrees of bachelor of arts, of science. of philosophy, and of letters; to the corresponding master's degrees; the degrees of doctor of philosophy, of science, and of letters, and those of civil, mechanical, and mining engineer. Special students, not candidates for a degree, are received; but all under 21 must pass such entrance examination as is required of candidates for some degree, and those over 21 must show that they are prepared to pursue profitably the studies they propose to undertake. The right to an admission on diploma, hitherto limited to students of secondary schools in Michigan, is now extended to approved schools in other States.
The privileges of the university system of study are open not only to graduates of this and other universities, but also to undergraduates who have completed their second year, with all the prescribed work belonging to that period, for some one of the bachelor's degrees. Students working on this system are not held to the completion of a definite number of courses, bat are required to pursue a fixed line of study, including one major and two minor studies, and pass a special examinatiou on these. This requisition, since June, 1884, has been adopted also for the master's degree, a year's residence at the university, devoted to an approved course of study after having graduated as bachelor, being now required. Non-residents who havo been graduated at the university may receive the master's degree after two years' study.

Six other colleges, all open equally to both sexes, report for $1884-85$, viz: Adrian, Albion, Hillsdale, Kalamazoo, and Olivet, situated in torns of the same name, and Hope College, Holland. All these provide full classical collegiate courses of instruction, following a preparatory course ; all but one add scientitic courses.

Gifts were received during the year by Albion, Hillsdale, Hope, Kalamazoo, and Olivet Colleges, amounting altogether to over $\$ 168,000$. Of this sum $\$ 110,000$ mere given to Albion for endowment; $\$ 12,000$ to Hillsdale, of which $\$ 10,000$ were for a professorship of christian metaphysics; $\$ 30,350$ to Hope College, of which $\$ 23,035$ were for a theological professorship; $\$ 5,300$ to Kalamazoo for the permanent fund; and $\$ 10,840$ to Olivet for buildings, endowment, and general fund. The State university received a number of valuable gifts, among them $\$ 2,000$ worth of machinery for the mechanical engineering departinent, about 100 models, casts, and sculptures, and 3,500 volumes of law books.
Few statistics see Table IX of the Appendix, and for a summary see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SUPERIOR INTSTRUCTION OF YOUNG WOMEN.

Besides the facilities offered for the higher education of young women in all the above colleges and the State university, further provision is made for them in Michigan Yenale Seminary, Kalamazoo, which is modeled after Mt. Holroke Seminary in Massachusetts. Ali the pupils assist for one hour daily in the lighter domestic
work of the family. The course of stndy extends over 4 years, and includes music, painting, drawing, German, and French. For statistics sce Table VIII of the Appendix.

## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL NSSTRUCTION.

## SCIENTIF゙IC.

The Michigan State Agricultural College, Lausing, first organized in 1855, reorganized in 1861, and, under the coutrol of the State Board of Agriculture, endowed with the State's share of the Cougressional grant for agriculture and the mechanic arts (amounting to $23.5,673$ acres of land), receives students freo of tuition and without distinction of sex. The regular coulse of instruction, corering 4 years, aims to impart is knowledge of the natural sciences and their application to the arts. Those sciences especially which relate to agriculture, chemistry, botany, zoology, and animal plysiology, are studied with constant reference to their practical application in industrial work. The course comprises, besides other branches of applied science, sarveying and leveling, agricultural engineering, and civil engineering, the degree given on completion of the full course being bachelor of science. A department of mechanic arts is to be opened immediately, the legislature having made an appropriation for the erection of shops and their equipment. As already noted, all the colleges excent one make provision for instruction in general scientific branches. The University of Michigan, besides these, includes in its department of science, literature, and the arts, complete instruction in all branches of engineering, civil, mechanical, and mining, and is better prepared than ever to afford such training. The chemical laboratory offers better facilities for systematic instruction and original investigation. The mechanical laboratorr, giving opportunity for instruction and practice in the use of tools, and for working in wood and metal, has been more than doubled in capacits during the year.
For statistics see Table $\mathbf{X}$ of the Appendir, and for a summary see the report of the Commissioner preceding.

PROFESSIONAL.
Theology.-Theological instruction is given in Adrian College (Methodist Protestant), the Theological Department of Hillsdale College (Free Baptist), and the Western Seminary of the Reformed Church in America, all having courses of study extending orer 3 years of 40,38 , and $3 \frac{4}{4}$ meebs respectively. The last named was the theological department of Hope College, reopened in December, 1884, after a suspension of 7 years, and in June, $18 \approx \bar{\jmath}$, reorganized as a separate institution. For statistics see Table XI of the Appendis, and for a summary see the report of the Commissioner preceding.
Law.-Legal trainiug is provided in the law department of the University of Michigan, where, in a course of study extending over 2 years of 9 months each, students pursue all those branches considered necessary to a thorough legal education. Any person may matriculate in this department, but candidates for the degree of B.L. must be not less than 18, and, if not graduates of a college, academy, or high school, must pass an examiuation for admission. Of 262 students attending in 188 - 85,40 had received a degree in letters or science. For further statistics see Table XII of the Appendix.

Mediclive.-Medical instruction was given during the rear in the Department of Medicine and Surgery of the University of Michigan, the Homœopathic Medical Department of that uniwersity, Detroit Medical College, and Michigan College of Medicine, Detroit. The last two were united in 1885 to form a new school, the Detroit College of Medicine, which was organized in June. The two schools of the State university require of applicants for admission, if not graduates or matriculates of some suitable literary institution, an examination which will show their fitness to pursue the technical study of medicine. A 3-years graded course of study is provided, covering the full college year of 9 months, but students may be admitted to advanced standing on passing examination in all the studies of the previous sear or years. During the past fer fears the facilities for clinical instruction in these schools have been largely increased. Br the liberality of successire legislatures, aided by contributions from the city of Ann Arbor, ample hospital accommodations have been provided. There were 450 matriculates in the four schools reporting, of whom 126 were graduated. For further statistics see Table XIII of the Appendix, aud for a summary see the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

## EDUCATION OF THE DEAF AND DUMB.

Michigan Institution for Educating the Deaf and Dumb, Flint, sapported br the State, had about the same number under instruction as during toe precediag year; the percentage of the male inmates, however, decreasing from in per cent. of the whole number under training during that jear to 43 per cent. for the year under reviefr. The

State superintendent remarks in his report that this, among other State charitable institutions, continues to command the confidence of the people and reflect credit upon the State.

The Evangelical Letheran Deaf-Mute Institute, Norris, sustained by the Evangelical Lutheran Synod of Missouri, gives its pupils training in the common school branches, including drawing, with gardening and housework. The system of instruction used is the articulation method.

For full statistics of the foregoing institutions see the Appendix, Table XVIII, and for a summary of the statistics see a similarly numbered table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## EDUCATION OF THE BLIND.

The Michigan School for the Blind, Lansing, supported by the State, gives instruction, board, and all necessary care to blind youth living in the State, of snitable age, and sound in body and mind. The age for admission is from 10 to 21 , but persons over 21 may be received in special cases. Instruction is given in the branches usually taught in the common schools, in vocal and instrumental music, and in broom-making, sewing, knitting, and fancy-work. Certain hours are set apart each day for outioor exercise, and each pupil is required to take this exercise unless excused.

TRALNING LN MUSIC AND APT.
Instruction in drarring and music enters largely into the courses of the better class of graded schools un the State system, special teachers for both arts being usmally employed in the la1. Les. The State university, Ann Arbor, provides mechanical and free-hand drawnug ; Adrian, Albiun, Battle Creek, Hillsdale, Kalamazoo, and Olivet Colleges, music and voice culture; the State Normal School at Ypsilati, drawing and penmanship, with attention to vocal and instrumental music.

## TRALNLNG IN LNDUSTRIES.

The Detroit Industrial School Association receives poor children for instruction in sewing, with, apparently, kitchen-garden and kindergarten exercises. Its last received report, for 1884 , indicated an arerage attendance of 80 in the winter and 60 in the summer.
From the Michigan Reform School for Boys, Lansing, and the State Industrial Home for Girls, Adrian, no report for $1884-85$ reached the State superintendent of public instruction; but he says that it continues to be the policy of the boards of control to extend instruction in industries as far as possible, and to fit the inmates for the duties of citizenship through the training and teaching given them.
At the State Public School, Coldwater, a kindergarten department was established in $1 \times 84-85$, and is said to have been a most important adjunct to the school work.
The Lansing Industrial School, Lansing, for the instruction of girls between the ages of 5 and 18 whose parents are destitute, reports 48 inmates taught sewing, to which other industries are to be added as fast as means will allow. Since its organization, in 1879, 200 children have been under training.

## EDUCATIONAL CONVENTIONS.

## STATE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

The thirty-fourth annual session of this association was held at Lansing, December 29-31, 1884. The first address was by President Thompson, of the Rose Polytechnic Institute, on "Technology in the public schools." The inangural address, by Superintendent Spencer, was on "Some limitations of educational progress." Other papers were on "Methods of teaching tie English language in grades below the high school and in district schools"; "The why and the how of the use of English authors in the high schools;" and "The elective system in high schools." The association alsolistened to an address by Colonel Parker, of Illinois, entitled "Learning to do by doing."
A committee appointed to consider needed school legislation submitted a report, which was adopted, urging that the township system be made the unit for the management of local school attairs; advising certain changes in methods of school supervision with the aim of securing greater effciency therein; and offiering a number of other suggestions, among them that manual training schools be established in connection with the State normal school and the agricultural college, that the law requiring instruction to be giren concerning the effects of the use of alcohol and varcotics on the haman system be strengthened by the addition of a penalty for its violation, and that the provisions of the compulsory school law be extended to districts of less than 5,000 inhabitants.

Before adjournment the association appointed a committee to devise and report a scheme for teachers' reading circles, in view of the need of a more systematic study of the theory and science of educatiou.

## CITY SUPERINTENDENTS' ASSOCLATION.

Tho city superintendents met in conrention at Lansing, May 21 and 22, 1885. State Superintendent Nelson was present and delivered an address. A paper on "Science in the public schools, what and how?" was read and discussed, as also one on "Science in the primary grades." Other papers presented to tho association were on "Botany," "Chemistry," and "Natural philosophy." A suggestion was made and farorably considered to the effect that the title of "Professor" be dropped from before the names of teachers in the public schools.

## CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OFFICER.

Hon. Theodore Nelson, LL.D., State superintendent of public instruction.
[Dr. Nelson's term is not definitely stated, bat is believed to extend from April, 1885, to April, 1887.]

## MINNESOTA.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

|  | 1883-84. | 1884-85. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| POPULATION AND ATTENDANCE. |  |  |  |  |
| Youth of school age (5-21) | 359, 366 |  |  |  |
| Enrolled in public schools. | 223, 209 | 232,721 | 9,512 |  |
| Average daily attendance. | 100,637 | 118,697 | 18,0¢0 |  |
| Per cent. of enrollment in average daily attendance. | 45.09 | 51.00 | 5.91 |  |
| Per cent. of enumeration in attendance. | 28.00 |  |  |  |
| Enrollment in graded schools .... | 52, 189 |  |  |  |
| Average daily attendance in them. SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND SCHOOLS. | 32,088 |  |  |  |
| Number of school districts | 4,902 | 5,076 | 174 |  |
| Public school-houses in use.. | 4,671 | 4,660 |  | 11 |
| New ones built within the year... | 391 | 303 |  | 83 |
| Average time of schools in days.. teachers. | 112 | 116 | 4 |  |
| Men teaching in public schools... | 1,715 | 1,794 | ¢9 |  |
| Women teaching in them ........ | 4, 371 | 4,776 | 405 |  |
| Whole number of teachers.. | 6,083 | 6,570 | 484 |  |
| Teachers continued 3 years or more. | 364 | 200 |  | 104 |
| Teachers graduates of a normal school. | 415 | 326 |  | 30 |
| Teachers who have attended normal schools. | 1,245 | 1,921 | cr6 |  |
| Men teaching in graded schools .. | 130 |  |  |  |
| Women teaching in graded schools Total of teachers in graded schools | 837 |  |  |  |
| Total of teachers in graded schools financial statement. | 1,017 |  |  |  |
| Average monthly pay of men teaching. | \$40 00 | §39 21 |  | \% 39 |
| Average monthly pay of women.- | 3000 | 2993 |  |  |
| Valation of school-houses built during the year. | 685, 072 | 357,920 |  | 32\% 10. |
| Valuation of all school property.- | 5, 415,599 | 5, 248, 889 |  | 156,710 |
| Whole expenditure for public schools. | 2,819, 711 | 3, 043, 595 | \$223, 884 |  |
| Amount of available school fund. | 6,246, 321 | 7,250,000 | 1,003, 673 |  |

(From reports of Hon. D. L. Kiehle, State superintendent of public instruction, fer the two years indicated.)

## GENERAL CONDITION.

The reports of the superintendent being biennial, and the last one printed being for the term closing with 1883-84, the information at hand for 1804-85 is limited in that given by the superintendent in a special return to this Office. These figures show advancement, however, in nearly all respects, the exceptions being a small decrease in the average monthly pay of teachers, a large one in the valuation of new school-houses, and a considerable one in the estimated value of public school property.

There was an increase of more than 9,500 in the number of pupils enrolled in public schools, aud one nearly twice as great in the average daily attendance, while the arerage school term for the State was 4 days longer, and there was an increase of 484 in the number of teachers employed.

## ADMLNISTRATION.

A superinterdent of public instruction, appointed for 2 jears by the governor, with the consent of the senate, has general supervisiou of educational affairs. He is a member, cso oficio, of is board of regents which controls the management of the State university, and is also secretary of the board of directors of the State normal schools. For each county there is a superintendent of schools, elected by the people biennially; for common school districts, a board of 3 trustees; for independent districts, a boarú of 6 directors. All these district officers are elected for 3 years. Women may rote on school questions and hold school offices. Public schools are free to all resident youth, 5 to 21 , and must be taught not less than 12 , nor more than 44 weeks, in any year. Teachers must report, each term, to the countr superintendent, and the latter annually to the State superintendent and the county auditor. The State superintendent reports biennially to the legislature. The system comprises high and State normal schools, teachers' institates, a State university, and schools for the deaf, blind, and feeble-minded.

## SCHOOL FLNANCES.

Public schools are sustained from the proceeds of a State school fund, a county tax of 1 mill on $\$ 1$, the proceeds of liquor licenses and fines not otherwise appropriated, the sale of unclaimed estrays, and an optional district tax to provide school-horises and sites, the last not to exceed 8 mills on $\$ 1$ annually.

## NEW LEGISLATION.

In addition to the $\$ 3,000$ previously allowed by law for the expenses of State institntes nuder direction of the superintendent of public instruction, 設, 000 annually is allowed since 1883. Any school that may be in session in a county at the time of such 20 institute for that county is to be closed for a rreek on the requirement of the superintendent of the countr, to allow the teacher of it to attend the institute; and on presenting a certificate of such attendance the teacher is to be allowed to make up the time so lost.
Additional provision is also made for the full supply of text books to the public schools, througe action of the State superintendent of pablic instruction and of county superintendents.
An act passed by the Twenty-fourth Legislature and approved March 5, 1885, requires all parents or guardians to see that their children attend some public or private school for at least 12 weeks in each year, 6 of them at least to be consecutive, unless such children be excused by the board of edncation of their district or city. The circumstances enumerated by the law as furnishing valid reason for snch excuse, are: such mental or bodily condition of the child as would prevent application to study; the fact that adequate instruction is given at home; a residence distant over 2 miles from any school; or such poverty of parent or guardian as prevents him from properly clothing his child. Violation of this law is to be visited by a fine of from $\$ 10$ to $\$ 25$ for the first offense and $\$ 25$ to $\$ 50$ for the second.

Another enactment of the same session provided for the of a establishment new normal school, to be, like the others, under the supervision of the State normal school board. It was to be at Moorhead, provided that city mould donate to the State a suitable tract of land, of not less than six acres, for the location and ase of the school within 18 months from the passage of the act, and provided further that no money be appropriated for the use of the school till the year 1887.

## SCHOOL SYSTEMS OF CITIES WITH 7,500 OR MORE INHABITANTS.

## ADMINISTRATION.

Any city of 500 or more inhabitants not under special laws may be organized into independent school districts, with boards of 6 directors elected by the citizens for 3 rears, with annual change of 2. A superintendent is elected by the board, of which le is a member, er officio. Minneapolis and St. Paul are under special lars, each haring a loard of education elected by the people, that of Minneapolis having 7 members, that of St. Paul, 15. Each board is subject to partial annual change and each is authorized to ennploy a superintendent.

## STATISTICS.

1884-'85.

| Cities. | Population, census of 1880. | Children of school age. | Enrollment in public schools. | Average daily attendance. | Number of teachers. | Expenditare. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Minneapoli St. Paul... | $\begin{aligned} & 46,887 \\ & 41,473 \end{aligned}$ | 34,450 | $\begin{array}{r} a 14,515 \\ 9,491 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 69,663 \\ 6,039 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} c 278 \\ 198 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 338,827 \\ 297,248 \end{array}$ |

$a$ Includes 1,470 in evening schools; $b$ includes 512 in average attendance in erening schools; $c$ includes 27 teachers of evening schools.

## ADDITIONAL PARTICULARS.

Minneapolis in 1884-85 reported an increase of 10,950 in school population, of 3,823 in enrollment, and of 3,294 in average daily attendance, including evening schools, with 80 more teachers. For sites and buildings the expenses were $\$ 120,646$; for furniture and apparatus, 85,552 . The entire expenditure was increased by $\$ 36,514$ over that of the previous year. The schools were taught 188 days in 27 buildings with 10,254 sittings. Music, drawing, and penmanship were taught by special teachers, at a cost of $\$ 2,200$ a year for music, and $\$ 1,300$ for each of the other studies. Evening schools were maintained with an enrollment of 1,142 boys and 323 girls, under 27 teachers. Public school property was valued at $\$ 1,032,058$. Private school enrollment was 2,680.

St. Paul presents an increase of 1,837 in enrollment in its public schools, of 1,461 in average daily attendance, and of 37 in teachers. Special teachers were emplojed for music, drawing, and penmanship. The schools are graded as primary, grammar, high, and normal. Three evening schools also appear. The day schools were taught 198 days, in 25 buildings with 10,580 sittings. German is taught throughout the course, for which 6 teachers are employed exclusive of the teacher at the high school, at a cost of $\$ 5,750$ for the year. In $1884-85$ the number studying German in the public schools of the city was 1,080 , an increase of 283 over the preceding jear. The enrollment in the 3 eveaing schocls was 638 boys and 130 girls, expenses for these, $\$ 762$. Public school property was valued at $\$ 737,905$. Private school enrollment, $\$ 4,200$.

## PREPARATION AND QUALILICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## STATE REQUIREMENTS FOR CERTIFICATES.

To be emplosed in public schools, teachers must have certificates of qualification given after examination by the officers designated by law for this purpose. These in ordinary districts are county superintendents; in independent districts, examiners appointed by the boards of education. Certificates of county superintendents are of three grades, the first valid in the county for 2 jears, the second for 1 year, and the third (valid in the district only) for 6 months.

## STATE NORMAL TRAINING.

Three State normal schools, at Winona, Mankato, and St. Cloud, give free tuition to students preparing to teach, provided they pledge themselves to teach in the public schools of the State for 2 years after graduation. Two courses are offered, an elementary one of 2 jozars, and an adranced one of 4. A preparatory course is also arranged for those who are not sufficiently advanced in their studies to enter the first professional year. The school at Winona also offers a professional course of a jear for graduates of approved high schools and others who have completed the required academic work. A kindergarten department, organized in 1880, has proved a source of great attraction. The school at Mankato, the second established in the State, has during the 16 years of its existence given instruction to about 2,500 students and has graduated 276. During tho past 5 years the annual attendance of pupils has increased from 169 to over 500, the year 1884 being decidedly the most prosperous in the history of the school.

## TEACHERS' INSTITUTES.

The school law requires the State superintendent to hold amually in the sparsely settled counties as many State teachers' institutes as he shall find practicable, each to continue in session one week at least, and in thickly settled localities to conduct normal training schools for such teachers as are unable to attend the State normal schools. Such training schools are to be free of charge for attendance, to be entirely practical, and to continne in session from four to six weeks.

The number of such institutes and training schools held during 1884-95 has not been reported to this Office.

## EDUCATIONAL JOURNALS.

School Education, published monthly in Rochester, is the medium for much valuable information relating to educational interests in the State, and in 1885 was in its fourth volume.

## SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

## PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS.

Power is given to the board of education of any city, town, or village of 500 or more inhabitants to establish such grades of schools as they may deem expedient.
Br an act approved March 2, 1833, the High School Board is given power to act on applications of schools for State aid, and to prescribe the conditions upon which sand aid shail be granted; and it is made the duty of the board to accept and aid such schools only as will, in its opinion, efficiently perform the service coutemplated by larr. But not more than 5 schools may be aided in each county in any one year. Any school once accepted and continuing to comply with the law, and the regulations of the board made in pursuance thereof, is to be aided not less than 3 jears.
High schools are maintained in the principal cities, but only St. Paul and Minneapolis report them for $1884-85$. That at St. Paul enrolled 288 pupils, having 253 in average attendance, under 14 teachers. The full course covers 4 years, but on account of the demand for it a 2 -years commercial course was arranged and placed under an experienced teacher. A well equipped gymnasium for both sexes has been provided, of which the papils quite generally availed themselves. In the departments of science and physics practical work was done. The graduating class of 1885 numbered 16 .
The Minneapolis high school occupies a building with 10 rooms for both study and recitation and 5 for recitation only, the principal having a salary of $\$ 2,500$; the assistants, from $\$ 900$ to $\$ 1,500$ a year.
The State High School Board, which had under its supervisiou 49 bigh schools in 1883, appears to have had 61 on its list in 1881, since which time no report of these schools has been received.

## OTHER SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

For statistics of business colleges, private academies, and preparatory departments of colleges, see Tables IV, VI, VII, and IX of the Appendix, and summaries of them in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## COLLEGES FOR YOUNVG NEN OR FOR BOTH SEXES.

The University of Minnesota, open free of charges for instruction and upon equal terms to all persons over 14 who have passed the required examination, comprises in its curriculum collegiate, university, and professional instruction. The collegiate includes, with some preparatory studies, those of the freshman and sophomore years of the classical, scientific, and literary courses, furnishing preparation for a college of science, literature, and the arts, a college of agriculture, of the mechanic arts, one of medicine, and other professional schools hereafter to be organized. The college of science, literature, and the arts, taking up collegiate studies at the beginning of the junior year, also provides classical, scientific, and literary courses which lead to appropriate degrees. Only about one-third of the work during the junior and senior years is prescribed ; out of about 15 hours each reek of recitations or lectures, at least 10 are in optional studies. Among these are comparative philology, the Scandinavian languages, psychology, natural theology, sanitary science, and some others which are elective in all the courses, though a majority of the electives in each course consists of the required studies of the other two. There is also a graduate department for the training of specialists, in which, after a year's study equiralent to the work done by the senior class, students may receive the degree of master of arts, master of science, or master of literature, according to the line of study pursued.
The other institutions of the above class are the St. John's University, Collegeville (R. C.); Hamline University, Hamline (M. E.); Angsburg Seminary, Minneapolis (Ev. Lutheran); and Carleton College, Northfield (Congregational). All these provide preparatory, classical, and scientific courses of studr, St. John's adding commercial, musical, and ecclesiastical instruction, Augsburg Seminary, theological, and Carleton College, literary, English academic, and musical courses. Hamline University and Carleton College admit both sexes; the latter is also open to all irrespective of race. This college received gifts during the year amounting to more than $\$ 67,000$, all from friends in New England, of which \$25,880 was from the estate of E. Gridley, Hartford, Conn., to build a ball, the remainder for endowment.
For statistics see Table IX of the Appendix, and for a summary, see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION OF YOUNG WOMEN.

Besides the opportunities for instruction in 3 of the colleges and universities above named, young women have special provision made for their education in St. Mary's Hall, Faribatll, and Bennet Seminary, Minneapolis; the former a Protestant Episcopal institution of high grade, with a 4-rears collegiate course, thongh not anthorized to confer collegiate degrees; the latter non-sectarian, with classical and scientific courses of study leading to appropriate baccalaureate degrees. A new college for young women, Albert Lea College, chartered in 1881, was to be opened September, 1885, at the town of the same name.
For statistics see Table VIII of the Appendix, and for a summary see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION.

## SCIENTIFIC.

The chief provision for scientific training is made by the University of Minnesota in its colleges of agriculture and of mechanic arts. In professional courses of instruction following the preparatory training of the freshman and sophomore years, students may devote themselves to civil engineering, mechanical engineering, architecture, or to agricultural branches, the regular course in all extending over 2 years. Special courses in agriculture are also provided for the benefit of such as are not fitted to enter the regular course leading to a degree, and to these any person may be admitted who appears to be competent to receive the instruction. There is also a lecture course for the lenefit of farmers whose business will not allow them to enter any of the other courses of study.

For statistics, see Table X of the Appendix, and for a summary, the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## PRORESSIONAL.

Theology. - The institutions for theological instruction reporting are the Ecclesiastical Seminary of St. John's University (R. C.) ; Seabury Divinity School, Faribault. (P. E.) ; Augsburg Seminary Theological Course, Minueapolis (Ev. Luth.); and Red Wing Evangelical Lutheran Seminary, Red Wing. No changes are reported during the jear in the courses of study, which extend over 3 years.

For statistics, see Table XI of the $\Lambda$ ppendix, and for a summary, see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

Mrdicine.-The Medical Department of the University of Minnesota and Medical Examining Board, though standing at the head of the profession in the State, gires no instruction in medicine. Its faculty of 9 professors is an examining body organized by State law, with powers and duties similar to those conferred on the Illinois State Board of Health, viz: to examine into the qualifications of those practicing medicine in the State who are not exempt by reasou of length of practice, and to issue certificates entitling them to practice.

Medical training was given during the year in Minnesota College Hospital, Minneapolis, which provides the usual 3 -years course of study, including two lecture terms, also a 3 -years graded course which students are recommended to pursme; and requires an examination for admission of candidates not graduates of some suitable literary institution.

St. Paul Medical College, organized in 1885, is a reorganization of a school of the same name founded in 1878 , but which during the past 5 years has been associated with the preceding.

For statistics, see Table XIII of the Appendix, and for a summary, see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

## EDUCATION OF THE DEAF AND DUMB.

The Minnesota Institution for the Education of the Deaf and Dumb, Faribault, free to deaf-mutes of the State 10 to 25 years of age, gives instruction by what is called the combined method. The common school branches are taught and the ustal industries. Fhe school work proper is confined to the forenoon, from $8 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{n}$. to $12.30 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. , pupils boing divided into 8 classes averaging about 16 to a class. The 3 d biennial report, for the two years closing July, 1884, shows that 35 pupils had received instruction in articulation with varying success. Only one teacher was employed for this department, making a class far too large to secure the best results. Graduates of the sehool were increasing in number and influence; only a few counties of the State had not been represented in it; and the average age of those admitted was less than formerly, hence more favorable for permanent impression.

## edducation of the blind.

The School for the Blind, Faribault, free to State pupils, gives instruction during a course of 8 jears in the common school studies, music, vocal and instrumental, broom work, serring by hand and machine, linitting, and fancy work.
training of the feeble-minded.
The Minnesota School for Idiots and Imbeciles, Faribault, had 96 children under its care during the rear, 64 bors and 32 girls. The aim is to gire these children the best intellectual instruction adapted to their condition, and such training in manual work as will enable them to become usetul and self-supporting. The progress made in these directions since the organization of the school in 1879 has equaled the expectations of those in charge of the work.

## TRAINING FOR NURSES.

The Forthuestern Hospital Training Sckool for Jurses, Minueapolis, first opened in 1883, reporting 5 pupils aud 2 graduates in $1=84^{-85}$, has giren instraction to 23 since organization.

## REFORMATORY AND INDUSTRIAL TRALNING.

The Minnesota Reform School, St. Paul, established in 1868 , has had 652 boฑs under its training, and 90 per cent. of those discharged have become orderly and useful members of socie15. They are tanght the common school branches, besides a number of emplorments. Abont one-half the boys are employed in the shops at carpentre, wood-turning, scroll-sawing, and tinning; the others do farming, gardening, and domestic work. School studies are made a primarr object, each inmate being required to spend at least 4 hours a day in regular school duties.

The number under training during $1584-85$ was 162 , of whom 19 were girls. All but 6 were white and 47 were orphans.

## EDUCATIONAL CONVENTIONS.

STATE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION゙.
The meeting for 1824 of the State Teachers' Association was postponed to allow teachers to attend the Exposition at New Orbeans. This was done only after mature deliberation, and consultation with the leading town and counts superintendents throughout the State, who were decidedly in faror of such postponement.

CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OFFICER.
Hon. D. L. Kif.hle, State superintendent of public instruction, St. Paul.
[Second term, August, 1883, to August, 1885.]

MISSISSIPPI.
STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

a Counting each grade as a school.
$b$ Includes 58 whose sex is not reported.
$c$ superintendent. Smith else where makes this $\$ 27.99$, which gires for 1884 an increase of 74 cents, instead of a decrease of \$..47. (S. W. Journal of Education, Mar, 1885, 1. 12.)
(The figures for 1833, above given, are from a printed report and written return of Hon. J. Argyle Smith, State superintendent of public instruction from Janaary, $18 \pi \mathcal{Z}$, to January, 1880 ; those for 1884 , from a written return of his successor, Hon. J. R. Preston.)

## STATE SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## GENERAL CONDITION.

The abore statistics show an increase during the year of 12,000 in pupils enrolled in public schools, and one of nearly 30,000 in arerage daily attendance. These latter figures, however, cannot be wholly relied on, since in but fer counties of the State has any school ceusus been taken since 1880. It appears that the increased enrollment in public schools was distributed betreen the two races somewhat in proportion to their relative number of children of school age, that of colored being nearly 8,000 , that of white about 4,000 , while the increase in average daily attendance was much greater in the schools for whites. The arerage school term for the State mas a day longer in the country districts than during 1853 , and in the cities was 26 ảays longer. More teachers were employed corresponding to the increased enrollment, and more money was expended for public school parposes. The average monthly pay of teachers, however, decreased by $\$ 2.47$-the only evidence of retrogression.

Superintendent Smith says that in nearly all the cities and larger towns the public schools are now continued from 8 to 10 months, and are generally well graded, while in the counties taxes have been more liberal and more freely paid than in preceding years, school warrants having risen generally to par, and county school-terms, once extremely brief, having been extended generally to 4 months and in some instances to 5 , with prospects of still greater lengthening.

## ADMINISTRATION.

A State superintendent of public education, elected by the people for 4 years, has general supervision of the common schools. A State board of education of 3 members, including the superintendent, is charged with the management of the school funds and with other duties, including the appointment of county superintendents, one for each county. The local interests of public schools are supervised by trustee; In country districts a board of 3 , elected by the people, is provided for each school. The law requires that, before any person be appointed counts superintendent, he have a certificate from a board of examiners instituted to ascertain the fitness of candidates for such office. This examination embraces, besides educational qualifications, moral character and executive ability. Two of the 3 members of this examining board must be professional educators or have had experience in teaching. One is selected by the judge of the circuit court, one by the chancellor of the district, and the other by the board of county supervisors. Separate schools for white and colored children must be maintained. The legal term is 5 months, except when this would require a tax of more than $\$ 7.59$ on each $\$ 1,000$ of taxable property; in such case, the term may be reduced to 4 months, the minimum length fixed by the State constitntion. Districts that neglect to sustain schools for at least 4 months in any gear forfeit their proportion of public school moneys for such jear.

## SCHOOL FINANCES.

Public schools are supported from a distributable State fund of $\$ 200,000$, township fands, and municipal and county taxes. Aid was received from the Peabody Fund during $1834-85$ amounting to $\$ 2,250$, which was expended for scholarships at the Southern Normal School, Nashville, Tennessee.

## NEW LEGISLATION.

The Mississippi laws of 1884 impose a penalty of $\$ 2.50$ on a town clerk or clerk of a board of supervisors failing to make report of payments for teachers' services, as required by section 2173 of the revised code of 1880.
Each township trustee representing the inhabitants thereof in matters pertaining to section number 16, or other section in lieu thereof, or the money arising from any disposition of such section, is to give bonds for faithful discharge of duties and acconnt of money received, in amount to be determined by the board of county supervisors.
An industrial institute and college for the education of white girls in arts and sciences was also provided for; such girls to have the opportnnity to acquire a normal school education, with a knowledge of kindergarten instruction, of telegraphy, stenography, and photography; also of drawing, painting, designing, engraving, bookkeeping, and other practical industries. For the accomplishment of this see "Scientific instruction," further on.

## CITY SCHOOL SYSTEMS OF 7,500 OR MORE INHABITANTS.

## ADMINISTRATION.

For the supervision of city schools the mayor and aldermen appoint a board of 3 trustees, whose duties are similar to those of county school trustees, the county superintendent retaining the same jurisdiction over these schools as over others in the county, and the mayor and aldermen exercising the functions othermise belonging to county supervisors. No statistics hare been received from municipal systems for the year under revier.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## STATE REQUIREMENTS FOR CERTIFICATES.

To be employed in public schools, teachers must have certificates of qualification signed by their county superintendent, who, in conjunction with the board of supervisors, examines candidates and, if fonnd qualified, gives them certificates of tirst, second, or third grade, which are ralid in any part of the county for a year. The first-grade certificate is evidence of ability to teach the higher branches of English literature, natural philosophy, and elements of book-keeping, in addition to the common school studies; the second-grade includes the grammar school branches; the third, only the elementary.

## STATE NORMAL TRAINING.

The State Normal School, Holly Springs, trains colored teachers for the public schools in a course of study extending over 4 jears. Tuition is free; but in return pupils are required to teach at least three years in the public schools of the State. The school is reported in a generally good condition, although the apprepriations for it are too small to meet its wants. About 35 graduates hare been sent out, and within the past few years nearly 600 of its students have taught in this and neighboring States.
The Normal Department of Tongaloo University, established by the A. M. Missionary Assuciation, receives aid from the State amounting to from $\$ 2,000$ to $\$ 3,000$ annually. Two normal courses of study are provided, an elementary one of 2 years, and an adranced one of 2 more.

## OTHER NORMAL TRAINING.

Opportunities for the preparation of teachers are afforded in Kavanaugh College, Holmesville, first opened in 1884; in Inka Normal Institute. Iuka, where a course of 1 year prepares for a diploma and the degree of bachelor of didactics; and in Jackson College, Jackson, where students are prepared for a first-grade certificate.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## COLLEGES FOR YOUNG MEN OR FOP BOTH SEXES.

University of Mississippi, Oxford, comprehevds two general departments, viz, of science, literature, and the arts, and of professional education. Under the former are included 5 distinct courses of study, of which 3 are undergraduate and lead to the degress of bachelor of arts, of science, and of philosophy. The studies for the first two are prescribed; in the other they are elective. The graduate courses are for the degrees of master of arts and doctor of philosophy, the former requiring a year for completion, the latter two rears, of which at least one must be spent in the university. Both are open to graduates whether in arts or science of this university, or of other institutions of like grade. A resolution of the board of trustees, adopted in 1832, admits joung women on equal terms with men to the privileges of the university, provided they are qualified to enter the freshman class. A sub-freshman, or preparatory jear is open to foung men.
The 2 other institutions of the above class reporting are Mississippi College, Clinton, and Rust University, Holly Springs. The former presents no regular curriculum, arranging its studies in 8 distiuct schools, and measuring scholarship by attainments rather than by time spent in the college; the latter embraces classical, scientific, normal, and theological courses of stady.
For statistics see Table IX of the Appendix, and for a summary see the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION OF YOUNG WOMEN.

Ten collegiate institutions exclusively for young women report for the year under review or the previous one. All are authorized to confer collegiate degrees, and a majority appear to have classical courses leading to the degree of bachelor of arts, besides including modern languages, music, and the fine arts. For statistics see Table VIII of the Appendix, and for a summary see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

# SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION. 

## SCIENTIFIC.

The Agricilltural and Mechanical College of Mississippi, Oltibbeha County, gives free instruction to residents of the State. The curriculnm comprises preparatory and collegiate studies, with those sciences which underlie agriculture and the mechanic arts, and leads to the degree of B. S. Class room instruction goes hand in hand with industrial training, which is given by labor on the farm, in raising and cultivating all kinds of crops, in breeding and care of cattle, dairy business, horticulture, etc. All students are expected to work, and those who are industrious can thus defray a large portion of the expenses of their education. The extreme limit of accommodation has been reached in attendance, which was larger during the year 1884-' 85 than ever before. In fact it was found necessary to refuse about 100 applicants. There are about 1,750 acres of land in the farm, of which onl5 400 acres are good, the remainder being worn out land which, nuder scientific treatment, is being reclaimed.

Alcorn Agricultural and Mechanical College, Rodney, for colored students, also receives a share of the congressional grant for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts, and provides preparatory and scientific courses of study. The report of the president for 1884-85 shows an increase in attendance, an adrance in scholarship,
and a strong desire on the part of students to become familiar with improved methods of farming.

Mississippi Industrial Institute and College, Columbus, first opened Octover 22, 1885, was established by the legislature of the State for the education of white girls in the arts and sciences. Tuitiou is free, each county in the State being entitled to a certain number of scholarships to be filled by county superintendents with the approval of the board of supervisors. The course of study is divided into four general departments, collegiate, normal, industrial, and one of music and fine arts. When fully organized the industrial department will embrace telegraphy, stenography, type${ }^{r}$ riting, book-keeping, drawing, designing, modeling, carving on wood, engraving, weedle-work, repoussé and leather-work, photography, pharmacy, cutting and making garments, millinery, cookerr, and printing.
For statistics of scientific schools see Table X of the Appendix, and for a summary sce the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## PROFESSIONAL.

Theology. - Students are prepared for the ministry at Jackson College, Jackson, supported by the American Baptist Home Mission Socicty for training ministers and teachers, and at Rust University, Holly Springs (Methodist Episcopal). For statistics see Table XI of the Appendix, and for a summary see corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner, preceding.
Law.-Legal training may be obtained at the State university, where a course of instruction extending orer 2 years commands a diploma which is by statute a license to practice law in any court of the State. For statistics see Table XII of the Appendix.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

## EDCCATION OF THE DEAF AND DUMB.

The Mississippi Institution for the Education of the Deaf and Dumb, Jackson, supported by the State, is a free school for the deaf of Mississippi, boarding, tuition, books, and all incidental expenses being defrayed, and even clothing and transportation furnished to the rery poor. The method of instruction is that known as the combined. Good results are reported from the instruction in articulation recently introduced, the plan used in this being Bell's system of vocal physiology. The course of study, including the common and some of the higher English branches, is divided into 6 grades. School hours are from $8 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. to 1 p . m., the remainder of the day being devoted to recreatien, study, and work. Printing, carpentry, shoemaking, .and cabinet work are taught the boys; while the girls learn sewing, cutting, and itting.

The institution is reported to be in a flourishing condition, and the buildings in a thorough state of repair and equal to all necessities.

## EDECATION OF THE BLIND.

The Mississippi Institution for the Education of the Blind, Jackson, a free school sustained by the State, is open to blind youth 9 to 21 years of age who are not incapacitated for instruction by infirmity of mind or body. The course of instruction includes the branches of a commoin English education, with some of the higher studies and music. Pupils are also trained in such employments as broom and mattress-making. chair-seating, upholstery, sewing, knitting, and fancy woris.
The attendance during 1884 and 1885 was about 30 , the annual appropriation, \$10,000.

## INDUSTRIAL TRAINING.

An industrial department was added to Tongaloo University during 1884-85, embracing four of the leading mechanical pursnits of the section, viz, blacksmithing, wagon-making, carpentry, and tinsmithing. These employments were being successinly tanght ander the direction of skilled workmen. An increasing desire is reported on the part of the students to obtain a thorough knowledge of farming and houscisceping, or of some trade that will qualify them for self-support after they leare the institution.

## EDUCATIONAL CONVENTIONS.

## STATE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

No information has been received in regard to the meeting of the State association for 1884.

> CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OFFICER.

Hon. J. Argyin Smith, superintendent of public instruction, Jackson.
[Second term, January 3, 1882, to January 5, 1880.]

## MISSOURI.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

(From reports and returns of State superintendent of public schools, Hon. William E. Coleman, for the two years indicated.)

## STATE SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## GENERAL CONDITION.

The statistics from this State show progress during the year in many important respects. With about 800,000 youth of school age (6-20) there was an enrollment in public schools of about 67 per cent., an increase of 26,735 in school population and of 16,695 in the number enrolled. More schools by 107 were taught, and 492 more rooms were provided. An increase in the namber of teachers necessary to supply the schools and a decrease in the number actually emplojed hare caused a better proportion between these two items, indicating that fewer changes were made in the corps of teachers during the year, while their average monthly pay increased. On the other hand, a large decrease is shown in the average daily attendance, the average school term was 6 days shorter, and the expenditure for public schools was less. In making these comparisons, however, it must be remembered that the report for 1884-85 is for only one year, while that for 1883-'84 included 15 months, the law having been changed so as to make the school year close in June instead of in April. "It is man-
ifest," says the superintendent, "that the public school system has taken a deep hold upon the hearts of the people; and while advancement, improvement, and proficiency have characterized the efforts and results of the last decade, no single jear's work has been marked by a greater degree of progress than the one under review." Among the most prominent features of the present educational status he notes the readiness with which the law is complied with in all matters pertaining to school aftairs; the promptuess with which the obligations of the district are met; the determination of boards to make the receipts of the jear pay the year's expenses; the constant demand for more experienced teachers; the willingness with which longer terms and better salaries are voted by the people; the large number of successful county teachers' institutes held during the summer; and the general awakening to the importance of securing the greatest amount of good and substantial results as a compensation for the millions of dollars annually expended in the education of the jouth of the State.

## ADMINISTRATION゙.

A board of education composed of the governor, secretary of state, and attorneygeneral, with a superintendent of public schools elected by the people for 4 years, have general superrision of public school affairs. Each connty has a school commissioner, elected by the people for 2 years; and each district a board of 3 directors, elected for 3 years, one being chauged each year, also a district clerk appointed by the board.
The district clerk keeps a record of the proceedings of the board of directors, and of all school meetings held in the district, and he must report annually to the county commissioner the district school statistics, as found in the teachers' reports, which must be sent him erery month and every term, on penalty of forfeiture of the last month's pay. County commissioners report annually to the State superintendent and the latter to the legislature when it is in session, otherwise to the governor. Boards of directors, among other duties, employ legally qualified teachers, visit schools, and take the school census annually. They must establish separate schools for colored children in all districts which have more than 15 such children, these schools to have the same adrantages as those for white children and to be managed by the same school officers. The public schools are free to all resident jouth of 6 to 20 years; non-residents who attend are credited towards their tuition with such amount of public money as may be their share in their own district. County uniformity of text books is secured by the adoption of a series by majority vote at a meeting of school officers held once in 5 years at the county seat of each county. Provision is made in the system for normal schools, teachers' institutes, a State university, and institutions for the education of the deaf and dumb and the blind. The appropriation of public funds to any private or sectarian institation is absolutely forbidden.

## fiNaNCes.

The public schools are sustained from 25 per cent. of the State revenue; from the proceeds of lands granted by the United States and not otherwise appropriated, and also of any availajle educational funds; from the net proceeds of the State tobacco warehouse; of sales of escheats, estrajs, etc.; from fines, penalties, etc., and from the sales of anr public lands which may be paid over to the State, provided Congress consent to such appropriation; also from all other grants or gifts to the State not otherwise appropriated. In case such fands should be insufficient to sustain a free school at least 4 months in every year in each school district, additional funds may be raised by taxation. The rate allowed to be levied depends in counties on the value of property therein and in cities on the number of their inhabitants, that in districts being limited to a maximum of 40 cents on $\$ 100$ (unless such districts be formed of cities and towns), except that a majority of district taxpayers may by vote increase the rate to 65 cents. These rates may be further increased, when necessary, for building purposes by a two-thirds vote of the qualified roters of the county, city, or school district, as the case may be.

## NEW LEGISLATION.

By an act of 1885, instruction in physiology and hygiene, with reference to the effects of alcoholic drinks, stimulants, and narcotics on the human system, was made lawful in the case of children whose parents desired such instruction to be given, but was not to be forced on any others. After September 1, 1886, the same act provided that no certificate should be given any person to teach in the public schools of Missouri, and no teacher be authorized to teach in such schools, without having passed a satisfactory examination on the points above indicated.

## SCHOOL SYSTEMS OF CITIES WITH 7,500 OR MORE•INHABITANTS.

## ADMINISTRATION.

Any city, town, or village, may organize as a school district, and elect a board of 6 directors for a term of $\mathbf{3}$ years, with a president, secretary, and treasurer chosen from
their own members. This board shall establish primary schools of a grade similar to other public schools; also schools of a higher grade, where studies not provided for in the other schools may be pursued.

STATISTICS.
1884-'85.

| Cities. | $\begin{gathered} \text { Population, } \\ \text { census of } \\ 1880 . \end{gathered}$ | Children of school age. | Number enrolled. | Average attendance. | Number of toachers. | Expenditures. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Hannibal | 11, 074 | 4,347 | 2,296 | 1,473 | 34 | \$23, 694 |
| Kansas City | 55, 785 | 25,435 | 10,549 | - 6,738 | + 147 | 222, 835 |
| St. Joseph | 32, 431 | 13, 007 | 4,551 | 2,993 | . 78 | 71, 148 |
| St. Louis a | 350, 518 | 108, 454 | マ̌". 53,991 | 37, 033 | 1, 086 | 942, 117 |
| Sedalia... | 9,561 | 3, 918 | ¢く. 2,882 | 1,888 | 44 | 28, 312 |

a From State report.

## ADDITIONAL PARTICULARS.

Hannibal presents an increase of 232 in school youth, of 136 in eurollment, of 29 in average attendance, and au expenditure of $\$ 1,155$ more for public schools than in $188: 3-$ ' 84 . In its 7 school buildings were 1,600 sittings. The primary schools were accommodated in 17 rooms, the grammar schools in 12, and the his.l school in 3; all taught by 3 men and 31 women tcachers. Thirty-four per cent. of children of school age were in average daily attendance. Of the 2,295 enrolled only 100 were over 16 , the remainder, 2,196 , being between 6 and 16. Private schools enrolled 250. Public schools were in session 173 days. School property was valucd at $\$ 38,700$.

Kansas City reports an increase in school youth of 2,865, of 826 in enrollment, of 496 in daily attendance, and of 10 in tcachers. To accommodate this large increase, the city issued bonds to the amount of $\$ 60,000$, which, being at a premium, sold for $\$ 62,850$, thus enabling it to erect 2 nerw school buildings, together containing 14 rooms, and add 11 rooms to other buildings, making a total of 174 rooms in the district. The public schools enrolled none under 6 years of age, and only $2 \not 25$ over 16, leaving 10,324 between the ages of 6 and 16. Forty-one per cent. of the school youth were enrolled. Schools were taught 180 days, by 19 men and 128 women. School property was valued at $\$ 546,510$.

St. Joseph, while gaining 669 in school youth, lost 111 in evrollment, 230 in average daily attendance, and expended $\$ 16,483$ less for public schools than in 188"-' 84. This muusual falling off was occasioncd by a deficiency in school funds, and an outbreak of sinall-pox, causing great irregularity of attendance, and making the year one of the most discouraging in the history of the public schools. There were 19 school buildings, with 2,365 sittings for primary, 1,450 for grammar, and 240 for high school grades, the entire school property being valued at $\$ 196,375$. The average daily attendance was 23 per cent. of children of school age. Of school youth over 16 years of age, only 105 were enrolled in the public schools. Private schools enrolled 700. Public schools were in session 198 days, under 11 men and 67 women teachers. Music and drawing were taught by special teachers. Including the 700 in private schools, the enrollment in all schools was a little over 40 per cent. of school youth, one-third of whom may ve counted off as beyond ordinary school life, and usefully employed.

St. Louis reported 66 schools for white youth and 14 for colored, occupying 836 rooms, with a seating capacity of 47,810 . The cost of crecting new buildings during the year was $\$ 59,926$, for apparatus $\$ 94,644$, and for rent and repairs $\$ 54,621$, while for libraries the city expended $\$ 14,000$. Public school property had advauced in value, since $1882-83$, from $\$ 836,120$ to $\$ 3,109,329$. The receipts for public schools from all sourccs aggregated $\$ 1,066,5 \% 4$.

Sedalia enrolled in its public schools 74 per cent. of its school youth, 300 in private schools advancing the attendance for the year to 80 per cent. This school record is high. As to tests of school work, a little over 48 per cent. of children of school age were in daily attendance in the public schools. The 9 school buildings, with 2,340 sittings, afforded abundant room for the attendance. Four men and 40 women tanght the schools for an average term of 179 days. School property was rated at $\$ 110,000$.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## STATE REQUIREMEN'TS FOR CERTIFICATES.

Teachers of public schools must hold certificates of qualification from their county commissioner or from the State superintendent. County certificates are given after an examination which musis show the holders to be capable of teaching the ordinary
common school branches. This examination is usually made by the county commissioner, although the State superintendent is also authorized to examine candidates. Certificates are in force only in the county for which they are granted, and are valid from one to two years, according to the character of the examination sustained, but for not more than one sear anless the person be qualified to teach the elements of the natural sciences and physiology.

## STATE NOORMAL TRAINING.

The State is divided into 3 normal school districts, each under the management of a board of 7 regents appointed br the gorernor, the State superintendent being, ex officio, a member of each board. Under this system 3 schools are in operation, designated respectively first, second, and third district normal schools. All have a uniforin course of stude, arranged with special reference to fitting teackers for the common and high schools. The full 4 -vears course leads to a diploma and the degree of bachelor of scientific didactics. Students who complete the elementary course requiring 2 years, receive a certificate which entitles them to teach 2 years without further examination.
The State provides normal training in two other institutions, the University at Columbia, and Lincoln Institute, Jefferson City. The normal department of the university graduates students in two distinct normal courses, one acadenic, the other elementary. The work of the academic, including that of one of the collegiate coarses, supplemented by 2 semesters of professional instruction, leads to the degree of bachelor of pedagogics, and prepares for positions in the secondary or higher schools of the State or to superintend the work of others. The elementary course, extending over 2 years, is arranged to meet the requirements of the school law in the preparation of teachers for district schools. Lincolu Institute, for the normal training of colored stadents, originated in 1866 in a fund given by two regiments of colored troops, was a few sears after transferred to the State, from which it has since received annual appropriations. Tuition is free. Both preparatory and normal departments are provided, the latter requiriug 4 jears for completion, the former 1 to $\overline{5}$ jears, according to preparation.

## OTHER NOBMAL TRAINLKG.

The St. Louis Normal School, maintained by the city as a part of the school system, is intended for the preparation of roung women to teach in the public schools. High school graduates complete the course in $1 \frac{1}{2}$ rears; others require $2 \frac{1}{2}$.
Preparation for teaching is also offered in 3 -years courses at the Sonthwest Baptist College, Bolivar; Lewis College, Glasgow; La Grange College, La Grange: William Jewell College, Liberts; in 2-jears courses at Stewartsvilie and Central Wesleran Colleges (Sterrartsville and Warrenton); and in a full $\overline{5}$-years conrse at Sedalia Unirersity, Sedalia.

## MISSOURI TEACEERS' READING CIPCLE.

A State teachers' reading circle, intended to promote the improrement of its members in literary, scientific, and professional knowledge, and to inculcate habits of self-culture, was organized during the summer of 183.0 . This action was taken in response to a call issued in May, 1835, by the Missouri School Journal, suggesting the election of owicers by postal card rote. The board thus elected held its first meeting during the session of the State Teachers' Association, Jnne 25 th, when a definite plan of orgarization was adopted and a course of reading arranged for the first year.

## SCHOOL OF SCIENCE AND PEDAGOGY.

A school of science and pedagogs was organized at Sweet Springs immediately following the meeting of the State Association for 1885 , and in pursuance of a resolution adopted at the preceding annual meeting of that association. The school commenced June 29 th and continued in session three weeks. Only 30 regalar members were enrolled, but these were of the best qualits, representing city superintendents, teven principals, presidents of private schools, and members and professors of tho unversity and the normal schools. The subjects included in the daily programme were mental science, pedagogics, English language, chemistry, geology, astronomy, and elocution. The success attending the school was such as to justify its continuance, and arravgements were made for another session in $18 \div 6$, immediately after the meeting of the State Association.

## TEACHERS' NTSTITCTES.

Normal institutes, according to law, are to be held in all counties which rote to empicy the whole time of the county commissioner, and it is made the duty of teachers to become members of such institutes and attend them, as far as possible. Notwithstanding the largely voluntary character of this work, institutes were held in a majority of the connties during the summer of 18.5 , the sessions lasting from two to four weeks. These institates were vigorously encouraged, cheerinlls patronized, and
liberally supported by the best and most progressive teachers of the counties. In some counties, as a first effort, the institute was held for only a few days, in the hope of doing better in the future; and in a few such cases arrangements were made for a longer term with a good conductor for the following year.

Many of the leading educators of the State have made the conducting of institutes a study, and every year the signs of improvement multiply. Among these are noted a better attendance by the teachers, a presence of school boards, a prominence given to methods of primary instruction, a support and encouragement of the institutes by the public, and a noticeable improvement of teachers wherever institutes have been held. In the summer of 1885 such institutes were held in 55 counties. Some held 2, Nodaway 6, Pettis 11. The aggregate number of days of these institutes was 636. Total number of teachers attending, 3,235 .

## EDUCATIONAL JOURNALS.

The American Journal of Education, St. Lonis, the oldest educational paper in the State, was in its 18th volume in 1835, and was still full of life, strongly urging the fostering of the pablic schools, and national aid to education.
The MIissouri School Journal, Jefferson City, was in its second volume in 1884-'85, is well edited, and presents in its monthly issues during the school year the reports of graded schools made by school officers.

## SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

## PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS.

High schools are maintained in all the principal cities of the State; but only Hannibal, Kansas City, St. Joseph, and Sedalia report them for 1884 -'o5.
Hannibal High School enrolled 160 pupils, had an average attendance of 126, and graduated 8. The course includes the regular high school studies, special attention being paid to reading. By a series of entertainments, the popils secured 100 books to carry out a special reading course. In a new building which was about ready for occupancy, it was proposed to arrange the schools in separate departments.

Kansas City has 2 high schools. The Central offers academic and classical courses of 4 years each. A business course was in contemplation. Sixteen students were graduated in 1885. Lincoln High School for colored pupils graduated its first class of 4 in the same year.
St. Joseph High School has a well organized course of 3 years, following a preparatory year. Throughont the course music and Latin are required, and drawing is optional. German is optional in the preparatory, junior, and middle years. In the middle and senior years French is optional, and Greek may be substituted for science. Twenty students were graduated in 1885, one less than in the preceding year.

Sedalia High School occupied 3 rooms, bat no further information has been received.

## other secondart schools.

Statistics of business colleges, private academies, independent preparatory schools, and preparatory departments of colleges and scientific schools may be found, as far as reported to this Bureau, in Tables IV, VI, VII, IX, and $\mathbf{X}$ of the Appendis to this Report; summaries of them, in corresponding tables in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## COLLEGES FOR YOUNG MEN OR FOR BOTH SEXES.

Unirersity of Missouri, Columbia.-Tuition, except in the professional departments, is substantially free; and, since the enlargement of the university building, for which provision was made by the Iegislature in 1883, the institution affords facilities for the instruction of over 1,000 youth. The curriculum comprises 20 schools , of which 11 are academic and 9 professional; the academic schools form 4 regular courses of study, which lead to the degrees of bachelor of arts, of science, of literature, and of domestic arts. All are open to girls, but the last named is intended especially for them, comprising instruction in some branches which are considered peculiarly useful to young women. The professional schools of the nniversity, including those of law, medicine, agriculture, engineering, etc., will be more particularly noted under the appropriate heads.

Of $: 20$ other colleges and universities in the State, 17 report statistics for 1884 or 1885. All but 6 are open to both sexes. All present classical conrses of study, which, except in one institution, extend over 4 jears. A large majority also offer courses leading to the degree of Sci. B. ; those which do not, usually offer a choice between the classical and a literary or philosophical course. Ten add instruction in music, 4 in business, 5 in the fine arts, and 7, as already noted, provide facilities for the training of teachers. Five hare departments of theology, and one a department of lar.

Gifts or bequests were received during 1884-85 by 9 of these colleges, amonnting, in the aggregate, to over $\$ 33,000$ in money. The largest sum given was $\$ 55,000$ to Willjam Jewell College, Liberty, raised by subscription for purposes of endowinent. Washington University, St. Louis, received a gift of real estate from Mr. Henry Shaw, of St. Louis, of which the income, amounting to $\$ 5,400$ annually, is to be devoted to the foundation of a chair of botany. For further statistics see Table IX of the Appendix, and for a summary see the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION OF YOUNG WOMEN.

Besides the opportunities for higher instruction afforded young women in the 15 colleges and universities noted above, there are 13 or more colleges and seminaries for them exclusively. Of these at least 10 are authorized to confer collegiate degrees, 2 do not claim that privilege, and 1 of the 13 does not report on this point. The Academy of the Visitation, St. Louis, not included in the above number, appears still to be in existence, although no catalogne or other report has been received from it for several years. All the above institutions have at least a 4 -years course of collegiate study, nearly all including in it German, French, and mnsic, and one of them adding Italian, Spanish, and Anglo-Saxon. For statistics, see Table VIII of the Appondix, and for a summary, see the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION.

## SCIENTIFIC.

Besides the courses in general science comprised, as already noted, in the undergraduate departments of a number of colleges and universities, more extended and technical training in scientific branches is given in departments of the State universiry, and in Washington University, St. Louis.
The Missouri Agricultural and Mechanical College, a department of the State university, while maintaining both professional and academic instruction, has for its main object the education of the farmer in a special rather than a general course. The professional course, extending over 2 years, may be taken before the academic or after, at the option of the student, or eitlier may be pursued without the other. By this plan, students desiring a training in agriculture need not be delayed by years of elementary preparation, but may, after the completion of their professional work, add a more extended academic training shonld they so desire. Both the science and art of agriculture are tanght, the former by lectures, supplemented by text books, the latter by actual field work. Among new improvements is an excellent workshop, with power.
The School of Mines and Metallurgy, another department of the State university, located at Rolla, provides 2 courses of study leading to the degrees of mining and civil engineer, and each requiring 3 years for completion. A preparatory course of 2 years is provided for those not titted to enter on these studies. The design of the school is, in connection with the Agricultural College, to carry out to its amplest extent the intention of the act of Congress to provide for education in the industrial arts. This has been kept prominently in viev in arranging the curriculum, in the selection of apparatus, equipment, and faculty. It is a school of technology, with civil and mining engineering and metallurgy as specialties.
The State university School of Engincering, comprising courses in civil, topographical, and military engineering, is designed to furnish a thorough knowledge, theoretical and practical, of those sciences and arts which are playing the most important part in the development of the resources of the country.
The Sckool of Military Science and Tact cs of the university gives instruction in all the branches usually comprised in such courses of study, students going to the school of engineering for training in the military branch of that science.

Washington Cniversity, St. Louis, provides a polytechnic school which prepares students for professional work, either as engineers, chemists, or architects. Five courses are offered, viz, in chemistry, mining and metallurgy, building and architecture, civil engineering, and dynanic engineering. The studies during the first two jears are the same in all, diverging more or less during the junior and senior years.
The Manual Training School of Washington Uuiversity gives a 3 years course of training in pure nathematics, science and applied mathematics, language and literature (Latin and French being electives), penmanship, free-hand and mechanical drawiug, and tool instruction, including carpentry, wood turning, molding, brazing, soldering, forging, and bench and machine work in meials. A large portion of the pupils' time is occupied in shop work, each having during the school day $\%$ hours of shop practice and 1 of drawing.
For statistics of scientific schools see Table $\mathbb{X}$ of the Appendix, and for a summery, the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## PROFESSIONAL.

Theology.- Five theological schools or departments are reported, viz, Theological Department of St. Vincent's College, Cape Girardean; Jeremiah Vardeman School of Theology (of William Jewell College); Concordia College Seminary, St. Lonis; Evangelical Theological Seminary, Normandy; and the Theological Department of Central Wesleyan College, Warrenton. The first and the last named report courses of stady of 4 years. In the theological school of William Jewell College, which is one of 8 constituting the college curriculum, the classes are so arranged that the theological student may carry on both theological and literary studies together, and may graduate in the one class or the other first, as he chooses. Tuition is free to ministerial students. Concordia College, which reports a 3 -rears course, is supported by the German Evangelical Lutheran Synod, and also gives tuition free. An examination for admission is required of applicants not college graduates in all the above schools, except perbaps the first named, which is silent on this point.
For statistics of theological schools see Table XI of the Appendis, and for a sammary see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.
Law.-Instruction in law is given in departments of the University of Missouri, and in Washington University, the full course of study in each for the degree extending over 2 years of about 7 months each, an examination being required at the end of the junior year, as well as the senior. The school at Washington University, still graduating students after satisfactory completion of the 2-years enurse, has made arrangements for a third year, which, for the present, is optional, but which it is hoped will be added in a few years to the required course. It is believed that an elevation of the standard of legal iustruction is required, and that 3 years is a short enough term for such thorough and comprehensive study as should be required of every one admitted to the bar. Missouri University law schogk provides a shorter elective course for students not candidates for a degree. A knowledge of book-keeping is epnsidered so essential to a la wyer that the stady of it, either at the school or elserwere, is insisted ar before graduation.
For etatistics see Table XII of the Appendix, and for a summary see a corresponding table in the report of the Cominissioner preceding.
Medicike. - The State Board of Health of Missorri, reorganized July 2, 1885, is founded on the same plan and adopts the same standard in its recognition of medical colleges as does the Illinois State Board. Eince its renrganization, the Missouri State Board has adopted the policy of issuing certificates only to graduates, believing that the State lan allowing them to be given to non-graduates on examination is no longer beneficial and should be repealed.
Medical training was given during the year in 11 schools, viz: Missouri Medical College, St. Louis, St. Louis Medical Colleze; Medical School of the University of the State of Missouri, Columbia; Kansas City Medical College; St. Louis College of Physicians and Surgeons; Northwestern Medical College of St. Joseph; Miefical Department of the University of Kansas City; St. Joseph Medleal College; and Kansas City Hospital College of Medicine, all "regular" schools, and the Homœopathic Medical College of Missouri, St. Louis, and the American Medical College (eclectic), also there. All the above require of applicants for admission evidence of such edacation as fits them to pursue the study of medicine, all but two including specifically an acquaintance with elementary physics. Three-years graded courses are provided and recommended by Missouri Medical College, Kansas City Medical College, St. Lonis College of Physicians and Surgeons, Medical Department of the University of Kansas City, and St. Joseph Medical College, while at St. Louis Medical College a $3-$ years course is required. Kansas City Hospital College of Medicine, in addition to its regular course of stady, provides a professorship of bomœopathy, in which special effort is made to teach the materia medica and its application as thoroughly as may be done in any homcoopathic institution. Eclectic medicine will also be taught here by a competent professor.
The above 11 schools enrolled during the year 629 students and gradnated 195. Of these matriculates 573 were "regular," 32 were homeopathic, and 24 eclectic. For foll statistics see Table XIII of the Appendis, and for a summary see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

TRAINLNG IN ART.
At the State uriversity, Colnmhia, a school of art covering 3 years has been for some time in operation under a skilled professor. He holds that every student qualified to enter on the university course will make progress in the study of form and art fully commensurate with the efforts to that end which he puts forth, the most faithfuilstudent in this, as in ans branch of st ndy, almays achiering the best results. The university catalogue shows 177 pupils in the art and drawing classes.

At the Washington University School of Fine Arts, St. Lonis, instruotion is given in drawing, modeling, painting, artistic anatomy, perspective, composition, architectural and mechanical drawing. The teachers in this school, which has now 7 fine studios, are said to have received their training in the art schools of Europe under some of the most celebrated masters, and the means of instruction appear to be ample. Students of $1884-\mathbf{8} 5,257$.

In Lewris College, Glasgor, Pritchet School Institute, at the same place, and Lis Grange College, La Grange, some instruction in art studies also appears.

## tranning in music.

At the Southrest Baptist College, Bolivar; Christian University, Canton; Lewis College and Pritchet School Institute, Glasgow; La Grange College, La Grange; Morrisville College, Morrisville; Sedalia University, Sedalia; Drury College, Springfield; Stewartsville College, Stewartsville; and Central College, Warrenton; as well as at most, if not all, of 16 or 17 institutions for joung women that claim collegiate rank, instruction in music is either offered or forms a part of the course. Most prominent among these last is the Mary Institute, St. Louis, a department of Washington Uuiversity, under the excellent managenent of Which a high order of musical, as of literary training is made accessible.

## education of the deaf and dumb.

The Missouri Institution for the Education of the Deaficand Dumb, Fulton, giving instraction in the ordiuary public school studies and in printing, cabinet-making, shoemaking, gardening, and sewing, had 248 under training during $1884-85$, of whom 99 rere girls. Since its organization, in 1851, the institution has given instruction to 873 -pupils. Five of its graduates have become teachers in similar iustitutions.

The verw building, completed during the period covered by the biennial report for 1883 and 1884, at a cost of over $\$ 36,000$, is well adapted to its purpose, and large enough to accommodate all who are likely to apply for admission for several years to come.

The St. Lonis Day School for Deaf-Mutes, sustained by the city board of public schools, had 40 pupils under instruction, 26 boys and 14 girls, and since its organization, in 1898, has enrolled 76.

St. Josepb's Deaf-Mute Institute, Hannibal, under the care of the Roman Catholic Church, reports 22 pupils, 8 boys and 14 girls, under instruction during the year.

## RDUCATION OF TEE BLIND.

The Inissouri Schoot for the Blind, St. Louis, sends no report for the year 1884-'85; the last statistics received are given in the Appendix, Table XIX.

## tralning school for nurses.

A training school for nurses was opened in St. Louis in April, 1884, and in July, 1855 , reported 13 under instruction. Liberal aid in its establishment, Was received from the Western Sanitary Commission, Dr, W, G. Eliot, and Mr. J. E. Yeatman.

## EDUCATIONAL CONVENTIONS.

## STATE TRACHERA' ASSOCLATTON.

The twenty-fourth annual session of the State Teachers' Association was held Tune 23d to 25th; at Sweet Springs, where it had met for 4 years previously, and where it is to assemble again in June, 18s6. The Stato superintendent, without giving an account of the proceedirgs of the convention, says that at these meetings the discusshons elicit macly thought and furnish daluable information, every phase of educational work being duly considered and impartially discussed.

From another source the information is obtained that letter school-bonses for the country and smaller towns were called for, and better furniture in whatever schoolhouses were provided for them; that the question of a teacher's right to set an example of smoking, cherring, and drinking was discussed and strongly denied; that "science in the public schools" was warmly adrocated as malsing life more perfect by bringing it into closer approxination to the beauties and benefits of the material worid; and that the cultivation of the habit of reading books and newspapers was recompender; one speaker thought novel reading more improving than classic study, and another made astudy of the classics the best means of caltivating memory, judgment, reason, and imagination all at once.

The Convention of Colored Teachers, organized at Jefferson City in 1883, held its second annual session at Sedalia during the holidays of 1884, remaining in session 3 days. The attendance was large, about 50 teachers being present. The most interesting discussion was on the need of appropriations from the General Government in aid of education, and a resolution was passed requesting Congressmen to support the Blair educational bill. Other subjects considered were "Compulsory education," "Superstition," and "Our boys and girls."

## ST. LOUIS SOCIETY OF PEDAGOGY.

The regular meetings of this association, which aims at improvement in the methods and style of teaching, especially in the public schools, are reported to have been held regularly during the school year 1884-\% with an encouraging attendance of a large number of earnest people. Six able papers are said to have been presented, of which 2 were printed and given a considerable circulation, while the constitution and bylaws were revised with a view to letter definition of the aims of the association, and to such an increase of dues as to meet the expenses of correspondence and publication of reports and papers. The report of a cominittee of the association on an improved method of teaching aritbmetic is said to have borne rich fruit in a number of schools, while certificates of successful work, given to pupils passing the examination for admission to the high school, have helped to secure more effiective efforts to pass these examinations creditably. Under direction of the president the corresponding secretary wrote, during the year, to the superintendents of city schools with over 30,000 inhabitants, presenting the aims of the society and asking for educational documents of interest. In response to these requests 167 reports and circulars of information were received, many of thern from the United States Burean of Education, Washington, all which were filed in the public library, to be catalogued and bound for the use of the public as well as the members of the society.

CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OFFICER.
Hon. W. E. Coleman, State superintendent of public schools, Jefferson City.
[Term, January 8, 1883, to January, 1887.]

## NEBRASKA.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

|  | 1883-84. | 1884-85. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| POPULATION AND ATTENDANCE, |  |  |  |  |
| Youth of school age (5-21) | 209, 436 | 233, 238 | 23, 802 |  |
| Enrolled in public schools.. | 137, 618 | 161,918 | 24,300 |  |
| Average dails attendance | 81.430 | 117,945 | 36,515 |  |
| Percent. of school youth enrolled | 65.70 | 69.42 | 3.72 |  |
| Percent. of same in daily attendance . | 38.88 | 50.57 | 11.69 |  |
| SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND SCHOOLS. |  |  |  |  |
| Public school districts | 3, 834 | 4,266 | 432 |  |
| Districts with six months' school | 2,563 | 3, 110 | 547 |  |
| Districts haring no schools. | 221 | 188 |  | 33 |
| Districts having graded schools | 128 | 168 | 40 |  |
| Average term of schools in dars | 120 | 120 |  |  |
| Public school-houses ...... | 3,353 | 3,757 | 404 |  |
| School-houses built during the jear.. | 309 | 414 | 105 |  |
| School-houses without blackboards .. | 146 | 173 | 27 |  |
| TEACHERS. |  |  |  |  |
| Men teaching in pablic schools | 1,906 | 2,369 | 463 |  |
| Women teaching in pablic schools | 4,144 | 5, 323 | 1,179 |  |
| Whole number of teachers....... | 6, 050 | 7,692 | 1,642 |  |
| Teachers attending institutes......... | 3,716 |  |  |  |
| Finarcial statement. |  |  |  |  |
| Arerage monthly pay of men. | § 4081 | \$4300 | §2 19 |  |
| Arerage monthly pay of women ..... | 3432 | 3640 | 208 |  |
| Whole expenditure for public schools. | 1, 842,630 | 2,918, 15\% | 1,075, 527 |  |
| Value of public school property. | 2,780, 387 | 3,42\%,404 | 641, 017 |  |
| Available school fund .... | 3,874,216 | 4,322,637 | 348, 421 |  |

(From report of Hon. W. W. W. Jones, State superintendent of public instruction, for the school jear 1883-84, and written return from him for $1884-85$. )

## STATE SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## administration.

A State superintendent of public instruction, elected biennially by the people, has general charge of the public schools, while a board of 6 regents of the State university and a normal school board hare control of the interests indicated by their titles.

Local school ofiicers are connty superintendents of pablic schools, elected by the people for 2 years, aud district boards of 3 trustees elected for 3 - rears terms. Disiricts haring more than 150 youth of school age ( $5-21$ ), if a majority of the roters so decide. may elect boards of 6 trustees for graded and high school instruction. Women 21 years of age resident in the district and owning property or haring children to educate, mar rote in district meetings. The public schools are free to all ronth of 5 to 21 rears of age, and ther must be taught 9 months of each year in districts haring more thar 100 pupils, 6 months in those having 35 to 100 , and 3 months in those with less than 35. The State funds are apportioned by the State superintendent to the counties in proportion to school population, and br county superintendents to districts, one-fourth equally to the districts, and three-fourths in proportion to the school population therein. Each district director reports annually to the county superintendent, the latter to the State superintendent, and he to the governor. The system of education includes pub-
lic high schools, teachers' institutes, a State normal school, a State university, and a reformatory for children. Instruction in all schools aided or supported by public funds must be non-sectarian.

## SCHOOL FLNANCES.

There is a board composed of various State officers for the management of school lands and funds. The means for the support of the public schools are derived from the income of certain common school funds, comprising such percentage as has been or may be granted by Congress on the sale of lands in the State; moneys arising from the sale or lease of school lands; the proceeds of all lands granted to the State, unless for other purposes distinctly stated; and the proceeds of escheats, fines, and forfeitures. In addition to the income of these funds, a State school tax must be levied of not more than $1 \frac{1}{2}$ mills on $\$ 1$ of taxable property, and district taxes not to exceed 2.5 mills on $\$ 1$.

## NEW LEGISLATION.

According to an amendment to the school law made in 1885 the officers elected at the annual school meeting mere not to take possession till the second Monday in July, to which time the opening of the school year was changed. Two members were made a quorum for the transaction of business, and meetings held on the call of 2 members were made lawful, if all members should have notice of the time and place of meeting. Approval of a teacher's diploma from the normal school of another State was ordered not to be given till the holder sbould present proof of successful teaching for a year in Nebraska, accompanied with a first-grade county certificate from a Nebraska county superintendent. Provision was also made for instructing the papils in all schools under State control, or supported by public money, in physiology and hygiene, with reference to the effects of stimulants and narcotics on the human system, and it was ordered that after the first of January, 1886, no certificate should be given to any teacher that had not passed a satisfactory examination on this point.

## SCHOOL SYSTEMS OF CITIES WITH 7,500 OR MORE INHABITANTS.

## ADMLISTRATION.

Public schools in incorporated cities with more than 1,500 inhabitants are under the direction of boards of education of 6 or 9 members, according to population, elected on a general ticket for a term of 2 years, one-tbird of them liable to annual change. These boards elect annually a superintendent of public instruction, who becomes the principal teacher.

STATISTICS。
1884-85.

| Cities. | Population, census of 1880. | Children of school age. | Enrollment in publio schools. | Avergge daily attend. ance. | Namber of teachers. | Expenditare. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Lincoln $a$ | 13,003 | 3, 869 | 2,507 | 1,587 | 38 |  |
| Omaha.... | b30,518 | 11, 202 | 6,273 | 4,329 | 120 | \$216, 745 |

a Statistics for 1883-'84.
$b$ Census of $1885,61,835$.

## ADDITIONAI PARTICULARS.

Omaha reports an increase of 835 in school popnlation, of 137 in enrollment, and of 443 in average daily attendance, with 15 more teachers. Two special teachers were employed, one for music, and one fordrawing and penmanship. Private schools enrolled 1,800 pupils, leaving 3,129 youth between the ages of 5 and 20 years not under school instruction. Schools were taugbt 198 days, in 14 buildings, containing 5,634 sittings for study, the seating capacity being less than public school enrollment by 639, but more than the average attendance. Erening schools were taught in 3 rooms with 150 sittings for study, and had an enrollment of 120 boys and 25 girls, under 3 teachers. Averago attendance, 60 boys and 15 girls. Public school property was valued at $\$ 527,000$. The receipts for maintaining public schools were $\$ 248,165$, which exceeded the expenditures by $\$ 31,420$.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## GENERAL STATE REQUIREMENTS.

Persons wishing to teach in the public schools must hold certificates, based on examination, either from the State superintendent of public instruction, the superintendent of the county in which it is proposed to teach, the State normal school, or
from a city board of examiners. A diploma from the State normal school, or from a like normal school of another State, has the forco of a high-grade certificate; the latter, horrerer, must be approved by the State superintendent after a year of successful teaching in the State. Teachers giving evidence of high character and scholarship. or of graduation from a college or university in good standing, and of successful teaching for at least 3 years in a high school of the State, are entitled to a professional State certificate, which authorizes them to teach in any public school in the State without further examination, except in physiology and hygiene.

## state normal training,

The State Normal School, Peru, offers a 2-years course of elementary studies and au advanced one of 3 years. The former is designed to prepare teachers for ungrader and lower grade schools. The higher course qualifies students for any edncational position in which they may be placed. Second-grade State certificates are conferred upon graduates from the former course, and first-grade State certificates upon those from the latter, valid in any part of the State for 3 jears. A diplowa, good for life, is offered graduates of the higher course, who, after graduation, shall teach two annoal terms of school of not less than 6 months each, and shall present evidence of good morals, with satisfactory discharge of duties, from the directors of the district or districts taught in, the county superintendent countersigning the diploma. Three rears of successful teaching previous to graduation in the normal higher coarse also brings a life diploma to a graduate.

## OTHER NORMAL TRAINING.

Doane College presents a 3 -years course of normal instruction in common English and advanced studies, with book-keeping, free-hand drawing, international law, and normal reviews. Special attention is given to methods of teaching and to school organization and discipline. Opportunity is given to students for practice teaching in the presence of critic teachers.

Nebraska Tesleyan University, in a 3-years teachers' course, includes all the branches required by the school law of the State for a first-grade certificate. The Methodist Episcopal College, of Nebraska, also offers a 3 -years normal course, embracing the higher English branches, with calisthenics, botany, solid geometry, physics, and science of government.

The Bloomington Normal and High School, Bloomington, in its 1-year course prepares stadents for first, second, or third grade certificates, and the fall scientific course of 3 years presented br the school fits them for State diplomas.

The Santee Normal Training School, Santee Agency, in charge of the American Missionary Association, offers plimary, intermediate, and advanced studies, and industrial work. The special object of the school is to train Indian teachers for work among their orn people.

## SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

## PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS.

Any district containing more than 150 children of 5 to 21 jears of age may elect a district school board consisting of 6 trustees. These trustees may classify and grade the scholars in their district, and canse them to be taught in such schools and departments as they deem expedient; may establish in such district a high school, when ordered by a vote of the district at any annual meeting; and mar determine the qualifications for admission to such school or schools, employ the necessary teachers, and prescribe the courses of study and the text books to be used.

The reports of this State being biennial, and 1884-' 85 being the off rear, no deflnite and satisfactory information in regard to high schools is at band, althengh $3 \%$ were reported in 1883-84.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## COLLEGES FOR YOUNG MEN OR FOR BOTH SEXES.

The University of Nebraska, Lincoln, comprises 3 departments, viz: a college of literature, science, and the arts, an industrial college, and a college of medicinc. A school of art and music, pending the opening of a college of fine arts, furnishes opportunits for rocal and instrumental training, also for instruction in dra ring, painting, and the history of art. The studies in the college of literature, science, and the arts include classical, scientific, and literary courses, each covering 4 years; amplo opportunities are offered for graduate study, the branches embraced in this department including. among others, political science, Sanskrit, comparative philology, Old French Gothic. Old Norse, Modern Scandinavian, Tentonic, and Romance_literatures, Anglo-Saxon, Early English, and the various departanents of history.

The other collegiate institutions in the State are Doane College, Crete; Nebraska Wesleyan University, Fullerton; Creighton College, Omaha; Nebraska College, Nebraska City; and the Methodist Episcopal College of Nebraska, York-all of very fair standing. The last-named institution 11 . * organized as a college in 1883, under the auspices of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and in $1884-{ }^{-} 85$ had 306 students in all its departments, under 19 instructors. Its departments include literary, art, music, normal, business, medical, and theological instruction. The college offers classical, scientific, and philosophical courses of 4 years each, literary and normal courses of 3 rears each, and an English preparatory course of 1 jear. All the institutions abore named, when last reporting, included preparatory training, classical courses of 4 rears, and scientific departmenta, Doane adding a department of music, and one of drawing and painting; Nebraska Weslejan, commercial, music, and art departments; and Creighton, a special night course for young men who are employed through the dar, and wish to acquire a thorough knowledge of physics and chemistry in their applications to the various arts.
Nebraska College and Nebraska Weslevan University send no report for 1884-'85.
For statistics of colleges see Table $1 \times$ of the Appendis, and for a summary see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## INSTITUTIONS FOR THE SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION OF WOMEN.

All of the above institutions, except Creighton, admit young women upon equal terms with young men. For statistics of colleges for young women only, see Table VIII of the Appendix.

## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION.

Screntific.-The University of Nebraska in its Industrial College provides scientific instruction in agricultural chemistry, horticulture, entomology, farming, and veterinary science. Chemistry, physics, geology, zoology, and botany, are also found in the general scientific course. A civil engineering course agrees with the scientific till the end of the freshonan fear, the subsequent years being given to mathematical and technical stady. Scientific courses are also found in Nebraska Wesleyan University, and Doane, Creighton, and Methodist Episcopal Colleges. The chancellor of the State university calls the attention of the legislature to the matter of a State geological survey, and recommends that the necessary facilities be provided for instruction in mechanical.engineering in the industrial college.
Theological instruction is reported in the Nebraska Divinity School (Protestant Episcopal), Nebraska City; German Tbeological Seminary (Cong.) Crete; and in the Merhodist Episcopal College of Nebraska, York. No report for $1884-85$ has been received from the Baptist Seminary, Gibbon. The German Seminary offers a 4 -years course, with 2 years for preparatory study. Greek and Latin enter into the course, as well as chemistry, mental science, and music. By agreement between the Garrett Biblical Institute, Evanston, Ill., and the trustees of the Nebraska Methodist Episcopal College, the former has become the theological department of this college. Graduates who show, by properly applied tests, thorough intellectual work and proficiency in ministerial studies may receive the degree of B. V.

Law. - There appear to be no schools of law in this §tate. The law department of Nebraska Wesleyan University, formerly reporting, bas been discontinued.

Medical instruction is given in Omaha Medical College, and in the College of Medicine of the State university. The former, organized in 1881, is an outgrowth of a preparatory school established in 1880. A 3-years graded course is recommended, but not required. For admission to either school, candidates must pass a satisfactory examination; and for graduation, they must be at least 21 years of age, of good moral character, must have atteuded 2 full courses of lec'ures, and bave had 3 years of study, including practical chemistry and anatomy; they must also hare faithfully attended all the lectures, and passed a satisfactory final examination in all the branches taught.

## SPECIAL LNSTRUCTION.

## TRAINLNG LN ART.

A school of fine arts at the State university presents a course of instruction in art, history, painting, and drawing, the course covering a school year and dealing with art development from the earliest times to the 19th century, illustrations being gircu by photographs, engravings, casts, etc. Doane College, Nebraska Wesleran Unircrsity, and the Methodist Episcopal College of Nebraska, all show considerable instruction in painting, drawing, and other forms of art.

## training in music.

Piano and voice culture, with harmony and composition, organ, and choral singing, appear also in the courses of the State university. Doane College, with 2 in-
structors in music, had 40 pupils in it in 1884-85; Methodist Episcopal College 3 instructors in a 6 -grade course, iucluding harnony, solo, chorus, organ, piano, and violin, which seems to be especially thorough.

## EDUCATION OF THE DEAF AND DUMB.

The Nebraskia State Institute for the Deaf and Dumb, Omaha, offers free educational and industrial training to all deaf-mute persons in the State who are of sound mind and between the ages of 7 and 25 jears; and persons either older or younger may be admitted, at the discretion of the proper authorities. Common school studies are pursued as well as the trades heretofore reported, such as carpentry and printing for the bofs, and sering, fancy work, and general bousework for the girls. The methods employed are the aural and the oral; the former has been caretully tested, with the happiest results, and it has been demonstrated that through its use the dormant seuse of hearing can be aroused, cultivated, and utilized in the education of the partially deaf.

## EDUCATION OF THE BLIND.

The Nebraska State Institute for the Blind, Nebraska City, has its literary department thoroughly graded in primary, intermediate, and higher studies, each grade occupying 3 years. Music, both vocal and instrumental, is taught in the various departments, with a view, in part, to develop teachers in this brauch among the students, while industrial training enables graduates from the institution to become self-supporting. Sewing by hand and machine, knitting, crochettivg, and bead-work are the main occupatious of the girls, and broom-making and chair-caning those of the boys. This depariment pays its own expenses from the sale of manufactured articles.

## REFORMATORY TRAINLNG.

The State Reform School, Kearney, opened for pupils in 1880, receives juvenile offenders under 16 years of age, and aims to reform those committed to its charge, by means of instruction, labor, and thorough discipline, accompanied by rewards or punishments, as way be deserved. The common school branches, including music, are taught, as well as the industries of baking, tailoring, shoemaking, and fa. ming. The State makes an annual appropriation of $\$ 42,000$ for all purposes, and in $1884-85$ the total earnings of the inmates, including the proceeds of the sale of farm products, was $\$ 3,000$. The number of boys in the institution for the year was 77 , of girls 17 , all under 6 teachers aud other officers.

## EDUCATIONAL CONVENTION.

## NEBRASKA STATE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

This association held its annral convention at Lincoln, March 31-April 2, 1885. A fall account is not given, only gleanings thereof. Mr. Wilson, of Liucoln, said that the percentage of college-ured men had rapidly increased in the last 50 years, and that there had never been a greater demand than at present for efficient workers in every business of life. The question now is not "What do you know?" but "What can you do ?" Professor Randall, of Fairfield, said: "To make a good citizen a child is not to be educated as a bread-winner merely, but in the science of government. Above all, he should be taught that the voluntary submission of a sulject to the authority of the government is the keystone of the arch of a full; pure, systematic citizenship." Superintendent Sabin, of Clinton, said there were three questions propounded to the American people: "(1) Can the nation allow, with safety, a people to obtain tirm lodgment in its western territory who have no regard for law? (2) Can the nation, because it was able to strike the fetters from 4,000,000 slares and afterward make them citizens, allow with safety the same people, with their descendants, to dwell in the borders of the valley of the shadow of death, too weak and ignorant to obtain their rights by force, and jet too restless and aspiring to bear a long infliction of their wrongs? (3) Can a nation renowned for the freedom of its institutions, because it is not willing to abridge in the least the personal liberty of its citizens, allow with safety the saloon to overshadow the school, the gambling hell and the low resort to compete with the church, while iguorance, pauperism, and crime recruit and re-enforce their ranks from the helpless children of the State? The teacher's life is narrow only to a narrow man. The duty of the hour is to establish national schools in all parts of the Territories which are subject to Mormon rule." Miss Tibbitts, of Lincoln, said that the papil should be taught to observe passing events; to hear and understand, and to speak the language correctly. Professor Clarenden, of Fremont, said: "Educational effort suffers from the exactions and inflictions of per cents. Can we measure by arithmetic the moral questions of the hour? The examination is made the grand arbiter of the pupil's school career. Upon it depends his advancement or his disgrace. Among the educative processes of the schools, the recitation stands chief.". Mr. Valentine, of Nebraska City, said: "There
are three parties concerned in education, the child, his parents, and the teacher. You can teach a child carpentry, but you cannot expect him to earn a living at the trade, unless he is made to work at it. He must learn the dignity of labor by actual experience and encouragement." Miss Austin, of Wisner, addressed the convention on "Civil service reform"; Colonel Parker delivered his lecture on "Learning to do by doing"; and Mrs. Parker gave a talk on "Elocation." Papers were read on "Laws of nature naturally tanght," and "The proper pronunciation of Latin." Kindergarten work from St. Clair Hall was on exhibition during the convention and was the wonder and surprise of the teachers, of whem many visited the school. This is the only kindergarten school in the State. A committee was appointed to report at the next meeting concerning the best methods of study and investigation of the effects of alcohol upon the human system. The convention then adjourned.

CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OFFICER.
Hon. W. W. W. Jones, State superintendent of publio instruction, Lincoln. [Third term, January, 1885, to January, 1887.]

## NEVADA.

## STATIETICAL SEMMARY.

|  | 1852-83. | 1883-84. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| POPCLATION AND ATYENATCE. |  |  |  |  |
| Yoath of school age (6-18). | 3,900 | 9,593 |  | 307 |
| Enrolled in public schools. | 7,913 | 7, 868 |  | 45 |
| Average number belonging | 5,532 | 5,512 |  | 20 |
| Average daily attendance. | 4,955 | 5,2:7 | 271 |  |
| Per cent. of school youth enrolled. | ส9.93 | 82.09 | 2.09 |  |
| Per cent. of school youth in attendance | 50.06 | 54.49 | 4.43 |  |
| Attending private schools... | 600 | 554 |  | 46 |
| SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND SCHOOLS. |  |  |  |  |
| Number of districts | 134 | 13\% | 3 |  |
| Number of districts reporting | 114 | 123 | 9 |  |
| Number that roted district tax | 3 | 3 |  |  |
| Number of pablic schools | 193 | 205 | 7 |  |
| Number sustained without rate bil | 133 | 138 |  |  |
| Ungraded schools. | 78 | 80 | 2 |  |
| Graded schools, including hig | 125 | 130 | 5 |  |
| High schools | 5 | 5 |  |  |
| Average length of term, in days | 132 | $148 \pm$ | $16 \frac{1}{2}$ |  |
| Volumes in school libraries.. | 927 | 1,342 | $415^{\circ}$ |  |
| TEACHERS. |  |  |  |  |
| Men teaching in public schools. | 50 | 60 | 10 |  |
| Women teaching in public schools | 170 | 170 |  |  |
| Whole number of teachers....... | 220 | 230 | 10 |  |
| FINANCLAL STATEMENT. |  |  |  |  |
| Espenditure for public schools | \$159, 147 | \$162,011 | 82, 864 |  |
| Average monthly pas of mon. | 10000 | 14050 | 4050 |  |
| Average monthly pay of women | 7100 | 9601 | 2501 |  |

(From report of Hon. Charles S. Young, State superintendent of public instruction, for the biennial school term ending August 31, 1884.)

## STATE SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## GENERAL CONDITION.

The returns from the counties for $1884-85$ hare been so meager and incomplete that Superintendent Young is unable to farnish any fair statement of the general educational condition, or to give the figures for that year. He therefore prefers that the Olice present anew the statistics given in the Report of the Commissioner for 1883 -'8.

## ADMLISTRATION.

The general supervision of public school interests is in the hands of a State superintendent of public instruction, chosen by the people for 4 years, and a State board or education, consisting of the governor, the surveyor-general, and the State superintendent, the last-named officer being secretary of the board. County school affairs are administered by county superintendents. elected biennially by the people. District schools are supervised by boards of trastees elected by the people, and consisting of 3 or 5 members according to population.

Kindergarten, primary, grammar, and high school departments must be established in connection with the public school system, provided the funds be sufficient for all; if not, preference is given to the lower grades, with the exception of the kindergarten, Which mas not take precedence of any other department. Public schools are free to all south 6 to 18 sears of age, and those 8 to 14 years of age are requrred to be sent
to school at least 16 weeks each jear, unless excused by the school officers. To entitle a district to a share in the public funds, a school must be taught therein for at least 3 months each year, but provision is miade for terms of 6 months. No denominational or sectarian influences are allowed in any public school. Teachers must report to the county superintendents, they to the State superintendent annually, and he to the governor biennially.

## FLNANCES.

Public schools are sustained from the interest on a State school fand, which is apportioned to each county according to the number of south 6 to 18 therein; a State school tax of half a mill on the dollar of taxable property; and a county tax of from 15 to 50 cents on the $\$ 100$. When these funds are not sufficient to keep schools open at least 6 months of the year, trustees must levy a district tax sufficient to make up the deficiency. The schools may be taught for a longer term by additional taxes, if the voters of the district so decide, or by rate bills levied by the trustees on persons seading children to school. State and county school funds are apportioned by county superinteudents to the several districts, 40 per cent. of them in proportiou to the number of teachers emplosed, one teacher being assigned for each 100 children or fraction thereof; the remaining funds, according to the number of youth 6 to 18 years of age.

## CITY SCHOOL SYSTEMS.

## ADMINISTRATION.

Eacb village, town, or incorporated city constitutes bat one schnol district, the schools therein being under the control of a board of trustees elected by the people, nambering from 3 to 5 members, according to the population.

## SCHOOLS OF VIRGINIA CITY.

Virginia City, with a popqlation of 10,917 in 1830, reported, in 1884-85, school youth ( 6 to 1 s years of age), 1,808 ; enrolled in public schools, 1,403 ; average daily attendance, 868. These numbers indicate a decrease in the past 2 years of 40 in school youth, of 379 in enrollment, and of 186 in attendance, the number of teachers being reduced from 25 to 20 . The schools were classed as primars, grammar, and high schools, and the length of term increased from 200 to 294 days. The decrease in attendance upon the public schools is possibly due to the fact that the attendance upon private schools increased from 156 to 1,550 . The estimated value of school property in the city was $\$ 20,500$.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## GENERAL STATE REQUIREAENTS.

The county superintendent and 2 persons appointed by him constitute a board of examination, of which he is chairman. Said board grants certificates of the first and second grades to persons who pass a satisfactory examination in the branches of study pursued in each specified grade. Certificates of the first grade, for teaching unclassified, grammar, and high schools, are good for 3 years; of the second grade, for teaching primary schools, 2 years. The State board of education grants State certificates, and any certificate may be renewed upon evidence of successful teaching, without re-examination.

## STATE NORMAL TRAINING.

The only provision made by the State for the training of its teachers appears to be in its State and county institntes. The State superiutendent, with the consent of the State board ofeeducation, may convene a State teachers' institute annually, continuing not less than 5 days, nor more than 10, and may engage such teachers and lecturers as he deems advisable. The expenses incurred, to be paid out of the general fund, must not exceed $\$ 100$ annually. Coun's superintendents may hold one teachers' institute or more anuually, if authorized by the county board of commissioners, the expenses of such institutes not to exceed $\$ 100$ in any year. The State superintendent says, however, that no county institute was held in the State in 1884. The eastern and western divisions of the State Teachers' Institute met at Elko and Gold Hill, respectively, in December, 1884. A full account of their proceedings is given further on, under the head of "Educational conventions."

## SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

## PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS.

High schools may enter into the public school system whenever the funds are sufficient to sustain them, and competent and legally qualitied teachers must be employed. One such school is reported in Virginia City, statistics not given. The whole number in the State in 1884 was 5.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## STATE UNIVERSITY.

The State Cniversity of Nerada, by Act of legislature, was removed fro:n Elko to Reno in the summer of 1835, and gave promise of much improvement. For the erection of the new building at Reno, the Act appropriated $\$ 10,000$, to be added to the amount given by Washo County.
Two years are given to preparatory studies, followed by a university course of one rear, including military tactics. For admission, candidates must be at least 15 years of are, aud pass a satisfactory examination in the branches of a common Euglish education.

## INSTITUTION FOR THE HIGHER INSTRUCTION OF YOUNG WOMEN.

Bishop Whitaker's School for Girls (Protestant Episcopal), Reno, presents a course of superior instruction, covering 4 years of 40 weeks each. In addition to the higher Euglish branches, French, German, instrumental and rocal music, draming, and painting are taught. There were 90 students during the year, of whom 30 were in the preparatory department and 50 in the collegiate, 10 being special students.

## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION.

## SCIENTIFIC.

The State University provides a limited amount of scientific instruction, including mineralogy, metallargy, and assaying.

## PROFESSIONAL.

No institutions for instruction in theology, LAW, or Medicine, are reported from this State.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

EDUCATION OF THE DEAF AND THE BLIND.
Provision is made by the State for the instruction of its deaf and blind youth at the institution in Berkeley, Cal. Three Nevada pupils were taught here during the year, for whose instruction and transportation the State appropriated $\$ 2,500$. Of this amount, $\$ 1,367$ remained unexpended at the end of the year. The common school branches are taught, also carpentry, trpe-setting, and blacksmithing for the boys, and sewing, knitting, cooking, and general housework for the girls.

## EDUCATIONAL CONVENTIONS.

The eastern division of the Nevada State Teachers' Institute held its fifth annual session December 26-27, 1834, at Elko, Hon. C. S. Young, superintendent of public instruction, in the chair. Among the subjects brought before the convention and discussed were, "Methods in bistory," "The practical teacher," "Reading and spelling," "Our public schools," "School superrision," "Elocution," "Arithmetic," "A popular cry," "English grammar," "Ungraded schools," and "Horace Mann." It was resolved that the legislature be petitioned to provide means whereby every school district in the State may have at least sis months of school in each year; to make provision for State certificates and life diplomas in the State; to employ both State and county supervision; and to pay more liberal salaries to county superintendents, to enlarge their powers and duties, and to allow them traveling expenses. The western division of the institute held its fifth annual meeting December 29-31, 1881, at Gold Hill, Superintendent Young presiding. Some of the subjects discussed at the eastern dirision were brought out; others were "Music in the public schools," "The uses of history as a study, and the best methods of teaching the same," "Nerada's school system," "Fourth primary work," "Our country schools," "English grammar and language lessons,"" "Grammar and composition," "Henry W. Long. cellow," "The use and abuse of text books," "Criticism on popular methods of primary instruction," "Nevada's school laws," and "Arnold of Rugbs." There were over 80 teachers in attendance and a large number of other persons. Letters were read from prominent educators, one from Senator J. P. Jones, expressing deep interest in the progress of education in Nevada. Resolutions were adopted similar to those of the eastern division, also one to urge upon the legislature the necessity for the establishment of a normal school in the State; and as the amonnt appropriated for defraying the expenses of teachers' institutes ( $\$ 100$ ) was entirely inadequate, it was resolved to petition the legislature to increase the amount to at least $\S 300$ per annum.

## CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OFFICER.

Hon. Charles S. Young, State superintendent of public insiruction, Carson City.
[Elected in November, 1882 : term, January, 1883, to January, 1887.]

## NEW HAMPSHIRE.

## STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

|  | 1883-'84. | 1884-85. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| POPULATION and attendance. |  |  |  |  |
| Youth of schonl age (5-15) in 1880. | 60, 899 | 60, 899 |  |  |
| Enrolled in public schools........ | 64, 654 | 63, 656 |  | 993 |
| Average daily attendance in same | 43, 723 | 45, 160 | 1,437 |  |
| Per cent. of school youth enrolled | 106.17 | 104.53 |  | 1.64 |
| Per cent. of school youth in daily attendance | 71.80 | 74.16 | 2.36 |  |
| Children in private and ohurch schools. | 5,122 | 5,804 | 682 |  |
| Children of school age not in school.. sCHOOL DISTRICTS AND SCHOOLS. | 2,993 | 3,346 | 353 |  |
| Towns with organized schools | 235 | 235 |  |  |
| School districts in these towns... | 1,993 | 1,965 |  | 23 |
| Fractional districts. | 208 | 205 |  |  |
| Districts under special acts | 59 | 46 |  | 13 |
| Different public schools. | 2,698 | 2,684 |  | 14 |
| Number of graded schools | 491 | 510 | 19 |  |
| Town and district high schools | 45 | 51 | 5 |  |
| Schools areraging 12 scholars or under. | 782 | 804 | 22 |  |
| Schools areraging 6 scholars or under. | 306 | 307 | 1 |  |
| Namber of school-honses ..... | 2,221 | 2,209 |  | 12 |
| Number built during the sear........ | 26 | 14 |  | 12 |
| School-houses with maps or globes... | 1,851 | 1,839 | 38 |  |
| Average time of schools, in dass. | 99. 55 | 99. 75 | 20 |  |
| teachers. |  |  |  |  |
| Mren teaching in public schools ...... | 443 | 424 |  | 19 |
| Women teaching in public schools.... | 3, 077 | 3, 062 |  | 15 |
| Teaching the tirst time .............. | 544 | 565 | 21 |  |
| Teaching the same school successively- | 1,539 | 1,55.3 | 19 |  |
| Teachers from normal schools........ | 34.2 | 346 | 4 |  |
| financial statement. |  |  |  |  |
| Average monthly pay of men teaching. | \$38 41 | \$39 21 | 8080 |  |
| Average monthly pay of women teaching |  | 2320 | 006 |  |
| Whole expenditure for public schools. | 624,125 | 613,199 |  | 10,926 |
| Amonut of this paid teachers ........ | 426, 472 | 446, 841 | 20, 39 |  |
| Amount paid for superintendence .... | 15, 308 | 17,640 | 2,39\% |  |
| Valuation of public school property.. | 2,381,577 | 2,388,942 | 7,365 |  |

[^64] for the two years abore inducated.)

## STATE SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## GENERAL CONDITION.

The public schoul system of New Hampshire has entered upon a new era, inangurated ly the new legislation since 1883 . The most important feature of this is the change from the old school district system, which has been abolished, the town being made the unit. This change was widely called for, and is fully approved.
The advantages are apparent, the purpose being to decrease the number of schoois in a town, increase the attendance in the united schools, and thus equalize the oppor-
tunities of learning ; also to increase the pay of teachers (without increase of tasation), and thus secure nore efficient work. Then, by uniting the districts of a town and placing all under one board of supervision, it is hoped to a void the difticulties which have impaired the nsefulness of many schools, and to give to most towns a graded system and the advantages of a high school. The State superintendent says that of the 2,684 public schools in the State, 804 , or nearly one-third, number only 12 scholars or less, and 307, or nearly one-eighth, average 6 or less. By so locating the schools as to hive them average 30 papils to a school, the number may be reduced to 2,122 , or $56 \%$ less than now. The average annual cost of each school was $\$ 187$; this multiplied by 562 would give $\$ 105,094$, which could be used to lengthen the school term in the sparsely populated sections, and secure mors accomplished and experienced teachers. "It is impossible," says the superintendent, "fully to realize the improvement which this change may effect in the educational opportunities of the State, or how greatly it may enhance the knowledge and mental discipline of our young people, especially in the rural districts." Besides this, it is estimated that a saving of nearly $\$ 25,000$ annually, heretofore spent for school accommodations, will result under the new system from lessening the number of school-houses.
Nor is this the most important item of reform hoped for from this change to the town system. There are sections in ths State whose educational condition can be credited only on the official statement of the State superintendent, which he affirms is neither untruthful nor extravagant. He says that there are some districts whose accommodations for the education of children indicate an intellectual and moral sense but little above the level of barbarism. In these localities, to save the paltry pittance of a school tax, the pupils are crowded into hovels in which for several hours they breathe an tmospuere reeking with unwholesome odors and loaded with disease, are compelled to sit in chilling dranghts that are ruinous to health, and that fill the churchyards with victims of parental meanness. These wrecks of a bygone age are often located near stagnant frog-ponds or miasmatic bogs festering with germs of disease, and are supplied with contaminated water, if at all. The seats are engines of torture, often effecting a permanent deformity. These conditions, it is hoped, will soon disappear, either from a sense of shame or by the force of law.
Still much bas been done, and mach is now being done, to improve the school buildings, grounds, out-houses, and ventilation. Scattered through the rural districts may be seen many conrenient and attractive edifices, ample in size and pleasant in location. In the cities and larger villages structnres of a higher order have been erected and furnished in a siyle adapted to approved methods of education. During the 2 past jears 40 such buildings were erected, of which 14 rere added in $1884-85$.
The new law requiring instruction in physiology and hygiene, says a town superintendent, is popular, and, so far as taught, has created mach interest.
The provision of free text books, now authorized by law, is another step in advance, meeting a great evil in the small districts-a lack of uniformity in books.
The statistical summary presents, on the whole, an encouraging view of the year's work. The decrease in enrollment is ascribed to the fact that many of the pupils hare been withdrawn and sent to prirate schools. These, the State superintendent suggests, should be open to the inspection of the State officers, and their pupils registered and returned as other scholars are.

## ADMINISTRATION.

The general educational interests of the State are under the control of (1) a superintendent of public instruction appointed biennially by the governor and council; (2) a board of commissioners of the literary fund, consisting of the governor, secretary, and treasurer; (3) a board of trustees of the Slate normal school. For tomns, there are school boards of 3 persons, elected for 3 sears, and in any town which may so decide, a superintendent of schools. For districts, there were formerly a moderator, a clerk, and a prudential committee; but under chapter 43 of the State larrs of 1835 the old school districts have been abolished, and the town made the unit of the school system, except in the case of districts organized under special acts, which may retain their organizations if they so choose. Women may hold school offices and may vote in school meetings.
The public schools are free to all resident children of schoul age, and children 8-14 years of age are required to attend a public or private school, or receive instruction at home, at least 12 weeks in every year, 6 of which, in the case of a publio school pupil, mast be consecutive. No child under 14 years of age may be emplojed in any manufacturing establishment unless he bas attended 6 months, or the full term of the school taught in his district the preceding year; noue under 16 who have not attended at least $1 \%$ weeks during the year preceding, unless such can read and write well; moreover, they are not to be employed except in vacation, and none under 10 may be employed at all.

The owver or agent of a manufactory employing a child under 16 years of age, and uncertified by the school committee as eligible to be employed, becomes liante to a
fine not exceeding $\$ 20$ for each offense. Parents or guardians of children 8-14 rears of age violating this law forfeit $\$ 10$ for the first and $\$ 20$ for each subsequent offense.

## SCHOOL FINANCES.

The public schools are sustained mainly from a town tax on polls and ratable estates, from a literary fund arising from a tax on the capital stock of banking corporations and on savings-bank deposits, aud from a fund derived from the sale of public lands.

## NEW LEGISLATION.

As already noted under the revised school laws of 1885 , the old school district system is abolished, and the town made the unit of the school system.

An amendment passed in 1883 made instruction in physiology and hygiene with reference to the effect of alcoholic stimulants aud narcotics on the human system obligatory in all schools sufficiently advanced, and another of the same year permitted towns or districts to raise money, by taxation or otherwise, for supplying the scholars in the common schools with text books free of charge.

## SCHOOL SYSTEMS OF CITIES WITH 7,500 OR MORE INHABITANTS.

## ADMINISTRATION.

Towns and cities, as already mentioned, have school boards of education of 3 persons, elected for 3 years, for the control of public schools. A superintendent may be elected or appointed in such manner and for such terms as the oity, by an ordinance, may provide.

STATISTICS.
1884-'85.

|  | Population, census of 1880. | Children of school age. | Enrollment in public schouls. | Average daily attendance. | Number of teachers. | Expenditure. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Concord | 13,843 |  | 2,572 | 1,958 | 71 | \$32, 831 |
| Dover .... | 11, 687 | 2, 025 | 1,444 | 931 | 44 | 27, 355 |
| Manchester. | 32, 630 |  | 3,918 | 2, 872 | 87 | 53, 477 |
| Nashua. | 13, 397 | 2,102 | 2,590 | 1,897 | 71 | 36, 254 |
| Portsmouth. | 9,690 | 2,400 | 1,913 |  | 35 | 22, 164 |

Concord shows a gain of 54 in enrollment, and of 32 in average daily attendance, but employed 8 fewer teachers, and expended for public schools $\$ 6,285$ less than in 1883-'84. There were 55 public schools, 40 being graded, inchading a high school, the sessions including 159 dass, tanght in 30 school-honses, valued, with other school property, at \$18:, 615. St. Paul's private school of high grade had 275 male students. Teachers of public scbools for the year are said to have been compereut, aud, in the main, successful. The committee having in charge the outlying districts of the city was doing what it could to make a more equal provision of school facilities in those localities.
Lover, according to the statistics reported, did not hold its own as compared with 1883-'81. While it gained 71 in school south, and expended $\$ 2,196$ more during the year, it lost 620 in enrollment, 451 in a verage datily attendance, and empleyed 3 fewer teachers. The 39 public schools are embraced in one legally organized district, 29 of them being graded, including a high school. The school term comprised 175 days There were 18 school bnildings, 1 built during the jear, and all valued, with ot her school property, at $\$ 116,200$. Of the 931 in average attendance, $1: 35$ were pursuing higher branches. A private school reports 45 pupils enrolled. One hundred children between 5-15 sears of age, according to the reports, were not in any school.

Manchester reports 80 public schools, 66 of which, including a high school, are graded. These schools were taught 184 days, in 24 school-houses, valued, with other school property, at $\$ 317,725$. Compared with 188:3-'84, there was a decrease of 344 in enrollment, and of \$14,395 in expenditure for public schools, while there was an increase of 152 io average attendance. The schools are classcd as primary, ungraded, grammar, high, and eveuing schools. One special teacher in music was employed.

The remarkable feature of the Manchester school system is the enrollment of about 2,500 in private and church schools, which is nearly 61 per cent. of the eutire eurollment in the public schoois.

Nashua shows, as compared with 1883-'84, a falling off of 370 in enrollment, and an increase of 66 in average daily attendauce, with 12 more teachers, while it expended for public schools $\$ 8,457$ more. For its 61 schools thero were 17 school buildings, which, with other school property, were valued at $\$: 232,395, \$ 10,660$ loing for apparatus. Publio
schools are classed as primary and middle schools, covering 5 years; and grammar and high schools, each 4 years. Of the 61 schools, $4 \overline{5}$, iucluding a high scboul, were graded, and were thught for a term of 165 days. Evening schools had 416 pupils attending, tanght by 17 teachers. Private and church schools enrolled 511 pupils of children between $5-15$ years of age; 300 are reported as not attending any school.

Purlsmouth shows but slight changes during the year, neither waterially gaining nor lusing, average attendance not given. Its 32 public schools, enbraced in one legally organized district, were taught for a term of 200 days. There were 14 school biildings, valued, with other school properts, at $\$ 34,000, \$ 5.000$ being for apparatus. Twenty-eight schools, inclnding a high school in which 154 pupils were studying the bigher branches, were graded. Private and church schools eurolled 150. Number betiveen $5-15$ seare of age not reported in any sehool, 200 .

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## GENERAL STATE REQUIREMENTS.

A person desiring to teach in the public schools must present a certificate of qualification from the school committee of the town in which the school is to be tanght. This certficate must give evidence of the moral character of the teacher, of ability to govern, and qualitications for teaching the school applied for.

## STATE NORMAL TRAINING.

The New Hdmpshire State Normal School, Plymouth, as heretofore, admits young men of 17 sears of age and foung women of 16 , who declare their iutention to teach. If, upon examination, candidates are found proficient in ans branch tanght in the school, they mas be excused from further study of that branch, except in the methods class In this way the course may be completed in 3 terms of 20 weeks each. The common aud higher Englisb branches, with music and drawing, are taught, and special instruction is given in the elements of psychology. The pupil teachers bave one half day each week for the inspection of work in the training school, thas acquiring a practical knowledge of teaching and school discipline.
For statistics see Table III of the Appeudix.

## OTHER NORMAL TRAINING.

The training school in Manchester, organized in $1883-884$, for the supply of the city schools with good teachers, continues its work under the arrangements reported for that jear.

## TEACHERS' INSTITUTES.

The school law makes it the duty of the State superintendent to organize, and superintend at least oue teachers' institute ammally in each county of the State, to appoint the time and place, and make snitable arrangements therefor.

In case of bis inability to condact the same, he is regnired to appoint the principal of the State noriual school, or some other suitahle person for that purpose. The expenses incurred are paid from the income of a fund arising from the sale of State lauds.
The State superintendent reports for 1884-'85 that institutes were held in each of the 10 counties in the State, with an aggreyate attendance of sia, at an expenditnre of $\$ 1, i 0 \phi$, botb iteus being greater than during the previons sear. The superintendent sars that the institnte work of the sear has more than realized the expectations a wakened $\ln$ the experience of lses, when this worts was begm; still be thinks the law will fail to accomplish the good it might unless so anemded as to require the closing of the schools and the attendance of the teachers apou at least one institute without loss of time.

## EDUCATIONAL JOURNALS.

There being on jomrnal of this class published in the State, edncational information continnes to be given in the New Hamphire department of the New Englund Journal of Educution, Bustou, Mass.

## SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

## PCBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS.

The law still provides that if a majority of the roters so agree anytown or any schonl district having at least 100 children 6-16 sears of age, by a vote of two-thirds of the qualified voters, mas estahlish a bigh school. Such town or district may appropriate as much as it thinks fit of that part of the sehool mones to which it is entitled, for the support of the high school, and may raise by taxation additional funds for the parpose if the voters so agree.

The State report gives 41 public high schools which had replied to a oircnlar sent out; the list is not complete, from the fact that some of the schools failed to report. These 41 schools employed 43 male and 60 female teachers; nu:nbered 1,266 male and 1,609 female students, of whom 2,045 were studying the higher branches, 1,140 the ancient and 524 modern langnages.
Connected with these schools were libraries containing 7,832 volumes.

## PRIVATE SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

Forty-seven private academic schools are reported, some of which, as Paillips Exeter Academy, Exeter, and St. Paul's School, Concord, are of especially recognized high grarle, the latter, with excellent general arrangements, and with 21 uals teachers for its 275 male pupils, standing at the head of its class in the State, if not in the United States; the former, with 7 male teachers for 251 male pupils, long well known as one of the best preparatory schools for colleges in all New England.

For statistics of this class of schools, see Tables IV, VI, and VII of the Appendix; for summaries of same, the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## תUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## DARTMOUTH COLLEGE.

Dartmouth College, Hanover, presents in 1884-'85 its usual high standards for entrauce aud study, the latter in departments of academic, scientific, agricultural, and medical instruction, making substantially a nniversity course.
In the academic, the 4 -years classical course includes botb modern and ancient languages, mathematics, history, aud English, Anglo Saxon, and American literature courses, elective and optional studies seeming to predominate in the later jears of the courses.
Students from such preparatory schools as have a regular course of at least 3 years are admitted without examination on presenting a prescribed form of certificate. All others are admitted on examinations of high grade.

## INSTITUTIONS FOR THE SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION OF YOUNG WOMEN.

For information concerning institutions of this class reporting, see Table VIII of the Appendis; for summaries of same, the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SCLENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL.

## SCIENTIFIC.

The New Hampshire College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, which was made a department of Dartmouth College in 1866, by Act of legislature, for the liberal and practical edncation of the industrial classes, aims to give in agricultare, as far as can be tanght in a school, all that bears upon the subject. The full course is 4 jears, with numerous elective studies. One class of these includes the bigher nathematics and its applications to the mechanic arts; another class an ext nsive conrse in chemistry, with analyses of agricultural products, assaying, and application of chemistry to the arts. Provision is a'so made for graduate students.
The State farm has 360 acres in the immediate vicinity of the college, presented by the late John Conant; it is in a high state of cultivation, and is provided with new and good farm buillings. The degree of Sci. B. is conferred on completing the full course and passing a final examination.
The Chandler Scientific Department of Dartmouth College gives instructinn in a 4 -years course in practical and useful arts, such as mechavics, civil engiueering, invention and manufacture of machinery, carpentry, masonry, architectnre and drawing, and the properties and uses of materials employed in the arts; also modern languages, English literatnre, book-keeping, and other studies.

Thayer School of Civil Engineering, another department of Dartmonth, continned in 1884-'85 its exclusive professional training for young men of ability who may desire instruction of an ad vanced character. The course is of 2 years and is essentially a graduate one, limited in range and fundamental in scope, being inteurled to meet the demand for men qualified for rapid advancement and dificult service. There were ? students in this school. The degree of C. E. is conferred after a final satisfactory examination, and the acceptance of a graduating thesis.

## PROFESSIONAL.

It is not known that any schools of theology or law exist in the State.
Medicine. - The Medical Department of Dartmouth Colloge in le84-'85 shows a entlegiate year of 42 weeks. For admission, satisfactory evidence of 6 thess for the technical study of medicine is required ; for graduation, 21 jears of age, good moial charac-
ter, 2 full courses of lectures, 3 full years of stndy, 1 course of dissection, and the passing of a tinal examination in all branches taught in the scheot. Matriculates for $1084-80 ̄, 44$; graduates, 21.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

## EDUCATION OF DEAP MUTES AND THE BLTND.

New Hampshire continnes to provide for the instruction of its deaf-mntes in the Clarbe Iustitution, Northampton, Mass,, which reported 2 papils from New Hampshire, and in the American Asylum for the Instruction of the Deaf aud Dumb, Hartford, Cunn., which bad 17 from the same State during $1 \times 84$-'85.
Provision also is made for the instruction of the blind in the Perkins Institation, Bostou, Mass.

## BRFORMATORY AND INDUSTRIAL TRAINING.

The State Industrial School, Manchester, gives moral, edncational, and indnstrial training to youthful offenders. The institntion in 1844 -' 35 reporied 146 inmates. Of these, 19 were discharged at the expiration of term-12 on probation, 6 bonorably, and 1 seut to alternate sentence, learing at the close of the sear 108. Of the whole namber, onls 68 were A mericans, more than half being of foreign parentage; 61 were committed during minority, and the remainder for different lengtbe of time. Notwithstanding the receipts from some of the industries being smaller thau usual, the jear is sand to have beeu one of great prosperity.

## EDUCATIONAL BENEFACTIONS.

For a new chapel for St. Panl's School, Concord, $\$ 70.000$ Fere raised in 1884-8.8 for building, and an endowment fund of $\$ 30,000$ was more than balf rased.
The Chandler Scientific School of Dartmoutb College was made residnary legatee in the will of the widory of the late Prof. John S. Woodman, eays the Congregationalist, and wall prubably receive some $\$ 20,000$.

## EDUCATIONAL CONVENTION.

## FRW GAMPSHIRE STATE TRACGRRS' ASSOCTATION.

The thirty-first annual session of the State Teachers' Association was held in Concord October 24 and 25,1884 , E. J. Goodwin, of Nashna, in the chair. The session was opened by a paper from Mr. Craig, on "The Wade system for country schools," which provides for a grading of pupils according to advancement, an esamiuation of them yearly in a prescribed conrse, and a granting of diplonias at the conclusion of the course, the worb for each term being carefully laid ont, and followed by examinations. The advantages are that the school work is done thoronghly, and all the papils gradnate on the same general plan. Better teaching is required by this plan, as few of the conntry schools have systems that call for uniform requirements. So far as tried it has proved a great benefit, leading pupils to desire to complete the conrse and graduate, increasing the interest of parents and children, unifying the work done, and thns elevating the character of the country schools. C. C. Rnunds, principal of the State normal scbool, testified to the valne of the system, as he bad seen its workings in Maine, and thought it could be adopted in all the country schnols in the State.
Then followed a lectnre on the "Elements of mineralngy," hy Mr. William F. Yonng, of Nashua; after which came a paper on "Training for teachers," by Miss Inla Rounds, of Plynouth; this was followed by an address on "The coniparative ralue of experience and professional training," by J. G. Edgerls, superintendent of Fitcbburg (Mass.) schools, said to bave been able and practical, and to have given rise to considerable discussion.
"Self-cnlture for teachers" was the topic of a carefnily written paper read by Miss Frances A. Mathes, of the Portsmouth high school, in which was presented the impurtance to the teacher of personal physical culture, good air, abundant exercise, refreshing sleep, and proper diet; also that the most refiniug sources of mental culture shonld be eagerly improved, that books should be wisely chosen, that desultory reading should be aroidea, and that the refining influence of art should be songht in pictures of escellence, in careful reading of goof nerspapers, in attendance on teachers' meetings and on good general societz, as well as in travel and study of new places and scenes, all these being aids to self-culture. The tones of the voice, too, shonld be carefully cultivated, as their inflaence in the school-room can hardly be over-estimated. A brief discussion followed, warmly approving the snggestions of the paper.

The following subjects were then considered: "The place of Greek io a likeral edacation," by Prof. J. H. Deight, of Dartmonth; "Moral discipline in the saboot
room," by Miss L. J. Forest; "Examinations," by Mr. J. H. Stetson, Snnerintendent Burk, E. R. Goodwin, and others; "A substitute for Latin in high schools," by C. C. Boybtou aud others.

After a choice of officers for 1885 , the association adjourned.
The session was largely attended, and the papers and discussions were regarded as of great interest and value; showing a noble professional spinit among the educators of the State.

## CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OFFICER.

Hon. James W. Patterson, State superintendent of public instruction, Concord. [Secund term, June 21, 1882, to June 23, 1884; third tera, June 24, 1885, to June 23, 1886.] .

## NEW JERSET.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

|  | 1883-84. | 1884-85. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| POPULATION AND ATtENDANCE. |  |  |  |  |
| Fouth 5 to 18 enumerated | 356, 061 | 366, 317 | 10,256 |  |
| Enrolted in pablic schools | 216, 792 | 222, 317 | 5,525 |  |
| Average daily attendance. | 122,930 | 132,017 | 9,087 |  |
| Per cent. of school jouth enrolled | 60.89 | 60.69 |  | 20 |
| Per cent. in average daily attendance. | 34.52 | 36.04 | 1.52 |  |
| Earolled in private schools | 48, 962 | 43,510 |  | 452 |
| Eurolled in all schools... | 265, 754 | 270, 227 | 5,073 |  |
| Per cent. of these to school jouth.... SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND SCHOOLS. | 74.64 | 73.93 |  | . 71 |
| School districts reported. | 1,356 | 1,357 | 1 |  |
| Public school buildings................ | 1,596 | 1, 586 |  | 10 |
| Sittings for pupils in these. | 193, 803 | 200, 742 | 6,939 |  |
| Private and church schools ............ | 218 | 205 |  | 13 |
| School buildings elassed as poor or very poor. | 168 | 165 |  | 3 |
| School bnildings classed as medium .. | 252 | 228 |  | 34 |
| School buildings classed as good ..... | 531 | 531 |  |  |
| School buildings classed as very good. | 635 | 662 | 27 |  |
| Number of new buildings erecterl.... | $\because 9$ | 27 |  | ${ }^{2}$ |
| Number sefurnished or remodeled.... | 5 | 63 |  | 7 |
| Districts with less than 6 months' school. | 6 | 3 |  | 3 |
| Districts with 6, but less than 9 months' school. | 64 | 61 |  | 3 |
| Districts with 9 months' school or more. | 1,286 | 1,293 | 7 | -1.0.0.0.0 |
| Arerage time of schools, in days ..... | 192 | 192 | .......... |  |
| TEACHERS. |  |  |  |  |
| Men teaching in pnblic schnols. | 837 | 818 |  | 19 |
| Women teaching in public schools ... | 2,850 | 2,998 | 148 |  |
| Whole number teaching ............... | 3,687 | 3,816 | 129 |  |
| FINANCLAL Statement. |  |  |  |  |
| Average monthly pay of men teaching- | \$61 63 | \$63 56 | \$193 |  |
| Average monthly pay of women teaching. | 3564 | 3630 | 66 |  |
| Whole expenditure for public schools. | 2,392, 031 | 2, 421,740 | 29, 709 |  |
| Valuation of public school property.. | 6,350, 807 | 6,832,926 | - 482, 119 |  |

(From report of Hon. Ellwin O. Chapman, State saperintendent of public instruction, for $1884-85$; the figures therein given for $18833^{\prime} / 84$ being used in preference to those previously sent, as being presumably more nearly correct.)

## STATE SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## GENERAL CONDITION.

The new State superintendent says that while the year 1884-85 has not been remarkable for any great improvement, a steady progress has been made, which is encouraging. He also states that there has been yearls improvement in the efficiency of the schools since the enactment of 1867 , which formed the basis of the present law, and for which the State is indebted to the sagacity and zeal of his predecessor, Prof.

Ellis A. Apgar, superintendent from 1865 to 1885. For the current year the statistics show, as may be seen, an increase for the year of 10,256 in scbool youth, of $5,5 \% 5$ in enrolled pupils, and, what is more important, of over 9.000 in arerage daily atteudauce. There were 27 new school buildings erected during the sear, and 6,939 additional sittings provided to meet the increase of school attendance; while 129 wore teachers were eruployed, there having been 19 less men and 143 more women, as compared with $18833-\varepsilon 4$. The statistics alsu show the almost total disappearance of districts with short schoo! terms (of 6 months and less), the nuuber having been reduced to 3 , while those with terms of " 9 months or more" increased to 1,293 , a gain of 7 during the year. While the pay of teachers was but slightly improved, the expenditure for pablic schools was \$29,709 more, and the valuation of school property $\$ 18 \%, 119$ mare, than in the previous year. The number reported in no school was 93,683 , or abuat 25 per cent. of the whole. These figures, however, safs the superintandent, form no basis upon which to calculate the amount of illiteracy in the State, since they include a large number of youth who have finished their education, as well as children over 5, but still considered too young to atitend school. He considers that as much as 18 out of the 25 per cent. not attending school are thins accounted for; and, counting those mentally or physically unfitted aud others who aro instructed at home, a very small margin is left upon which to base any apprehension of illiteracy.
The State superintendent, in his report, divides the pablic schools into 5 grades, in order more clearly to present their condition: (1) As to the extent to which blaclyboards are nsed ; (2) as to the degree of excellente in recitations; (3) as to the degree of order maintained; (4) as to cleanliness in the school-room; (5) as to the general character of the school. On all these points a slight improvement is reported. In 18: districts text-books were furnished to the papils. Libraries were estailished in 747 schnols. In school accommodations there is still some deficiency. Of the 1,586 school buildings, 103 are classed as "poor," and 62 as "very poor." An overcrowding of schoul-rooms is reported, chiefly in the primary departments, where there should be the least. In some of the cities, and in a large number of districts in which schools are ungraded, the superintendent says, so many pupils are crowded into a single room, in charge of a single teacher, that no good work is possible. The number of such rooms, however, is decreasing, only 73 being reported the present year, against 105 in $1863-$ - 84. A favorable point in the school work of this State is the great degree of permanence secured to teachers in their positions. The injury resulting from a frequent change of teachers was long ago recosnized here, and New Jersey was one of the first of the Eastern States to drop the old system of a winter and summer term, with a different teacher for each. Contracts with taachers are generally made for the entire school year, and renewed for the next if the parties can agree. As a result, nearly 3 per cent. of the teachers have been in their schools more than 20 years, nearly 7 per cent. more thau 15 years, 16 per cent. more than 10, and over one-third have served more than 5 years.

## ADMINISTRATION.

The general supervision of the pablic school system is committed to a State boaru of edncation, which appoints triennially a State superintendeut of public instruction and a superintendent of pablic schools for each county, the latter subject to the approval of the board of freeholders in the county. The interests of school districts are managed by 3 trustees, elected by the people for 3 years, with annual change of 1. The district trustees of each township constitute a township board of trustees, and meet the county superintendent semi-annually for consultation. All persons. without regard to sez, who are residents of the district, are eligible to the office of district trustee, if orer 21 years of age and able to read and write. Each distriç board elects one of its number as a cierk to record its proceedings, and take an annua! census of school children. Provision is also made for State and county, and in some cases, for city boards of examiners, for the examination of teachers. Tbe county and city superintendents together constitute the State association of school superintencients, which meets annually, as the State board of education directs. Graded, as well as district, schools are provided for, also industrial schools, a normal schocl, and 'seachers' institutes.

Teachers may suspend pupils from school for cause, but may not administer corporal punishment. No sectarian school may receive any part of the public school funds. Since 1883, no boy under 12 nor girl under 14 years of age, may bo emplosed in any factory, mine, or workshop; and no child between the ages of 12 and 15 may be so employed, unless such child shall hare attended some public or private, day or ereuing school, for at least 12 consecutive weeks, or 2 terms of 6 weeks each, within the year preceding such employment. Nor may a child uuder 14 years of age be employed in any manufacturing establishment longer than an arerage of 10 hours a day.

## SCHOOL FLNANCES.

The public schools are made free to all resident children 5-18 years of age, by the proceeds of a State school fund, by a State tax equal to $\$ 4$ for each child of school
age, and, when necessary, by additional amounts raised throngh townalin, city, and district tasation, and a poll tax not to exceed 81. Each listrict is eutuled to at least $\$ 200$ of the sebool fund, and districts with 45 or more children get not less than $\$: 550$, to be apportioned by county superintendrats. To secure this aid districta must provide suitable school buildings, and must have maintained a public school for at least 9 months during the preceding year.

## NIEW LEGISLATION.

An Act of Marcb 20, 1884, provides that where local anthorities to assess and lery tases for school parposes, \&e., either do ant exist, or fail to do their duty as to such assessuent or levy, the governor is to cause natice thereof to be given to the mayor or other proper local authority; and if in 10 dass the defanlt of action is not rewedied, he may appoint and commission 3 freeholders in the derelict city, torna, or municipality, to be "commissiouers of taxation," to assess and lery the tases, not to exceed $1 \frac{1}{4}$ per cent. of the assessed ralue of the property thus subjected to tasation. Having wade the lery, they are to apportion the proceeds, less their own appointed compensation, for the support of the schools, repair of school-honses, and other indicated parposes, in the cities or other municipalities affected.

Another Act, of April 1, 1884, autborizes any city in the State to establish a free public library within its corporate limits, on receiving the assent of the majority of the qualified roters in the citr, at an election fised by law for the election of municipal otticers, and after at least 10 days preceding public notice of the vote to be taken on this question.
A compulsory school law of 1885 reqnires all persons having charge of children 7 to 12 vears of age to send such to a public day school at least 20 weeks each jear, unless excused by the school board of their district for proven cause. It forbids also the employment of children under 15 years of age by any person, company, or corporation, unless such children have atteuded some school for at least 12 consecutire weeks, for 5 days or evenings a reek. Children temporarily discharged from employment for the purpose of attending schonl are to have an opportunity for schooling, unless good reason to the contrary is shown.

## SCHOOL SYSTEMS OF CITIES WITH 7,500 OR MORE INHABITANTS.

## ADMINTSTRATION.

The school interests of each city or town are under the control of school boards, boards of education, or boards of schonl trustecs, elected by the people. A city superintendent is usually the executive oficer, and such persons as the board may appoint constitute a city board of examiners.

## STATISTICS.

1884-85.

| Cities. | Population censu. 1880. | Children of school age. | Enrollment in public schools. | Arerage daily at. | Nutober of teachers. | Espendi. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Bayonne | 9,372 | 3,447 | 2, 202 | 1,282 | 40 |  |
| ${ }^{\text {Bridyeton }}$ Canden | - $\begin{array}{r}8,722 \\ 41,659\end{array}$ | 14, 276 | 9,097 | 5,008 | $\begin{array}{r}30 \\ 128 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | \$17, 98.309 |
| Canden | - | 14,389 8,389 | 3,617 | 2,489 | 128 | ${ }_{45,291}$ |
| Hoboken | 30,999 | 10, 989 | 6. 407 | 4. 104 | 116 | 8267 |
| Jersey City | 120, 722 | 57, 586 | 22,608 | 14,633 | 250 | 201186 |
| Nerraris | 136, 508 | 43, 263 | 24, 2 , 59 | 16,259 | -37 | 29768 |
| Nem Bruns | 17,166 | 4, 313 | 2, 679 | 1,951 | 48 | 30, 143 |
| Orange. | ${ }_{5}^{13,207}$ | 4,415 | 1,659 | ${ }_{8}^{1,137}$ | 34 | 28, 2334 |
| Paterson. | 51, 8 8125 | 17,028 2,342 | 12,699 1,365 | 8, | 163 25 |  |
| Trenton.. | 29,910 | 8 8,641 | 4, 030 | 2,702 | T8 | 52, 410 |

## ADDITIONAL PARTICULARS.

Bayonne, in addition to the above statistics, reports 1,721 sittings for pupils in public schools, an increase of 157 during the year; public school property valued at $\$ 124,-21$; pablic schools taught for 10 months; 725 pupils attending private schools, and 520 no school.
Bridgeton, with about the same school population and enrollment, the latter about 64 per cent. of its school youth, reports 42 per cent. of these in arerage dails attendance, the percentage of attendance to enrollment being about 65 . There was a full supply
of seats for the pupils attending. Private schools enrolled 250 propils, and 500 are reported as in no school. The public schools were taught 200 days by 4 men and 26 women, all receiviug the average monthly pay of \$75. Expenditure for public schools was \$2, 213 more than in 1883-' 84 .

Camden reports an increase of 1,254 in school youth, of 206 in enrollment, and of 711 in average attendance. The seating capacity of the school-houses was $6,5 y 1$, which, thnugh less by 2,506 than the enrollmeut, was 1,583 more than average attendance. There were 2,000 reported in private schools, making a total of 11,097 under instruction. Schnols were in sessinn 10 months and 7 days, and were tanght by 7 men, and 121 women, the former receiving the average monthly pay of $\$ 132.55$, the latter $\$ 39.90$. Scbnol property was rated at \$375,500.

Elizabeth reports for 1831 -' 854 school buildings, affording 2,453 sittings for study, having lost by fire one for primary schools.

With only 50 more school jouth there mas a gain of 119 in enrollment, and a loss of 13 in average attendance, while expenditure for pullic schouls was $\$ 2,549$ beyond that of 1883 -'d . Of the 3,617 registered pupils, only 122 were over 16 years of age. The estimated enrollment in private and church schools was 2,300 , nearly $6!$ per cent. of the public school enroliment. Oue special teacher in drawing was e uplogerl. Public schools were taught 194 days, and property belonging to them was valued a $\$ 79.600$.

Hoboken presentsevidence of improvement in all the departments of school mork. ] bad 6 school buildings ior its higb, gramruar, primary, anmex, normal, and evenit: schouls. Including evening schools there was a gain of 1,013 in registered pupils, oi 412 in arerage attendance, and an expeurliture of $\$ 5,346$ more than in $188: 3-84$. During the year a new wing with 240 additional sittings was added to one of the school buildings, yet even this was insufficient to accommodate the increase of school yonth, and auother building was urgently called for. Uuder 8 teachers the evening schools were in session 67 nights, enrolling 455, with an average attendance of $17 \%$. Considerable inprovement in the sanitary condition of the school-houses is reported, In the high school, the course of study was thoroughly revised and adaptel to the wants of every pursuit. The consolidation of the first class in each grammar department, placing all the scbools upon the same basis as to teaching, grades, and salaries, contribated to the advancement of these schools.
A carefully prepared table shows that about three-fourths of the children leave school to coutribute to the family support before completing one-half of the 13 jears provided for by the State. And yetuearly 63 per cent. of enrolled pupils was held in average atteudance. Private and church schools enrolled 1,496. Public school property was ralued at $\$ 124,465$.
Jersey City, while it gained 5,379 in schnol sonth, 802 in average attendance, and expended $\$ 17,499$ more for palilic schools, lost 789 in enrollment as compared with 1883 -'t4. Private schools enrolred 14,725 , a gain of 510 during the sear. The combined school force of the city seems to bare made, during the year, but a slight advance on the accumulating school popalation, leaving 20,2:33 reported as attending no school. For the permanent attendance in the public schools, the school-honses affiorded a fair supply of sittings. Schools were tanght 10 months by 17 men aud 333 women. The average moutbly pay of the former was $\$ 139.90$; that of the latter, $\$ 37.63$. Public schonl pruperty was ralued at $\$ 598,000$.
Milliille, onreported last year, reports for 1884-85 an surollment of over 90 per cent. of its school youth, and 61 per cent. of them in arerage attendance. Its school accommodatious seem to have been fully ap to schnol requirements. Only 50 were enrolled in private schools. and 167 reported as in no school. The public scbools were taught 200 days by 6 men and 31 vomen, the former paid $\$ 69.75$ per month, the latter, \$37.50. The ralue of school property was $\$ 50,100$.
Newark reports primary intermediate, grammar, 2 industrial, and 7 evening schools, also 1 for colored youth, 1 high, and 1 norwal school. Of the 24 , (i59 enrolled in public schools, onls 35 E were orer 16 years of age. The 6,000 in private and chnrch schools, added to those in the public schools, make a total of 30,659 under instruction, or only 12,604 less thau the number of school gouth. The evening schools eurolled 2,087 ineu and 554 romen, under 54 teachers, with an average attendanc. of 1,334. The high school pupils numbered 683, with average attendance of 552, under 17 teachers. The city normal school had 36 female pupils under 1 female teacher. Two special teachers, one in music and one in drawing. were euplofed. Public schools were tanght 201 dass, and property belonging to them was valued at $\$ 1,085,500$.
New Brunswich presents statistics showing ar enrollment in private and parochial schools, exceeding by $8: 1$ that of the public schools, the former numbering 3,500, the latter 2,679 . This indicates a much larger foreign population than has been heretofore reported. The public schools occuply buildings, with 1,300 sittings for primary and intermediate schools, 715 for grammar schools, and 160 for the high school. Of the 2,679 enrolled, ouly 91 were over 16 yeara of age. The high record for punctuality continued, there having been during the jear a loss from tardiness of only 7 hours and

48 minntes. The standard of deportment had been raised by the influence of new laws of conduct, which rere approved by the scholars. The daily sessons continned as berefofure, an general recess being allowed. The results of this system, it is thonght, are beneticial. Public schools were taught 199 days. School properts was rated at \$125,2\%.

Orange provides 4 schonl buildings with 1.463 sittings for its primary, grammar, and high schools, ralued, with other property, at $\$ 105$, wo. It shows for the current year a giain of $1 \because 4$ in schoul yonth, of $8 i$ in registered pupils, of 57 in average daily
 Of the 1,659 enrolled, onls 51 were orer 16 sears of age, aud only 100 under 6 . The estimated number in private and parochial schouls $\pi_{i}$ is 1,200 , being ouly 459 less than in the public schools. The enrollment of both classes reached to within 1,556 of the number of school routh. Public schools were taught 197 days. The cits superintendent says that the enrolluent for lse4-8sexcenled that of any previous sear, tho increase beeping pace with that of popnlation. The school buard has ordered the erection of a new school building, the cost not to exceed $\$ 20,000$.

Paierson repurts progre'ss in all departments, showing a gain of 1,034 in school gonth, of 739 in eurollment, of $1,254 \mathrm{in}$ arerage atteurlance, of 16 in teachers, and expended $\$ 14,989$ more for pablic schouls than in the previons rear. There mere 22 such schools, consisting of 1 normal training school, 1 high school, 8 grammar schools, With primary depariments, 4 primary schools, aud 8 evening sebools, atturding 6,35і sittiugs in all, the teaching force comprising 11 wen and $15: 2$ women. Althougb some increase had been made in school accoumodatious; there was still an overcromded condition in vearly all the schools. The city had not suffieiently provided fur the increase of school jourh, there baving been but b, 357 sittings for the 12,609 enrolled. The superintrudent estimates that there were 9,000 children of school age who wast lare either attended private schools or receired no schooling. Most of these were boys over 12 years of age, or girls over 14 , who were emplosed in the rarious places of industry. There were 2,796 attending evening schools. Efforts hare been made to lessen truancy, taldiness, absence, and disobedience, and the saperintendent urges that an institution be opened by the city where truants and those who refuse to obey in the regular schools may be made to attend and be kept under proper restraint and instruction.

Planfield, for the current rear, reporte a little more than one-half of school routh enrolled in the publiceschools and 500 is private ones, making a total attendence of $1,86 \overline{3}$ in botb classes, and learing 477 out of school. Arerage daily attendance was about 43 per cent. of school youth, and 73 per cent of enrollinent. School buildings are all reported as in "rery good" condition, and afford nearly enough seats for the daily attendance. The public schools were beld in session 10 months, the teaching force comprising 1 miale and 24 female teachers; the former receiving the average montbls pay of $\$ 120$, the latter, $\$ 5 \overline{6}$. School properts was rated at $\$ 95,000$.

Trenton grades its public scbouls as primary, intermediate, grammar, and high, with courses covering 8 sears, giving to each grade 2 rears. There was in le8t-'85 a gain of 136 in enrollment, a falling off of 238 in school comb, of 252 in arerage attendance, and of $\$ 8,0: 28$ in expenditure for public schools, as compared with the previous sear. The eurollwent in private and church scbools was $1,4+5$ less than in 1883-34. For 12 public schools there were 13 sehool buildings, with 4,090 sittings, all school property being ralued at $\$ 164,800$, an adrance of $\$ 70,800$ orer the valuation in le8:3-84. The combined emrollment of public and private aud charch schouls, the latter beiug 1,555 , leares $2,9: 6$ of school fouth apparently witbout school training. But allowing that ahout one-fourth of the school youth are over 15 years of age, and, having completed their public schooling, are in bigher schools or parsuing the parious industries, few, if any, are left as illiterates. Pululic schoola were tanght 200 days, retainiug in arerage atteudadce abont 66 per cent. of the pupils enrolled.

Camden, Gluncester City, Hoboken, Millville, Newark, Paterson, and Salem, had erening schools during the winter, tanght by $14 \overline{5}$ teachers for a total of 463 evenings, With an enrullment of $7,2(4)$, and an average attendance of 5,302 , the appropriation for their support being $\hat{\$ 15,5 i 8}$.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## GENERAL STATE REQUTRFMENTS.

To obtain employment in the public scbools teachers most hold certificates of qualification frum the State or city board of examiners. The certificates of the state board are of three grades-for life, fur 10 jears, or for 7 gears. Those of the countr boards are for 1,3 , and 5 years, the 5 -rear ones good throughout the State. Grarluates of 3 -years' course in the State normal school, who hive given evidence in its model school of ability to teach and govera, receire a second-grade State certificate, and graduates of the "2-jears' course, one of third grade.

## STATE NORMAL TRAINING.

The Nere Jersey State Normal School, Trenton, organized in 1855, nffers a 3 -years' course of urnal instruction, with free tuition to students who are qualified, and will pledge thenselves to teach 2 , years in the State. In $18 \times 4-85$ there were 40 young nuen and 180 young women in the school under $2^{5}$ instructors. The number of graduates receiving diplouas entitling them to teach in the State without further examination was 27, all of whom were to engage in teaching. Vucal and instrmuental music and drawing are tanght, and a model schnol is attached for practice teaching.
During the year 285 granluates and 195 undergraduates of the State normal school tanght in the State, an increase of 19 of the former and of 36 of the latter over 180:3-'44.

## otefer nopmal traintig.

The cities of Hoboken, Newark, and Paterson include normal training in their public school systems. That at Newark had 35 young women in its course of 40 weeks under 4 instructors. In $1884-65$ the eutire class gradnated, of whom 34 were to engage in teaching, which they are permitsed to do in the city without further examination. A model school is attacher, which is said to be in escellent condition as to its attendance, diseipline, and instruction; the accommodations both for the theoretical and training departments were entirely inadequate. The city appropriated $\$ 1,500$ for the maintenauce of the normal school durng the jear.

## TEACHERS' INSTITUTES.

To defray the expenses of teachers' institutes the State allows $\$ 100$ for each connty that may hold an institute. Where the teachers from two or wore adjoining connties unite in holding the institnte, each county receires sivo. The State board of education must preseribe rules and regulations for holding the institutes. All teachers are required to attend anless escused, and no deduction may be made from their saiary for the time given to the institute.

## SECONDARY NSTRUCTION.

## PUBLIC EIGH SCHOOLS.

These schools are reported in most of the principal cities. That at Long Branch offers classical, scientific, and English courses, each covering 3 years, the classical being particularly desigued to fit students for college. Newarls has a simlar arrangement. With an enlaryed building and the organization of the school upon a broader and more liberal basis, with increased appliances for objective and experimental work, it is in close relation to the normal and training schools, and, throngh them, to the entire teaching force of the city. Paterson, with a bight-school registration of 230 pupils, reports an advancement of the school towards a higher standard, and a gain of it in effectiveness aud influence. Its library numbered over 12,000 volumes, and included a good proportion of historical and classical works. The Trenton high school has a 2-years' English course; Greek and Latin optional.

## otaer secondary schools.

For statistics of business colleges, private academic schools, and preparatory departments of colleges, see Tables IV, VI, VII, and IX of the Appendix. For summaries of their statistics, see the report of the Cmumissioner preceding.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## COLLEGES FOR YOUNG MEN.

The College of New Jersey.-Princeton continued in 1884-85 to maintain its classical, scientilic, and elective courses, with a faculty of 39 members, aud an eurollment of 519 students, representing 31 states, 1 Territors, and 3 foreign countries. Degrees conterred are M. A., B. A., M. S., B. S., and C. E. Three bouorary LL.D', ${ }^{1} 4$ D.D's, and 2 A. M.'s were conferred in June, 1884. Entrance examinations are beld annually in all the principal cities westward to San Francisco, aud in these exaninations and in the regular undergraduate and graduate courses that follow them everything indicates thoroughness, while aumual fellowships, prizes, and competitive scholarships help to stimulate students.

Other institutions reporting are Rntgers College, New Brunswick (non-sectarian), and St. Benedict's College, Newark, and Seton Hall College, South Orange ( Roman Catholic). The first named ofiers escellent classical, scientific, special, aud graduate courses of study, with numerons electives; the others preparatory, commercial, and classical courses of fair standard.

[^65]For statistics of these colleges, see Table IX of the Appendix; for summaries of them, a correspunding table in the repurt of the Commissioner, preceding.

LNSTITUTIONS FOR TEE SUPERIOR LNSTRUCTION OF YOUNG WOMEN.
For statistics of this class of institutions, see Table VIII of the Appendix; for a summary of them, a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner, preceding.

SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL DNSTRUCTION.

## SCLENTIFIC.

The 4-years' conrses of instruction in the Sterens Institute of Technology, Hoboten, include training in elementary and adranced mathematics and their application to mechauical construction; mechanical engineering, inclnding construction of machines; mechanical drawing; shop practice in mechanics; phssics; chemistry; applied electricity; and marine engineering-all with excellent appliances and fachlities for thoroingb scieutitic work
Rutgers Scientific School, constituted by the legislatare the State College of Agriculture and the Mechanic Arts, presents courses of 4 years in civil engineering aud mechanics and in chemistry and agriculture; a special cuarse of 2 years in agriculture; and post-gradnate courses in the natural sciences, agricultare, and political and social science, each leading to its appropriate degree.
The John C. Green School of Science connected with the College of New Jerser, Princeton, offers courses in general science to the junior year ; then electire courses in chemistry and mineralogy, biology and chemistry, biology and geology, and mathematics and mechanics; a course in civil engineering is also arranged. The branches open to special stadents include geology, mineralogy, biology, physics, practial astrunomy, analytical and applied chemistry, assaying, and topography.

The course in civil engineering diverges from that of general science in the beginning of the freshman year, proceeding to measurements of lines and angles, to plane problems and descriptive geometry, topographical drawing, chain and compass surress, and adrancing to applied mathematics, constructions, and studies of terrestrial magnetisu and electro-dynamics.
For statistics of sclentific schools and scientiic departments reporting, see Tables IX and X of the Appendix; for summaries of these, corresponding tables in the report of the Comnissioner, preceding.

TECHNICAL SCHOOLS.
A technical schnol was opened during the year at Newark, under a law of 1381, which provides that mhen a city, torn, or township shall raise $\$ 3,000$ for the establishment of an industrial school, the State will appropriate an equal amonnt for that purpose. Applicants for admission to the school at Newark must not ve less than 16 years of age, and mast be well yrounded in common-school studies; the course of instruction covers from 3 to 4 jears of 6 months each; the sessions occupying 5 evenivgs a week. Studies include algebra, geometry, trigonometry, descripuire geometry, plysics, theoretical, descriptive, and applied chemistry, free-hand and mechanical drawing. Special instruction is giren as to the care and proper use of tools. Number on roll Feliruary 23, 1eis5, 96, representing 18 different occnpations.

At Montelair a technical school has been in operation since 1832 , thongh not ander the act of le81. It is attacbed to the pablic school, and is under the shpervision of the district bnard of trustees. The boys of the grammar schools are tanght the proper use of wood-working tonls, and the girls are instructed in needle-work. This industrial training may not interfere with the regular class mork. The mork of the bors is not nulike that of the manual training schools of Saint Louis, Chicago, Pbiladelphia, and elsewhere.

## PROFESSIONAL

Theological instmetion is given in the Theological Seminary, Princeton, and the German Theological School of Newark, Bloombeld (buth Presbyterian); Drew Theological Seminary, Madison (Methodist Episcopal); the Theological Seminary of the Reformed Church, Now Brausmick; and in the Theological Seminary of the Immaculate Cooception, Sonth Orange (Roman Catholic). All give at least $3-5$ ears' courses of stuly, Priuceton and Drew adding post-graduate stadies.

For statistics of these departments reporting in $1884-\infty 5$, see Table XI of the Appendis, and for a summary of them, the report of the Commissioner, preceding.

## SPECLAL INSTRCCTIOA.

## EDCCATION OF THE DEAF.

The Nex Jersey Scinool for Deaf-Mutes, Trenton, a State institution founded in 18s3, in lex $4-35$, had 117 pupils, 51 of whom were girls. The common-school branches are taught, together with the industries of shoemaking and carpentering for boys, and
sewing for girls. Articnlation is tanght in separate classes, 2 of the teachers nsing this method esclusively. The State appropriated $\$ 280$ per pupil for the year. The institution owns 9 acres of land, valued, with buildings, etc., at $\$ 100,000$.

## reformatory and industrial tralning.

The New .Tersey State Reform School, Jamesburg, receives boys between the ages of 8 and 16 years. The unmber of different boys registered duriug the year was 426; 150 were releaven, indentured, or otherwise disposed of; absent on trial, and escaped, $\%$; remaining at the close of the school year, 269. The boys are divided into farnilies, the State seeking to give the reforming influence of home, rather than the punishment of a work-honse, and the plan has produced excellent results. Instruction is given in the elementary branches of learniug, as well as in farin and shop work, the latter inchding shoemaking, tailoring, carpentry, blacksmilhing, painting, and masonry.
The State Industrial School for Girls, Trenton, receires girls bet ween the ages of 7 and 16 years, and in 18-4-'85 reported 31 immates being frained to lead lives of nsefulness. The girls are dividerl into classes, so that all me turn are taught regularly how to wash, iron, and perfiron all honsehold duties, and in tho sowing-room they are taught to make and repair their own garinents neatly.
Newark City Home, Verona, which gives edncational, industrial, and reformatory training to the wayward youth of the city, sends no report for $1884-$ ' 0 .

## EDUCATIONAL CONVENTIONS.

## NEW JERSEY STATE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

This association beld its twenty-seventh annual meeting at Newark, Decemher 2930, 1884, State Superintendent Eilis P. Apgar presiling. Superintentent. G. H. Barton, of Jersey City, had prepared an interesting paper on the "Practical teaching of bygiene in the public schools," but, being too ill to attend, the docnument was read by Mr. Patton. The paper advocated this teaching as a means of showing the children that punishment is sure to follow any dereliction of the laws goveruing health. In the discnssion which followerl, Mr. C. J. Jacobns, superintendent elect of New Branswick, said that the schools and scholars were the best means of doing the hygienic work, as they would diffuse it in homes and places where it would oot otherwise be known. W. M. Griffis, of Newark, in a paper on the "Arenues of the mind," said, "Reason refuses to he crammerl, but the dullest reasoning facnlties in stupid pupils can be made to understand by gentleness and perseverauce." The evening was occupied br Rev. W. E. Crowe in an aldress on "The teacher and his work." The exercises of the second day were opened br Principal John Enright, of Freehohl, on "Methods of teaching spelling"; he said, "Words must be learned according to their phrases and sentences, and the spelling-book must go"; an idea which Professor Watson prononved "absurd," saying that there was but one way to gaill a thorough knowledge of spelling-classification and systematic study. Superintendeut C. E. Melener, of Paterson, read an interesting paper on elementary instruction, followed by Prof. J. W. Lycett, of Hohoken. on "Iuilustrial education"; the latter asserted that indnstrial education is destinen nltimate! y to gain great prominence in the nation. At the afternoon session Prof. John Greene, of Pedlie Institute, Hightstown, in a paper on "How to extend the unoral inflnence of the school," said that this influence ought to be a power; that there is no limit to the development of thispower; and that there is no place in which to exercise moral inflnence more potent than the public schools. The music committee submitted a resolntion recosmending the nse of the "Tonic solfa system" in the public schools of the State, which was nnamimonsly adopted. On motion of Superintendent Melevey, a committee was chosen to avk of the legislature permission and appropriations to organize infant classes, to collect all possible information on the subject of such classes, and to report at the next meeting.

## CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OFFICER.

Hou. Ellis A. Apgar, State superintendent of publio instruction, Trenton.
[Sisth term, March, 1882, to March, 1885. Succeeded by Edwin O. Chapman.]

## NEW TORE．

## STATISTICAL SUMMIARY．

|  | 1883－84． | 1831－＇85． | Increase． | Decrease． |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| POPULATION AND ATTENDANCE． |  |  |  |  |
| Yonth of school age（5－21） | 1，702，967 | 1，721，126 | 18,159 |  |
| Public schnol ewrollment | 1，000， 057 | 1，024， 845 | 24， 788 |  |
| Average dails attendauce． | 596，160 | 611， 019 | 14，8．9 | －．．－．．．．．． |
| Per ceut．of school yonth enrolled | 53． 72 | 59.55 | ． 83 |  |
| Per cent．of enrolled in attendance． | 59.61 | 59.62 | ． 01 |  |
| Per cent．of school south in attend． ance． | 35． 00 | 35.50 | ． 50 |  |
| Pupils in private or chnrch schools．．． | 121． 460 | 124， 816 | 3，356 |  |
| Number attending acadeures ．．．．．．．． | 34，162 | 37， 043 | 2， 881 |  |
| Number attendiog normal schools．．．． | 5，084 | 5，0：39 |  | 45 |
| Number attending colleges．．．．．．．．．．．． | 8，381 | 8，592 | 211 |  |
| Number attending medical and law schools． | 3， 036 | 3， 153 | 17 |  |
| Whole number under instruction．．．．． | 1，172， 180 | 1，203，383 | 31，208 |  |
| SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND SCHOOLS． |  |  |  |  |
| School districts reported | 11，258 | 11， 204 |  | 4 |
| Arerage school term，in dars | 163.5 | 179.0 | 10.5 |  |
| Volumes in district school libs | 701， 437 | 73：2，876 | 31，439 |  |
| Problic school－houses | 11，921 | 11，912 |  | 9 |
| Houses of brick or stone | 1，749 | 1，709 | 10 |  |
| teachers． |  |  |  |  |
| Men teaching in public schonls． | 6， 424 | 6． 021 |  | 403 |
| Women teaching in public schoo | 24，513 | 25，378 | 855 | ．．．．．．．．．．． |
| Whole number of teachers | $30,93 i$ | 31，399 | 462 |  |
| Teachers employed 23 weeks or more． | 21，411 | 21， 2.4 | 413 |  |
| Teachers attending institutes ．．．．．．．． | 14，770 | －18，295 | 3，525 |  |
| Liceused through normal schools．．．．． | －1，259 | －1，208 |  | 51 |
| financial statement． |  |  |  |  |
| Arerage monthly par of teachers ．．．． | E14 24 | \＄4484 | S0 60 |  |
| Whole expenditure for public schools． | 11，834，912 | 13， 680,968 | 1，746，0：， 6 |  |
| Teachers＇pay | 7，985，7．23 | 8，7п2，9\％0 | ミブ， 27 |  |
| For sites，buildings，and furniture．．．． | 2，103， 216 | 2， 224,393 | 7：1，177 |  |
| Value of all public school property．．． STATE SCHOOL FUND． | 31，937，951 | 33，347， 581 | $1,409,630$ |  |
| Amonnt of available fur |  | 3，204， 600 |  |  |
| Permanent school fund a |  | 7， $203 \%$ ，422 |  |  |

a This includes $\$ 4,602.822$ not now available．
（From report of Hnn．William B．Raggles，State superintendent of pablic instrac－ tions，for the jears indicated．）

## STATE SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## GENERAL CONDITION.

The statistics for 1884-'85 present, as may be seen, an adrance over 1883-s84 of 18,159 in school jouth, of 24,788 in enrollment in public schools, and of 14,859 in average daily attendance. There were 403 femer male teachers and 865 more females employed, with a slight increase in average monthly pay. An expenditure of $\$ 1,746,056$ more than in 188"3-84, with advances of $\$ 1,409,630$ in value of school property, and of $\$ 777,227$ in the aggregate paid to teachers, seems to iudicate a considerable outlay for additional schools aided school buildings. With this gratifying record of school work and school facilities, there yet remained 40.45 per cent. of school south not accounted for. If from this be deducted the large attendance of 124,816 in private and church schools, those over 16 years of age emplosed in various industries, aud those attending the higher schools, the above per cent. of non-attendance at school would be largely reduced, and an approsimation reached to the real facts in the case.
The State superintendent thus emphasizes this view: "While the minimum of school age is as low as 5 years and the maximnin as high as 21 , the number of children of scbool age will coutinue to be largely in excess of the number in attendance in public schools. This excess, it sbould be remembered, includes a cousiderable proportion of children between the ages of 5 and 6 years, who have not yet been placed in schonl. It also inoludes a large class of persons attendant in the various universities, colleges, academies, and seminaries, with those under instruction in select schools, in fanilies, and in numerous art, commercial, trade, and other technical and industrial schools. It includes the large number of young persons of both sezes under 21 years of age, who, having gone throngh a complete or partial course in the public schools, have engared in business, as well as many such persons not in business, and others ouly temporarily out of school, whose names will hereafter reappear upon the school registers. It is not to be inferred, therefore, that this large excess represents, even approsimately, the number of children in the State growing up in ignorance."
While this is true, it is also true that in many cities and towns, especially in the city of New York, school boards fud it impossible to keep up with the increase of school south auder 16 jears of age. In New York 3 new school buildings were opened during the sear 1884 , which had an average attendance of 5,500 , and yet the superinteudent says that, so far as discernible, no apparent diminution was produced in the attendance upon neighboring schools.
Among the encouraging features shown is an annual increase of toachers emplosed during the full legal school jear. A better grade of teachers is indicated, too, by the expenditure of $\$ 8,762,950$ for teachers' wages during the year, $\$ 497,497$ more than in in any previous year. A further indication of improved condition is that while onrollment has varied, the average artendance has been uninterruptedly increasing for the last 6 rears. A large increase of volumes in school district libraries in 1884- 55 , the superintendent sajs, does not break the force of the fact that these libraries have been steadily running down for over 30 years, having decreased from 1,604,210 in 1853 , to $73 \%, 076$ in 1005 .

## ADMENISTRATION.

The State superintendent of public instruction has general supervision of all the public schools.
Academio, collegiate, and professional training are under the direction of a board of regents of the University oi New York, the State superintendent being ex officio a member. For local administration there are school commissioners of oue or more counties, called commissiouers' districts, and boards of trustees of 1 or 3 members for ordinary school districes and of 3 to 9 iu union districts. Teachers at the close of their engagements must report to the district clerk the prescribed school statistics, he to the trustees, they to the school commissioner, and he to the State superintendent, who reports to the legislature.
The school comissioners are elected for 3 yearis, district trustees for 2 or 3 rears. No schonl commissioner or supervisor may be a sohool trustee, or a member of any board of education within his district or town; and no trustee can bold the office of district clerk, collector, or librarian. Every district and neighborhood officer must reside in his district or neighborhood, and be qualified to vote at its meetings. Women eligible as school officers nay also vote at school meetings.
Public schools are free to all resident children 5 to 21 years old in their school districts.

For Indian children separate arrangements are made on reservations. School authorities of cities or incorporated rillikges may establish separate schools for colored
children, and must farnish facilities for instruction equal to thoso in schools for whites, of the same grade.
A compulsory law of 1876 requires parents and guardians to see that their children 8 to 14 years old attend school at least 14 weeks each year, unless otherwise instructed in the common school branches, and no child under 14 who has not so attended may be employed in any business during school hours under penalty of $\$ 50$. Training in industrial and free-hand drawing must be given in all the State normal schools, in at least one department of city schools, and in union free schools in districts incorporated by special acts, unless excused by the State superintendent. Boards of education in cities and rillages designate the text books to be used in their schools, and no change can be made nader 5 years except by vote of three-fourths of the board, or of the same proportion of the legal voters of the district.

## sChool finances.

Public schools continue to be sustained from an annual tax of $1 \frac{1}{4}$ mills on $\$ 1$ of tasable property; from district taxes; from the income of a common school fund; from trust funds coming from the acquisition of real estate by gifts or otherwise; from such portion of the United States deposit fund as may be set apart for the purpose, and from certain fines and penalties. District taxes may be levied for sites, buildings, apparatus, libraries, fuel, etc., for supply of a deficiency in a former tax, or for paying teachers.

To entitle a district to State school moneys it must have snstained at least 1 school for 23 weeks under a qualified teacher the preceding year, and must have filed its annual report with the town clerk. No unqualified teacher may be paid from the public funds.

## NEW LEGZSLATION.

An act passed May 27, 1885, amends former acts as to the distribution of State school moneys, and requires that after deducting the usual annual amounts for salaries of school commissioners, city superintendents, libraries, etc., the State superintendent shall divide the remainder into 2 equal parts, and apportion one-half equally among the school districts and cities from which reports hare been received, the other half (and also the library moneys separately) among the counties of the State, according to their respective populations, excludivg Indians residing on their reservations. But as to counties in which are cities under special acts, he is to apportion to each city the part to which it appears to be entitled, and to the residue of the county on the same basis.

After October 1, 1885, each school commissioner is to have an annual salary of $\$ 1,000$. Any sum allowed him from the free-school fund by the supervisors of his district beyond this $\$ 1,000$ the supervisors must assess upon the towns composing his district, according to the rated valuations of property therein.

After Angust 20, 1885, no person under 16 years of age shall be consideret a qualifed teacler for a public school.
Every union free school district is to be subject, in all its departments, to the visitation of the superintendent of public instruction, who is charged with the general supervision of its board and management.

The superintendent is to establish such regnlations as will furnish incentives to teachers to attend the institutes in the county or school district in which each is teaching, and such attendince is not to be allowed to work a forfeiture of contract or рау.
Provision is also made for instruction, in all schools under State control, as to the effects of alcoholic drinks, stimulants, and narcotics on the human system; and no certificate is to be issued after January 1, 1885, to any teacher in the public schools that has not passed a satisfactory examination in physiology and hygiene, with reference to the effects of such drinks, stimulants, and narcotics.

## SCHOOL SYS'TEMS OF CITIES WITH 7,500 OR MORE INHABITANTS.

## ADMINISTRATION.

City public schools are managed by local boards of education, under special statutes, varying in the natare of their provisions. They are also under the supervision of local superintendents (or clerks of local boards), who perform the duties of saperintendents, and exercise powers and duties similar to those of school commissioners. Such superintendents report annually to their boards of education, and also directly to the State superintendent, transmitting whatever facts he may require.

STATISTICS.
1884-'85.

| Cities. | Population, census of 1880. | Children of school age. | Enrollment in public schools. | Average daily attendance. | Number of teachers. | Expenditure. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Albany | 90,758 | 35,900 | 13,720 | 9,740 | 250 | \$219, 923 |
| Auburn. | 21, 924 | 7,259 | a3, 596 | 2, 740 | 82 | 67, 679 |
| Binghamton | 17,317 | 5,954 | 3,709 | 2,753 | 81 | 56, 606 |
| Brooklyn . | 566, 663 |  | 96,927 | 59, 093 | 1,437 | 1, 598, 427 |
| Buffalo | 155, 134 | 69, 500 | 27, 611 | 17, 152 | 491 | 514, 162 |
| Cohnes. | 19, 416 | 7,135 | b3, 252 | 61, 942 | 53 | 36, 907 |
| Elmira. | 20,541 | 6,558 | 3,931 | 2,959 | 79 | 64, 199 |
| Hudson | 8,670 | 3, 700 | 1,404 | 903 | 24 | 13, 010 |
| Ithaca | 9,105 | 2,733 | 1,809 | 1,266 | 32 | 67, 173 |
| Kingston | 8,780 | c3, 015 | 1,861 | 1,154 | 33 | 31, 460 |
| Lockport | 13, 5\%2 | 3,943 | 2,210 | 1, 580 | 42 | 29,163 |
| Long Island City | 17, 129 | 6, 529 | 4, $2: 9$ | 2, 739 | 68 | 43, 463 |
| Newburg... | 18, 049 | 6,712 | 3, 440 | 2, 459 | 71 | 58, 633 |
| New York | 1. 206, 299 |  | 300, 459 | 150, 924 | 3, 898 | 4, 443, 990 |
| Oswego | 21, 116 | 8, 011 | b3, 706 | b2, 451 | 67 | 46, 784 |
| Rochester | 89, 366 | 37,000 | 14152 | 10,662 | 314 | 275, 704 |
| Saratoga Springs | 8, 421 | 2, 647 | 1,977 | 1,279 | 40 | 34, 071 |
| Syracuse...... | 51,792 | 19,853 | 9,439 | 7,482 | 199 | 137,483 |
| Troy. | 56,747 | 20, 000 | 8,490 | 5,662 | 162 | d119, 877 |
| Utica | 33, 914 | 13, 983 | 5,865 | 3,930 | 148 | 104, 627 |
| Fonkers | 18,892 | 8,076 | b3,405 | b1,931 | ¢58 | 70,078 |

a Excluding 11 duplicates. $b$ Including evening schools.
c For only tro-thirds of the city. $d$ Items not all reported.

## ADDITIONAL PARTICULARS.

Albany in 1884-'85 provided 24 public school buildings ( 10 for primary schools, 13 for grammar schools, and 1 for a high school), with 12,286 sittings, rated with other school property at $\$ 002,000$. School population and registered attendance were about the same as in 1883-'84, the enrollment gaining only 2 , though there was a gain of 288 in average daily attendance, of 9 in teachers, and of $\$ 16,781$ in expenditure for public schools. The registered attendance was 38.22 per cent. of school youth and the number retained in attendance 27.13 per cent. Taking into account about 5,000 in private and parochial schools, 52.15 per cent. of school youth were under instruction some part of the year. No evening schools are reported. A training school is taught by the principal of the primary schools. Special teachers in music, drawing, German, and chemistry were employed, the last for one-half of the year.
The supcrintendent says that 3 years' trial of a continuous daily session, without a noon recess, has added to the cffectiveness of the schools, and has been a positive benefit to the health of the pupils.
Discipline had improved. Only 1 in every 260 pupils received punishment from the rod. Cases of suspension were only of a temporary character. Measures were taken to devise a course of study in physiology and hygiene to meet the requirements of the new school law.

Auburn shows in 1884--85 a falling off of 327 in school population, fet a gain of 28 in cnrollment, of 106 in daily attendance, and of $\$ 9,393$ in expenditure for public schools. A new school building reported last jear as under coutract, to cost $\$ 8,000$, is supposed to have been completed, making 12 buildings, with 3,710 sittings. Schoo property was rated at $\$ 243,500$. There were also 3 school buildings, with 1,200 sittings, tor private and parochial schools. Comparison of attendance in the public schools with the school youth reported shows 49.31 per cent. enrolled, and 37.75 per cent. in average daily attendance. Counting the 1,200 pupils in private and parochial soloons, 66.07 per cent. of school youth attended school some part of the year; and allowing the daily attendance in these schools to be 830, as reported, 49.19 per cent. of school youth were retained in average daily attendance by all classes of schools. But the test of the efficiency of a school system is in the average attendance of those between the ages of 6 and 16 , as but a small fraction of other a ges are enrolled. Oit the 7,259 of legal school age ( $5-21$ ), 406 were under 6, and 1,59:3 over 16, leaving 5,260 betireen 6 and 16. Of these the public and other schools retained 3,570 in average daily attendance, leaving 1,690 out of school.
Schools are classed as primary, grammar, and high, and were in session 104 days. No evening schools were reported. Special teachers in music and drawing were employed.
The superintendent says, "The jear has been one of exceptional quict. Everything has run smoothly."

Binghaminn reports for 1884-'85 a well-proportioned adrance on 1883-'84, thero being an increase of 300 in school youth; of 22.5 in eurollment; of 178 in average attendance ; of 13 in teachers; and of 87,593 in school expentliture. Eleven school buildings were reported, school property being valued at $\$ \because 36,661$. an advance of $\$ 8,2=0$ beyond the previous year. Adding the 545 in private and parochial schools to those in public schools, the per cent. of school youth enrolled was 71.45, while in the public schools alone the arerage daily attendance was 46.27 per cent. The schools, primary, grammar, and high, were in session 198 days.

No evening schools reported, and no special teachers emplosed.
Brooklyn for 1:84-85 shows a fair advance on the previous year, there being a gain of $3,3: 8$ in registered pupils, of $2,3 i 5$ in average daily attendance, of 82 in teachers, and of $\bar{\varepsilon} 145,407$ in expenditure for public schools. No additional school buildings are reported. The enrollment exceeded by 30,965 the seating capacity of the 61 school buildings, which, however, was grater than the average attendance. Of the children enrolled 3,614 were under 6 years of age, 1,613 over 16, learing 91,700 bet ween 6 and 10 as the permanent school material, for whom were needed 25,738 additional sittings. Schools were taught the full school year, 208 days. School properts was ralued at $\& 3,649,000$. There were 61 schools under the control of the city board of edncation, including 1 training school for teachers, 1 central, 32 grammar, 25 intermediate and primary, and 2 "attendance" schools. The new school buildings erected daring the last 2 years are said to be of superior internal arrangements, and the 2 recently built to be models of school architecture. Of the 14 evening schools, 2 are of high-school grade, and 1 for colo ed pupils.
Buffalo shows a rapidly increasing population, and much enterprise in the struggle to keep abreast with it in school accommodations. During the year school youth increased by 2,000 , enrollment br 689 . average attendance by 1,511 , and pablic school expenditure by $\$ 305,942$. Of the 101 school buildings reported for $1884-85,46$ were for private and parochial, and 55 for public schools, including those rented. Of those for public schools 18 were for primary schools, 36 for grammar schools, and 1 for a high school. The average number of teachers was 491, vesides 4 special teach-ers-in music, drawing, penmanship, and German. The public schools enrolled 39.73 per cent. of school youth, and retained $\% 463$ per cent. in average daily attendance. If to the eurollment in the public schools be added 12,000 estimated as regist red in private schouls, it will be seen that 56.99 per cent. of school population were under instruction for some part of the school year, leaving 43.01 per cent. ont of sch ols of any kind. Public schools were in session 197 days. No erening schools reported. School property was ralued at $\$ 1,014,280$.

Cohoes in $1884-85$ went in all points berond $1883-84$. With 664 more scbool ronth, 471 more were enrolled, 250 n ore were retained in arerage attendance, 1 more teacher was emplosed, $\S 833$ more were expended for public schools, and 148 more sittings for study provided, making accommodations for 2,123 pupils, or 181 more than the arerage attendance. Private schools report 3 school buildings, 7 teachers, 600 enrolled, and 400 in average aftendance. The statistics show that the combined enrollment of all these schools amounts to 53.99 per cent. of the school south, thus leaving nearly one-half of them out of school. But of the 7,135 school youth, 2,915 were over 14 jears of age, and only 61 over 16 appear in the enrollment. This iudicates that most, if not all, the able-bodied jouth over 14 or 16 who were not in higher schools were employed in the industries of the city, and needed no day-school acconmodations. Night schools were taught 96 evenings in 5 dar-school rooms, with 778 enrolled and 194 in average attendance, under 8 teachers. Day schools were in session 202 dass. School property was valued at $\$ 128,718$.

Elmira, in $1 \leq 84-$ ' 85 , though making but small adrance on $1883-8$ ' 4 , has a pleasing record of school work. The 3 public school buildings with 3.950 sittings afforded ample room for the public school enrollment, these sittings being exclusire of 300 in a building held as a relief. There was a night school with 3 teachers, a registry of 204, and an arerage attendance of 102 . Private schools had 3 school buildings with 700 sittings, 11 teachers, a registry of 600 , and an average attendance of 425 . The aggregate enrollment shoms $\overline{72.20}$ per cent. of school youth under instruction some part of the sear, and 53.16 per cent retained in average daily attendance. The public schools tere in session 196 days. One special teacher in music was employed. Public school property was rated at $\$ 345,000, \$ 20,000$ being for apparatus.

Hudson in 1=84's5, with a gain of only 60 in school south, goes beyond the previous year 210 in enrolled attendance, 57 in average attendauce, and 2 in teachers, expending $\$ 1,751$ more for public schools. There were 8 school buildiugs, with 050 sittings for primary schools, 300 for grammar schools, and 200 for a high scbool. While these accommodations were ample for the registered attendance, they left 2,250 of the school youth unprovided for by the city system. Of this number 650 were in private schools, learing 1,600 still mithont school room or instraction. It must be considerel, however, that about one-third of school jouth reported are orer 16 sears of age, have graduated from the common schools, and are in employments or in higher schools.

Two special teachers-in music and German-were employed. Public schools were taught 203 days. School property was rated at $\$ 55,000$.
Ithaca, while it expended $\$ 43,3 \overline{5} 6$ more for public schools than in 1883-'84, fell behind 275 in school population, 246 in eurollment, 145 in average daily attendance, and 3 in teachers. There were 6 public school buildings, affording 934 sittings for primary schools, 683 for grammar schools, and $\mathfrak{2} 24$ for at high school, being 32 more than was needed for the enrollment. Pitivate schools eurolled 400, holding 260 in average attendance. Notwithstanding the falling off above noted, the public schools registered 60.19 per cent. of school sonth, 46.32 per cent. of whom were held in average attendance. The entire school force, public and private, enrolled as high as 83.75 per cent. of school youth, leaving only a little over 16 per cent. ont of school, but not therefore necessarily illiterates. Public schools were taught 196 days; school property mas valued at \$126,000.
The erection of a new school building seating 234 pupils of the high and 280 of the grammar school, may accuunt for an outlay of $\$ 43,3 \bar{z} \dot{u}$ in excess of last year.
Eingston school district, including two-fitths of the city, reported for 1884-'85 primary, junior, senior, and academic schools. A return shors 5 school baildiags with 1,690 sittiugs, but slight changes on all points from 1833-'dt, except a falling off of 87 in average daily attendance, and of $\$ 15,607$ in public school expenditure. The public schools registered $61 . i 2$ per cent. of school population, all schools in the district combined 72.21 per cent., public schools holding 38.27 per cent. in average daily attendance. Special teachers in music and drawing were employed. Public schools were in session 196 days; the property connected with them was valued at $\$ 1 \overline{2}, 500$. No evening school reported.
In conformity with the recent act of the legislature, physiology has been tavght orally in all the grades below the academic since January 1, 1885 . The superintendent says that the results have been quite satisfactory. A large majority of the teachors made special preparation and aequitted themselves well. The use of a suitable text book on physioiogy and hygiene is recommended for the senior grades. The schools were in good condition.
Lockport in 18 $84-85$ falls behind 1883-'84 by 57 in school youth, 189 in enrollment, 63 in average attendance, and 2 in teachers, while the expeuditure for public schools was $\$ 337$ more. The 7 school buildings (same as year before) had 1,134 seats for primary schools, 1,275 for grawmar schoois, and 253 for the high school, showing 457 more sittings than the enrollment for the year; 56.05 per cent. of school youth were registered, or countiog in the 500 in private schools 68.73 per cent., leaving 1,233 of the children and yonth of legal school age in the city in no school. Of the public school enrollment 130 were under 6 jears of age, and 254 over 16 . No evening school is reported for those wh s cannot attend day schools, nor kindergarten for those under 6 years. There were special teachers in penmanship, German, and French. Public schools were taught the full school year-19:3 days, and school property was valued at \$105,010.
Long Island City, while losing 234 in school population, as compared with 1833-84, gained 51 in enrollment, 225 in average attendance, 13 in teachers, and expended $\$ 3,977$ more for public schools. The registered attendance was 64.77 per cent. of school youth, and with 385 in otizer schools was 70.67 per cont., while 41.95 per cent. were rerained in average daily attendance by the public schoois. The publie schools were taught the full school year, 202 days. Public school property was rated at $\$ 70,200$. No evening schools zior special teachers reported.
Newburg shows a gain of 513 in scbool youth, and of $12 \%$ in curollment. The 71 teachers employed seem to hare done at least as well as previously, retaining 35.63 per cent. of school youth, and nearly 72 per cent. of the enrolled, in average daily attendance. Counting the 681 in private schools, 61.39 per cent. of youth of school age were registered in the schools of the city, leaving 2,591 out of school. This number probably represents the average school youth over 16 vears of age, who have graduated from the common schools, and are pursuing studies in higber ones, or are engaged in the industries of the place. So long as the school age extends from 5 to $\$ 1$. about one-third may safely be thus accounted for. Public schools were taught 206 days. School property was rated at $\$ 184,000$.
New York City embraces in its public school system, or under its supervision, 300 schools, consisting of a normal college and a training school connected with it, 46 grammar schools for males, 47 for females, 13 for both sexes, 75 primary departments of grammar schools, 40 primary and 23 evening schools, 1 nautical school, and 48 corporate, industrial, reform, and orphan schools.
These all in 1885 enrolled 300,459 pupils, with an arerage attendance of 150,924 , employing 3,893 teachers, including 77 in crawing, music, German, and French, with an expeuditure of $\$ 4,443,800$.
To meet the demand for more school room 3,300 sittings in new buildings were added during the year, and preparations made to increase the umber to $1: 2,000$ in the near future. Action was also taken to improve tho ventilation and sanitary condition of all the new school buildings.

The 23 evening schools (one of them a high schnol with 27 teachers) report excellence in instruction and discipline. They registered 19,731 pupils, with an arerage attendance of 7,0 б́5.
Foreiguers studring English were 6,628 , with an averago attendance of 2,221. Pupils over $21,4,301$. School books and stationery are furnished by the Board, the ex-
 number of pupils over 1834. The school course during the winter of 1884 -' 35 , and the iustruction in seamanship and navigation during the summer crnise, are said to have been carried ont satisfactorils. The College of the City of New York, a most important factor of the public school system, reports, for the jear ending June 25, 18k5, 696 stadents: in its repartment of arts, 225 ; in that of sciences, 334 ; in the 3 - years special course, 137. At the examination for admission, of 1,048 applicants 644 were admitted, making the roll of the college 1,236 , an iacrease of 145 over $1883-84$.
Among changes in the course of study, for the grammar and primary schools, the most important was a required instruction in physiulogy and hygiene, with reference to the effects of alcoholic drinks and narcotics on the human system, as required by State latr. To enforce this, the board made it the duty of the principals to deliver to their pupils at least once a month lectures on this sulject of about 20 minutes in length, in general accordance with a prepared "syllabus of topics."

Osioego in 1854-35 made small gains over 1883-94, emploring 4 more teachers and expending $\$ 407$ more. The 23 schonl bnildings reported for last year mere reduced to 20 in 1584-85, but with 465 more sittings, in:icating improvement in school accommodations. These provided 1,660 seats for primary, 1,150 for grammar, 75 for ungraded, and 500 for high schools.

The prablic schools enrolled 46.20 per cent. of school south, and with 1,140 in private schools, the entire registered attendance was 60.42 per cent., the private schools enrolling nearly one-third. Public schools were in session the full school year, 197 dars, at an expenditure of $\$ 4,784$, and with property valued at $\$ 179,230$.
Rochester in 1884-85 continued its commendable struggls to keep up in school accommodations with a rapifly increasing ponulation. Thirty school buildings were reported, with 12,116 sittings for study, which failed br 2,036 to equal the enrollment. The public schnols, classed as primary, grammar, and high, enrolled 639 more than in 1853-34, held 8:20 more in arerage flaily attendance, employing 13 more teachers, and yet the enrolled reached only 35.25 per cent. of school popalation; allowing 7,500 in private schools, but 58.52 per cent. were registered in all classes of schools. The public schools, taught 196 dars, had property valued at $\$ 586,930$. This apparently bad showing is largely relieved by the allowance of about one-third of school jouth to be over 16 jears oî age, which accounts for 12,333 as in emplosments suited their age. Then in the number enrolled we find 552 of 16 rears of age, which reduces the number out of school to 2,421, uany of whom may be disabled from various causes.

Saratoge Springs in 183t- 85 presents 75.63 per cent. of school youth enrolled, under 35 female and 5 male teachers, who held $6 \$ .69$ per cent. of the enrolled in average daily attendance. With 77 in private scbools, $7 \% .6$ per cent. of school routh were enrolled, leaving 583 out of school. Public schools mere in session 205 days of the schnol year, at an expenditure of $\oint 34,071$. Special teachers in music and drawing were employed. School property was valued ar $\$ 100,000$.

Syrucuse still embraces in its school systemp primary, junior, senior, and high schools, with a course of 8 years below the high. For this last see "Secondary instruction," further on. A return shows an increase orer 1833-84 of 969 in school population, of 224 in enrollment, of 385 in average daily atteadance, of 7 in teachers, while school expenditure was $\mathbf{\$ 7}, 379$ less. The public schools registered 47.05 psr cent. of school youth, and held 79.27 per cent. of enroiled in arerage attendance. Adding ?,443 in private schools, 59.86 per cent. of school youth were under instrnction, ieaving 7,966 apparently unprovided for. The 18 school buildings, with 8,984 sittings for study, fell short of the enrollinent by 455 . Special teachers in draming and penmanship were employes.

A training scbool supplies more than cne-fourth of the teachers. who are said to be superior to those formerly employed. The superintendent expresses his gratitication with the general improvement, especially so with the better attendauce, as indicating more efficiency in work. From this pleasing view he turns with much concern to the large percentage of school youth not in school. According to his estimate, after eliminating those over 16 years of age, who may be otherwiso emplosed, there were 2,138 of proper school age out of school. He regards the only remed. for this evil to be in the recent action of the board of education, which contemplates a vigorous enforcement of the new truant law. He regards it as unfortunate that the school age covers so long a period, as the nnmber registered above 16 is so small as to add almost nothing to the attendance roll, and ret are included in the number of school youth not in school. He would have school age reduced to 6-16.
Troy classed its public schools as primars, intermediate, grammar, and high; and, accoruing to a return, gained 192 in pupils enrolled and emploged 6 more teachers.

These schools registered 42.45 per cent. of school youth, holding 66.69 per cent. of enrollment iu a rerage daily attendance. With 2,500 in private schools, only 54.95 pel cent. of the 20,000 school youth were registered in all the schools.

The superintendent says that in several schools the work of the past jear has been prosecuted nuder difficulties, from replacing old bnildings with new ones and procuring, in the process of building, suitable rooms elsewhero. Never in the history of the schools has so much been done, in a single year, to provide comfortable accommodations for the children of the city. Three new buildings were practically completed and ready for occupancy, all of ihem 3-story brick structures, with basements, and an aggregate of 54 well lighted rooms, the arrangement of seats being conformed to the advice of ophthalmic surgeons, while 2,262 sittings were furnished with the latest form of single seats; entire new furniture and excellent heating apparatus were provided; all had play-rooms in the busement, the vards being reducel to a minimnm, as mid-session general recesses no longer prevail. The entire cost was about $\$ 122,000$.
The city report gives no indication of evening schools. Special teachers in music and drawing were employed. Pablic schools were taught 200 days. School property was estimnted at $\$ 410,000$.

Ctica. - A return for 1884 -' 85 shows an increase over 1883-'84 of 1,122 in school youth, of 248 in enrollment, of 85 in average daily attendance, and of $\$ 1,452 \mathrm{in}$ expenditure for schools. The enrolled exceeded the sittings of the 18 school bnildings by $1,1: 37$, indicating considerable change in pupils. There were ?, 802 enrolled in the primary, 2,502 in the grammar, 150 in the high, and 411 in evening schools. While these retained 67 per cent. of conrolled in average daily attendance, only 41.94 per cent. of school jouth were registered in the public schools, 2,191 being reported in private schools. Lvening schools were taught by 8 teachers, with an enrollment of 354 men and 57 women. A special teacher in musio was emplojed. The public day schools were tanght 195 days. Schnol property was rated at §371, $i 66$.
Yonkers for $1804-85$ presents a gratifying record of adrance at all points. With an increase of 820 in school youtb, there were, including evening schnols, 862 more enrolled, 12 more teachers, and au increased expenditule of $\$ 3,855$. Au additional school building makes 7 in all, with 1,300 sittings for primary schools, 621 for grammar schools, and 149 for a high school. The public schools registered 42.16 per cent. of schonl youth, and the 1,800 in private schools made the whole enrollment 64.45 per cent. The public schools held 56.71 per cent. of their enrolled in average daily atteudance. Evening schools enrolled 353 men and 159 women under 10 teachers. Special teachers in music and drawing reported. Schools were in session 197 days, being the entire school rear. School property was valued at $\$ 169,000$, an increase of $\$ 31,551$ over last year.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## GENERAL STATE REQUIREMENTS.

A teacher of public schools must present evidence of competencr, such as a normalschool diploma, a certificate of qualitication from the State superintendent, school commissioner of the district, or school officer of a city or village in which he is employed.

By a law of 1882 , pupils trained in teachers' classes under the smpervision of the regents of the University of New York, who pass an examination prescribed by the regents under the supervision of school commissioners, are licensed to teach.

## state normal training.

The State continues to sustain 8 normal schools, viz, at Albany, Brockport, Buffalo, Cortland, Fredouia, Genesen, Osweso, and Potsdam. These are all under the supervision of the State superintendent, the regents of the university having joint charge with him orer the one at Albang. In these schools tuition and the use of text-books are free. Each countr is entitled to twice as many pupils as it has representatires in the Assembly; and when the quota of a county cannot be filled with qualified candidates, eligible ones from other counties may come in. All must lee at least 16 years of age, healthy, of good moral character, of average ability, and must pass an examination in the elements of a good Euglish education. Appointments are nado by the State superintendent on the recommendation of school commissioners or city superintendents. The school at Albany presents but one course of 2 sears; the other: have elementary and adranced English courses of 2 jears, and classical courses of 3 jears.

The aggregate attendance in 1884-'85 was 2,471, an increase of 78 over $1883-84$; graduates for the year, 327 , an increase of 27 ; whole number graduated since organization, 6,160 . The whole number of teachers holding normal diplomas was 51 less than in $1883-84$, and 72 less than in $180^{\circ}-8.8$; rather discouraging, says the superibtendent, to those who are hoping to see the public schools largely supplied with normal-school graduates.

## OTHER NORMAL TRAINING.

The Normal College of the City of Nero Fork, admitting 693 students in 1885, registered 1,553 , with an average attendance of 1,416 , of whom 1,010 were studying Prench and 543 German, and 236 graduated from its 4 -years course of study. At the examination in June, 1855, 9.33 candidates were from the female grammar schools, of whom $15 \%$ were marked an average of 90 per cent. or more, 60 me going as high as 97 per cent.

The instruction of teachers' classes in academies and union schools under the authority of the regents of the university is reported to have been conducted during the rear very satisfactorily. A rigid supervision has been maintained. Students have been held to a strict account in the observance of regulations. The requirement that all candidates for admission must pass the preliminars examination of the regents exerted a wholesome influence in inproving the character of the membersbip; and although the number under this system has been reduced, the quality of teachers sent out was greatly improved. Much of this increased enticiency in tho instruction giren is attributed to the earnest and intelligent efforts of the inspoctor of teachers' classes, Dr. A. B. Watkins, who visited 103 of the 111 classes uaring the jear.

In pursuance of the law of 1884 , iustruction will he given in physiology and hygiene in the teachers' classes and schools under the control of the regents.

In 18e4-' $\$ 5$ there were 143 academical and free union schools in which teachers' classes were taught. These classes enrolled 2,343 students, an increase of 473 over 1533-'34.

## TEACHERS' LNSTITU'TES.

The lan requires each school commissioner to organize na annual teachers' institute in his district, or a combined one in concert with other commissioners in the same countr, sabject to the adrice and direction of the State superintendent.

By a law of August, 1365 , public schools in distriets and parts of districts where such institutes are held must be closed during the sessinn, or forfeit their share of the pablic school fund for the time taken for the institute, the same to be deducted from the par of teachers that violate the law. Districts closing their schools to allow their teachers to attend these institutes receive their share of public funds for payment of their teachers while attending. In the calendar year $1 E x 5$, teachers' institutes were held in each of the 55 counties of the State, exclusire of New York and Hamilton. In 14 connties 2 institutes were held, making the aggregate number 22 , with an attendance of 18,245 .

## SCHOOL JOURNALS.

The leading educational journals in this State in $1854-185$ hare been the School Journal, a weekly, pablished at New Yorls City, which reached its thirtieth volume in July, 1885; the Teachers' Institute, a monthly abstract of the previous one, published up to December, $18 \Sigma 3$; the School Bulletin, Srracuse, a monthly, in its eleventh volume in 1885; and the Industrial Neves, published monthly by the Inventors' Institute, Cooper Union, in its sixth rolume in 1885 . The Summary, published weekly, at the New York Reformatory, Elmira, makes its first appearance at this Bureau in its third volume, 1885.

## SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

## ACADEMIES AND HIGH-SCHOOL DEPARTMENTS.

The secondary schools of the State are (1) incorporated academies governed by boards of trustees and supported mainly by tuition fees; (2) academical departments of union schools controlled by boards of education and supported chiefly by local taxation.
Under a law of $1 \approx 64$ anthoriziug union schools to adopt as academical departments academies existing in their districts, the number of academies has annually decreased, while the academic departments proportionally increased. In 1*65-66 there were 190 academies, and bat 22 academical departments; in 1 $883-84$ there were only 75 of the former and 185 of the latter. In this progress of events, the weak and unendowed academies have been carried down, while the strongest have survived. This rapid increase in the number of academical departments of union schools is one of the most remarkable facts in the educational history of the State. Numbering nearly 200 , they are found in every city and nearly every village. They form an important element in the public school system. To aroid too large an increase, and consequent inferiority, the regents two years ago raised the condition for the admission of academical departments to their visitation. As showing the grade of instruction in these schools, it is stated that, of 260 principals, 182 were graduates of colleges and 34 of normal schools. There were under the care of the regents in 1883-84, in the 260 institutions, 1,309 teachers, 34,162 scholars, of whom 10,873 were academical, sustained at an expenditure of $\$ 1,3 \$ 5,119$ for the jear. The State appropriates annuall $\$ \$ 0,000$ to their
support; the balance is from local taxation and tuition fees. Since 1851 the State has annually appropriated $\$ 3,000$ to purchase books and apparatus for these schools, increasing it in 1884 to $\$ 6,000$. The whole amount thus given, including that for 1885 , is $\$ 164,812$, which, as it insured an equal sum by the schools, shows $\$ 329,625$ expender for books and apparatus. Of the students, 6,906 were pursuing classical studies, 2,400 were preparing for college, and 30,792 were in elementary studies.

OTHER SECONDARY SCHOOLS.
For statistics of business colleges, private academic schools, preparatory schools, and preparatory departments of colleges, see Tables IV, VI, VII, and IX of the Appendix; for summaries of same, see the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## UNIVERSITY OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK.

The board of regents of the University of the State of New York, established Mar, 1784 , made its 98 th annual report in January, 1885. As this completed a century of its work, the celebration of it was held in connection with the annnal university convocation in July, 1884, an account of which see further on, under "Educational conventions."

This university is composed of all the recognized colleges-academies and academical departments of union schools coming in as preparatory schools. There are on the university list 52 incorporated colleges, including both literary and professional institutions. Of these, 47 report in 1883-' 84 a total of 752 instructors, 11,417 students, and 1,611 graduates. Twenty are colleges of arts for both sexes, leading to the degree of A. B.; 5 are exclusively for women, though only 4 report for 1884;16 are medical, and 4 are law colleges. They owned property ralued at $\$ 22,812,836$, and expended for the Jear, $\$ 1,724,868$.
No institution of the collegiate grade was added during the year. The condition of the colleges is reported to have been one of marked prosperity, with eteady progress in the acquisition of funds for endowments and enlargement of courses of instruction. In some there has been activity in providing new courses and greater facilities for instruction. Since June, 1883, Columbia College, Now York Cits, has offered a course of study to young women equivalent to that for young men, extending over 4 jears, to be pursued under the general direction of the faculty, the manner and place of study being left to the discretion of the student. Another recent step in the right direction is the establishment, by the same college, of a school of library economy, to meet the demand for trained librarians. Instruction is given by lectures, courses of reading, conferences, and actual observation of and experience in library mork. The college library, containing 60,000 volumes, has recently been moved to a new fire-proof building.
The catalogues and returus from 23 collegiate institutions for 1884-'85 show that the activities and prosperity of the previous year continued. Wew report changas during the rear. The St. Lawrence University extended its theological course to 4 years, instead of its previous 3.

Cornell Cniversity reports the most successful year since its organization. A lady principal of Sage College was appointed, and all lady students who havo no valid reason for living elsewhere vere required to reside at the college. During the year, there was, for the first time in the history of the university, a body of fellows, in accordance rith a statute adopted at the last previous meeting of the board. There were 7 fellowships connected with the rarious departments, each held by a graduate elected by the facultr. There was also established during the year a system of unirersity scholarships, founded on a fund made up by individual members of the board, which provides for 36 in all, or 9 every year for 4 years, the annual value of each to be $\$ 200$. Nothing, says the president, that this board has done, has shown its value more immediately and couclusively, resulting in a great and sudden increase of students of a high grade of preparation. There was no change in the general course of instruction, but every course felt the benefit of the increase of facilities for stady, the library haring been increased by 3,926 bound rolumes, making a total of 54,370 , and 15,625 pamphlets. The university was perfecting a system for the instruction of teachers, similar to that of the University of Michigan.

In Columbia College a successful effort was made to sabdiride classes without in creasing the expense by an increass of instructors. When a vacancy occurs among the instructors, instead of employing another of the same grade, 2 or more fellows with tutorial-duties take his place. In the retirement of Mr. Hopkins, professor of Latin and Zend, the college sustained a great loss.

At the beginning of the year the school of mines occupied its new building; summer schonls of survering, mechanical engineering, and practical mining were held, the usefuluess of which was questioned.

Donations and bequests to colleges during the jear have not been large or numerous St. Stephen's received $\$ 12,000$, in small sums, for buillings; St. Lawrence Universit: nearly $\$ 2,000$, fur deficiency of income; Ingham University $\$ 5,000$, to defray expenses Colleire of St. Francis Xavier $\$ 100,000$, from Mr. John F. O’Conner, a gradnate a 1872; Rutgers College $\$ 5,000$ each from 2 friends ; Syracuse University $\$ 122,000$, frol various individuals and conferences, for a general endowment fund.

Of the 25 universities and colleges belonging to the university system of the Stat" 15 are exclnsively for roung men, 5 for young women, while Alfred, St. Lawrence Cornell, and Syracuse Universities, with Columbia College, admit women, all bu the last on the same terms as men.
For cietailed statistics of colleges and universities, see Table IX of the Appendix; for their summaries, see the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## INSTITUTIONS FOR THE SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION OF YOUNG WOMEN.

Th3 $\Sigma$ institutions of full collegiate rank exclusively for joung women are Wells College, Aurora; Elmira Female College, Elmira; Ingham University, Le Roy; Rutgers Female Colloge, New Yorls City; and Vassar College, Ponghkeepsie. Elmira College received from various sources during the year bonefactions amounting to $\$ 51,000$.
For fuil statistics of these colleges and other schools for the higher instruction of roung women, see Table VIII of the Appendix; for their sammaries, see the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION.

## SCIENTIFIC.

The Uniteai States Military Lcademy, West Point, established in 1802 and sustained by the General Government fur the training of officers for the Army, shows no material change from 188:3-'84. The studies are in departments of natural and experimental philosophy; of modern languages; of drawing; of mathematics; of chemistry, mineralogy, and geology ; of history, geography, and ethics; of tactics; of law; of civil and military engineering; of ordnance and gunnery; and of practical military engineering. The courso covers 4 years with 4 corresponding classes. To advance from one class to another the cadet must pass a satisfactory examination before the academic board. In 1884-' 85 there were 45 cadets discharged, and 11 resigned, learing 264 at end of Jear. Thirty-nine graduated, of whom 5 were marked as "distinguished cadets," and their names placed on the next Army Register. Admitted for 1885-96, 78.

The board of visitors, June, 1885, recommend some changes in the studies of the academy, viz: (1) that it should no longer be regarded as a technical school in mathematics, physics, or chemistry, but as primarily a iechnical school for war; (2) that these studies be taught for the sole purpose of fitting the cadets to pursue the technical study of war in the most thorough manner. Theysay that no theoretical instruction in military subjects is given in the tirst 2 years of the course, and that in the third only 23 hours in all are given to military recitations, professional topics not being reached till the fourth and last Jear. In the opinion of the board, this ought to be so changed that some strictly military subject should be taught in each year; that such changes be made in the courses of study as shall allow more time for the science and art of war, and for those professional studies which directly fit the graduated cadet for military service. On the whole, the board of visitors express their high opinion of the instruction given; that in their best judgment the whole department of instraction is in a highly effective state, every cadet having been recommended as proficient by the academic board.

The Agricultural and Ifechanical College of New York, a department of Comell University, Ithaca, continues its scientific courses leading to degrees in agriculture, architecture, ciril ençineering, and mechanical engineering. Other scientific schools aro Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Tros, a school of civil engineering; the School of Mines of Columbia College, conferring the degrees of engineer of mines, civil engineer, bachelor of philosophy, and doctor of philosophy to advanced students; and the scientific department of Cooper Union, with a mathematical and scientific conrse of 5 years. The University of the City of New York, Union College, and Sjracuse University also give instruction in civil engiveering and in general science, while a majority of the other collegiate institutions offer courses for the degree of Sci. B. A College of Electrical Engineering in the city of New York is established to enable men and women to acquire a scientific and practical knowledge of the systems of submarine and inland telegraphy in use in this and other countries. It presents a theoretical and practical course extending over 6 months and embracing 13 different topics of studs.

## PROFESSIONAL.

Theology.-Of the 13 institutions of this class, 3 are Protestant Episcopal, 2 Presbyterian, !2 Baptist, 1 Lutheran, 1 Christian, and 1 Universalist, all ofiering 3years conrses, generally following college graduation or an examination of nongraduates. Of the 3 others, which are Roman Catholiesechools, St. Bonaventure bas a 3 -sears course following a college course; the Scminary of Our Lady of Angels a 5-years course of ecclesiastic and other studies following a 2-years preparators course; and St. Joseph's Seminary courses of $4 \frac{1}{8}$ to 5 cears, including e preparatory sears.

For statistics of the abore institutions for 1884-'85, see 'Table XI of the Appendix; for summaries of same, see the report of the Commissinner preceding.
The Chatauqua School of Thitology, organized in 1881 under a charter from the State of New York, began its operations in August of that year with a board of trustees, a president, a dean, a general secretary, 7 counselors of high repute in different denominations, 8 department deans (including several of the above, with others). The work is done by the students at home, each department and course being under the care of a dean who directs the reading, studies, and examinations by correspondence; it the latter are satisfactory to the connselors, the degree of B. D. is conferred. The studies of the 8 departments comprised in the course may be completed in 5 or 6 rears.
Law.-The following schools of law are recognized as of proper standard by the board of regents of the university: The Albany Law School, Albanr, a department of the Union University; the law department of Hamilton College, Clinton; the School of Law in Columbia College, New York City; and the law department of the University of the City of Nisiv York.

Medicine, Dentistri, and Phamatacy.-Sisteen medical institutions in the State were recognized in $15 z^{3}-84$ by the regents of the university. Of 12 reported by the Illinois State Board of Health, 9 rere regular, 2 homœopathic, and 1 eclectic. The College of Phssicians and Surgeons in the City of New York, Long Island College Hospital, Bellcrue Ilospital Medical College, College of Medicino of Syracuse University, and the Medicai Department of the University of Buffalo recommended but did not require a 3 -years graded course, The Albany Medical College, Woman's Medical College of New York Intirmars, and Medical Department of Niagara University required a 3 -sears graded course. The last mentioned recommends an extension to 4 years. These colleges present sufficient and competent corps of professors and assistants, as required for recognition by the Illinois State Board of Health, the range being from 18 to 54. The time of regular annual sessions for 1883-' 84 ranges from $2 火$ to 34 weeks, the Woman's Medical College of the New York Intirmary having ; 32 , and the College of Medicine at Sjracuse University 34 weeks. The rules prescribed by the Illinois State Board of Health as to attendance and examinations, dissections, clinics, hospital attendance, length of graduating courses, age, and character, are substantially complied with by all. The aggregate matriculation of these 9 schools in 1883-'34 was 1,990; graduates, 581.
The New York Medical College Hospital for Women (hom@opathic), New York City, provides and requires for graduation is 3 years graded course of study, while the Eclectic Medical College of the City of New York does not require it.
These schools meet fully the absolute requirements of the Illinois State Board of Health, as beretofore specified.
The New York College of Dentistry, New York City, reports in 1884-85, besides 2 sears of private tuition, a course of study covering je weeks each year, 20 being devoted to a lecture course and 32 to practical dentistry. Those who complete the full course and pass the required examinations receive the degree of D.D.S.

The College of Pharmacy of the City of New York and the Albany College of Pbarmacy, a department of Union University, show in 1884-85 each a $\%$-years course, the former of 22 weeks, the latter of 20 weeks each year. To secure the degree of Ph.G. the requirements in both are attendance on 2 full courses of lectures; in the former 4 years of esperience, in the latter $3 \frac{1}{2}$ jears, with a reputable pharmaceutist, a thesis, and the passing of a final examination.

Veterinary surgery. - The New York College of Veterinary Snrgeons and the American Veterinary College, both of New York City, show large faculties aud ample requirements for graduation. The former has a course of 2 years, the latter of 3 , both with annnal sessions of 26 weeks. The attendance for $1883-84$ at the former was only 4, while at the latter it was 92, gradnates 22 . In 1883-'84 the Columbia Veterinary College of New York City was consolidated with the American Veterinary College under name of the latter.

For statistics of medical schools see Table XIII of the Appendix; for their summaries, see the report of the Commissioner preceding.

Auxiliary and rost-cradeate nnstitutions. - The New York Polyclinic, New York City, organized lec2, is strictly a school of clinical medicine and surgery, with no didactic lectures, and none but practitioners admitted. Professors, instructors, and assistants, 66. Clinics are held daily throughout the college year.

The New Tork Tost-Craduate Medical School and Mospital, New York City, a clinical school, also organized in 1882, employs 68 professors aud assistants. The regular term occupies 8 months.
Law begulating tie practice of midiclne and surgery.-The degren of M.D. is conferred ly incorporated medical colloges and universities of the State, which constitutes a license to practice physic and surgery in the state, provided that the person record his license, with his name, residence, and place of hirth, in the clerk's offen of the county where he intends to practice.

The Regents of the Lniversity of the State of New York are authorized by law to appoint medical boards of not le-s than 7 licensed phrsicians and surgeons to examine candidates for the degree of M.D., referred to them by the chancellor. Vers ferw, however, apply to the board for examination, only 10 having received the degree from the regents in 12 years. They regard the further maintenance of these boards as unnecessary. They say that were come plan undertaken for requiring a state license of all who enter upon the practice of medicine, the machinery, now comparatively useless, would be of great service.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

## societies for the promotion or home stcdies.

The Chautauqua Cniversity of Correspondence Schools had its origin in the Chautauqua Summer School of Languages, which held its tirst session in 1079, and, lasting only 6 weeks, needed to be supplemented to secure any lasting benefit. This was attempted by correspondence with the department professors, but failed. There was a lack of the vitalizing power of a teacher's presence and the bond of union which theuce ensues; acquaintance had been too brief; the student had no incentive to persistent effort; there was a want of system; correspondence was irregular and unsatisfactory. The year 1880 -'ol witnessed a new effort for an after-school course of study, with the conviction that there were great possibilities in the after-school idea, if only a true method conld be found. In $1 \leqslant \$ 2$, after much deliberation, a plan for correspondence schools with a regular course of study each year was adopted. Each professor was pledged to a definite amount of work. This plan succeeded. For 3 years teachers and students worked successfully, and thongh there were difficulties, the schools achieved a fair success. The students made notable progress, and so far as the study of languages ras concerned the problem was solved. Then came another question: Why may not the subjects in a college curriculum be taught by correspondence? This question settled, the next step was the organization of the university and its incorporation by the State of New York in 1883.

In this organization the professors identified with the correspondence schools were retained, while the schools which had achieved success by the efforts of the Chautauquan officials and the prestige of the Chautanquan name, were merged in the new universitr. In it, the student who cannot reach the college has its substitute at home, and with its curriculum may reach a diploma and degree. All this with onls a rearls thition fee of $\$ 10$, and a matriculation fee of $\$ \overline{5}$, which, with the large number of students from every State and Territory in the Union, provides for the salaries of professors and all other expenses.
At the Chautauqua Assembly in 1885 the plan of the university was completed, comprising: (1) the department of the assembly; (2) the summer session of the school of languages; (3) the Chautauqua literary and scientific circle; (4) the school of liberal arts; and (5) the Chautauqua press. Advanced plans for worl in all these departments were provided for. Extra pains were taken in preparation for the school of liberal arts. Each section is in charge of some eninent leader. It is claimed that there is a university breadth in the variety of studies which this school ofiers, while the courses for the different sections are as exacting in their requirements as similar courses in any university known.

## EDUCATION FOR POLITICAL LIFE.

Columbia College, New York Citr, opened its school of political science in 1880, with a course of 3 years, conferring the degree of Pb . B . on those completing the first jear, and that of Ph . D. on the completion of the full course. No report since $1883-\mathrm{e} 4$.
Cornell University, Ithaca, continued in 1884-'s5 its 4 -years course in history and political science, leading to the degree of Ph . B., the first 2 years being mainly introductory.

## traintivg in arts and trades.

The rapid progress of industrial education, especially in arts and trades, has called into existence during the year an important and timely organization, the Industriat Education Association, No. 21 University Place, New York City. The first report, $1834-$ - 65 , states its objects to be : (1) to obtain and disseminate information upon industrial education; (2) to invite co-operation between existing organizations en-
gaged in every form of indnstrial training; (3) to train women and girls in domestic economy, and to promote the training of both sexes in such industries as shall enable them to become self-supporting; (4) to devise methods of industrial training and secure their introdaction into schools; also, when expedient, to form special classes and schools for such instruction ; (5) to provide instructors for such schoois and classes, and if necessary to train teachers for this work. The officers of the association are about equally distributed between the two sexes, Gen. Alexander S . Webb being president. The board of managers has 15 memhers, while the work is given to committees on finance, on books and printing, on industries, on domestic economy, and ou organization.
The secretary closes as follows, in the words of an English writer on this subject: "What we need is to liberate the hand-power which is now going to waste, just as we have set free the brain-power."

Cooper Cnion, besides its scientific courses, has classes, both day and evening, in drawing and designing (free-hand), modeling in clay, architectural and mechauical drawing, decorative painting, wood engraving, telegraphy, photography, and typewriting; also an art school for women, and a free night art school for men.
The New Fork Trade Schools hare evening classes for young men in plumbing, bricklaying, fresco painting, stone-cutting, plastering, pattern-making, carpentry, and wood-carving.
The New York Woman's Christian Association has free classes for young women in book-keeping, cutting and fitting, machine sewing, type-writing, phonography, retouching photo negatives, photo-color, crayon drawing, and technical design.
The Society of Decoratire Art has free industrial art classes in drawing aud designing, modeling, artistic embroidery, drawn work, plain and fine sewing; also paid classes in drawing and designing, modeling, decorative painting, ecclesiastical and art needle-work.

Gramercy Park Tool House gives instruction in carpentry, wood-carving, turning, iron-working, use of tools and machines, enameling, mosaic work, photography, and printing.
In New York City College boys are taugit mechanical drawing and designing, modeling and construction, carpentry, and rise and forge work in connection with the regular school course.
The Technical Schools of the Metropolitan Museum of Art have classes in drawing, desiguing, modeling, and carriage-making.
The Tumevein gives afternoon instruction in drawing, designing, modeling, seming, embroidery, knitting, bookbinding, and turning.
The Toman's Institute of ' Technical Design instructs in drawing and decorative painting, designing in all its branches, metal worl, wood-carring, modeling in clay, and interior decoration. Students for the jear, 201, from nearly every State in the Union; arerage attendance, 90 per cent.; 70 received certificates of excellence in studies; 10 graduated with an arerage credit of 95 per cent. For the coming year 200 were admitted. 'The curriculum and advantages were to be increased. A normal class for training, teachers in industrial drawing and art handicraft was in prospect.
The Pelham Industry, Pelham Manor, N. Y., trains in carpentry, cabinet work, woodcarving, upholstery, matiress-making, brass work, leather work, designing, modeling, plain sewing, and embroidery.
The Ladies' Art Association, New York City, ofiers lessons in the principles of form and color, decoratire design, oil and water color, pen and ink drawing, decoration of fabrics, painting on porcelain, brass, silrer, and copper repouss6 mork, crayon, pastel, and animal painting, plastic decoration, aud landscape painting.

## training schools for nurses.

For names, location, and statistics of this class of schools reporting in 1884-EJ, sec Table XVII of the Appendix; for a summary, see the report of the Commissiont preceding.

## training my music and languages.

Of the Baxter Cniversity of Music, Friendship, and of Stern's School of Languages, New Yorl Cite, no special information for 1884 - 85 has been received.

## EDUCATION OF DEAF MUTES.

In most of the institutions for this purpose increased attention is giren to articulation and lip reading. The common English branches are taught in all, with such industries as shoemaking, tailoring, printing, dressmaking, and housemork. The school at Rochester has organized a cookiag class. In the $\%$ institutions in the State there were, Octoher 1, 1831, 600 males and 551 femalcs; in all, $1,251$.

## EDUCATION OF THE BLIND.

In the 2 institutions in the State there were 353 pupils in 1884-85. In these schnols the common and higher English branches are taught, with music, piano-tuuing, broom-making, sewing, knitting, and fancy work.

## TRAINING OF THE FEEBLE-MINDED.

The State continues to sustain 2 institutions for the care and education of this class. The one at Syracuse is for children only, a farm being connected with it for idiotic and feeble-minded men.

The Newark Custodial Branch Asylum, under the control of the Syracuse institution, is exclusively for idiotic and feeble-minded joung women. It had 136 under its care October 31, 1884.

## INDCSTRIAL SCHOOLS.

This class of charities is yearly extending and perfecting its mork among a class of children who, from poverty, are deprived of other meaus of training, and largely of homes. About 10,000 each year are being trained by numerous associations in useful industries and common school branches. The Wilson Industrial School, New York City, gathers from the streets and daily provides for about 200 girls, who are inetructed in the elementary English branches, receive a good dinuer, and are taught seming by hand while making their own garments, which they earn by a system of credit marks. There are, also, kitchen-garden and cooking-garden classes, where instraction is given in household duties and cooking. The House and School of Industry, New York City, makes order work a specialty.

Five Points House of Industry has sewing, household work, and type-setting; New York Juvenile Asylum, laundry, serring, mending, tailoring, and shoemaking; House of Refuge, Randall's Island, ianudry, housework, sewing, mending, tailoring, and stocking knitting; Hebrew Industrial Scbools, New York City, basket-making, 155 pupils. Brooklyn Industrial School Association and Home for Destitute Children has 6 indnstrial schools under its care, with 2,000 children gathered from the poor of the city, and 393 in the home for destitute children. The Children's Aid Societr, Brooklyn, embraces in its care the Newsboys' Home, 353 havivg been admitted during the year, and $\$ 3,329$ having been paid for meals; 2 industrial schools with 584 pupils, with day sewing schools and a day nursery; a sewing-machine school of 246 pupils; a Special Relief Department, which placed in homes in the city and country 465 boys and girls; and the Sea-Side Home for poor mothers and their children, which was open 13 weeks, and had 1,374 mothers and 3,354 children, and sent 325 to the country by the "fresh air fund." The Industrial School, Rochester, gathers ragrant and destitute children too poor to attend public schools. Not ret reporting for 1884-85 are the American Femaie Guardian Societs, New Fork City; Union for Christian Work, Brooblyu; House of the Good Shepherd, Tomkins' Grore. Miss Emily Hantington conducts a cooking-garden, in a systematized course of cooking for all ages, New York City.

The Children's Aid Society, New York City, with Mr. Charleṣ Brace as its efficient agent, does its work in 6 lodging houses for newsbors, orphans, and other needy children, in which, during $1884-85$, 13,212 bojs and girls were fed, sheltered, and taught. Of these, 8,210 were newsboys, 1,112 of whom, during the sear, laid up in a savings bank $\$ 2,265$. Since the establishment of this society 31 rears ago, 212,605 of these bors have veen lodged and instructed in elementary branches of education, in the elemints of self-support, and in practical religion, under competent teachers, while 15,000 have been provided with permanent homes, and 15,764 lost and missing ones have been restored to their friends. The society has also 21 industrial and 14 night schools, with an average daily attendance in $1884-85$ of 4,080 , at an arerage cost for the jear of $\$ 22.94$ for each child. In tho lodging houses 13,212 boys and girls were provided for during the year, at an average expense of $\$ 37.90$ for each. Of these, 3,140 were placed out, during the year, in nearly every State and Territory in the Union, at an arerage cost of $\$ 9.25$ tor each child, besides the 4,395 who enjoscd the benefits of the Summer Home at an average cost of $\$ 1.51$ for cach child.

## RETORMATORIES.

The 5 reformatories report for October 1,1884 a total of 4,364 jarenile delinquents, 1,082 being giris. The New Yurk State Reformator, Elmira, not included in the abore, as it receives adult male prisoners for a first oftense, had 550 inmates. Threc of these 6 institations are maintainerl by the State, and 3 by city authorities. All give instruction in conamon English branches and rarious industries.

## ORPIIAN ASTLCIIS AND IIOMES.

The Staie Boarl of Charities, Ner York, reported for 1884-'ss 192 orphan asylums and homes for the friendless, supported in part by the state, by counties, cities, torns, dividends ou investinents, and veluntars contributions. There was an aggregate of 42,73 inmates during the year, and 26,8:7 October 1, 1084.

## EDUCATIONAL CONVENTIONS.

## NEW YORK STATE TEACEERS' ASSOCIATION.

The fortieth annual session of this association was held at Saratoga, July 8-10, 1885. The president, S. A. Ellis, in his inaugural, dealt with the question, "How can the efficiency of our public schools be increased?" Some defects must be overcome, others outgrown. The rural districts must have better supervision; a higher standard of qualification for teachers should be adopted and thoroughly enforced; teachers should be paid good wages, as they are the poorest paid of the average brainworkers. The entire school ssstem should be unified, and removed from politics. The selection of the superintendent of public instruction is now in the hands of politicians.
The report of a standing committee on the condition of education was discussed at some length.
A paper on "The study of United States history in public schools" was read, and the following resolution was adopted: "Resolved, That it is the sense of this association that American history should be taught topically in connection with geography and civil government." This was followed by a paper on "The teacher's commercial value," with many usefnl suggestions, such as that teachers should live within their income; should always have money in hand; should remember that character, neatness, courtesy, scholarship, and training pay.
Able papers were read and discussed on "Instruction in physiology; how shall teachers prepare for the work?" "Teachers' institutes, and how they can be made more efficient"; "Supervision of city schools"; "Natural science in public schools"; "Public schools and crimes"; "Improved methods of education"; "Moral education"; "The kindergarten"; "The training and preparation of teachers"; and "Writing in public schools."
Addresses were made by State Superintendent Ruggles, of Albany, Doctor Murray, secretary of the State board of regents, and Dr. Andrew D. White, of Cornell; the association adjourned to meet at Niagara Falls in 1886.

## STATE COUNCIL OF CITY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS.

The third annual meeting of this body was held at Auburn, November 19 and 20, 1885. The council is peculiar in that no papers are read, but practical topics are selected and discussed. It is said to be the most valuable educational meeting held in the State.
The compulsory education law was first taken up, and after a full discussion a committee was appointed to formulate such changes as would render it operative and effective. The committee recommended that the act of 1874 be so amended that the amount necessary to carry its provisions into effect be inserted in the estimates of local school authorities, and that the raising by tax of the amount judged necessary be mandatory on corporate school authorities for the purposes described in said act. This report was adopted and ordered to be sent to the State superintendent, requesting him to present the views of the council to the legislature at its next session.
The value of mental arithmetic as a course of study, and the best means of teaching language, were fully considered. The practice of printing false syntax in grammars for pupils to correct, and keeping after-school hours for punishment or for making up lessons, were disapproved. Kiudergarten methods applied to primary school work were approved, and reasons given for their general adoption. A committee appointed the previous year to unify the grade work preparatory to the high school, reported facts, gathered from numerous cities and villages in this and other countries, going to show that usually nine years of school work precede the high-school course, which extends over four years oftener than three; and that only one-twentieth of the public school pupils enter the high schools.

## OBITUARY RECORD.

## ROBERT E. ROGERS, M. D:

Prof. Robert Empie Rogers, M. D., whose death was announced on Sunday, September 7, 1884, was one of four brothers distinguished as chemists, geologists, and medical scieutists, in Maryland, Virginia, and elsewhere. Born in Baltimore, Md., in 1814, he graduated in medicine at the University of Pennsylvania, and was professor of chemistry in the University of Virginia 1844-52; he aided his brother, James Blythe Rogers, in preparing an edition of Turner's Chemistry, and on that brother's death became his successor, in 1852-53, in the University of Pennsylvanis, attaining high reputation for his acquirements in the chemical, medical, and geological lines, to which especially he devoted himself.
"But few of the eminent chemists now in Philadelphia with the associations for the ailvancement of science," says the Philadelphia Ledger, " are more expert than was Prof. Robert E. Rogers, whose death was annonnced on Sunday. He was one of a distinguished brotherhood. In his own specialty of chemistry he was equally at home in the literature of that comprehensive science, in the research and demonstration of the laboratory, and as teacher in the college class-room; and he was withal a most genial and accomplished gentleman, whose decease cannot be allowed to pass without public expression of regret."

## FRANKLIN B. HOUGH.

Dr. Franklin B. Hough was born in Martinsburg, N. Y., July 20, 1822, and died June 13, $18=5$, lacking one month of being sixty-three years of age. He granduated at Union College in 1843, and at the Cleveland Medical College in 1849; practiced his professiun four jears in Somerville, N. I.; removed to Lo wrille in 18j2, where, beeping abreast of his profession, he also occupied himself in literary, historical, and statistical work. He became the pioneer of county historians in the State; took the State census of $1 \varepsilon 55$, said to have been the first complete one ever taken; was also superintendent of the census of 1865 , and was charged with the duty of preparing for that of 1075 . In 1831 he originated the New York Civil List, which was published under his supervision for several years. In $15 i 2$ he published the "Gazetteer of New York," embodying, with other matters of State interest, a record of the volunteer regiments of the State in the war of the rebellion. Among his other publications were a "Manual of the Constitutional Convention of 1807 ; " an "Annotated Constitution of New York;" a "History of Nantucket and Martha's Vinerard;" "Meteorological Observations from 1820 to 18j4;" a "Biographical Dictionary;" and a "Brief History of American Colleges." Duriug the latter part of his life he became chief of the forestry division of the Bureau of Agriculture, visited Europe, where he studied methods of forestry, and on his return published a valuable work on forestry. He was present at the meeting in Utica, N. Y., Februars, $18 \pm 5$, for the organization of a State forestry association. Sonie of his last days were spent at Albany, where he elaborated the forestry bill which became a law by the action of the legislature of $18 \delta_{5}$. His name appears upon the title page of more than seventy publications, most of which are historical and scientific.

## DAVID JOHNSON PRATT.

Doctor Pratt was born in Westmoreland, N. Y., March $8,182 \pi$, the only child of book-loving parents of Puritan origin. He fitted for college at the De Lancer Institute, in his native town; entered Hannilton College, and gradnated with bonorsin 1851. In 1864 he spent 5 months with the Army of the Potomac as member of the Christian commission ; then accepted a clerkship in the office of the regents of the Unirersity of New York, and in January, 1866, was appointed to the new office of assistant secretary of the board of regents, where for 18 years of steady devotion he labored for the interests of education in the State. In this work he demonstrated his familiarity with the best methods of instruction, and showed an organizing and executive power that made him very useful. He was a member of the convention of 1863 , when the university conrocation was organized, and shared largely in the work of subsequent convocations.

In 1865 and 1866, when the academic examinations were estallished by the regents, Doctor Pratt's large resources of knowledge, industry, tact, and patience were thoroughly tested in organizing a sjstem of examinations, so unique and untried that no nucdel could be found for them, but which, meeting a hearty welcome from the colleges, secured a positive adrance in the cause of higher education.

He conducted important historical researches; wrote a biography of Peter Wraxall, secretary of Indian affinirs for the province of New York; from 1869 was secretary of the Albany Institute, and edited several volumes of its proceedings; prepared valuable papers for the unirersity convocations; was clerk of the State Loundary commission, and compiled 2 volumes of an exhaustive history and delineation of the boundaries of the State; was also clerk of the New York State surves, treasurer of the New York State Teachers' Association, and one of the most constant attendants on its annual meetings. He compiled the annals of public instruction for the State from 1126 to 1745 ; wrote the history of King's College before the change of its title to Columbia, and a full histors of the university of the State from its establishment in 1784 , and lived to witness its centennial in $18 \mathcal{E}_{4}$.
He died September 12, 1884, at the age of 57, a man tho never knew the luxurs of idleness, and whose recreations mere onir new rarieties of voluntary Tork.

> BENJANIN NICHOLAS IFARTLF, S. T. D., L. H. D.

[^66]tion. Up to 1848 he was the successful pastor of several churches, the last of which was the 4th Presbyterian church, Albany, N. Y., the pastorate of which he retained but a little more than one year. This was his last pastorate. His native bent was toward the natural sciences, and during the 3 following years, which ho spent in Albauy, he improved to the utmost the opportunities and associations which the city afforded to gratify this inclination.
In 1852 he was called, by the University of the City of New York, to the chair of logic and philosophy, which then covered vearly all brauches of mental and political science, with not a little of literature. From that time until his death his name was prominent in connection with almost erery good work. His influence was felt in all directions. He was an effective worker in the Evangelical Alliance, the American and Foreign Christian Union, the Society for the Prevention of Crime, and the New York Academy of Sciences.
In $186 \%$ Columbia College conferred on him the degree of S. T. D., and in 1869 th3 regents of the university of the State that of L. H. D.
Ho was encyclopadic himself; he made his students so also. Other instructors tanght their specialties; but Professor Martin, in addition to his own work, taught the students to gather all together, to assort the information, and then to put away every fact in its own place along with those related to it.
Professor Martin's married life lasted 41 years; Mrs. Martin died April, 1883; lie followed her the same year, aged 67, dying, as he had lived, full of cheerful faith in God, whom with singleness of heart he had served for 50 years.

HON. J. W. SCHERMERHORN.
Hon. J. W. Schermerhorn dicd in Nerw York City Jnne 1, 1885. Me had spent his life of activity as teacher, educaticnal journalist, publisher, and founder of the toachers' agency business in this country. He was a man of broad and comprehensive views on educational topics, and enthusiastic in the promotion of the cause of education.

## CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OFFICER.

Hon. William 13. Ruggles, State superintendent of public instiuclion, Albany. [Term, April 7, 1883, to April 7, 1886.]

HORTH CAROENA.
STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

|  | 1883-'84 a. | 1884-85. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| POFULATIOS AND ATTENDATCE. |  |  |  |  |
| White youth of school age (6-21) | 321,561 | 330, 890 | 9,329 |  |
| Colored of school age (6-21). | 133, 843 | 199, 237 | 5, 394 |  |
| Whole number of school age | 515,404 | 530, 127 | 14,723 |  |
| White youth in public schools | 170,925 | 185, 225 | 14,300 |  |
| Colored in public schools. | 113, 391 | 11•, 941 |  | 450 |
| Whole number in such schools | 254,316 | 293, 166 | 13, 850 |  |
| Arerage attendance of white youth.. | 105, 316 | 115, 092 | 8,7\% |  |
| Attendance of colorert jouth......... | 66,679 | 70,486 | 3, 807 |  |
| Whule arerage attendance | 172,995 | 185, 578 | 12,583 |  |
| Per cent. of enrolled to enumeration.. | 55.16 | 56.24 | 1.08 |  |
| Per cent. of attendance to school jouth | 33.56 | 35.00 | 1.14 |  |
| SCHOOL DISTRICTS ASD SCHOOLS. |  |  |  |  |
| Number of school districts. | 6,635 | 6, 852 | 217 |  |
| Number of public school-houses...... | 4, 742 | 4,956 | 214 |  |
| Number of free white schools | 3, $\varepsilon 45$ |  |  |  |
| Number of colored | 2,175 |  |  |  |
| Whole number reported. | 6, 020 |  |  |  |
| Arerage time of schools in days | 58 | 62 | 4 |  |
| TEACHERS. |  |  |  |  |
| White men teaching | 2,296 |  |  |  |
| White women teaching | 1,173 |  |  |  |
| Colored men teaching-................ | 1,500 |  |  |  |
| Colored women teaching ............. | 731 |  |  |  |
| Whole namber of teachers | 5, 300 |  |  |  |
| financial statemext. |  |  |  |  |
| Average monthly pay of white teachers | ¢0¢21 15 | \$25 75 | \$1 59 |  |
| Areragemonthly pay of colored teachers | 2206 | 2330 | 124 |  |
| Whole expeaditure for public schools. | 535, 205 |  |  |  |
| Value of public school property...... | 483, 092 | 565, 960 | 82, 868 |  |

a Figures of 1884 enlarged by later returns.
(From a partial report of Hon. S. M. Finger, State superintendent of public instruction, for $10 \pm 5$, with some additions to the figures of $180 \frac{1}{2}$.)

## STATE SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## GEYERAL CONDITION.

The State superintendent says that, on the whole, the educational outlook is encouraging in every respect but one, namely, there is not enough money applied to meet the constitntional obligation of '4 months' schooling, and it is impossible in mose counties, under the existing lam, for a couniy commissioner to lery an additional tas to continue the schools 4 months. The coustitution, which is the supreme law, is thus habitually violated, apparentlr without the infiction of any penalty. The whole amount of money raised by ordinary taxation in 1885 was $\$ 631,904$, but this does
not include all the fands raised under authority of special acts of the assembly in support of graded schools.

Quite a number of school-houses were erected during the year, adrancing the value of public school properts very materially; still the superinteudent says that the State is sadly deficient in this item of prine importance, though if the property of graded schools were taken into account, there would be a better showing. Many of the graded schools have excellent, well arranged, and well furnished buildings, the full value of which cannot at present be obtained. It is estimated that there are 320,000 children of school age under public or private school instruction in the State, and, considering that a large number do not attend school at the early a are of 6 years, and that a majority drop out before reaching 21 , it will be seen that a very large proportion of the children are receiving some education; many of the poorest people, however, will not avail themselves of the privileges of the public school system.

## ADMINISTRATION.

The law provides a State board of education and a State superintendent of public instruction; also county boards of education and superintendents; and for each district a school committee of 3. The common English branches only are required to be taught, with elementary physiology and hygiene, and the history of the State and of the United States. Other branches are allowed by special arrangements with the school committee. Teachers at the close of each term must, as a condition of receiving pay, report to the school committee of the district the prescribed statistics of their schools. They are also required to maintain good order and discipline in their schools, to encourage morality, industry, and neatness, and to teach thoronghly all the branches required to be taught. The State board of education recommends the text-books to be used in the public schools for a term of 3 years and antil otherwise ordered. The school committees report the teachers' returns to the connty superintendents, and they to the State snperintendent. Schools for the two races are to be kept separate. Sectarian and political books are prohibited.

## SCEOOL FINANCES.

The public schools, free to all children in the State between the ages of 6 and 21 years, are sustaiufd by the income of a State school fund; by at least three-fourths of the proceeds of a State and county poll tax, which under the constitution must not exceed $\$ 2$; by an educational tas of $12 \frac{1}{2}$ cents on $\$ 100$ of the property and credits in the State, and $37 \frac{1}{3}$ cents on every poll; by the net proceeds from sales of estrays aud from fines; and from proceeds from licenses to auctioneers and dealers in intoxicating liquors. If the above be not sufficient to support one or more schools in each district for 4 months, a special annual tax must be levied in each connty. The State board of education apportions the school fund to the counties on the basis of school popalation, the funds for white and oolored schools being kept separate.

## ASSISTANCE FROM EXTERNAL SOURCES.

The State in 1884-' 85 receired $\$ 5,430$ from the Peabody trustees, af which $\$ 2,200$ were used for scholarships, $\$ 2,000$ for public schools, and $\$ 1,230$ for teachers' institutes.
From the agent of the John R. Slater Fund was received $\$ 4.400$ in the same year$\$ 2,000$ to be applied to the Shaw University, Raleigh ; $\$ 1,000$ to Leonard Medical School, Raleigh; $\$ 1,000$ to the Scotia Femalo Seminary, Concord; and $\$ 400$ to tho Mount Albion State Normal School, Franklinton.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## GENERAL STATE REQUIREMENTS.

The law requires of each connty superintendent that be examine applicants for teachers' certiticates and issue the same, of 3 grades, according to the results of the examination. No certificate may be issued to any applicant who makes less than 50 per cent. in any one branch, or whose general average is less than 70 per cent. The list of studies in which teachers are examined includes elementary physiology and bygiene, and the history of the State and the United States. All certificates are valid for one year, and only in the county in which they are issued; the amount of a teacher's salary is regulated ly the grade of the certificate held.

## state normal training.

Specific statistics of these schools are not given, but the North Carolina Educational Journal of April, 1885, says that they were to be continued as the previous jear; that four new normals were established by the legislature at Boone, Asheville, Winston, and Washington, making in all 8 for white students and 5 for colored; and that each receives an annual appropriation of $\$ 500$ from the State, save the colored normal at

Faretteville, which gets $\$ 2,000$. The schools are continued through terms of from one month to an entire schnol year.

For statistics of norual schools reporting, see Table III of the Appendix; and for a sumnary thereof, see the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## teachers' institutes.

The board of education of any county, or of 2 or more adjoining counties, may annually appropriate $\$ 100$ out of the sclion frands for the purpose of conducting one or more teacbers' institutes, to be under the supervision of the connty superintendents; the public school teachers are required to attend these institutes, and they are open to all other teachers who desire to attend them.
For $1884-85$ the State received $\$ 1,230$ from the agent of the Peabody Fund, to defray the expenses of institute rork. A large number of cornty institutes for both races were held during the summer, with good attendance and results,

## EDUCATION゙AL JOURNALS.

The North Carolina Educational Journal, an ofticial organ of the State Teachers' Association, formerly of Chapel Hill, is published monthly at Trinity College. Other edncational journals published in the State are: The Lighthouse and Tileston Recorder, a monthly, publisbed at Wilmington, mainly in the interest of the Tileston Normal School, and the North Carolina Teacher, also a monthly, published at Raleigh.

## SCHOOL SYSTEMS OF CITIES WITH 7,500 OR JORE LNHABITANTS.

## ADMINISTRATION゙.

The State school laws appear to make no general provision for city school systems. In townships embracing 5,001 or more inhabitants graded schools may be estahlished, and a tax, not to exceed one-tenth of 1 per cent. on property and 30 cents ou the poll, is authorized for their support.

## STATISTICS.

Raleigh and Tilmingion, having each the reqnired numher of inhabitants to be noticed in Table II of the Appendix, make no return to this Bureau.

## SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

## PCBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS.

The superintendent in 1884 reported free graded schools in Charlotte, Edenton, Faretterille, Durhan, Goldsborongh, Greensborongh, Kinston, New Berne, Raleigh, Rocky Mount, Salisbury, Wilmington, Wilsom, Winston, and perhaps others; but how many of these have high-school studies the report does not state.

## OTHER SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

For statistics of business colleges, private academic schools, and schools for preparing students for college, see Tables IV, VI, and IX of the Appendix, and summaries of these in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## COLLEGES FOR FOENG MEN OR FOR BOTH SEXES.

The Unirersity of North Carolina, Cbapel Fill, presents 3 general courses of 4 years each, viz, classical, scientific, and puilonphical, each leading to its appropriate degree. These conrses are pursued in 15 different schools and departments. A teachers' combe of 2 years embraces all the studies required by law to be mastered by public scbool teachers. There are also agricultnral and optional studics.
Otber institutions of this gralle are the Biddle University, Charlotte; Davidson College, Davidson; North Carolina College, Momnt Pleasant; Shaw University, Raleigh; Rutherford College, Rntherfurd; Zion Wesley College, Salisbury ; Trinity College, Trinity College; Wake Forest College, Wake Forest; and Weaverville College, Weaverville. Three of the above institutions admit young women, namely, Zion Wesley and Rutherford Colleges, and Shaw Universitr.
For statistics of colleges of this class reporting, see Table IX of the Appendix; for a rummary of their statistics, see acorrespunding table in the report of the Commissiouer preceding.

## INSTITUTIONS FOR THE SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION OF YOLNG WOMEN,

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## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION.

## SCIENTIFIC.

The scientific course of the State university, covering 4 years, inclndes among other brauches industrial and agricultural chemistry, surveying and engineering, mechanics and astronomy, agricultimal botany, geolosy and mineraloyy, and other Euglish studies relating to the practical pursnits of life. Latin, Greek, Freuch, German, and other silijects are offered as electives.

Scientific conrses of 3 to 4 years are found in Biddle and Shaw Universities, and in Davidson, Trinity, and Waké Forest Colleges.

## PROFESSION゙AL.

Theology.-Theological instraction is given in 3 colored schools-Biddle Unirersity (Preshyterian), Zion Wesley College (Methodist Episcopal suuth), and shaw University (Baptist). The courses in the first and second cover 3 years, and in the last 2 years. Saint Augustine Normal School, Raleigh (Protestant Episcopal), alsn colored, reported 9 students under theological training, course not defined. Trinity College, for white students (Methodist Episcopal South), provides theolugical instraction in connection with the college conrse.
For statistics of theological schools, see Table XI of the Appendix.
Law. - The school of law in the State university contaius \& classes, viz, a class of students who baveno other connection with the classes of the nniversits, and a class consisting of such studeuts of other departments of the university as are allowed by the faculty to pursue the study of law in addition to their other studies. The course corers 2 years, and the plan comprises the course prescribed by the supreme court of the State for applicants for license to practice, and also a course for those desiring to compete for the degree of LL. B. A moot conrt is regularly held for the discussion of law questions and for instruction in the practice of the courts.
Medicine. - Iustrnction is given in the medical schools of the State university and Sham Uuiversity. The former in its school of medicine and pharmacy offers a conrse corering 2 years, including anatomy, chemistry, practice of medicine and surgery, laboratory work, etc., but grants no medical degrees. Shaw University, for colored pupils, bas a 4-years graded medical course of study. A literary department of 3 years, preparatory to the medical course, has also been established by the university, and applicants for admission must be graduates of this or of some other suitable school, or else pass a satisfactory examination. The full course is required for gradnation, also experience in dissection, and an average of 75 ner cent. at the final examiuation.
Pharmacy is taught in the State university in 2 sessions of 5 months each, and includes the studies of materia medica and pharmacy, botany and chemistry.
For statistics of schools of medicine and pharmacy, see Table XIII of the Appendix.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

## IDDCCATION OF THE DEAF AND THE BLIND.

The North Carolina Institution for the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind, Raleigh, is under State control, and reported for $1884-85$ an attendance of 69 boys and 56 girls, under 8 instructors. The school hours are from 8 to 2, the methods employed in teaching being oral and mannal combined. The indnstries of cooking, sewing, gardeniug, and shoemaking are taught. The property was valued at $\$ 100,000$. Expenditure for the jear, \$36,0u0.

# CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OFFICER. 

Hon. Sidney M. Finger, State superintendent of publio instruction, Raicighs

[First tosm, Japaary, 1885, to Jaйต̆гy, 1889.]

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## STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

|  | 1883-'84. | 1884-25. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| POPULATION AND ATTENDANCE. |  |  |  |  |
| White yonth of school age (6-21) | 1, 056,948 | 1,069, 883 | 12,935 |  |
| Colored youth of school age (6-21)... | 25,347 | 25, 586 | 239 |  |
| Whole number of schoul jonth | 1,08•2, 295 | 1,095, 469 | 13, 174 |  |
| White youth in public schools | 754, 260 | 766, 3'4 | 12, 109 |  |
| Colored youth in publie sehool | 8, 490 | 8,236 |  | 04 |
| Whule number enrolled.. | 762, 755 | 774,660 | 11,903 |  |
| Average daily attendance | 499, 217 | 517,569 | 18,352 |  |
| Per cent. of jouth enrolled | 70.48 | 70.72 | . 24 |  |
| Per cent. of eurolled in attendance | 65.45 | 66.80 | 1.35 |  |
| Per cent. of school south attending .. | 46. 13 | 47.25 | 1.12 |  |
| Papils in private schools .............. | 10,957 | 11, 863 | 826 |  |
| SCHOOLS. |  |  |  |  |
| Public school-houses | 12,509 | 12,6\%4 | 165 |  |
| Rooms for schools below high | 16,721 | 16, 846 | 125 |  |
| Ruoms for high surhools..... | 677 | 718 | 41 |  |
| Whole number of rooms | 17,398 | 17,564 | 166 |  |
| School-honses built in the year | 451 | 455 | 4 |  |
| Average time of schools in days | 184 | 155 |  | 27 |
| TEACHERS. |  |  |  |  |
| Men teaching in public schools | 10,699 | 10,787 | 88 |  |
| Women teaching in the same | 13, 7 CC | 13, 841 | 75 | -.......... |
| Whole number of teachers | 24,465 | 24,628 | 163 | ........... |
| Teachers permanently emplofed..... | 10,890 | 11,731 | 841 | ........... |
| Teachers in schools below high ...... | 23, 579 | 23, 727 | 148 |  |
| Teachers in high schools... | 886 | 901 | 15 |  |
| Teachers in colored schools | 241 | 225 |  | 16 |
| Teachers in private schools........... | 18.2 | 605 | 423 |  |
| glvanclal statement. |  |  |  |  |
| Arerage monthly pay of men teaching. | \$55 00 | \$54 00 |  | \$100 |
| Average monthly pay of women teaching. | 3800 | 4000 | \$2 00 | -.........•• |
| Expenditure for public schools. | 9,684, 369 | 10, 093, 938 | 409,569 |  |
| Cost of school-houses built in the year. | 991, 128 | 1, 3:15, 200 | $3+4,072$ |  |
| Value of public school property...... | 22,586,046 | 27, 969; 757 | 5, 383, 711 |  |

(From reports of Hon. Le Roy D. Brown, State commissioner of common schouls, for the two years indicated.)

## STATE SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## GENERAL CONDITION.

As may be seen, the figures in the statistical table indicate a continnation of the progress that has markerl the schnol history in the Srate for many yearc. Of the 774,660 school youth eurolled in the public schools, $94,87 \%$ were between the ages of
sisteen and twentr-ono Jears, an increase of 9,158 . A step was taken torards eqnalizing the salaries of teachers by reducing the a verage salary of men and advaucing that of women. One of the most enconragiug features relating to teachers is that so many nore permanent ones were employed, 4,7=0 being men and 6, 5 wl women. Of 28,027 applicants fur teachers' certificates, ouly 19,530 came np to the standard of ezanination, and of those examined 10,352 were under trenty fears of age, 3,004 being young men. From statistics at haud the superintendent is able to report the existence of 266 libraries in the State, containng in the aggregate more than $1,000,010$ volunes. Which are practically free to the people. In every connty there is at least one public library, and the school sỵstem contemplates the building up of such a library in every schoul district in the State. In township districts, where public liliraries are ferm, the appropriation from the contingent fund for this parpose, authorized by law, may equal $\$ 75$ annually. The number of sub-districts in which schools were taught less than the twenty-four wecks required by law mas 165 , this leing 35 less than in 1833-84. There were erected during the year 455 achool buildings, 13 for hirh schools and 442 for lower grades, at an aggregate cost of $\$ 1,194,8: 1$. The public school receipts from all sources were $\$ 13,0: 28,769$, this amount being $\$ 3,534,771$ in excess of expenditures.

## ADMINISTRATION.

For general supervision of the public schools there is a State commissioner elected triennially by the people. Uuder him are boards of education for city aud village districts, township and special districts, and joint sub-districts. To test the qualitications of teachers, there are boards of exaniners for the State, for connties, and for cities and villages. Each board of education must establish a sufficient number of schools for the free education of all sonth of school age within the district under its control, and, if deemed necessary, may open one or more high schools. Each township board must establish at least one school in every sub-district under its control. District boards mar, if thought best for the interests of the district, establish separate schools for colored children. In cities and villages such boards may provide evening schools, and establish schools in children's "homes," orphan asslums, and county infirnaries, expending on these the full share of public moness due all such children of school age, which minst be applied esclusively to the payment of teachers. All children between the ages of 8 and 14 years must atteud the public schools for at least 12 weeks in each school jear, 6 of which must be consecutive, except when excused for sufficient canse. The employment of any child less than 14 years under coutrol of a parent or guardian and not dependent on its orrn resources, is prohibited, unless the child has attended school for at least 12 weeks; nor may it then be ensployed for more than 40 weeks. Each board determines the text books to be used and the studies to bo purstred; text books are not to be changed for 3 years without the consent of three-fonrths of the members of the board. The stndies must be in English, unless German be demanded by 75 freeholders, who represent at least 40 pupils.

## SCHOOL FINANCES.

The public schools are sustained from the proceeds of an annual tax, the amount to be fised by the legislature; when not so fised it is one mill on \&l of all tasable propertr. They receive also 6 per cent. interest on an irreducible common school fund, and the income from local taxation. State funds, to be used only in parment of teachers, are apportioned by the State auditor to the sereral counties and districts according to the latest enumeration of foutb therein. The funds for continuing schouls, for providing school-houses and sites, and all other contingent school expenses, must be raised by a district tax not to exceed 7 mills on \$1. In Cincinnati the limit is 5 mills, and in Cleveland $4 \frac{1}{3}$ mills. The law allows an appropriatiou to be made from the contingent fund in any district for libraries. In city districts a tax of one-tenth of a mill on each $\$ 1$ of tasable property at its assessed raluation mas be levied for this purpose, and in the city of Cleveland it may be $2 \frac{1}{2}$-tenths of a mill on $\$ 1$.

## SCHOOL SYSTEMS OF CITIES WITH 7,500 OR MORE LNHABITANTS.

## ADMINISTRATION.

Cities with 10,000 or more inhabitants have boards of education of 1 or 2 members for each ward; while cities with less thau 10,000 inhabitants and villases usually have boards of 3 or 6 members; but a majority of the board may decide that its number shall correspond with that of the wards of the city, one-third being changed annually in either case. Cincimati has a board consisting of 12 menbers-at-large, and 25 others representing as many Wards, and Cleveland has a board of 18 members, 1 for each ward.

## STATISTICS.

1884-'85.


## ADDITIONAL PARTICULARS.

Akron for $1834-85$ reports an increase of 216 in enrollment, of 352 in arerage daily attendance, and a decrease of 1 in teachers; 10 school bnildings, with 61 rooms, val. ued with all school property at $\$ 385,000$. Private schools enrolled 791 pupils in 12 rooms, under 12 teachers.
Bellaire shows a gain of 86 in school youth, of 200 in enrollment, of $\varepsilon 8$ in average attendance, and of 4 in teachers over $18-3-84$, bat expeuded $\$ 4,849$ less for public schools. Allowing about one-third of school youth to be over 16 years of age and usefully enployed, the enrollment included nearly all the others.

Canton reports public schools graded as primary, grammar, and high. Drawing and penmanship and German were tanght. Two private schools enrolled 800 pupils. There were during the jear gains of 218 in school routh, of 14 in average attendance, of 2 in teachers, and of $\$ 10,495$ in expenditure, while there was a loss of 173 in enrollment.
Chillicothe reports a decrease of 199 in school youth and of 91 in enrollment, and an increase of 31 in average attendance and of $\$ 2,807$ in expenditure for public schools. The schools were graded, and tanght 190 dass in 5 buildings containing 40 rooms with 1,946 sittings for stuly. German and penmanship are taught by 4 special teachers. Private schools enrolled 325 pupils. Public school property was ralued at $\$ 150,000$, which was $\$ 18,000$ less than in 1834.

Cincinnati, in $1884-85$, gained $2 \pi 0$ in school jouth, 337 in enrollment, expending $\$ 70,409$ more for public schools than in 18 $83-84$, with a loss of 90 in average attendance and of 3 in teachers. Of the school yonth 88,939 were white and 2,403 colored. Of those attending public schools, 32,793 were white and $1,3 \pi 4$ colored. The total number in church schools was 15,245 ; in private schools, 1,620 ; in charitable and reformatory institutions, 720 ; making in all 51,350 children between the ages of 6 and 21 years under instruction. The schools are graded as high, occupying 4 jears; intermediate, 3 rears; and district, 5 jears. The city school system also includes deafmate and normal schools, with instruction in music, drawing, German, and penmanship, for which latter branches special teachers are emplored. The number studying German in all schools, exclusire of pupils in the normal school, was 17,990 ; number studring music, 33,809 ; drawing, 33,298 . The schools were taught 200 dars in 55 buildings containing 644 ronms with 35,689 sittings for stndy. The primary and grammar school property was valued at $82,000,000$, and that for high schools at $\$ 200,000$. Night schools were not opened during the Fear, for mant of funds.

Cleveland presents an encouraging report for $1884-85$, school routh having increased by 1,203 , enrollment in pablic schools by 4,844 , arerage dail $\bar{y}$ attendance by 1,197 , and regular teachers by 42 . Expenditures were augmented about $\$ 18,000$. Sis new sohool buildings were erected and others repaired at a cost of $\$ 2,2,144$ for buildings and $\$ 10,813$ for repairs. Particnlar attention is given to instruction in German, beginning at the earliest school age with children of German-speaking parents, while
for English-speaking children the study begins with the third year. The snperintendent of the German department reports $11.9 \% 7$ pupils studying the language under 35 special and 59 exchange teachers, an iucreaso of 1,548 punils during the year, the largest that has occurred in any year since 1871-'72. Of the $3 \cdot, 610$ youth enrolled in the pablic schools, $\mathfrak{i 2}$ were in a training school, 1.240 in a high school, 7,989 in granumar, and 23,309 in primary schools. Three special teachers were employed-in music, drawing, and penmanship. The system provides for night schools, and the sessions of the $\mathscr{y}$ such schools aggregated 1,357 evenings, registering 1,401 pupils, under 13 teachers.

Columbus, with a small increase in registration and arerage daily attendance in public schoois, employed fewer teachers than in 1883-'84. Schools were classel as primary, grammar, high, and normal, and were taught 193 days. The whole number of youth receiving instruction in public and private schools mas 11,523 , leaving 5,975 youth between the ages of 6 and 21 years not in any school. Of the number in public schools ouly 380 were over 16. The superintendent says that irregular attendance is steadily lessening. The number of pupils not tardy during the sear was 6,706 , showing less indifference and a growing interest in school mork. Particular attention is given to music and drawing throughout the course and to German in the high grades, for which special teachers are emplored. Papils studying German, 3,091 , the greater part in German-English schools, others as special students. Tho public schools occupied 27 buildings containing 163 rooms with 9.154 sittings for study; all school property was ralued at $\$ \$ 47,916$. Estimated enrollment in prirate schools, 1,820 .

Dayton reported for $1884-8.5$, a jear of steady progress, the teachers working with increasing still, faithfulness, and success, and the children more than usually regular in attendatce. There was a decrease in youth of school age, an increase in enrollment, and a decrease in arerage daily attendance. The schools, graded as primary, intermediate, district, high, and normal, occupied 14 bnildings, with 8 rooms for highschool purposes, 1 for normal, 4 for intermediate, and 125 for the district sebools, all furnishing 6,834 sittings. The course of instruction covers 12 years below the normal school. Evening schools are classed as granmar, and architectural and mechanical drawing schools. Vocal music is taught in all the public schools, as well as German, draring, and penmanship.
Fremont schools-primary, grammar, and high-were taught 185 days in 7 buildings with 1,100 sittings for study. A slight decrease appears in registration, with a corresponding increase in average daily attendance. The same number of teachers ras employed, with 2 special teachers of music and German. The expenses of the schools were decreased by about $\$ 200$. Public school property was valued at $\$ 55,000$. Private schools enrolled 400.

Hamilton shows an increase of 128 in enrollment and of 100 in dails attendance, with 2 more teachers. Primary, grammar, high, and normal schools were taught, the average term being 194 days, in 6 buildings, with accommodations for 2,264 pupils, an increase of 148 sittings. Music is taught by a special teacher, and the study of German is provided for during the entire course. Private schools enrolled 1,100 pupils in 6 buildings with 1,050 sittings for study. Public school property was ralued at $\$ 150,000$.

Ironion had an increase of 35 in registration, of 73 in attendance, and employed 1 more teacher. Five buildings furnished 23 rooms for primary schrols, 12 for grammar, 2 for high, and 1 for a normai traiving class. The aggregate sittings for study numbered $3, \stackrel{H}{0} 0$. Schools were taught 184 days, by 4 men and 34 women. Valuation of public school property, 875,000 . Private school enrollment, 385.

Lima, with an increase of 342 in school youth, shors a slight decline in its enrollment and attendance in public schools, with 3 more teachers emplosed. Of the youth registered, only 78 were orer 16 years of age. The schools were graded and tanght 187 days, in 3 buildings, with 1,740 sittings. School property was ralued at $\$ 91,500$. Private schools enrolled 360 .

Mansfield, from the statistics in the State report, shows a decrease in attendance during the jear from the figures given in 1883-84. Still abont 70 per cent. of school jouth were enrolled and 74 per cent. of enrolled were in a rerage attendance. One new school building was erected during the year, costing, with site, $\$ 12,000$. The 8 school buildings were valued, with other property, at $\$ 200,000$.

Newark, sending only the statistics in the State report, shows that while school youth gained $36 \%$, there were only 16 more in average attendance, 3 more teachers, and a loss of 32 in enrollment. The erection of a ne $\pi$ schosl bnilding, costing, with site, $\$ 11,500$, made 7 buildings, with 40 rooms for study, the school property being rated at $\$ E s, 000$. Schools were in session 38 weeks, and held 73 per cent. of enrolled in average attendance.
Portemouth reports for the jear 6 school buildings, with 42 rooms for studr, with an enroilment of $\%, 164$, or 52 to a room. School property was valued at $\$ 1 \leq 0,000$.
Sandusky bad 9 school buildings, containing 2,550 sittings. Enrollmeut iucreased by 37 , average attendance by 118. Five special teachers were employed in German.

Of the 2.722 youth attending scheol, only 189 Tere orer 16 jears of age, while the number of youth in the city between the ages of 1 i and 21 was 1,326 . Fhools mere taught 195 dars. School bnildings were valned, with other school property, at \$1だ, 000 . Parochial schools enrolled 1.010 punils.

Springfeld had 15 school buildings with 80 rooms for stady. One new building was added during the year at a cost of 87,450, advancing the value of schonl property to $\$ 207,450$. With about the same number of school youtl, enrolloucut gaisied 146 , and average attendance 204 , with a decrease of $\$ 4,546$ in expenditure for public schools. Tbese were in session 145 dars under 15 men and 72 women teachers, with a litile over 77 per cent. of enrolled pupils in average daily attendance. The enrollment was a little over one-half of schonl south (6-21).
Steubenville reports a small increase in enrollment and daily attendance, with aboat the same number of regular teachers and ose special teacher in German. Six school baildings furnisbed accommodations for 2,225 pupils and are ralned with sites, ete., at $\$ 100,000$. The school course covers 11 rears, beyond which a sear is given to normal studies in a traiuing school for sach as desire to become teacbers. A German course is provided, to which pupils from the third year on are a:lmitted upon application of parents or guardians. Schools were tangit 193 dars, an increase of 2 dars ovir 18:3-'84. Private schools emrolled 500 pupils, which, added to those in pablic schonls, leares 1,510 between the ages of 6 and 21 rears out of school.

Tiffin presents an increase of 41 in school youth, a decrease of 7 in enrollment, and an increase of $\S 3,573$ in expenditure. Schools were taught 194 dars, in 5 buildings with $1,5 \hat{i}$ sittings, and ralued $\pi$ ith other school property at $\$ 125,000$. The sohools are graded and peumanship is taught by a special teacher. Private schools enrolled 800 pupils.

Toledo shows an increase of $2,0,2$ in schoul youth during the rear. The city expended $\$ 35,535$ in the erection of 2 nerr school buildings, making in all 25 , with 151 rooms for stads, and adrancing the value of school property to $\$ 669,000$. With an increase of 201 in enrollment and 140 in average attendance, 6 more teachers were emplosed and \$25, $\%=5$ more were expended for public schools than in $18 \leq 3-84$. About 73 per cent. of enrollment was in arerage daily attendance, the sessions exteuding over 200 days.

Foungxtown reports on the whole very little change from 1883-'84, except that the ralue of school property was adranced to $\$ 330,000$, by the addition of a nct sch ol building at an expenditure of $\$ 14,64 \tau$, making in all 10 school-honses, with 54 rooms for stady. This seems to be a full supply for the average daily attendance, giving a room for every 44 pupils. Public schools were taught $1 \times 5$ days of the sear, during which nearly it per cent. of enrolled pupils were in average dails attendance.

Zanesville, losing during the year 60 in school south, gained 113 in enrollinent, 32 in arerage attendance, 2 in teachers, and expended $\$ 2,7 \% 1$ more for public schools. The public schools were tanght by 8 men and 62 women, in se-sions of 200 days, with a little over 77 per cent. of enrolzinent in arerage daily attendance. School property Was rated at $\$ 250,000$.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## GENERAL STATE REQUIRENENTS.

To be emplojed, teachers must present certificates of qualifications from the legal examiners as to moral character, ability to teach the common English bravehes, and an adequate knowledge of the theory and practice of teaching. Those intending to teach additional or other branches than the above named must present certificates of qualifications to teach such branches. A legal certificate mast corer the entire time of the teacher's service and must specify all the branches to be taught.

## CITY NORMAL trafing.

No provision has been made by the State for the preparation of teachers, but snch preparation is included in the city school systems of Cincinnati, Columbus, Cleveland, Daston, Geneva, Hamilton, Ironton, Stenbenville, Toledo, and others.

Cincinnati No:mal School offers a course covering 1 year, including English and German departments, under specially trained instructors, including both the theory and the practice of teaching. The school was organized in 1868. Graduates for the Fear, 45 ; stndents, 58.

Clercland Training School includes English and German departments in its 1-vear course, Thich embraces professional and review studies and practice teaching. For 3dmission, applicants must hold a diploma of the high schools of the city or of some other school of equal grade, or must pass satisfactorils an examination in the sturlies of these schools or their equiralents. For graduation, there must be a good record in the school itself, and fairsuccess in the training department. The schonl was organized in 1875, since which time 35 students have graduated, and 240 were engaged in teacliing at date of the report for $1: 84$-'co.

Columbus Normal School, in the second year of its existence, opened with 31 prpils, of whomes finished the course. Both theory aud practice departments are established, and the pupil teachers each harl charge of nue of these for 6 consecutive weeks, doing also some substitute work in the city schonls. The attendance and pinctuality of the pupils were good throughout the jear, the former averagiug 98 and the latter 99 per cent.

Dayton school system includes normal training, and the class of 1834-35 numbered 21 students. The per cent. of daily atlendance was 97 , with but 17 cases of tardiness during the year. The conrse of instrnction includes school management, methors of teaching, history and philosophy of education, mental philosophy, and practice teaching.

Hamilton reports a normal class of 3 pupils, 5 of whom completed the 1-year course and 4 engaged in teaching.

Stenbenville also provites a 1 -rear course in normal studies and class drill, the course including mental philosoply, principles and practice of teaching, etc.

## otmer normal training.

Genera Normal School for 188:-85, which during the jear received an appropriation of $\$ 750$ from the State a:d of $\$ 7,900$ from the county, reported 112 studeuts in the 4-ytars course, under 10 instructors. Besides the bigher school studies, vocal and instrumentalmusic, and drawing and painting are included in the course, as well as theory and practice of teaching and class drill.

The private normal scbools reporting are the Obio Normal Universitr, Ada; Ashland College and Normal and Business Institute, Ashland; Northeasteru OLio Normal School, Canfield; Fayette Normal Schonl, Fayette; College of Teachers of the National Normal Unirersity, Lebanon; Western Reserve Normal School, Milan; and Wadsworth Normal Schonl, Wadsworth. Besides these, there are normal departments in the Ohin Wesleran University, Delaware; Mt. Union College, Mt. Union; the German Erangelical Latheran Seminary, Woodville; and Wilberforce University, Wilberforce, fir colored students. The Mansfield Normal School is extinct. The above schools and norinal departments present courses covering from 1 to 4 jears.

For statistics of these and others roporting, see Table III of the Appendix.

## teachers' institutes.

A teachers' institute may be organized in any county by not less than 30 teachers of common schools residing therein, who declare in writing their intention to attend such institute. Trachers in common schools may dismiss their schools to attend institutes held in their respective counties, but no union or graded school may be so dismissed, unless a mijority of the teachers employed therein assent to the closure. Institutes inust continue at least 4 days. Fees of 50 cents for each applicant for examination as a teacher are applied to the support of institutes.

Such institutes were held in 1881 '' 8 's in 88 connties, attended by 6,119 men and 6,809 women. They were in session an aggregate of 694 days, under 3z $\begin{gathered}\text { instructors. }\end{gathered}$ The total receipts were $\$ 20,596$, of which $\$ 17,083$ were from county treasuries, $\$ 2,768$ from members, and $\$ 7.10$ from other sonrces.

The expenses incurred were $\$ 18,550$, of which sum $\$ 13,837$ went to pay lecturers and teachers. This left a balance on hand of $\$ 2,308$.

## EDUCATIONAL JOURNALS.

The Ohio Educational Monthly, published at Akron, by Hon. Samuel Findley, was in 1834-85 in its thirty-fourth volume. It has been for many years the organ of the State Teachers' Association, and is one of the oldest school journals in the United States.

Ohher journals are the National Normal Exponent, a monthly journal published at Cincinnati, in the interest of the National Normal University at Lebanon, and the Fis-c̀- Fis, edited and published weekly at the Ohio State Institution for Deaf Mutes, Columbus.

## SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

## PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS.

Boards of education mar establish high schools at their own discretion, and in 1884-0.5 there were $39 \frac{1}{2}$ buildings in the State used exclusively for high schools, containing 718 rooms, exclusive of those used only for recitation. There were enrolled in all the high schools in the State 18,326 girls and 14,221 bofs, taught by 613 men and 238 women.

## OTHER SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

For statistics of business colleges, private academic schools, and schools specially preparatory to college, see Tables IV, VI, and VII of the Appendix, and for sunmaries of the sawe, see corresponding tables in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## COLLEGES FOR YOUNG MEN OR FOR BOTII SEXES.

The Onio Stale Eniversity, Columbus, including the State Agricultural College, admits both sexes on eqnal terus, aud presents for $1-8+{ }^{\prime}$ es classical, scientitic, and philosophical courses, covering 4 sears, and leading to the degrees of A. B., Ph. B., and Sci. B., also technical courses, learling to those of C. Eng., Mech. Eng., Mining Eng., and B. Ag. The iustitution eurolled 152 collegiate and 146 preparatory students, ali under 2\% instrnctors. The library mmbered 5,000 bound volumes and abont 1.000 pamphlets, aud reported an increase of 2,0 c. 0 during the sear. The value of all property belonging to the schoul is estimated at $\$ 600,000$. The State appropriated $\$ 10,450$; the income from prodnctive funds was $\$: 2,270$, and from tuition fees, $\$ 5,138$.
Other institutions claiming collegiate rank and reporting for $188-85$ are as follors: Adelbert College, Clevelaud; Aslland College, Ashland; Baldwin University, Berea; Belmont College College Hill; Buchtel College, Akron; Capital University, Columbns; Devison University, Granville; German Wallace College, Berea; Hebrew Union College, Cincinnati; Heidelberg College, Tiffin; Hiram College, Hiran; Hoperdale Normal College, Hopedale; Kenyon Colloge, Gamhier; Marietta College, Marietta; Union College, Mt. Union; Muskingum College, New Concord; National Normal University, Lebannn Oberlin College, Oberlin; Ohio Central College, Iberia; Ohio University, Athens; Otterbein University, Westerville; Ohio Wesleyau University, Delarrare; Rio Grande Conlege, Rio Grande; Scio College, Scio ; St. Josenh's and St. Xavier's Colleges, Cincinuati; Cincinuati, Urbana, and Wooster Universities, at towns of same names; and Wilmington College, Wilmington.

Nearly all the ahove institutions admit women on eqnal terms with men. All but the University of Cincinnati give preparatory training, 7 have philosophical conrses, all have classical, and nearly allscinntific courses of 4 years. All include in their curricula some of the ancient or modern languages, as well as music or some of the fine arts, and preparation for teaching or business is provided by nearly all. The State superintendent gives as the agyregate number of students in attendance during the year, 1,399 young men and 948 young women, under 306 regular instructors. The number that received the degree of A. B. at the last commencenent was 200 men and 38 women ; of Sci. B., 120 men and 34 women; of Pb. B., 19 mell and 16 women; and the total graduated at the close of the jear's session, 347 young men and 126 young women. The iucome received from students was $\$ 114,966$; from other sources, $\S 233,955^{\circ}$; entire expenditures, exclusive of those for permanent improvements, $\$ 458,218$. Aggregate value of property, $\$ 8,658,524$, that of the State university being valued at $\$ 1$, ic 0,000 , including endowments. The above statistics, however, include one institution not on the college list of this Bureau, viz, Harlem Springs College, which may be found in Table Ví of the Appendix. A total of $\$ 255,602$ mas recei red dnring the rear in gifts or bequests by 9 of the above institntions. Of this amount, Buchtel College received $\$ 55,(00$; German Wallace College, $\$ 10,000$; Ohio Wesleran University, $\$ 50,000$; Demson University, $\$ 425$; Hiram College, $\$ 50,000$; Marietta College, $\$ 25,000$; Muskingum College, $\$ 5,000$; Oberlin College, $\$ 40,177$; Otterbein University, $\$ 20,000$.

## INSTITUTIONS FOR THE SUPERIOR LNSTRCCTION OF YOUNG WOMEN.

For statistics of institntions of this class, see Table VIII of the Appendir, and the summary of it in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION.

## SCIENTIFIC.

Scientific courses of stndy are provided in nearly all the colleges and universities in the State, and in the Ohio Mechames' Lustitute, Cincinati, and the Case School of Applisd Science, Cleveland.
In the 4 technical courses of the State university provisiou is mane for instruction in geologr, chemistry, agriculture, mathenatics, civil and mechanical engineering, mining and metallurgy, Dotany and horticulture, agricultural chemistry, veterinary science, and military science and tactics, as well as in ancient and modern langrages.

The Ohio Mechanics' Institute includes 3 departments, viz, mechanical, architectural, and artistic, each with elementary, intermediate, and adranced grates. The mechanical department enrolled 131 students, the architectural 90 , and the artistic 131 , while a class for modeling in clay had 6 , making in all 361 . The falling otf of 67 in the year was largely due to so many being out of employment, making it diffcult to meet the necessary expenses.

The Case School of Applied Science, Cleveland, provides courses of study in ciril engineering, mathematics and astronomy, physics and chemistry, each covering 4 jears and learling to the degree of Sci. B. The courses are open to special students, not candidates for a degree, for study in certain lines, on their proving a capacity for
pursning the stadies they select. Mrs. Laura B. Axtell, of Clereland, a sister of Lemard Case, the founder of this school, is said by a current Boston journal to hare bequeathed her entire formne, amounting to $\$ 1,000,000$, to the school.

For statistics of these schools. see Tables IX and X of the Appendix; for srmmaries of their statistics, see corresponding tables in the report of the Comuisuiuter preceding.

## PROFESSIONAL.

Theology.-Theological instruction is given in at least 13 institutions and departments of collecres, among them being Lane Theological Seminary, Cinciunati; St. Marr's Theological Seminary, Cleveland; German Lntheran Seminary, Columbus; Union Biblical Seminary, Darton; Theological Seminary of the Protestant Episcopal Church, Gambier; Heidelberg Theological Seminarr, Tifin; United Presbyterian Theological Seminary of Senia; and in the theological departments of Anbland, German Wallace, Oberlin, aud Wittenberg Colleges, and of Urbana and Wilberforce Universities. Nearly all offer a course of insiruction covering 3 sears of from 30 to 40 weeks each.
For statistics of these schnols see Table XI oî the Appendir.
LATF.-Legal training is lound in the Law School of the Cincinnati College. in a 2-years course of 30 weeks each, including elementary law and contracts and real property for the junior sear; and equity jurisprudence, evidence, constitutional, eriminal, and mercantile law, and otber subjects, for the senior. There were 55 stadents graduated at the commencement of 1855. . The school had in 1883-2 4 a carefully selected library of over 3,000 volumes, to which additions are made each jear from an annual appropriation of $\$ 1,500$ for that purpose.

The College of Law of the National Normal Universits, with a facultr of 5 members besides a librarian, presents a 2 -sears course of 48 weeks each, which seems to be combined with classical stadies also. No requirements for admission; bat to receire the degree of LL. B., stadents must first hare obtained from this or some other institution the degree of A. B.

Medicise.- Medical instruction is given in 13 schools of medicine recognized by the Illinois State Board of Health, 9 regular, 2 homœopathic, and 2 eclectic. The regular schools reporting for $1884-95$ were the liedical College of Ohio, Cincinnati; medical department of Western Reserve Universits, Cleveland; Starling Medical College, Columbns; Cine:nnati College of Medicine and Surgery; Miami Medical College, Cincinnati ; medical department of the Uuirersity of Wooster, Cleveland; Columbus Medical Coilege; Toledo Medical College; and Northwestern Ohio Medical College, Toledo.

For admission, all require a dipioma or certificate of graduation from some school of high grade, or a thorough examination in the branches of a good English edncation. For graduation, caudidates must be 21 jears of age, must have pursued 3 years of study, have attended 2 full conrses of medical lectures, and have passed a final satisfactory examination on all the branches tanght. The total number of matriculates for the sear was 739 ; graduates, $25 \overline{0}$.

The Hommopathic Hospital College, Clereland, and Pulte Medical College, Cincinnati, with the same requirements for admission as the regular schools, present a 3 -jears course of study and 2 full courses of lectures. A 3 -jears graded course is recommended but not required. For graduation, candidates must be 21 years of age, and must pass successfully a final examination. Matriculates for the former in 1881-' 85 were 84 ; graduates, 30 ; for the latter, matriculates 52 , graduates 30 .
The Eclectic Medical Institute and the American Eclectic College, both of Cincinnati, require for admission either a certificate of graduation from a high school or collegiate institation, or a first-grade teachers' certificate; lacking these, there must be a satisfactory examination in the English branches of study. The course of study in both covers 2 annual sessions of about 20 weeks each. For graduation bnth require 2 years of previous study and attendauce on 2 fall courses of lectures, and the passing of a final examination in all the branches tanght. For the former a 3 -rears graded course is recommended, but not required; for the latter, a post-graduate session is provided, occupsing 8 weeks.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

## TRAINING IN MUSIC.

The Cincimati College of MFusic, incorporated nnder the lars of the State, is handsomely endomed bryir. Reaben R. Springer and other benerolent citizens of Cincinnati, and derotes its entire income to instruction in the art of music, as well as dramatic action, molern languages, and elocution. Besides some forty rooms for parposes of instruction, the college has a large and beautifnl concert hall, with a seating capacity for 1,200 persons. The stage is fulls equipped for operatic and dramatic perfornances, and in the academic department provision is made for trainiug for the concert and operatic stage by actual performance in opera. For admission to
this department stndents must pass a satisfactory examination, conducted by a boárd of examiners appointed by the trintees from the college facnlty. In the depariment in lost-'s were eurolled 57 stndents. The general school, with an enrollment of 112 students, is divided into 8 departments, viz, of instrumentaliste, of vocalists, of theors, of chorus classes, of elocution, of languages, of oneratic traiuing, and a lecture department. The studies of the first 4 dipartments are compulsory, of the last toptinnal. In the theory department, instruction is given in therongl base, simple and double counter-point, composition, and in the art of orchestration and instruinentation.

## LNSTRUCTION LN GERMAN.

Under a State lam, it is the daty of boards of education to cause the German language to be taught in any public school of the State when demanded by 75 freeLolders of any sebenl district, representing not less than 40 pupils who intend to studJ the German and English langnages together. By a later law, where 100 pronls desire German teaching, a special department mas be provided for them. Chillien in districts where no provision is made for such instruction mas be receiven into the nearest school in which the language is tanght, by obtaining a written permit from the trustees of the district in which they reside. In connection with English branches excellent provision is made by the Sta'e for secaring instraction in German, and it is claimed that nearly one-fourth of the entire number of pupils who study this langnage in the United States are found in Ohio. In 1884-'85 there were in the public schools of the State 40,362 youth studying German, under 473 teachers; in private schools, 224 pupils under 10 teachers; in Protestant church schools, 2,608 pupils under 27 teachers; and in Catholic cburch schools, 28.952 pupils ander 470 teachers. Total, 72,146 pupils under 980 teachers. Teachers of German may give instruction in this language ouly, except in translation, music, and drawing.

## EDUCATION OF THE DEAF AND DCMB.

The Ohio Institution for the Education of the Deaf and Dumb, Columbus, has 4 literary departments, viz, primary, grammar, academic, and articulation; also an industrial department for instraction in bookbinding, carpentry, printing, and shoemaking for boys and sering and general houservork for girls. Tbis, however, is in no case allowed to interfere with school studies, which occupy 4 hours of each day, and ons evening bour. For free admission, pupils must be residents of the Srate, between the ages of 8 and 21 sears, of sound mind, and of good moral character The general length of term is 7 years, the utmost lin it 10 years. In $1884-$ es the institution eurolled 243 boss and 215 girls, under 25 teachers, 6 of whom were semi-mute. Articulation is tanght. The institution owns ton acres of land, ralued with buildings, etc., at $\$ 750,000$.
The Cincinna:i Day School for Deaf Mutes. -The number of pupils who entered this school during the year was 32 , and the average attendance 28 , showing that the most of those who entered remained during the entire vear. Two teachers are employed, instruction being given in the sign language. The course of stady covers 7 years, and includes the common school branches, with composition, drawing, penmanship, and object lessons.

## EDCCATION OF THE BLIND.

The Ohio Institution for the Education of the Blind, Colnmbus, gives instraction in common and bigher English branches, in Latin, and in vocal and instrumental music. In the industrial department there is training in piano tuning, chair caning, broom making, sewing, knitting, and beadrork. Kindergarten instruction is also given. The age for admission is from 6 to 21 sears, and persons over 21 sears of age and free from bad habits can enter the institution for oue sear to learn a trade. The record of eurollment for the year is 153 boys and 107 girls , of average attendauce 188 ; new pupils entered, 40.

## EDUCATION OF THE FEEBLE-MLNDED.

The Ohio Institution for the Feeble-Minded, Columbus, admits children between the ages of 6 and 15 jears who are incapable of being educated at ordinary schools. In addition to common school studies, farming, gardening, shoemaking, sering, and general housework are taught. The maiu building, having been destroyed by tire, was rebnilt and occupied during the rear, thus admitting many lirtle ones whose opportunities for improvement were passing away. There were 407 bors and 251 girls in the sehoel, 154 being admitted who had been temporarily absent on account of the fire.

## INDUSTRLAL AND REFORMATORY.TRAINLNG.

The Boys' Reform School, located on a farm of 1,201 acres near Lancaster, admits criminal boys only, and undertakes their morai, intellectnal, and iudustrial training. In addition to the common school branches, algebra and natural philosophy enter into the seveuth and eighth grades. Iustruction is given in rocal and instrumental musio by competent teachers. A large and valuable library belougs to the school, new
bonks being added yearly. A paper is published in the institntion weekly with satisfactory results, the boys setting the type mader the direction of a competent fureman. Instruction is given in farming, gardening, shoemaking, mending, and knitting. Since the organization of the school 4,070 boys have been admitted, of which number 436 were in charge in 1884-'85. In giving eome of the causes of the fearful prevalence of jnvenile criminals the report says that illiteracy is one cause ; about one-third of the bors, when admitted, could not read.

The House of Refuge and Correction, Toledo, undertakes to govern, educate, and reform juvenile offeur rs. Close application to study in the common schonl branches is required of all the inmates one-hail of each day, while the farm and knitting factory afford ample facilities for industrial training.

The Girls' Industrial Home, Delaware, aims to educate and reform yonng girls committed to its care. The schools are graded, and pupils are advanced upon a successful examination. The rontine of sewing, knitting, conking, and general honsemark necessary for the institution is performed by the inmates. The number remaining in the home at the close of 1884 was 277.

## EDUCATIONAL CONVENTIONS.

## STATE ASSOCIATIONS.

The Ohio Teachers' Association held its thirty-sixth annnal meeting at Chantannua, N. Y., July 7-9, 1885. The superintendents' section (seventeenth session) was called to order by R. McMillen, chairman of the execntive committee, and Dr. Alston Ellis, president of the section, delivered his inangural address, after which papers were read on "Manual training as a preparation for teachers," "Defects in our compulsory law and remedies suggested by the laws of other States," "A week in my schoolroom," and "That boy." The general association convened the second day, the retiring president, E. F. Moulton, in the chair. The new president, Dr. Aaron Schuyler, delivered his inangural address on "The sensibilities in education." On motion of Mr. Brown, all teachers in attendance from other States were elected bonorary nembers of the association, with the privilege of taking part in the discussions. Ex-President Moulton moved to make the annnal membership fee for ladies 50 cents instead of \$1, which motion after an animated discussion was lost. Among the papers read and presented for discussion were "Training the will," "What can teachers do to secure proper home education?" "A new departure in geographical teaching," "Philosophy of teaching," and "The Chantanqua idea in relation to public education." Notice was given by Superintendent Parker that at the next meeting steps would be taken to rednce the membership fee of ladies who receive an annual calary of less than $\$ 500$, from $\$ 1$ to 50 cents.

## CHIEr STATE SCHOOL OFFICER.

Hon. D. F. De Wolf, State commissioner of common schools, Columbus,
[Term, January, 1881, to Januars, 1884.]
Succeeded by Hon. Le Roy D. Brown.
[Term, January, 1884, to January, 1887.]

## OREGON.

## STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

|  | 1883-'.1. | 1881-'85. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| POPULATION AND ATTENDANCE. |  |  |  |  |
| Youth 4 to 20 years of age | 73, $86 \%$ | 80, 018 | 6,151 |  |
| Enrolled in public schools | 43, 157 | 46,107 | 2, 950 |  |
| Arerage daily attendance | 39,512 | 31,005 |  | 8,507 |
| Per cent. of school youth enrolled. | 58.43 | 57.62 |  | . 81 |
| Per cent. of school south in attendance. | 53.49 | 38.75 |  | 14.74 |
| Atteuding private schools | 5, 230 |  |  |  |
| Total enrollment, public and prirate. | $48,3=7$ |  |  |  |
| Per cent. of school sonth in whole enrollment. | 65.51 |  |  |  |
| Attending graded schools. | 7,409 |  |  |  |
| Reported as in no school | 24,3\% |  |  |  |
| SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND SCHOOLS. |  |  |  |  |
| Organized school districts | 1,206 |  |  |  |
| Number of these reporting ........... | 1,146 |  |  |  |
| Graded schools reported .............. | 46 |  |  |  |
| State school-houses built in the year. | 95 |  |  |  |
| State school-houses built previously. | 1,074 |  |  |  |
| Whole number of State school-houses. | 1,169 |  |  |  |
| Average time of schools, in days..... | 1, 9 91 | 95 | 5 |  |
| Private schools reported ...... | 173 |  |  |  |
| Average time of such schools, in days. | 63.20 |  |  |  |
| teachers. |  |  |  |  |
| Men teaching in public schools | 623 | 743 | 120 |  |
| Women teaching in public schools. | 913 | 958 | 45 |  |
| Whole number of teachers | 61,71: | 1,701 |  | 11 |
| Number of these in graded scho | 143. |  |  |  |
| Teachers in rrivate schools. | 206 |  |  |  |
| Fhrastcial statement. |  |  |  |  |
| Arerage monthly pay of men teaching. | \$1675 | \$4822 | 8147 |  |
| Arerage monthly par of romen teachin"r. | 3545 | 3696 | 151 |  |
| Expenditure for problic schools | 4*8,677 | 513,152 | 34,475 |  |
| Amount of available school fund | 1,000,000 | 1,000, 000 |  |  |
| Valnation of public school property. | 1,454,506 | 1,160, 433 |  | 8394,073 |

a Age for distribntion of school fands. Age for attendance in public schools, G-21.
bSereral counties did nut report the sex o. teachers.

## STATE SCHOOL SYSTEJ.

GENERAL CONDITIOR.
As the report of the State superintendent is biennial, only a return comes for $1881^{1-}$ '35. It may be seen that the arerage daily attendance in the palilic schools fell off br more than 8,000 , while in the preceding sear there lad been an increase of over 12,000. The age for distribution of school funds is 4 to 20 , but for free attearlance in the prblic schools of the Srate, 6 to 21 . There was expended in the rear, for sites, buildings, and furniture, 8117,500 ; for libraries and apparatus, $53 ; 500$. The entire income for public schools was $\$ 500,776$, or $\$ 12,376$ less than the expenditure.

## ADMINISTRATION.

For the general management of public schools there is a State superintendent of public insiruction elecied quadrenuially by the people. The governor, siperintendent, and secretary of state constitute a state board of education. For sounties there are county superintendents of common schools, elected biennially by the roters of the county; for districts, boards of 3 directors, chosen by the voters of the district for 3 years, with annual change of 1 , and a district clerk elected at the same time for 1 year.

District school boards receive State school fands (which are apportioned on the basis of children of school age), and must report to their county snperintendents, they to the State superintrndent annually, and he biennially to the legislature. Uniformity of test boots is serured by the State superintendent sending to the county superintendents quadreunially a circular naming the required studies; each county superintendent marks against each study the text book ho prefers, and those called for by a majority of the superintendents are authorized by the State board to be used 4 years. Any school district of 10,000 or more inhabitants may hare one or more of its common schools taught in the German languago, on the petition of 100 qualified voters of the district. Widows with children to educate, and owning taxable property in the district, are entitled to vote in echool meetings. Any qualified voter, man or woman, is eligible to the office of school director. Sixty days, or 12 school weeks, constitute a quarter of a school year.

## SCHOOL FINANCES.

The public schools are sustained from the proceeds of a State school fund, from escheats and forfeitures, moneys paid for exenption from military duty, gifts, devises, and bequests for common school purposes, property granted to the State with no specified object, a county tax of 4 mills on $\$ 1$, and from a tax which district meetings, legally called, may levy on real and personal property in the district.

## SCHOOL SYSTEMS OF CI'IIES WITH 7,500 OR MORE INHABITANTS.

## ADMINISTRATION.

Any city or incorporated town of 10,000 or more inhabitants may be organized into a district and elect a board of 3 or more directors, who may evgage a superintendent, employ teachers, prescribe courses of study, improve the grading of schools when necessary, and create a board of examiners to test the qualifications of teachers. Schools are free to jouth 6 to 21 years of age residing in the district where they are held, and persons from outside may be admitted on such terms as the district may direct.

Portlaud has a board of 5 directors, a school clerk, a city superintendent, and a board of examiners. For statistics of the schools of Portland, see Table II of the Appendiz.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

Persons wishing to teach in the public schools of the State must present certiticates of qualification from the State board of education, a county superintendent, or a city board of examination. Life diplomas, granted by the State board, entitle the holders to teach in any public scbool in the State during life. The board also issues diplomas good for 6 years, for 2 sears, and for 6 months. Each county superintendent is required to examine in the branches taught in the common schools all applicants intending to teach in his county, and may issue the two last named certificates.

## state normal training.

The Oregon Normal School, Monmouth, and the Ashland College and Normal School, Ashland, organized by the State in 1882, have courses of study covering 3 years, which may be shortened by those who come with the requisite scholarship and give their whole attention to the professional course, with practice teaching in the third sear. Men over 21 and women over 18 years of age, completing the required course in either school and passing an examination approved by the State board of education, receive a State diploma good for 6 years, and, if these years are spent in successful teaching in the State, a life diploma may be granted by the board.

The University of Oregon, Eugene, for 1884-85 offered a senior year of normal training; but what preceded it does not appear, except that in 1853-'84, a full 3 -years course was noted.

## other normal training.

McMinnville and Philomath colleges, and Willamette University ofiered normal training in well arranged courses, which in the first 2 are of 2 years each, and in the last of 3 jears.

## TEACHERS' INSTITUTES.

The State superintendent is required by law to hold a teacbers' institute in each fulicial districtin the Srate at least once a rear. Tcachers must attend the one beld in the county in which ther resill, or furnish a satisfactory excuse. School directors are urged to allor teachers a reasonablo time to attend such institutes, without loss of mages.

SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.
priBLIC II:GII SCMOOLS.
High schools must be mantainet at least 6 months in districts with 1,000 or more routh of schonl age, and in these schools must be taught, in addition to the comimon Euglish branches, such other brauches as the directurs may nrescribe.

OTMER SECONTUAIV SCHOOLS.
For statistics of business colleres. private academic scbools. and preparatory departments of coseres, see Tables IV, VI, and VII of the Appendix, and for suminaries of the same, see the report of the Commissioner preceding.

SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## COLLEGES FOR YOUN゙G MEN゙ OR FOR BOTH SEXES.

The Cniversity of Oregon. Eugene City, for both sexes, has English preparatory and collegiate departments. The latter includes 3 courses of study, classical, scientific, and Englisb, each of 4 years. A prelimicary examination is required for admission to either of these courses. For the benefit of students not prepared to enter the collegiate department, there is a 2 -years preparatory course. In 1E31-'d there were 135 students in the collegiate course, 44 in the preparatory, and 9 in the normal. In 1884 , the degree of A. B. Was conferred on 8 , and that of Sci. B. on 4 graduates from the collegiate course, while certificates of graduation were given to 6 normal students. In 1885 the degree of A. B. Was conferred on 3 , and that of Sci. B. on 4 gracuates. Normal students completing the course, 9 .

Other institutions reporting for $1884-85$, are Corrallis College, Corrallis; Pacific Unirersity, Forest Grore ; Bỉue Mountain Universitr, La Grande; Baptist College, McMinnville; Christian College, Monmonth: Philomath College, Philomath; Saint Michael's College, Portland: and Willamette Unircrsits, Salem. All gire preparatory training, and all but 2 offer classical and scientific courses of 4 Jears each. The instruotion at Saint Michael's embraces elementary and higher brauches of study, with telegraphs and printing. Willamette University, in ite college of liberal arts, prorides instruction in 4 different courses of stad5-classical, Latin-scientific, modern literature and art, and scientific courses. The first 2 embrace 4 rears of study, the others, 2. The Conservatory of Music, a college for wornen connected with the unirersity, affords facilities for a thorough education in the theory and practice of music, rocal and instrumental. The university also presents a business course, as well as colleges of law and needicine. Philomath presents a business course, also training in music and art. Christian College has a 4 -years commercial department, the course covering also rocal and instrumental music, drawing and painting. Pacific Unirersity presents schools of masic and art. Trice a meek tho young men are trained to drill in infautry and artillery tuctics by a special instructor. The classical and scientific courses of this school corcr 3 rears each. Penmanship is free. Blue Mountain reports a college of fine arts, including departments of music and painting; also a post-graduate comse. All but Saint Michach's, which is Roman Catholic, admit joung women; Pacific and Willamette have special arrangements for them.

## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION.

## scientipic.

Oncaon State Agricultural College, Corvallis, includes in its 4-rears scientific courso :urowoms, chemistry, civii engineering, field surveying; analysis of minerals, ores, and soils; theors and practice of agricuiture and horticulture, use of farm implements, drainage, stork breeding. military drill, with higher English and ancient lanquaces. The school of mathematics is also divided into 4 classes. Fruit culture and mectanical departments are in contemplation.
The State university lias abont $£ .000$ rorth of mathematical instruments, and students in enginecring or surveriug can, br means of the solar compass and engineer's transit, become acquainted with practical ficld work in their departmeuts. The department of astronomy, physics, and chemistry, as well as that of geology, mineralogy, and natural history, is provided with suitable apparatus, and large and valuable
collections of eastern and foreign minerals, illustrating truth to the classes taught in these departments.

## PROFESSION゙Aを.

Theology.-Theological training was contemplated in Christian College in 1881-'82, but whether such instruction is being given is uncertain, as no further information has been received.

Law.-Legal instruction is given in Willamette University in a 2 -years course, tine students being divided into 2 classes. The junior year is devoted to the study of general commentaries upon municipal law, the law of contracts, of real estate, and commercial law. The scnior year includes equity-jurispradence, torts, criminal law, cvidence, pleading, aud practice. Moot courts are held regularly, one of the professors presiding, with the students as counsel.

The State university, at the annual meeting of its board of regents, passed a resolution providing for a school of law at Portland, and appointed Mr. Richard A. Thornton professor of the science and practice of the law therein, with authurity to provide lecturers, charge fees, etc. The school was openci October 10, 1834, but no further information has been received.

Medicine.-The medical department of the State university, at Portland, has a faculty of 11 professors and 1 demonstrator. For admission, stadents must hold a diploma of graduation from a literary and scientific college, or high school, or must pass a satisfactory examination in the English branches of education, including mathematics, English composition, and elementary physics or natural history. The course covers 3 years of 25 -week terms. Instruction is given by didactic and clinical lectures, practical work in the dissecting room, chemical and physiological laboratories, and by daily quizzes upon the subjects of the preceding lectures. A 3-years graded course is recommended, but not required. For graduation and a degree, students must be 21 years of age, must have been eugaged in the study of medicine for at least 3 years, and have attended 2 full courses of lectures, and must pass successfully a final examination as to professional attainments. For 1884-85, there were 23 matriculates mad 8 graduates.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

## EDUCATION OF THE DEAF.

Oregon School for Deaf Mutes, Salem, founded in 1870, in 1881-'85 had 28 pupils under 2 instructors. The instruction was in common English branches and domestic employments. The State appropriated $\$ 4,000$ for the ycar, and $\$ 1,800$ was contributed to the building fund. The property belonging to the institution was valued at $\$ 7,000$. Expenses for the year, $\$ 6,800$.

## EDUCATION OF THE JBLIND.

Oregon Schoul for the Blind, Salem, founded in 1833, provides instruction in common English studies, with plysiology, natural philosoplyy, history, and vocal and instrumental music. Some attention is given to industriai training, bnt, from lack of funds, only needle-work for the girls appears to have been taught in 1884-' $\mathbf{c} 5$. A Bible of 8 volumes, in line print, haf been received from Mrs. Clara Skinuer, ablind lady of Portland, and 39 volumos of miscellaneous books, in raisel print, from the American Printing House, Louisville, Ky. The library has 250 volmmes. The number of pupils in the school in $1884-85$ was 12. State appropriation for the year, $\$ 7,000$. Value of property, $\$ 5,000$. Expenditures, $\$ 7,550$.

CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OEFICER.
Hox. E. B. McElroy, State superintendent of public instruction, Saten.
['Term, September 11, 1882, to January 1, 1887.] ${ }^{1}$

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## PENNGYLVANHA.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

|  | 1883-'84. | 1884-85. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| population and attendance. |  |  |  |  |
| Youth of school age (6-21) a | 1, 422,377 | 1, 422, 377 |  |  |
| Earolled in public schools. | 966, 039 | 982, 158 | 16,119 |  |
| Average daily attendance. | 635, 678 | 657,128 | 21, 450 |  |
| Per cent. of school youth enrolled.. | 67.92 | 69.05 | 1.13 |  |
| Per cent. of enrolled in average attendance. | 65.80 | 66.90 | 1.10 |  |
| Per cent. of school youth in average attendance. | 44.69 | 46.19 | 1.50 |  |
| Pupils in private schools ......... | 631, 160 | 30,355 |  | 805 |
| Per cent. of all pupils to school youth. | 70.11 | 71.18 | 1.07 |  |
| SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND SCHOOLS. |  |  |  |  |
| Number of school districts | 2,241 | 2,258 | 17 |  |
| Free schools in these districts | 19, 919 | 20, 254 | 335 |  |
| Number of free schoole graded | 8,345 | 8,359 | 14 |  |
| Schools with Bible reading c | 14, 376 | 12,953 |  | 1,423 |
| Schools that teach drawing 0 | 5,679 | 4,138 |  | 1,541 |
| Schools that teach vocal music c. | 5,255 | 4, 056 |  | 1,199 |
| Schools that teach higher branches $c$. | 2,306 | 2,243 |  |  |
| Schools with uniform text books c .- | 16, 140 | 14,2:28 |  | 1,912 |
| Schools for colored children unly e .- | 47 | 23 |  | 24 |
| Districts with school libraries 0 | 198 | 578 | 380 |  |
| School-houses for free schools c. | 13,246 | 12,709 |  | 537 |
| School-houses rated as first-class c.. | 4,043 | 4,028 |  | 15 |
| School-houses built in the year c | 445 | 432 |  | 13 |
| Average time of schools, in days | $148{ }^{\frac{1}{4}}$ | 156 | 7 |  |
| teachers. |  |  |  |  |
| Men teaching in public schools..... | 8,559 | 8,471 |  | 88 |
| Women teaching in public schools.. | 13, 905 | 14,393 | 488 |  |
| Whole number of teachers ........ | 22,464 | 22,864 | 400 |  |
| Number employed more than 5 years. | 7,733 | 6, 039 |  | 694 |
| Number employed less than a year. | 1,870 | 1,609 |  | 201 |
| Graduates of State normal school .. | 1,310 | 1,158 |  | 152 |
| Attended State normal school. | 3,810 | 3,701 |  | 109 |
| Teachers in private schools.... | 1,551 | 740 |  | 811 |
| financial statement. |  |  |  |  |
| Average monthly pay of male teachers. | \$38 47 | \$39 01 | \$0 54 |  |
| Average mouthly pay of female teachers. | 2939 | 3008 | 69 |  |
| Whole expenditure for public schoois. | Q, 545,633 | 9, 800, 405 | 254, 767 |  |
| State appropriation toward this.. | 1, 600,000 | 1,000,000 |  |  |
| Valuation of public school property. | 31,886, 098 | 32, 614,446 | 728,348 |  |

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## STATE SCHOUL SYSTEM.

## GENERAL CONDITION.

The preceding statistics show a stearly but not large advance of the common schools of the State at the most vital points. The average term was increased to 7.09 months, though the minimum term of 5 months remained. The legislature has been urged to advance it to 6 months, but had not done so up to 1885 . The superintendent thinks that the people who have carried the average term beyond 7 months will not much longer allow the public funds to be appropriated to schools for children that receive only 5 months' tuition.

A gratifying increase of 16,119 in enrollment was exceeded by a still more gratifying one of 21,450 in average daily attendance. Yet the difference of 325,030 leetween the enrolled and the average number in attendance is still large.

The chief school officer therefore urges that every effort be made to remedy this evil, and echoes the appeal from all the States that every inducement bo held out to increase both the enrolled and average daily attendance, or more stringent legislation will be required in faror of compulsory attendance. Some mitigation of this non-attendance is found in an analysis of a ges in school youth of 6-21 years, and it will be seen that a much less per cent. of illiteracy exists than is indicated by the statistics reported. In the first place, there were 30,355 cnrolled in private schools. Then, there will be found comparatively few over 16 in the public schools. From these many have graduated on rcaching that age, and are in colleges or in commercial or industrial pursuits. The differeuce of 440,219 between the enrolled and school youth docs not, therefore, represent the measure of illiteracy.
In the matter of teachers the trend toward employing women is noted in a decrease of 88 men teachers, and an increase of 488 women. Yet the average monthly pay of women is $\$ 9$ less than that paid to men. The superintendent regards this as an unjust discrimination, in view of their general good worls, which seems fairly to warrant for them the same pay as men.

In respect to school buildings much improvement is reported. The erection of 432 new school-houses during the year, with improved architecture and ventilation, shows how rapidly comfortable school buildings are displacing those unfit for use. Mention is made of the erection, during the year, of a model school building in one of the districts of Clearficld County by General Patton, at his own expense, the cost, furnished and complete in all arrangements, being $\$ 40,000$. It is said to be one of the finest and most substantial school buildings of its kind in the State.

Arbor Day was quite generally observed. Instruction in physiology and hygicne, required by law, is assured by the law-abiding habits of directors and teachers.
The knowledge, says the superintendent, of the effects of alcohol and nare:tics on the human system is of vast account, and such special application of it in the way of warning to the young properly bclongs to the moral discipline which should characterize all teaching, whether required by definite statuto or not.

## administration.

The public schools of the State continue to be under the supervision of a State superintendent of public instruction, appointed for 4 years by the governor, with the consent of the scnate. The superintendent may appoint a deputy. Local supervision is through county superintendents, clected by thic school directors, and through school directors in independent school districts in the county, 6 for each district, elected for 3 years by the qualified voters. Women are eligible to all school offices. In consolidated districts (cities or boroughs) there aro directors in each ward to look after school property and buildings and the collection and disbursement of taxes in that ward, with a board of controllers, composed of all these directors, for other school matters of the city or borough. Directors and controllers must provide a sufficient number of schools for the free education of all youth 6-21 years of age, regardless of race or color. The State also provides for the free instruction of the dcaf, dumb, blind, and feeble-minded. The sessions of school must cover at least 5 months annually to entitle districts to their share of the appropriation. It is the duty of directors to establish night schools in cities and towns where there are sufficient youth needing instruction in them to warrant such schools. Half-time schools are permitted in casos where children cannot attend the whole time. Teachers must report monthly to the directors under whom they serve; these directors annually to their county superintendents, they to the State superintendent, and he to the legislature.

## SCHOOL FINANCES.

To sustain the public school system the State appropriates anuually $\$ 1,000,000$, and authorizes in each school district the levy of an annual tax not to exceed 13 mills on the dollar for instruction, and as much more for buildings. Fines and forfeitures aro
applied to school purposes. The amount of State appropriation dne each district is based upon the number of taxpayers, as certilied by the county commissioners at each trienvial assessment.

## NEW LEGISLATION.

Among the new laws of 1885 appear the following: Instruction in physiology and hygiene in public schools is prescribed with a view to an understanding of the effects of narcotics and stimulants on the human system; a law authorizing districts and boroughs with 5,000 or more inhabitants to have superintendents of schools was mado applicable to townships also; another authorized the purchase by school boards of text books for supply of schools free of cost to the pupils; another permitted \%-term and 3 -term contracts with principals and assistants of high and normal schools, instead of the former engarements for one term only; another prohibited the emplosment of boys under 14 and all women and girls in the coal mines of the State, thus releasing thousauds of children from labor to attend school; cities of the third class rere authorized to hold separate institutes. The supreme conrt of the State decided, September 12th, that the scriptures are not sectarian, that they come under the head of text books, and should not be omitted from the list of books used in public schools.

## SCHOOL SYSTEMS OF CITIES WITH 7,500 OR MORE INHABITANTS.

## ADMINISTRATION.

School districts composed of cities or boroughs have boards of directors, usually of 3 for each ward, and may have a superintendent where there is a population over 5,000 inhabitants.

Philadelphia and Pittsburg, under special laws, have boards of education which do not include the rard boards.
statistics.
1884-'85.

| Cities. | $\begin{gathered} \text { Population, } \\ \text { census of } \\ 1880 . \end{gathered}$ | Children of school age. | Enroliment in public schools. | Average numberattending. | Number of teachers. | Expenditure. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Allegheny | 78,682 |  | 12,603 | 10, 948 | 229 | \$304, 934 |
| Allentown | 18, 063 |  | 3, 675 |  | 62 | 57, 292 |
| Altoona | 19, 710 |  | 3, 691 | 3, 126 | 66 | 48,860 |
| Bearer Fall | 8,000 |  | 1,481 | 1, 086 | 28 | 16,596 |
| Bradford | 9, 197 |  | 1, 896 | 1,300 | 37 | 36, 383 |
| Carbondale | 7,714 |  | 1,694 | 1,148 | 27 | 12,392 |
| Chester. | 14,997 |  | 2, 719 | 1,842 | 51 | 33, 876 |
| Colambia | 8,312 |  | 1, 620 | 1,209 | 26 | 30,352 |
| Danville. | 8, 346 |  | 1,575 | 1,076 |  | 14, 237 |
| Easton.: | 11, 924 |  | 2, 364 | 1,750 | 54 | 81,989 |
| Erie | 27, 737 | 8,319 | 5,174 | 3, 650 | 116 | 80, 049 |
| Harrisburg | 30, 762 |  | 6, 123 | 4,046 | 115 | 81, 036 |
| Johnstown | 8,380 | 2, 050 | 1,752 | 1,287 | 33 | 23,596 |
| Lancaster. | 25,769 |  | 4,259 | 2, 932 | 74 |  |
| Lebanon.. | 8,778 | 2,685 | 1,685 | 1,294 | 33 | 18,472 |
| McKeespor | 8,212 |  | 1,924 | 1,328 | 32 | 46, 483 |
| 3feadrille. | 8,860 |  | 1,691 | 1,316 | 37 | 31, 522 |
| New Castle | 8,418 |  | 1,868 | 1,290 | 35 | 16, 287 |
| Norristown | 13, 063 | 4,200 | 2,366 | 1,656 | 45 | 36, 693 |
| Philadelphi | 847, 170 |  | 108, 111 | 97,522 | 2, 225 | 1,699,865 |
| Pittsburg. | 156, 389 |  | 27,440 | 19, 875 | 543 | 6-8, 215 |
| Pottsrille | 13, 253 |  | 2, 543 | 1, 884 | 51 | 44, 949 |
| Reading | 42, 278 |  | 7,113 | 5, 987 | 162 | 151, 760 |
| Scranton. | 45, 850 |  | 10,341 | 7, 111 | 232 | 135, 370 |
| Shamokin | 8,184 |  | 2,152 | 1,506 | 35 | 18,797 |
| Shenandoah | 10, 147 | 3,500 | 2,383 | 1,499 | 33 | 22, 582 |
| Titusville. | 9,046 |  | 1,648 | 1,265 | 33 | 32.850 |
| Wilkes Barre | 23, 339 |  | a5, 900 | 3, 600 | 95 | 93, 371 |
| Williamspor | 18, 934 | 5,362 | 3,689 | 2, 504 | 70 | 48,584 |
| York | 13, 940 | 3,264 | 2, 864 | 2,002 | 60 | 51, 089 |

a Includes 450 in erening schools.

## ADDITIONAL PARTICULARS.

Allegheny presents for 1884-'85 a record of unusual progress, showing a gain of 1,888 in enrollment and of 1,637 in average daily attendance. The per cent. of registered pupils in average daily attendance reached the high rate of 86.42 . There were 19 school buildings, all of brick or stone, 18 of them first class, and all with grounds of sufficient size, suitable improvements and furniture, graded classes, uniform textbooks, and instruction in music and drawing. Only 1,000 children of school age are reported not in school.

Allentown, in a return for $1884-85$, shows 10 school buildings with 3,700 sittings, affording ample room for its enrolled attendance. This fell off 120 from 1383-'st. Expenditure for public schools was \$20,955 less than in the former jear. Schools Were taught 193 days. In prirate schools there were about 200 , same as in the year lefore. Priblic school property was valued at $\$ 460,000$.
Altoona reports 3,678 school sittings for its 3,691 registered pupils, which more than provides for its arerage daily attendance. The number enrolled increased 232 , and the average attendance 289 over 1883-'84. There was retained 84.69 per cent. of enrolled in arerage dails attendance. Public schools were in session 19:3 days. School -property tras valued at $\$ 145,000$. Private schools enrolled about 1,000.

Beaver Falls reports 73.33 per cent. of enrolled pupils in average daily attendance. Drawing receired more than usual attention, while vocal music was, for the first time, introduced into all tho schools. A suggestive table, giving the agres of pupils enrolled during the year, shows that of the entire enrollment of $1,481,1,359$ were between 6 and 15 , only 68 between 15 and 21, leaving 54 probably under $\dot{b}$, and making, oxclusive of those under 6, a total average age of only 10.9 years for pupils actnally in schoo?.

Eradford reports a gain over $1833-84$ of 134 in average attendance, while in enrollment and teachers there was a slight falling off, and one of $\$ 20,243$ in expenditure for public schools. There were 6 school buildings with 39 rooms for primary, grammar, and high schools, which were in session 213 dars, and retained G8.5 per cent. of enrolled pupils in average daily attendance. Public school property mas rated at $\$ 62,150$. Private schools had an estimated eurollment of 350 . No evening schools or special teachers are reported.

Carbondale, with 8 frame school buildings, 4 of them having grounds of sufficient size, and 1 with grounds suitably improred, had 24 weil graded classes, under 27 teachers. It was estimated that there were 600 children of school age not in school, private schools enrolling about 200 nuder 5 teachers. In attendance, teachers, and expenditure for public schools small adrances on 1833-'S4 are noted. Tho arerage attendauce was 67.76 per cent. of the enrollment.

Chester, showing fur 1834-85 a gain of 51 in enrollment and of 78 in daily attendance over $18 * 3-$ ' 84 , and the same number of teachers ( 51 ), held 67.74 per cent. of its registerod pupils in averaro daily atteudance. Instead of 10 school buildings with 2,356 sittings, as in 1883-84, there wero 8 with 2,536 sittings. Public school property increased in value from $\$ 125,000$ to $\$ 130,000$. Public schools were taught 195 davs.

Columbia in 1834-85 reports 74.62 per cent. of enrolled pupils in daily attendance; 4 school buildings of brick or stone, including 1 erected during the rear. All were first class, with suitable furniture, and well supplied with apparatus. Text books were uniform; music and drawing were taught in all, and in 2 some of the higher branches were studied. Of children of school age 200 were in no school.

While there was a loss of 10 in enrollment, there was a gain of 26 in average attendance, and an expenditure of $\$ 10,849$ more for public schools than in the previous year, $\$ 13,456$ having been expended for school buildings, including renting, purchasing, and building.

In Danville the statistics of attendance and expenditure show a slight falling off as compared with $1883-84$. There were 124 fewer enrolled; 106 fewer in arerage attendance; and an expenditure of $\$ 1, y 56$ less for public schools.

Easton reports an advance at all points beyond-1883-'84. The enrollment increased 53 , average attendance 25, teachers 2, while expenditure for public schools exceeded that of last year by $\$ 29,415$.

There were 10 schonl buildings, with 1,493 sittings for primary schools, 900 for grammar schools, and 252 for a high school, affording 281 more sittings than required for its enrolled pupils. The 54 teachers held 74 per cent. of enrollment in average daily attendance in sessions of 198 days. Private schools enrolled about 100. School property advanced in value from $\$ 222,000$ to $\$ 237,900$. No evening schools or special teachers are reported.

Erie reports in 1881-'35 all but 645 of her school population enrolled in schools, the public ones having 5,174 , and private schools 2,500, enrolling 92.25 per cent. of school youth. Of the 8,319 school youth, 2,122 were over 16, and only 363 of this age appear in the number enrolled. The only decrease is one of $\$ 1,543$ in expenditure for public schools. The increasein enrollment was 224 ; in arerage attendance, $23:$; and in teachers, 6.

In schnol accommodations the record is equally good; the public school buildings being irst class, with grounds of sufficient size and suitably improved, all supplied with suitable furniture and apparatus, and all but 3 of brick or stone, the entire property veing valued at $\$ 338, \% 00$.

Harrisburg in 1884-85 had 25 school buildings, with 4,451 sittings for primary schools, 1,187 for grammar schools, and 282 for a high school, in all 5,922 . Of theso 25 school buildings, onls 13 had grounds of sufficient size, 17 were of brick or stone, 10 of them first class, amd 15 well supnlied with apparatus. There were 104 graded classes in 97 well classified schools. There were 900 pupils estimated as attending
private schools, and 1 . 000 cibildren of school age out of school. The statistics of at tendance show only $\ddot{\sim}$ more youth chrolled and $1 *$ more in average attendance than in 188:-24, while expenditure for public schools fell of $\$ 1-4,331$. The average daily attendance was 6.0 b per cent. of enrollment. One special teacher in drawing is reported. Public schonl property was valued at $\$ 344,025$.

Johnistorn reports an enrollment in public and other schools of the same grade of 1,900 , reaching the high rate of 9.65 per cent. of school youth, which leares only 150 of them not in school. There was a gain of 45 in enrollment and of 25 in average dails attendance, but the expenditnre for public schools in 1 e-3-84 excecded that of this year by si, 6 . Of the 9 school buildings, \& wero on ample grounds suitably improved: © irere of brick or stone aud of first class. In all were 32 well classified schools, which retained 73.45 per cent. of enrollment in average daily attendance. School propertr was valued at $\$ 120,000$.
Lancaster in 1884-85 increased its registered attendance by 327 , its average attend ance be $2 \pi 5$. The sessions comprised $19:$ days. The enrollment iuchuded 203 in night schools, with an arerage attculance of 104 . The per cent. of enrolled propils in irerage attendance was 68.84 . The estimated enrollment in private schools was sou. The 21 public school buildings were all on grounds of saticient size well improved, and were of brick or stone: yet only 7 were first class, and 14 were hadle ventilated; all tere well supplied mith apparatus. There were 73 trell classitied schools, with is mane graded classes. School property was valned at 82e5,800.
Ielignon shows an increase of 30 in enrollment and of 17 in arerage attendance over $18 ะ 3-81$, and an expenditure for public schools of $\xi 2, E 56$ less. Schools were tand tht 18 d days, in 9 school bnildings. P'ublic school property was valued at 584,000 . The estimated school population was 2,685 , of whon 1,000 are put down as orer 16 year of age. Adding to the public school enrollment 375 in private schools of like grade, makes a total of 2,060 registered in ail schools, a number within $62 e^{\circ}$ of the school youth reported.
Mehecsport, with 1 sehool bnilling erected during the rear, had in all 4 , with ample grounds, 3 of these of brick or stone, and the same number with suitable firnitn:e. These held 30 mell classified graded classes. With 1 less teacher emplosed there was ret a gain of 104 in registered pupils, of 113 in arerage attendance, and of $820,0=1$ in expenditure for public schools.

Mecdrille, witll $33^{\prime}$ well classified and graded schools. lost 59 in registration, gained 40 in twerage attendance, and expended $81,9 \%$ more than in $1853-4$. It shows 5 school bnildings, 3 of which were of brick or stone, and 3 had suitablr improved grounds. These schools were tanght 13 i. dars, and school property iras rated at $\$ 30,000$. Of the 1,691 registered pupils only 6 were orer 16 years of age. Prirate schools reported 300 enrolied.

New Castle reports an increase of 53 in enrollment, but a decrease of 64 in average attendance, and expended $\leqslant 4,855$ less for public schools than in 1583-'84. Its 4 school buildings with 1,800 sittings appear to hare been sufficient for the general attendance. The schools trere in session 170 dars, and school property was talned at 853,200 . One special teacher in penmanship mas emplored. Estimated enrollment in prirate and church schonls. $3 \%$.

Torvistorn gained 36 in curalled pupils and 38 in average attendance, but expended less for public schools. Its 6 schools buildings of brick or stone, all with good appliances, lad sittings for 1,210 primary pupils, $\leqslant 10$ grammar pupils, and 212 in a high school, in all 2,23 . There were 4.3 well classified schools in as many grades, under 45 teachers.

Allowing the estimate of 800 in other than public schools of like grade, and 2,365 in public schools. We have $3,66 \mathrm{c}$ in all scionls, out of a total of 4,300 of school age. This Trould secim to leave 1, 624 ont of school. But as this rery nearly corresponds with the 1,500 Who. it appears from a return, mere over 16 rears of age, and most of thom were possibly in higler schools or usefnlly employed, this number does not represent the illiteracy of the cirs, and presente an argument for the reduction of school age.
Philadelplim. - The pusfent of the loard of education, reporting for the calcudar rear ending IN amber:31, $1=\frac{1}{2}$, sarathat progres has heen mate in erers department. In uo previons yem hate thememme of the board taken a cieene interest in the affars of the schock or deri t. it thaselves with more cheres to their improvement. During the sear most imporat work was done in the revision of the courses of stud? in primary and secomary selmwls, the object being to break up the mechanical routine into which the teaclens had fallen, and to substitute rational methods which should lead to the natural development of the child's powers. Rapid progress in this revision is notel, notwithstanding opposition from all sides. The changed attitude of teachers from distrust to confidence is mentioned as most gratifying. The teachers' meetings, conducted by the superintendent, stimulated the entire corps to higher endeavors. His Saturday morning lectures ou the history and science of education were largels attended, and is trner appreciation of the meaning of education las taken possession of the minds of the best men and women engaged in instruction. With is
revision of the course came a change in the mode of examinations in primary and secondary schools. These are now conducted by the superiatendent and are uniform throughout.

Industrial education in the public schools of the city has ceased to be an experiment. During the year the board of education made provision for such training as a part of the general instruction. The girls hare not been neglected in this matter. Sewing as a branch of instruction in the girls' schools has been practiced during the year in the secondary and grammar schools of 9 sections under 11 special teachers, with satisfactory results in every respect, and steps were taken to extend the instruction to all the girls' schools of these grades in the city.

There were 47 night schools taught in sessions of 10 weeks, registering at beginning of term 5,674 , at close 13,836 , exceeding by 2,420 the registration of the jear beforc, all under 278 teachcrs, at an expense of $\$ 30,964$. Of these schools 20 were for white men and boys, 13 for women and girls, 8 for both sexes, besides 6 for colored men and women. A German-English school, where pupils of both sexes are taught English, is said to have been exceedingly well attended, each class averaging 40 pupils. An Italian-English school for teaching the Italians English was a new feature of the session. An artisans' school under the supervision of Professor Hopper is said to have shown a marked improvement in attendance and interest. Certificates for good conduct and attendance on 75 per cent. of the nights of the sessions were awarded to 2,600.

The highly satisfactory condition of the night schools is said to be largely due to the intelligence and energy with which the committee watched and directed them. This comnittee reiterate the opinion expressed in a previous report that the night schools show as good results for the money expended as can be shown ly any other educational agency. Each succeeding year brings with it increasing numbers of both sexes, and of more advanced age than in years before. In the artisans' school 85 different occupations were represented.

Five new school buildings were completed and furnished during the ycar, containing 60 class rooms, making in all 33 school buildings, valued with other property at $\$ 7,305,678$. The sum of $\varepsilon, 5,500$ was expended for general repairs to buildings and for renewing furniture, $\$ 15,200$ of which was applied to the improvement of the sanitary condition of the schools. And jet it is urged that absolute need exists for more buildings iu several growing sections of the city where schools are overcrowded and large numbers of children are denied admission for want of room.

Pittsburg, though it lost 39 in registered pupils, gained 888 in average attendance, employed 19 more teachers, and expended \$125,172 more for public schools than in 1883--81. Of this, $\$ 92,2 \% 2$ were for new school buildings and sites, making in all 58 buildings, of which 55 were for sub-district schools, 1 for a high, and 1 for a normal school; all yalued with other school property at $\$ 2,229,028$. In addition to the cost of new brildings, $\$ 19,634$ went for repairs. Of the 543 teaclers, 496 were women. Of the cvening classcs there is $n 0$ information, except that $\$ 62.50$ were paid for instruction in them.

Pottscille lost 71 in enrollment and 5 in a verage attendance, but expended $\$ 10,459$ more for public schools than in 1883-'34. Its 12 school buildings on suitably improved grounds, fairly furnished and supplied with apparatus, were occupied by 51 well clasgified schools. The per cent. of enrolled pupils in average attendance was 73.69.

Reading adranced on 1883- 84 by 307 in enrollment, 21 in arerage attendance, 5 in teachers, and $\$ 35,187$ in expenditure for public schools. Its 152 schools were taught by 6 mes and 156 women, in sessions of 10 months, the former on an average salary of $\$ \$ 5$ a month, the latter of $\$ 36$. The arerage daily attendance reached 84.17 per cent. of registered pupils.

Scranton began the jent with 95 schools, which were continued in sessions of 10 moaths, and tangit by 17 men and 215 women, the average monthly pay of men bcing $\$ 2.35$, that of women $\S 41.33$. There was an increase of 602 in enrolled pupils and of 285 in arerage attendance, but a falling off of $\$ 25,075$ in expenditure. There were 32 school buildings, well furnished and supplied with apparatus, the schools in them being well classified and graded. The average attendance was 68.77 per cent. of the registration.

Shamokin in 7 school buildings had 29 graded schools under 35 teachers, with 80 more enrollcd and 90 more in average attendance than during the previous year. It also expended $\$ 1,0 \leqslant 4$ more for public schools. With this general gain, 69.98 per cent. of enrollment was in average attendance.

Shenandoah cstimated its school youth (6-21) at 3,500, of whom 600 are put down as orer 16 years of agc. In tho 2,383 enrollcat, only 45 of this age appear, leaving 555 youth over 16 to be found mostly, if not entirely, in the higher schools and the various employments of the place. The 5 school buildings with 2,010 sittings well nigh morided for the school children between 6 and 16. Adding the 50 in private schools, incre appears but a small number not in school. With an addition of 4 teachers there was in increase of 157 in enrollment, of 132 in average attendance, and of $\$ 2,000$ in school expenses. One special teacher in music and drawing tas employed. The
average attendance was 61.65 per cent. of the eurollment. Public schools were tanght 190 dass. School property was valued at $\S 63,000$.

Tituscille, whilo losing 10 in enrollment, gained 19 in arerage attendance, expended 81,311 more for public school purposes, and retained 76.76 per ceut. of registered pupils in arerage daily attendance. Of its 1,643 enrolled pupils onls 82 were over 16 years of age. The 4 school buildings had 1,063 sittings for primary schools, 46 for yrammar schools, and 95 for a high school; in all, 1,C22, being within 26 of the enrollme:nt, and 357 more than was required for the arerage attendauce. Besides the regular tearlhers, 3 special ones-in music, drawing, and German-were emplosed. Estimated enrollment in private and church schools, 300 . Public schools $\pi$ ere in session 18 t lays. School properts, $\$ 64,275$.

Till:es Barre, with 16 public school buildings, affording ample room for the gencral attendance, shows an ad rance of 646 in enrollnent, of 275 in a verage attendance, of 16 teachers, and of $\$ 26,829$ in expenditure on $18 \boxed{\text { en-' } £ 4 \text {. Onls } 66.05 \text { per cent. of registered }}$ pupils were in average daily attendance on day schools. There ras. however, as alreads noted, an enrollment of 450 in night schools. These were taught by 6 men and 4 momen. The public schools were in session 189 days. The large enrollment of 1,800 in private schools is reported. Public echool property was ralued at $\$ 202,6 \tau 2$.

Tilliamsport estimated that 912 of its school youth were orer 16 years of age, of whom only 163 of this age mere registered in the public schools. The public school enrollment was less by $60^{\circ}$, and the arerage attendance by 14 , than in $1803-34$, while the expenditure Tas 84,225 more. There सere $6 \% .83$ per cent. of enrollment in average attendance, and if the 1,360 in other schools be added to the public school enrollment, and proper deduction be made for the school youth orer 16 , it will be fond that most if not all the children betmeen 6 and 16 Trere in school. Public schools mere taught 185 dars. School property was rated at $\$ 153,990$.

Fork reports for $1854-35$ an increase of 396 in enrolled pupils, of 208 in average attendance, and of $\$ 7,861$ in school expenses. Including 300 in private schools, the enrollment Was within 100 of the nrmber of schonl youth reported. It is safe to infer from this that, allowing most of the school youth over 16 to be usefullr employed, no healthy children between 6 and 16 were without some school iustruction. For this efficient school work there were 14 school buildings, with sittings for 2,300 in primary schools, 350 in grammar schools, and 100 in a high school. Public schools were tanght 183 days by 16 men and 44 women, holding 69.9 per cent. of enrolled pupils in average attendance. School properts was valued at $8150,600$.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## GENERAL STATE REQUIREMENTS.

Teachers must have cerificates of qualification from some recognized school officer, such as a countr, borongh, or city superintendent, or principal of a State normal school, which certificates must specify the branches the applicants have been found qualified to teach and the degree of proficiencr shown in each. These certificates may be either provisional or professional, the former being giren to applicants who shoma fair knowledge of the common school branches, or a more thorough knowledge of them but with little or no experience in teaching, the latter limited to those only who, in addition to thorough knowledge of the required branches, can prove successful experience in teaching.

## state mormal training.

The 10 State normal schools, at Bloomsburg, California, Edinborough, Indiana, Kutztomn, Lock Haven, Mansfield, Millersville, Shippensburg, and West Chester, sastained? in part by the State, present courses of normal instraction corering from 2 to 4 vears. To receive State aid, applicants for admission must signify their intention to become teachers. All these schools bave preparatory departments and graded model schools attached. Graduates reccive certificates of qualification which authorize them to teach in the common schools of the State whout further examination.
For these 10 schools there were 143 professors; the number of students since recognition, 62,541; whole number in 1884-85. 4,629; in the normal departments, 3,513 ; graduates intending to become teachers, 764 ; number who received State certificates Without graduation, 233 : volumes in libraries, 22,868 ; value of properts, $81,566,813$; State appropriation for the year, $\$ 30,000$.

## OTHER NOPNAL TPAINING.

The Normal School for Girls, Philadelphia, continued its 4 -years course of study, but with a change in the rule of admission. The grammar schools are still allowed to send their quotas as before, but admission now is permitted only in the order of arerages of the candidates as ascertained by an examination through a committee of grammar school principals. As the primary object of this school is to prepare teachers, the first 3 years are given mainly to high school studies, While in the last year
comes special instruction in theory and practice and best methods of teaching. This school began the year with 1,025 pupils, and closed with 1,106 ; has registeaed 7,597 since its establishment and gradnated 3,588 , of whom 3,430 became teachers. The school of practice, a department of this school, under the new course of study prepared by Superintendent MacAlister, was said to be in excellent condition.
In the Central High School in the same city, for boys, a normal course of 4 years was continned. At the commencement in June, 1884, 17 gradnates received certificates of qualification to teach, having obtained an arerage of 85 or more in their final examination.
For further information as to other institutions with normal training, see Table III of the Appendix; for summaries, see the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## TEACIERS' LNSTITUTES.

Teachers' institutes were held in 63 counties betreen August, $188 \pm$, and January, $18 e^{5}$, in sessions of 5 days each, under 555 instructors and lecturers, with an aggregate attendance of $1 \pi, 444$, of whom 14,482 were teaching in the counties where the institutes were held. These sessions were conducted at an expense of $\$ 32,961$, of thich $\$ 20,800$ were for instruction, and $\$ 12,161$ for other expenses, the State paying $\$ 12,285$. The superintendent says that these institutes have been doing excellent service in promoting the professional knowledge and zeal of the teachers. He questions whether in any State county institutes hare awakened such geneaal and sympathetic interest in educational matters.

EDCCATIONAL JOCRNALS.
The Pennsylrania School Journal, published monthly at Lancaster, and edited by E. E. Higbee, the State superintendent, continued to give valuable educational information.
Other educational journals were the Chautauquan, at Meadrille, the Indicator, the Student, and the Teacher, all published at Fhiladelphia; and the Mornng Star, published in the interest of the Indian training school at Carlisle.

## SECONDARY 1NSTRUCTION.

## PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS.

District directors and controllers have power to establish schools of different grades, and to determine into what school each pupil shall be admitted. Public high schools are maintained in nearly all the large cities in the State. Philadelphia has 2, connting the girls' normal school, already noted.
High schools in which teachers hare been educated are reported in 61 counties and 38 cities and boroughs: in the former, 1,947 teachers received instrunction; in the latter, 1,091 .

## OTHER SECONDATY SCHOOLS.

For statistics of private secondary schools, such as business colleges, academier, and preparatory departments of colleges, see Tables IV, VI, and IX of the Appendix, and for a summary of the same, see corresponding tables in the report of the Commissioner precediug.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## COLLEGES FOR YOUNG MEN OR FOR BOTH SENES.

The Cniversity of Ponnsylvania still offers its extensive and high grade courses without material changes from $1883-94$, the Torrne scientific still covering Eyears. The college faculty conduct courses of study in arts, the 5 technical ones in the Towne Scientific School, the course in finance and economy in the Wharton school, and the courses in philosophy and music. Persons of both sexes, on payment of $\$$. fee, are admitted to the courses in German literature, the older English classics, Norse history of the Middle Ages, physics (including astronomical physics), inorganic and organic chemistry, and on Goethe and his works. Partial courses are allowed in exceptional cases.
Special students not candidates for a degree may enter any of the courses, on eridence of competency to profit by the studies chosen. Post-senior classes pursue a prescribed course of advanced studies. The degree of A. B. is conferred upon students who complete the full course in arts, that of A. M. on bachelors of arts of 3 years' standing. Collegiate students for the year, 381 , of whom 128 were students in arts, 225 in science, 21 in finance, and 6 in music.
Reports have been received for 1883 -' 84 or for 1884 -' 85 from 28 unirersities and colleges, 5 of whom are non-sectarian, while the others represent 11 different religious denominations, the Roman Catholics having 6, the Presbyterians and Evangelical Lutherans 3 each, the Methodist Episcopalians, Friends, and Bapiists 2 each, the Protestant Enisconalians. Initerl Lrethren. Reformed Presbyterians, United Presbyterians,

German Reformed, and leformed Church, 1 each. Ten of these institntions admit women on equal terms with men.
The 23 reporting in 1584- $\mathbf{8} 5$ shew no material changes in the standand courses, one adding a normal conrse and another an eclectic one. All have the usual 4 -years classical courses, and those of the highest grade 4 -rears scientific ones, others offering shorter courses in science, the time given to this department depending on the prevailing object of the instruction. Six, locatell in the coal and mining regions. shotr courses in civil and mechanical enginepring, mining. and metallurge. Departments in art, music, and modern languones appear in nearly all; normal and commercial courses in several, and thin ological ones in :.
For detailed statistics of the above institutions reporting, see Table IX of the Appendix; for their summaries, see the report of the Conmissioner preceding.

INSTITUTIONS FOR TLE SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION OF VOUNG WOMEN.
Of the 16 colleges and schools of this class in the state, onls the following $6 \mathrm{re}^{-}$ ported in 1884-c5: Allentown F'emale College; Blairsrille Ladies’ Seminars: [mrersitr Institute, Lewisbmrg; Brooke Hall Female Seminarr, Media; Ogontz School for Yonng Ladies, Ogontz; and Washington Female Seminarr, Washington. These show the classical courses usual to schools of this class, with musie, art, and modern langmages. Ogontz added during the year a gradnate course, in which classes are formed in adranced literature, historr, science, or arts, and in special departments of language, painting, music, and elocrition.

Another step in advance is the opening of a school of cooking, in which practical instruction is giren by Mrrs. Rorer, director of the Philadelphia Cooking School.
For full statistics of institutions for the superior instruction of women, see Table VIII of the Appendix; for their sn:mmaries, see the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION.

## SCIENTIFIC.

The Pennsylvania Slate Collcge, State College Statiou, arranges its stadies under (1) a generai science course, designed to meet the wants of those who desire a sound liberal education; (2) technical courses in agriculture, chemistry and plessics, and civil engineering and natural history; (3) short special comrses of two years, lately established, in agriculture, chemistry, and mechanic arts; and a separate ladies' course in literature, embracing branches of study thought especiails serviceable to them, with less of mathematics and scientific studies, while they are admitted to all the courses on the same terms as men. The course in mechawic arts, begun four years ago, was greatly extended in 1884.

Graduate students are permitted to enter the college for instruction in adranced studies. A military department is in charge of an officer detailed br the War Department. A preparatory course of 2 Jears prepares students for any of the college courses.

The college owns a farm of 300 acres, 50 of which constitnte the campus. Trition is made free by an income from the sale of pablic lands donated to the state by the General Gorernment.

A majority of the colleges and universities, as alreads noted, proride general scientific courses of 3 and 4 jears. The Western University of Pennsylrania, the Pennsylvania Military Academy, Lehigh Universits, and Lafarette, Harerforce, and Swarthmore Colleges, located in or near the mining and coal regions, continue to give special training in civil, mechanical, and mining engineering. with chemistry and metallurgy in courses of 4 5ears, While in the Tomene Scientific School of the Tnirersity of Peunsrlvania, the course is 5 jears.

The Franklin Institute of the State of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, established in 1824, for the promotion of the mechanic arts, gives each year a course of lectures on subjects of a scientific and technical character, the lectures numbering from 30 to 40 annually and being raried each rear. A drawing school connected with the institute gires instruction in mechanical, architectural, and free-hand drawing.

Spring Garden Institute, Philadelphia, also provides courses of lectures and drawing classes in free-hand, mechanical, or architectural drawing. The course of lectures extends over about 20 weeks, one being given each week.

The Pennsyltania Musenn and School of Industrial Arts, conducted by an associate committee of momen, Philadelphia, appears in its first report, April, 1884. It antnounces its object to be to suppls, as far as possible, the demand in the State for we!! trained and skilled labor in the usefnl and ornamental arts, and for thoronghly educated designers.
The Wharton School of Finance and Economy, a department of the Unirersity of Pennsylvania, gives a general and professional training to young men who intend to eugage in business, or to manage their orrn or others' properts, and to equip more completel those who are preparing for the professions of law, journalism, or public serrice. The course of study extends through 4 jears.

The Industrial School for Miners and Mechanics, established by a mining firm at Drifton, Luzerne County, is for sons of miners of 15 years of age and over, the design being to raise up intelligent mechanics and foremen of mines by erening training. The course is of 3 jears, in which mining is treated systematically. Instruction is free, books and materials excepted. No statiskies for 1884-'8j.

Girard College for Orp?ans, Philadelphia, trains a part of its boys in the use of tools and in the first steps in mechanies, as may be seen further on under "Speeial instruction."

The Wagner Free School of Science, Philadelphia, with full universitr corporate powers, is designed to be a comprehensive teehnologieal collerge, at whieh a complete scientifie education can be obtained. There is no report for 1884-' 8.
For detailed statistics of the abore colleges, see Table X of the Appendis; for their summaries, see the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## PROIFESSIONAL.

Theological instruetion continues in 16 schools and departments of eolleges in the State, showing no changes in 1884 -' 85 from the report of them giren in 1803-'34. Most of them show eourses of 3 years, requiring academic or collegiate preparation, while others give theologieal instruction thronghout the college course.

For statisties of these sebools reporting, see Table XI of the Appendix; and for their summaries, seo the report of the Commissioner preceding.
Law. - Tho law department of the University of Pennsylvania continues its course of 2 sears, with leetures and moot eourts, under a faculty of 7 instruetors.

MEDicine. - The 5 medical schools of the State, all in Philadelphia, report no ehanges from 1883-34. The medieal departments of the University of Pennsylvania, the Woman's College of l'ennsylvania, and the Medieo-Chirurgical College, still require a 3 -years graded course, the 2 first strongly recommending 4 years. Jefferson College and Hahnemun College, while making provision for a 3 -jears graded course, did not yet require it. Total matrieulates for the year, 1,160 ; graduates 353 , or 30 per eent. of matrienlates.
Dentistry.-Instruction in dentistry eontinues in the Pennsylrania College of Dental Surgery, the Philadelphia Dental College, and the dental department of the University of Pennsylrania, all in Philadelphia, the courses of study covering 2 jears.
Phatmacy.-The colleges of pharmaey at Philadelphia and Pittsburg continue their 2-years courses of 20 weeks each, following the usual 4 -rears apprenticeship with some repntable apothecars.

Vethinafi nsthection:-The reterinary department of the University of Pennsylvania, fully equipped in grounds, buildings, laboratories, shops, and having a course of 3 years, entered upon its tirst year in $1884-85$, having 29 regular and 4 special stre dents.

For statisties of medieal, dental, and pharmaceutical sehools, see Table XIII of thr Appendix; and for a summary, see the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

## TRAININ゙G LN ART.

The Pemsylvania Academy of Fine Arts, Philadelphia, has separate life classes for men and romen, as well as elasses in drawing, painting, and sketching, and in the stuady of the antique.

The Pennsylcania Museum and School of Industrial Art, Philadelphia, eontinues to offer instruction in drawing, designing, wood-carving, and the study of color. Dar and evening classes are under competent instructors. The institution is open to hoth sexes and is rapidly growing in public faror. The history of the institution for the year is marked 3 j two interesting events: first, the gift of $\$ 50,000$ by Mr. J. E. Temple in trust; and second, the purchase of premises on Spring Garden street, the remoral of the school to these premises, and the addition of instruetion in weaving and allied branches.

The Philadelphia School of Desiga for Tomen offers instruetion in architeeture, china decorating, designing, modeling, lithography, painting, wood-engraving, and the tasteful shaping and adorning of manufactured articles. The school is aided by the State, and receives 15 free pupils from the grammar and normal schools of Philadelphia each year.

The Philadelphia School of Art Needle-work continues its instruetion in painting, preparation of design, art needle-work, etc.

The Drawing School of Franklin Institute, Philadelphia, was maintained, with improved methods of instruction and increased faeilities for illustration. The students are divided into 5 elasses, junior, intermediate, senior mechanical, architectural, and free-hand classes. The total number attending the spring term of 1885 was 143.

## TRALNNG FOR U゙SEFUL INDUCSTRIES.

Girard College for Orphans, Philadelphia, admits poor white fatherless boys between the ages of 6 and 10 years ; first preference is giren to boys born in Philadelphia and second to those born in Pennsylvania. A ferw boys have obtained entrance from the State of New York, which is next on the list of admission; but these are no longer in the college. At the close of 1884 there were 1,132 pupils in the institution, 143 having beeu admitted during the year, and 443 applications were on file a waiting vacancies. The bors are boarded, clothed, and educated at the expense of the college fund, and by the will of Mr. Girard are bound out betreen the ages of 14 and 18 years. The classes are divided into 4 schools, and besides instruction in the common English branches, the more advanced pupils are taught algebra, book-keeping, drawing, chemistry, geometry, natural history, navigation, phonography, surveving, trigonometry, vocal and band music, and the French and Spanish languages. In the techuical school about 250 bors are under irstruction in the use of tools in metal and rood work, and the superintendent reports diligence, order, and progress among the pupils.
The Spring Garden Institute, Piniladelphia, organized in 1851, in its day classes offers instruction in joinery, wood and metal work, and in water and oil, china and stained glass painting. A kiln-room is furnished, in which is erected a furnace for use of the pupils. The erening classes are furnished mith all the appliances of firstclass machine and pattern shops, where instruction is given in free-hand, mechanical, and architectural drawing, in metal and wood work, and in steam engineering. There were in $1834-$ ' 5 an attendance of 673 pupils in the school, 509 being in the art and 16.1 in the mechanical department.

## EDCCATION OF TIIE DEAF

The Pennsylvania Institution for the Deaf and Dumb, Philadelphia. in connection with common school studies, gives instiaction in drawing, philosophy, and physiology, and in the industries of printing, shoemaking, tailoring, dressmaking, knitting, and cooking. The institution owns 3 acres of land and a library of about 5,000 volumes. The State appropriated $\$-7,750$ for the year, and $\$ 2,000$ were received from tuition fees, this being $\$ 234$ more than the actual expenditare. In the oral branch of this institation there were 466 pupils reported, of whom 208 were girls. Articulation was taught to 110 pupils.

The Western Pennsylvania Institution for the Deaf and Dumb, Wilkinsburg, founded in 1876, is sustained by contributions, by par pupils, and br legislative appropriations. All applicants for State aid must be between the ages of 10 and 20 years, of sound mind, and must furnish satisfactory evidence of the pecuniars inability of their parents to assist them. Besides the branches of a common school education, carpentry and shoemaking are taught. In 18.4-'Es mere reported 145 pupils, of whom $4 \frac{7}{7}$ were girls. The State appropriated $\$ 26,600$, and $\$ 993$ were receired from tuition fees. Expenditures for the rear, $\$ 32,282$.

Pennsylvania Oral School for Dcaf Irutes, Scranton, founded in 1883, is under the control of a board of directors, and sustained by the board, the cits, and roluntary contributions. The school reported 10 boys and 5 girls under instruction. Articulation is taught to all the pupils.

## EDUCATION OF THE BLIND.

The Pennsylvania Institution for the Instruction of the Blind, Philadelphia, in 1884' 85 had 197 pupils under 33 instructors, 20 of whom were blind. The institution was founded in 183\%, since which time 1,273 pupils have been admitted. The pupils are taught the common and higher English branches, with German, as well as rocal and instramental music in all its departments. The employments taught are broom, mattress, and rag-carpet making, cane-seating, knitting, sewing, and beadwork. A library contained 1,500 embossed books and 1,200 others, an increase of 200 . The State appropriated for the year $\$ 43,500$. Total receipts from all sources, 895,746 . Expenditures, §78,831.

## EDCCATION OF THE FEEBLE-MINDED.

The Pennsylcania Training School for Fceble-3Finded Children, Elwyn. reported 50.3 inmates in 1884-85, of whom 201 were in the school and the training classes, 161 in the industrial department, and 104 in the asylum and nursery.

## industrial and reformatory traning.

The Pernsylvania House of Refuge, Philadelphia, established in 1828, for the moral and intellectual training of jurenile offenders, has since that time received 12,222 bors and 4,250 girls, and in Januarr, 1885 , had 90 innates, of whom 624 were boys. The branches of a common school education are taught, as well as such industries as will make them self-supporting in after life. For material and labor of the children during the year nearly $\$ 26,000$ were received. Expenditures for the Jear were $\$ 133,384$.

The Pennsylvania Reform School, Morganza, also under State control, was established in 1854 for the care and training of juvenile offenders. Instruction is given in industries and in the common school branches, $4 \frac{1}{2}$ hours each day being spent in school.

## TRAINING OF INDIAN YOUTH.

The Indian Industrial School, Carlisle, had 494 pupils under instruction at the close of the school year 1834-85. During the year 182 boys and 53 girls were placed in white families and among farmers. The demand mado by families for pupils is greater than can be supplied. An average of about 80 Inclian pupils from the school were in the different public schools in the State during tho winter, and received commendatory reports both for conduct and progress. The school is graded into primary, intermediate, secondary, and advanced classes. The systen of deroting one-half of each day to school studies and the other half to industrial training is still maintained.

Lincoln Institution, Philadelphia, in 1885 had 163 Indian jouths, the school having a capacity of 200. Expenditures for the year, \$273,054.

## EDUCATIONAL CONVENTIONS.

## PENNisylvania state teachers' assochation.

This association held its thirty-first annual session at Harrisburg, July $7-9,1835$, President John Morrow in the chair. The president in his inaugural address called the attention of the convention to the subject of pensioning old teachers who have given the best days of their lives to the public interests, and aro no longer fitted for work. Also to normal schools and to the examination of teachers. He adrocated uniform courses in the State normal schools and uniform examinations of teachers, and said examinations should mean more and be less frequent. One examination as regards scholastic attainments perhaps is enough, and all subsequent ones should be in regard to success in teaching, management, etc. Prof. T. M. Balliet, of Illinois, read a paper on "The moral value of genuine intellectual work," in which he said, "It is not claimed that intellectual training will alone lead to right thinking and doing, or take the place of more direct moral education. The development of character is the highest aim and purpose of the public school." Among the subjects of other papers which followed were, "The industrial feature of education," "The duties of the hour," "Essentials of successful teaching," "Relation of American forests to American prosperity," "Local institntes," "Acres of diamonds," "Culture," "Hygicne in the schools," etc.

CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OFFICERS.
Hon. L. L. Higbee, State superintendent of public instruction, Harrisburg.
[Term, $\Delta$ pril, 1885, to April, 1889.]
Henry Houch, depaty superintendent.

## HRODE ISLAND.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

|  | 1883-'84. | 1884-85. | Increasc. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| POPULATION AND ATTENDANCE. |  |  |  |  |
| Youth of school age (5-15) | 58, 858 | 60, 147 | 1,289 |  |
| Difierent pupils in public schools...- | 45, 641 | 47, 990 | 2, 349 |  |
| Arerage number belonging. | 34, 122 | 35, 269 | 1,147 |  |
| Average daily attendance. | 30, 747 | 31,743 | 996 |  |
| Per cent. of school youth enrolled | 77.54 | 79. 79 | 2.25 |  |
| Per cent. of cmrolled in claily attendance. | 67.37 | 66.15 |  | 1.22 |
| Per cent. of school youth in daily attendance. | 52. 24 | 52.78 | . 54 |  |
| Enrolled in evening schools .......... | 3, 614 | 4,714 | 1,100 |  |
| Enrolled in private schools. | 7,944 | 8,414 | 470 |  |
| Enrolled in all schools .... | 57,199 | 61,118 | 3,919 |  |
| SCHOOLS. |  |  |  |  |
| Towns in the State. | 36 | 36 |  |  |
| Public school-houses in towns ....... | 453 | 458 | 5 |  |
| Graded schools reported. | 560 | 591 | 31 |  |
| Ungraded schools reported. | 290 | 291 | 1 |  |
| Whole number of public day schools. | 850 | 882 | 32 |  |
| Average time of schools, in days .... | 184 | 186 | 2 |  |
| Number of evening schools | 27 | 33 | 6 |  |
| Number of evenings held............. | 64 | 65 | 1 |  |
| TEACHERS. |  |  |  |  |
| Men teaching in public day schools.. | 185 | 182 |  | 3 |
| Women teaching in public day schools. | 1,036 | 1,055 | 19 |  |
| Whole number of teachers in day schools. | 1,221 | 1,237 | 16 |  |
| Number from academies, high schools, and colleges. | 741 | 750 | 9 |  |
| Number from nomal schools ..- . . | 310 | 318 | 8. |  |
| Tcachers in crening schools | 184 | $2 \because 6$ | 42 |  |
| FINANCIAL STATENIENT. |  |  |  |  |
| Arerage monthly pay of menteaching. | aş79 95 | $a \$ 8021$ | $\$ 026$ |  |
| A rerage monthly pay of women teaching. | 4331 | 43 \%1 | 40 |  |
| Whole expenditure for public schools. | b636, 542 | b738, 822 | 100, 280 |  |
| Yaluation of public school property. | 2,099, 285 | 2, 227, 135 | 12\%, 850 |  |
| Available permanent schooi fund.... | -255, 510 | 273,331 | 17. 821 |  |

$a$ Pay of erening school teachers not included.
b Expenciture includes erening schools.
(From reports of Hon. Thomas B. Stockwell, secretary of the State board of education, for the tro jears indicated.)

## STATE SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## GENERAL CONDITION.

The statistics present a uniformiy pleasing rccord of school work during the year, there being but one exception, a small decrease in per cent, of average attendance.

With 1,289 increase in school youth, there was nearly twice that increase of enrollment in public schools, an increase of 1,147 in average belonging, and almost 1,000 more pupils in ayerage attendance than in 1883-'84.

The comparatively high per cent. of school jouth enrolled, while it indicates efficient work, is also largely the result of holding the school age at 5 to 15, which, it done by some other States, would increase their percentages of attendance by dropping from the enumerated school youth the usnally large number over 15 years of agc. An increase of 1,100 evening pupils was bronght about largely by excluding those who properly belonged to the day schools, and offering spccial attractions to those of maturer age. By this means a membership was secured that has been marked by a clear sense of necd. The eurollment in ail schools, including private schools, shows an increase of 3,919 , miking the total enrollment 971 more than the number of school jouth. To meet the increase in school population there were addilions of 5 new school buildings; of 32 day schools, 31 of them graded; of 6 evening schools; and of 2 days in the school year. There was, too, a gain in the ratio of teachers haring high professional training, yet the average monthly pay of men was only 26 cents more and that of women only 40 cents more than in $1883-84$. In the former case this was less by $\$ 4.97$ than 10 years ago; in tho latter, less by $\% 2.46$. No reason is given for this decline, while higher qualifications are demanded, and much more is expended for the schools and for the improvement of school property.

The school commissioner states that fur the first time since the extension of aid to p,ublic school libzaries he has been able to present full statistics from all such librarics in the State. The number of volumes in 33 libraries was 113,101, with a circulation of nearly 3 times tho wholo number, 1,000 volumes being drawn out each week during the jear.

Under the permissive law of 1884 , one town had changed from the old district to the town system, and public sentiment throughout the State was slowly but surely changing in that direction.

Under a compulsory law the struggle with the problem of truancy goes on. In 15 citics and towns where an efficient system of looking after truants has been adopted, the difference between the enrollment and actual attendance has bcen largely reduced, showing that while lcgitimate causes always make the daily attendance less than the enrollment, they cannot regnlarly cut down that attendance nearly onc-third, as has been sometimes done.

## administration.

The general supervision of the public schools is still vested in a State board of cducation, of which a State commissioner of public schools, chosen annually by the board, acts as sccretary. School committees in cach town consist, as in most other States, of 3 residents of the town elected for 3 years, with aunnal change of 1. A town may elect a superintendent of schools annually; if it fail to do so, he may be appointed by the school committee. For each district 1 or 2 trustecs may be elccted annually by the people. The public schools are free to all resident citizens of the State, without regard to age, race, or color. The system includes the education and training of deaf mutes, of the blind, of the feeble-minded, and now also of indigent and dependent children, for whom a special home under State auspices has been provided.
Children 7 to 15 years of age are required to attend school at least 12 weeks in each year, 6 of which must be consecutive. If fonnd guilty of habitual truancy, ther inust be sent to the Sockanosset School for Boys, or to the Oak Lawn School for Girls at Scranton, for a period not exceeding 2 ycars. Truant officers, appointed annmally, are to notify offending parties of this law and of the penalty for violation of it, and are to secure satisfactory pledges for proper compliance with its provisions, or, failing in this, are to prosecute for neglect of snch compliance. Uniformity of text books in the public schools is recommended, subject to change by a two-thirds vote of school committees. Corporal punishment in such schools is permitted, but seldom imflicted.

## SCHOOL FINANCES.

By reference to "New legislation," further on, it may be seen that a considerable addition has been made to the State appropriation for the support of public schools. As far as appears, the annual appropriation of $\$ 3,000$ to purcnase works of reference and educational apparatus for the schools was continued in 1881-85; and so it seems to have been with respect to the means for support of evening schools.

Towns may vote such sums, additional to the State aid, for their schools, as they deem neccssary for purchase of sites, erection and repair of buildings, and maintenance of school libraries. A town that has established a free pablic library may, by vote of tho electors therein, appropriate for the support of it 20 cents on each $\$ 1,000$ of its ratable property cach year, and the State board may appropriate annually $\$ 50$ for the first 500 volumes, and $\$ 25$ for every additional 500 . The board may also allow $\$ 500$ aunnally for teachers' institutes, and $\$ 300$ for educational publications and other means of promoting school interests.

## NEW LEGISLATION.

By Chapter 395 of laws of 1584 , not previously reported to this Bureau, Rhode Island allows any town not owning a free public library to appropriate, at its annal town meeting, a sum not to exceed 20 cents ou $\$ 1,000$ of ratable property for the maintenuse and increase of such a library withio it.
By Chapter 406 of the same laws, the State board of education is autborized to appoint as State beneficiaries, at the Rhode Island School of Design, persons of proper age, character, and acquirements, who have not the means of defraying the expense of instruction in said school; distributing these scholarships so that the several counties may participate in their adrantages as nearly as possible in proportion to population. For this purpose $\$ 1,000$ annually is appropriated.

In act was also passed, as noted in the last Report, requiring instruction of all pupils, in schools supported wholly or in part by public funds, as to the effects upon the human srstem of narcotics and intoxicatiog drinks.
The State board of education is, by another act, constituted the board of control of a State bome and school for dependent and negiected children, not recognized as vicious or criminal; these to be brought under such influences as may lead to honest, intelligent, and self-supporting manhood and romaubood; the State to hold towards them, as far as possible, a parental relation, and the board bccoming the legal guardians of them.

A larr of May 2, 1E84, makes parable annually out of the income of the permanent school fund, and from nther mones in the treasurc, $\$ 120,000$, instead of the former $\$ 00,000$, for the support of public schools in the towns, on the order of the commissioner of public schools, $\$ 100$ to each school, not to exceed 15 in any town; the remainder on the basis of children 5 to 15 sears of age in the counts. The sum received in each tomn is to be distributed among the districts, part of it according to the number of public schools in each, with the addetion of at least as much more from the town appropriation for such schools; the other part to go, half on the basis of average atteudance, half at the discretion of the committee; the total apportionment to any district not to be less than §180.

## SCHOOL SISTEMS OF 'TOWNS WITH 7,500 OR MORE INHABITANTS.

## ADIILIISTRATION.

School affairs are administered by school committees of 3 or more members, with annual change of one-third, and by a superintendent chosen by the people or the committee.

STATISTICS.
1881-'85.

| Cities. | $\begin{gathered} \text { Popalation, } \\ \text { cenvus of } \\ \text { 188e. } \end{gathered}$ | Children of schoulage. | Enrollment in public schouls. | Arerage daily attendance. | Number of teachers. | Expenditure. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Lincols | 13,765 | 3,430 | 3,308 | 1,607 | 47 | \$37, 747 |
| Nemport | 15, 693 | 3, 6.31 | a 2, 078 | 61,463 | 55 | 48, 268 |
| Partucket | 12,030 | 4,814 | - 3,869 | 2, 396 | 92 | 60, 264 |
| Proridence | 104, 857 | 22,515 | 16, 803 | 12,043 | 342 | 347, 2 00 |
| Warwict | 12, 164 | 2,547 | 2, 493 | 1,302 | 43 | 13, 281 |
| Woonsocket | 16,050 | 3,630 | 2,504 | 1, 482 | 78 | 28,096 |

Lincoln, with 37 graded and 4 ungraded schools, under 47 teachers, shows progress at all points, except the number of school routh. Enrollment increased 232 , average attendance 126, expenditure for public schools $\$ 16,420$; which, with no increase of teachers, seems to indicate considerable ontlay for school accommotlatiors. These, with oiber school properts, were valued at $\$ 114,200$. Of 46 teachers, 40 mere educated in academies, high schools, or normal schools, and 6 in common schools. The public schools enrolled $95.8 \varepsilon$ ver cent. of school youth. Adding 551 in other schools, there was oniy a small margin for non-attenciance.

Lincoln was one of the first to coniply with the truant law, and reports that the feeling of respect for it on the part of manufacturers and others increases as its purpuse and value are better understood. The rod bad been used on pupils much less than in former years, set the general discipline had been good. In addition to ordinary school mork, there was an inculcation of right views of the conmon duties of life, temperance receiring careful attention. The abandonment of the old out-door reress roorked mell, improving the geveral dissipline and giving great satisfaction.

Neicport, with 237 more schuol jouth, had 11 school buildings, less by one than in 16 E

1883-84, showed a lessening in sittings and a falling off of \$23,800 in value of school property during the year. At the same time, with 75 more enrolled pupils, 10 more teachers, and $\$ 2,320$ more expended, daily attendance was 79 less. The per cent. of school youth cnrolled was nearly 57, and, with 897 in private schools, a fraction over 81 per cent. was in school some part of the year, while in public schools over 70 per cent. of enrollment was in daily attendance. The public schools embrace a high school with a 4 -years course ; 4 grades of grammar, 2 of intermediate, and 3 of primary schools; a parish school ; and 2 evening schools. A new school building, to be completed in the summer of 1885, was under contract. This, with the others, was regarded as adequate to school work for some time to come.
After an examination of the manual training schools in New Haven and Boston, the superintendent recommends that the city council make provision for instruction in sewing for the girls in the grammar schools, and in carpentry for the boys above the third grammar grade. Instruction in morals in all public schools being required by the law of the State, it was emphasized by a vote of the scliool board. During the year the city council adopted the measures required by the truant law of the State, and while the machinery for compelling attendance at school worked well in certain directions, it was found that it failed to effectually eradicate illiteracy, and a more efficient statute was called for.
Pawtuchet reports a considerable expansion of school accommodations by enlargement and repairs of old buildings, and addition of 2 new ones during the year, at a cost of $\$ 58,276$, making 18 in all, and advancing the value of school property to $\$ 217,427$. Another new building was near completion, and additional rooms to yet others were called for.
The public schools continue to be classed as high, grammar, intermediate, primary, and ungraded. Though school youths were 100 iewer, there was a gain of 278 in enrollment, and of 153 in daily attendance, while, even with the lefore mentioned outlay for new buildings and repairs, expenditures were $\$ 7,015$ less than in $1883-$ - 84. Public and private schools enrolled 88.68 per cent. of school jonth.
Four evening schools were in session under 27 teachers, with good attendance and work well done. The evening mechanical drawing school is said to be highly valued by the foung men attending, as meeting a want long felt. Under a special teacher the study of music had progressed, and where most successfully taught the happier and better scholars were foind.
Providence in 1884-85 had 7 school districts, with 85 public schools, of which 39 were primary, 35 intermediate, and 10 grammar schools, and 1 a high school. These were taught in 53 school buildings, under 342 teachers, and 2 special ones in musio and French. There were also 12 evening schools, which registered 2,181, with an average attendance of 1,351 , at an expense of $\$ 13,794$. The record of the year shows a gain of 839 in school youth, of 327 in average attendance, and of $\$ 55,027$ in expenditure. The attendance was lessened by the presence of epidemic diseases during the last month, yet nearly 72 per cent. of the enrolled were in average attendance, and over 74 per cent. of school youth were registered in the public schools, which, with 4,176 in other schools, shows 93.18 per cent. of them in school some part of the year. This leaves but 6.82 per cent. out of school. These are not all to be put down as truants, for the superintendent says, that though pupils enter the public schools nominally at the age of 5 , many do not actually enter until they are 6 , and some not till they are 7 or 8 , while allowance must always be made for the sick, the disabled, and those employed and away from home.
The crowded condition of primary rooms was regarded as a matter of importance, and the kindergärten were looked to as the immediate source of relief. Nerv school buildings, with excellent arrangements for ventilation, were rapidly taking the places of old ones, in which a very different state of things had existed.
The law requiring that in schools supported wholly or in part by the State, instruction in hygiene and physiology be given, with special reference to the effects of alcoholic liquors, etc., is regarded as a recognition of the great principle that "What you would hare appear in the life of a nation, sou must put into its schools."
The experineent of teaching sewing in the public schools, begun in 1866, has been a success. Opening with 300 girls, the sewing department increased in proportion to the rapid increase of the echools, till, in $1884 \mathbf{-}^{\prime \prime} 5$, over 1,300 in a weels received instruction. The teachers say that it is exceedingly gratifying to witness the prog. ress of the girls as, by patient endeavor, they pass from the simple "over and over"" to the more difficult work of stitching, gathering, darning, and button-hole stitch.
The school committee have reason to say that "a review of the year is eminently satisfactory."

Warwick shows 19 graded and 9 ungraded schools, under 43 teachers, 1 more of the former and 1 less of the latter than in 1883-'84. Of the 43 teachers, 4 were beginuers, 2 were educated at colleges or universities, 15 at academies or high schools, 16 at normal echools, and 10 in the common schools, showing about the same grade of qualifications as in the previous year.

With a loss of 68 in scbool youth, there was a gain of 86 in enrollment and of 45 in arerage attendance, though expenditure was only $\$ 692$ more thau the previous year. The public schools enrolled a littlo over 98 per cent. of school youth, a percentage seldom equaled. Length of school term, 185 days. School property was valued at $\$ 34,000$. The truant law was not enforced, because the school-houses were more than filled with children who wished to attend school.

Th consocket, with 106 fewer school south than in 18*3-'84, shows a gain of 153 in enrolluent, of 95 in average attendance, of 32 in teachers, and of $\$ 1,603$ in expenditure for public schools. Three evening schools were in scssion for an arerage of 10 weeks, with an enrollment of 459 and an average attendance of 168 , under 13 teachers.
The eurollment in public and other schools was a little more than 101 per cent. of school youth, that in private schools being 1,183 , nearly a third of the number in public schools. These were in session 174 days, and their property was valued at $81+1,000$.
Success in the enforcement of the trnant law is noted. The committee did not get the matter well in hand till the fall term, but with an efficient truant officer agreat gain was secured before the close of the jear. Of 1,097 children of school age who had not attended any school, 450 were enrolled, and of the 647 left 317 were under 7 years of age. During the last term of the sear most of the absentees bad been fnrolled. It was coufidentls expected that the next year would show still more gratifying results. It was a watter of congratulation that there were less than a score of children of school age in the mills and employing establishments who were there contrary to the provisions of the statute, and that probably in 2 weeks there would not be one. The superiutendent says that it would be a proud emine:ce for Woonsocket to be leader iu all other departments of the work of education in the State. Her influence now is beneficial to the whole commonwealth.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## GENERAL STATE REQUIREMENTS.

Teachers mast give evidence of having a thorongb knowledge of the common English branches, tested by a schnol commitiee. In granting certificates some reference may be bad to the condition and wants of the particular schools to which the candidates aspire. Teachers must also have the capacity to teach and govern.

## STATE NORMAL TRALNING.

The State Normal School, Providence, presents a 3-vears normal course for ordinary papils, and a 1 -year course for graduates from high schools, who are admitted on the basis of their diplonas. The last is devoted to purely normal work calculated to fit students to become skillfnl teachers.
The trustees regard the school as flonrishing, the sittings, 124, being all taken, with 6 instructors. They also think that the improvement in the rural schools attests the value of the normal school. Yet the school has never been able to offer a practice school. For this and other reasons it has failed to attract the graduates of the high schools of the State. This is attributed to the impression that the institution had little berond the stadies of the Ligh scbools to present to them, and the fear that after taking the normal course they might have to gradnate on an equality with others whose preliminary studies had been unequal to theirs. Another reason was a lack of appreciation of the ralue of professional training; and still another was the action of local school anthorities, in giving preference to graduates of their own high schools when selecting teachers. To attract high school graluates a special 1-gear conrse has been adopted. This special course secured 5 high school graduates in 188.3-84, and 14 in 1834-'55. The trustees had under consideration a division of diplomas into 2 classes, one to make formal recognition of the fact that the recipients are graduates of high schools Improvements to the buildings continued, with additions to the library and other facilities for the work of the school. Total attendance for the $5 \in a r, 160$.

## TEACHERS' INSTITUTES.

The State appropriates 8500 anntally for defraying the expenses of teachers and lecturers for teachers institutes, to be under the direction of the commissioner of publio schools. Fire of these institutes were held in the fall of 1834 , viz: at West Greenwich, Pawtucket, Ashaway, Exeter, and Coventry Center. The one at Pawtucket embraced all the towns in the Blackstone Valler. The attendance of teachers from these torns was said to bave been excellent. The session of 2 days was fulls occupied by class exercises, discussions of the several phases of languare cultare, elementary geography, use of glubes, plysiology and hygiene with special reference to the

[^70]evil effects of stimulants and narcotics, and the essential elements of successfnl teaching and methods of discipline. This session was regarded as one of the best ever held in the State.
The other 4 institates were designed to reach only the teachers of the towne where they were held, the distances in the rural sections being so great, and the inearis of conveyance so difficult, as to almost make it impossible to secure a full attendance of teachers from the several towns.

## SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

## PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS.

School districts, or any 2 or more adjoining districts, may, by a concurrent rote, establish schools for the older and more adranced pupils.

Ten bigh schools are reporied for 1884-85, viz: At Barringtou, Bristol, East Providence, Johnson, Newport, Pawtacket, Providence, South Kingston, Warren, and Woonsocket.

In East Providence the high school was the acquisition of the jear, organized to meet the growing demand for a school of that grade. Its progress has beon gratifying alike to parrons and committee.

The Rogers High School, Newport, throngh its strong classical department, has produced very decided results in the city, awakening in the community an interest. in higher education far in advance of that of a dozen years ago. Svudents for the year, 126.

The growth of the Pawtucket high school called for a fifth teacher half the time. Pupils, 119. The Providence high school bad for the year 704 pupils. Warren high school had a graduating class of 13 , the largest since its organization. Woonsocket was constantly adjusting its high school to the needs of the community and the life of the present day, so that no parent need send his child away for a good secondary education.

## OTHER SECONDARY SCTOOLS.

For business colleges and private academic schools, see Tables IV and VI of the Appendix; for preparatory departments of colleges, see Table IX; and for summaries, see corresponding tables in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## BROWN UNIVERSITY.

Brown University, Providence, for young men only, presents 3 courses of 4 years each, the first leading to the degree of $\dot{A}$. B. ; the second and third parallel courses, one inclnding classical, the other a larger amount of scientific studies. Both courses lead to the degree of Ph. B. Students who wish to do so may take a select course, subject to examination in the studies which they desire to pursne in college.
The university has recently received a valuable library of poetical works numbering 6,000 volumes.

## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION.

## SCIENTIFIC.

The departments of practical science in Brown University present courses of instraction in matbematical and phssical sciences and the applications of these to the industrial arts. The rogular course of civil engineering occunies 4 rears, bat a longer or shorter course may be pursued, according to the mants and ability of students. Other departments include agriculture, botany, chemistry, physics, zoology, and geology.

## PROFESSIONAL.

A coilege for instruction in naval warfare has been estahlished at Nerrport, for which Cougress at the close of the last session appropriated $\$ 3,000$.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

## EDCCATION OF THE DEAB

The Rhode Island S'chool for the Deaf, Providence, under the State board of erncation, gives free instruction to resilents of the state, and provision is made for defrasing the expenses of indigent pupils. The school is divided into 3 classes, with daily drill in articulation, lip reading, and language-lessons throughoui. Draming is tanght; and in the first class arithmetic, geography, history, and painting on silk. The school was opened in 1877, since which time 54 papils have been instracted. The number of pupils in $1884-6$ was 32 , of whom 16 were girls.

## INSTRUCTION IN ART.

The Rhade Is? cand Sc?ool of Design, Providence, in 1894-85, still maintained its daj and evening classes, giving instrmetion in free-hand aud meehanical draming, painting in oil and water colors, construction and decoration, designing and modeling in clay. The whole umber of stulents was 25 L . The phpils in the day sehool num. bered 39, of whom 11 were special sturlents, while 28 followed the regnlar conrso of ins'rnction. Tho Saturday classes contain 55 students. Besides these, a class for teach ershas been organized, numberiarg 30 , for whom a special course hay been preseribed, the course being designed to gire them knowledge of industrial uravia. q, qualifivg them to give elementary instruc ion in the public schools. The ovening classes are almost wholly composed of artisaus or apprentices, who make use of the knowlerge gained here in their datly employments. The instruction is free to such of both soxes as bring suitable recommendations.

## STATE HOME AND SCHOOL FOR INDIGENT CHILDREN.

After the purchase by the State in 1884 of a site containing 44 acres of ground in Providence, with a mansion honse, cottages, barn, and other buildings nofed in the Commissioner's Report for $188.3-84$, a further appropriatio 1 was made for the "preparation and equipment" of the buildings and grounds. The entire establishment, having nothing to begin with, has been put in order. The main bnilding and cottages have been furuisbed, and the farm supplied with horses, cows, wagons, and tools. A large addition to the main building has been made, aud a cottage erected. The school is conducted on the cottage plan, each cottage to contain 25 inmates under the care of a woman "cottage manager." The innocent and cr minal cbildren are kept apart from each other, and are to have a home till of sufficient age to be sent to perinanent homes in good families. For the conduct of the iastitution thers are a superintendent, matron, farmer, engineer, teacher, and seamstress. Appropriations thus far: For real estate, $\$ 18,000$; for repairs and equipments, $\$ 0,000$; for current expenses, $\$ 8,000$.

## INDUSTRIAL AND REFORMATORY TRAINING.

The Rhode Tsland State Reform School, Howard, receives boys between 10 and 21 jears of age, to train them in the common school branches, with vocal and band music. For iudustries they have chair-making, gardening, farming, tailoring, and house and laundry work.
It has a library of over 1,400 volnmes, which is yearly increasing. A previons report says that, since its establishment in 1850 up to 1883 , there bare been trained in this institution 3,407 boys and young men, at the expense of the State. No report for the current year yet at hand.

## EDUCATIONAL CONVENTIONS:

## RHODE ISLAND INSTITUTE OF INSTRUCTION.

The fortreth annual meeting of the institnte was beld in Providence, January 29-31, 1884. The morning of the first day was given to visiting the city echools, the afternoon to meetings of the different departments of the institute. One feature of the meeting was a question box, into which written questions were dropped, to be decided in general discussion.

In the grammar and primary departments, Mr. G. A. Littlefield presiding, papers were read on "How to teach reading aloud in school," "The unity of studies," and others of brief duration.

In the higher department, Mr. H. L. Meader presiding, the opening paper was on "Progress of methods in teaching the classics," by Prof. E. T. Tomlinson, who said, "There is nothing in the world that can take place of hard, sound work, and this is true in classical training." William T. Peck, principal of the classical department of Providence High School and president of the institute, indorsed the paper of Prof. Tomlinson, emphasizing the importance of mastering the vocabulary in the study of Latin, as in French and German. "Greek philosophy and high education" was the subject of a paper by Prof. E. B. Andrews, of Brown University, who claimed that mere intellectual growth was not sufficient, but, to promote symmetrical development, there must be moral growth as well. Next followed a paper on "The purpose of the recitation," by A. D. Gray, principal of Woonsocket high school, who suggested that the examinations should discover not only whether the pupil's work had been well done, but also whether it had been understandingly done. In the evening session, Prof. A. S. Bicknore, superintendent of the Central Park Mnseum of Natural History, New York, delivered a lectnre upon "Corals and coral islands," alluding in turn to geology, zoulogy, botany, ornithology, and ethnology, and pointing out useful lessons in each.

The first topic of the second day was an address by Miss E. M. Reed on "One way of teaching numbers," followed by others on "Drawing in the public schools," "Pernicious literature and what teachers can do to oppose it," and "The ideal schoolmaster." At the evening session Governor Bourn spoke briefly of the "Relation of the State to the education of its children," which was recognized as the fundamental basis of permanent prosperity. The governor spoke strongly of the moral influence exerted by the public schools, and beliered that the rudiments of industrial education should be taught in them. Apropos to this, State School Commissioner Stock well, in reply to the criticism that children in the public schools were overworked, said, "Instead of crying against ners subjects, the endeavor should be to devise some way to introduce them successfulls." The commissioner also urged that the position of teachers should be permanent.

The closing session of the iustitute ras largely attended. Mr. H. E. Holt, instructor of music in the public schools of Boston, delivered a lecture on "How to teach time in music." He was assisted in the exercises by the pupils of the Thayer street grammar school, whose singing showed excellent training. This was followed by Miss Ahce E. Fremman, president of Wellesley College, on "The higher education of women." The treasurer stated that the amonnt received for membership tax from the 434 inembers in 1884 was $\$ 407$. Geueral T. J. Morgan called the attentiou of the institute to the reading circles established in many Shates, and moved to appoint a comuittee to organize such a circle in the State of Rhode Island. The motion prevailed, a committee was appointed, and after alopting resolutions and electing the officers for the ensuing year, the meeting adjourned.

## CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OFFICER.

Hon. Teomas B. Stocewell, State commissioner of public schools, Providence.
[Mr. Stockwell has held the place of supervisor and visitor of the State schools, by annual election of the State board of education, since 1874.]

## SOUTHI CAROLENA.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

|  | 1883-'84. | 1884-85. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| POPULATION AND ATTENDANCE. |  |  | I |  |
| White jouth of school age (6-16) | a101, 189 | a101, 189 |  |  |
| Colored jouth of school age (6-16)... | a180,475 | a180, 475 |  |  |
| Whole number of school age ..... | a281, 664 | a231,664 |  |  |
| Whites enrolled in public schools | 84, 028 | 78, 458 |  | 5,570 |
| Colored enrolled in public schools ... | 101,591 | 99,565 |  | 2,026 |
| Whole enrollment ............ | 185, 619 | 178,023 |  | 7,596 |
| Average daily attendance. | 114, 144 | 122,093 | 7,949 |  |
| Per cent. of school youth enrolled | 65.90 | 63.20 |  | 2.70 |
| Per cent. of school youth in daily attendance. | 40.52 | 43.35 | 2.83 |  |
| DISTRICTS AND SCHOOLS. |  |  |  |  |
| School districts. | 508 | 512 | 4 |  |
| Number of schools | 3,482 | 3,562 | 80 |  |
| Average time of schools in days...... | 80 | 70 |  | 10 |
| Public school-houses b. | 3,254 | 3,234 |  | 20 |
| Houses owned by districts | 958 | 883 |  | 75 |
| Houses with grounds inclosed....... | 109 | 144 | 35 |  |
| Houses built during the year......... | 121 | 104 | . . . . . .... | 17 |
| TEACHERS. |  |  |  |  |
| Men teaching in public schools..... | 2,115 | 2,119 | 4 |  |
| Women teaching in public schools... | 1,569 | 1,654 | 85 |  |
| Whole number thus teaching........ | 3, 684 | 3, 773 | 89 |  |
| Number of colored teachers... | 1,393 | 1,431 | 38 |  |
| financial statement. |  |  |  |  |
| Average monthly pay of men......... | \$26 92 | $\$ 2750$ | 058 |  |
| Arerage monthly pay of women ..... | 2483 | 2448 |  | $\$ 25$ |
| Whole expenditure for public schools. | 423, 473 | 428, 419 | 4,946 |  |
| Cost of school-houses built during the year. | 13, 750 | 19, 103 | 5, 353 |  |
| Value of school-houses ................. | 441,587 | 405, 097 |  | 36,490 |

$a$ From the United States Census of 1880 ; these figares inclade jouth of 16 years, thas differing from those given in the last Report.
$b$ Returns relating to school-houses are incomplete.

## STATE SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## GENERAL CONDITION.

The State superintendent, reporting for $1884-85$, takes an encouraging view of the school work for the rear. He says that there has been progress along all main lines in both the work and general condition of the public schools, and that in nearly every section of the State a higher standard of qualification for teachers is being gradually met. The need of suitable school-houses, too, he thinks, is more generally felt, and better ones are being built. Of those erected previous to the current year 1,095 were $\log$ and 1,923 frame ; while of the 104 erected during the rear, only 16 were $\log$ and 88 frame. At this rate the log houses will soon disappear and their places be taken by those of frame or brick. Nore regular and punctual attendance indicates a truer appreciation of the importance of school mork. The superintendent emphasizes the fact that the small State school fund allows only an average school session of $3 \frac{1}{3}$
months, which is the extreme limit, except in euch centers of intelligence as will supplement the school fund br voluntary contributions or special iocal tazes. A decrease of $7,5.96$ in enrollmeut the superiutendent regards as only apparent, being the result of errors in some of the county returns for $1853-184$, and as more than made good by a positive increase of 7,949 in a verage atteudance. The reason given for a falling off of two weeks in the average school year, already too short, is the policy which requires the echools to be operated during a period beginning 12 months and ending 3 months before the tases out of which they are to be supported can be collected, the State thus converting her employés into her creditors. This policy, he sars, is indefensible, becanse the State is no longer in the imporerished condition of 10 or more jears ago. That the year's tax, then lost, has not been recovered during the past 9 years of prosperity, he says, is at once a reproach to the statesmanship of the State legislators, and a sad reflection on the common sense of the people. The short term of ofice of 2 years for State superintendent and school commissioners is mentioned as a standing eril, presenting a serions hindrance to the proper developinent of the public school system; still on the whole it appears that the interest of the people in a higher education in county schools and in colleges is increasing.

## ADMLNISTRATION.

The educational interests of the State in 1884-' 85 continued to be in the hanỏs of a State superintendent of education, elected by the people for 2 sears, and of a State board of examiners, composed of the superintendent and 4 others appointed bienvially br the governor. Each county has still a school commissioner, elected bienuially by the people; a county board of examiners, including the commissioner as chairman and clerk, with two others appointed by the State board for 2-years terms. Di-tricts bave 3 trustees appointed for 2 years by the county boards. The State board of teaminers prescrives the course of study in the public schools and selects a uniform series of textbooks for nse in them, to continue for 5 seare, except in the city of Cbarleston. The board also makes rules for the examination of teachers and prescribes a standard of proficiency whicb shall entitle applicants to certificates of qualification as teachers. Each county commissioner has general superrision of the schools and school property in his county, is to aid the teacbers in efforts to improve themselves in their profession, and to report to the State superintendent br October 1st each sear; failing to do which last, he forfeits one-fourth of his pay for that sear. County boards of examiners and boards of trustees are to see that in every school nuder their care there be taught the usual commen school branches, with bistory and lams of the United States and of Sonth Carolina, the principles of the Constituticn, and morals and manners. District trustees are to provide suitable scbool-honses for their districts, suspend or dismiss papils when deemed necessary, visit the schools, and see that ther are kept according to law and with the utmost efficiency. Each county board may limit the school term according to the school fund of his countr. County commissioners apportion the income of the school fund among the districts of their countr according to the average attendance of the last preceding year.

## SCHOOL FINANCES.

The public schools are sustained from the proceeds of a tas of 2 mills on $\$ 1$ of property, and a poll tas of $\$ 1$ on each voter. This fund is to provide for the free education of all youth in the State 6 to 16 years of age, without distinction of race or color.

## PEABODY FUND.

In 1835 the State received from this source 85,000 , of which amount $\$ 2,600$ was for public schonls, $\$ 1,400$ for State scholarships in the Southern Normal School, Nashville, Tenn., and $\$ 1,000$ for teachers' institutes.

## SCHOOL SYSTEMS OF CITIES WITH 7,500 OR MORE INHABITANTS.

## administration.

The public schools of Charlestou are governed by a board of 10 commissioners, 6 elected by the people, the others appointed by the governor. The board chooses a superintendent, and in other respects retains its former duties and powers.
The city of Columbia is a separate school district with 4 wards, and its public schools are placed under the contiol of a board of 7 commissioners, 4 elected by the people, 1 by the city council from its own number, and 2 by the governor. The board appoiats a superintendent.

## STATISTICS.

1884-85.

| Cities. | Popnlation, cenctis of 1880. | Children of school age. | Enrollment in public schuols. | A verage danl attrud ance. | Number of teachers. | Expendituro. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Charleston | 49,984 | 7,000 | 4,514 | 4,121 | 100 | \$70, 344 |
| Colambia. | 10,036 | 2,160 | 1,364 | 769 | 23 | 11,392 |

Charleston presents gains of 459 in both enrollment and arerage daily aftendance over le: 3-'r4. The school fonth for the current sear are said to have been about \%,000, including ouls those from 6 to 16 years of age, of whom 64.48 per cent were enrolled in the public schools, while the unprecedented ner cent. of 91.29 of these were reported to have been in average dails attendance. The church schools emrolled 1,091, which, added to those in the public schools, shows 80 per cent. of school yonth under school rain ng. As to sehools, the Gigures of the returns seem to indicate that 18 comparatively small school bnildings, valued at $\$ 13 z^{*} .000$ last year, hare been replaced by 6 larger ones with 5,000 sittings, ralued at $\$ 146,000$. The schools were tanght lis days by 100 teachers, a special one in music being emploged. The expenditure for public schools was $\sin 0,344$.
Columbia, ont of a population of 10,036 , reports 2,160 school yonth between 6 and 16, althougb the legal school age is $6-21$. With the same school population as in 188.3-84, there mere 129 less enrolled, and 95 less in average daily attendauce. The schools, classed as primary, grammar, and high, were taught 176 days by 23 teachers, in 3 school buildings with 1,017 sistings, affording abundant room for the general attendance, and valued, with other property, at $\$ 30,540$. The attendance appears small, especially as the school south were of the proper school age, 6 to 16, but 150 enrolled in private schools slightly relieved this showiag.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## GENERAZ STATE REQUIREMENTS.

Persons passing a satisfactory examination by the State board of examiners receive a certificate entitling them to teach in the free public schools of the State for 2 years, mhich may he renewed with or without examination, at the discretion of the board. Connty boards of examiners are required to examine annually candidates for teacherships, and to give to each found qualified a certificate setting forth the branches he or she may be capable of teaching. No teacher mar be employed in any of the free public schools without a certificate from either a State or county board of examiners.

## STATE NORMAL TRAINLNG.

Two State normal institutes, 1 for white, the other for colored teachers, continued their amnual sessions in 188i-'85.
The sisth annual institute for white teachers was held at Charleston from July 21st to Augnst 14th, with a faculty of 9 instructors. There were present $2 \sim 9$ teachers from 27 counties; of these, 163 rere teachers in public schools, 64 in private schools, and 52 prepuring to be teachers. Some 20 or more teachers of private schools, who did not register, made a total of 800 in attendance, the largest number ever eurolled. A large audience of intelligent citizens witnessed, with increasing interest, the progress of the work. The mayor, city council, and private citizens vied with each other to facilitate the operations of the institute.
The third annual institute for colored sehool teachers was held at Aiken, July 6th to August 31 st, inclusive. Mr. W. 'I'. Rosenbach, priacipal of Schotield Normal Institute, with a faculty numbering 8 , and said to be of rare ability, conducted the institute.
The wort done is said to have been admirable. The only regret expressed was in reference to the attendance of only 72 teachers, occasioned, not by a lack of interest, but by the shortness of school terms, the consequently small receipts, and the heavy discounts ou paycertificates. Those attending are said to have been richly benefited, not one learing till the session closed.

The normal department of the Claflin University for colored teachers, Orangebnrg, continued its 3 years course, with an enrollment of 105 , of whom 6 were graduated. A giammar school, enrolling $2 \geq 8$ pupils, is preparatory to the normal.

## OTHER NORMAL TRAINING.

Other normal schools and departments reporting were the Schofield Normal and Industrial Șchool, Aiken; the Avery Normal Institute, Charleston; Brainerd Normal

Scientific and Industrial Institute, Chester; normal college department of Aller University, Columbia; and the Fairfield Normal Institute, Winnsborough. All these schools are for the training of colored teachers of both sexes, with courses of 3 and 4 years.

For their statistics see Table III of the Appendix.

## TEACHERS' INSTITUTES.

County institutes, authorized by law, were held in the counties of Abbeville, Aiken, Anderson, Barnwell, Chester, Fairfield, Laurens, Lexington, Marlborough, Richland, and York. In 5 of these counties 2 institutes, 1 for white, the other for colored teachers, were held ; in 2, only for colored.
These institutes, when properly conducted, the State superintendent regards as the most effective agencies for the improvement of teachers and for awakening popular interest in edncation. In some counties they are said to have marked a new era in the educational history of the State.

## SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

## HIGH SCHOOLS.

The State report continues to be silent as to the existence of high schools in the State, only stating that in 1884 there were $4,7 \% 1$ studying the higher branches, and in $1885,5,253$, an increase of 532 .
The city superintendent of Charleston reports 1 high school for girls, occupying 8 rooms, with $6 \% 8$ proils eurolled, and 610 in average attendance under 6 teachers.

The high school of Charleston, for male pupils, apparently unconnected with the city school system, but under a special board of president and trustees, continued its work, enroking 168 pupils in 1885 , of whom 8 were graduated in June, 5 of them entering the College of Charleston and 1 going to Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tenn.

## OTHER SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

For statistics of private academic schools, preparatory schools, and preparatory departments of colleges, see Tables VI, VII, and IX of the Appendix; for summaries of same, see the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## COLLEGES FOR YOUNG MEN OR FOR BOTH SEXES.

The University of South Carolina, as organized in 1880, includes the South Carolina College, Columbia, Clatlin University, Orangeburg, and the South Carolina Military Academy, Charleston.

The South Carolina College, for young white men, arranges its studies in 9 departments of 4 years each, viz: Pure and applied mathematics; ancient languages; English and modern languages; moral philosophy and English literature; history and political science; chemistry and mineralogy; natural philosophy and geology; agriculture and botany; and a law school - each leading to its appropriate degree. Special courses of 2 years are provided, on the completion of which certificates are given. Among these are elective courses, a teachers' course, and elective post-graduate and professional courses.

Clafin Uuiversity, Orangeburg, for the education of colored youth of both sexes, offers a 4-years classical course, with scientific and agricultural, normal, and grammar school courses of 3 years each. Normal graduates receive diplomas; those from the other courses corresponding degrees. Superior advantages are said to be offered in painting and drawing. Industrial training is given in a school of carpentry and on the farm, and the girls receive daily instruction in cooking, cutting, sewing, and general domestic economy, under an efficient matron. The library contaius 1,400 volumes, with classified pamplulets and periodicals.

For courses of instruction in the South Carolina Military Academy see "Scientific instruction," further on.

Regular preparatory courses of 2 to 3 vears, and collegiate ones of 4 years, are found in Allen University, and in Charleston, Erskine, Adger, and Newberry Colleges; Furman University and Wofford College still group their studies under independent schools, the former having 7 and the latter 8 , includiug the usual collegiate studies.

For statistics of colleges and nniversities, soe Table IX of the Appendix; and for summaries of the same, see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION OF WOMEN.

This is found in the female colleges at Culumbia, Due West, Greenville, Walhalla, and Williamston. Young women are admitted, under equal advantages with yonng men. to Allen and Claflin Universities.

For statistics of these schools reporting, see Table VIII of the Appendix; for a summary of the sanue, see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL LNSTRUCTION.

## SCIENTIFIC.

The South Carolina College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, a department of the South Carolina College, offers 5 parallel courses for degrees of 4 jears each, 3 geueral and 2 technical. The course in general science embraces history, mathematics, surresing, phrsics, chemistry, botan5, mechanics, astronomy, geology, mineralogr, technology, political economy, with Euglish, French, and Latin; for the last of which a corresponding amonnt of Frencb and German may be substituted.

The courses in mecbanics and engineering, and in agriculture and chemistry, are modifications of the first named, the first 2 years in each being the same, and specialties coming in the 3 d and 4th jears.

A shorter course of 2 rears in agriculture is prepared for those wishing to become farmers and unable to remain longer than that time in college. For experimental purposes the college owns 30 acres of land, where field tests of seed, fertilizers, implements, and processes are made, the results of which are published. Other 40 acres are leased for general farm parposes.

The South Carolina Agricultural College and Mechanical Institute, a department of Claftin Uuiversity, Orangeburg, is located on a campus of 37 acres, said to possess great natural beauty and attractions. This college is for the edncation of colored routh, haring an experimental farm of 116 acres, on which the students nearly earn their expenses.

The mechanical department embraces instruction in printing and carpentry. A printing press, with outfit, has been secured, and a practical minter engaged as instructor. The carpenter's shop, 25 by 50 feet, 2 stories bigh, bas been furnished with several sets of tools, and was being provided with machinery for the manufacture of plain furniture. The expenses of this department are met by anuaal appropriations of $\$ 2,000$ from the John F . Slater lund, while the college as a whole is supported mainly by an income from the sale of lands granted by act of Congress for the encouragement of industrial edncation.
Tbe scientific and agricultural course embraces common and higher mathematics, book-keeping, English literature, etbics, pbysics, mental and moral philosophy, civil govermment, natural science, and logic, with French, German, and English studies, and farm and mechanical labor. Lectures on agricultural topics are given through the year.

South Carolina Military Academy, Charleston, continnes its studies in 5 courses, riz: Matbematics and engineering; physical science; histors, belles-lettres, and ethics; modern languages; and military science and tactics. For the years $18 \pm 2$-' 83 and 18*3-84, each connty was entitled to 2 beneficiary cadets, to be selected on the basis of a competitive examination, and maintained and educated at the public expense. Students are receired on a probation of 3 months; if then showing incapacity or itnmoral or insubordinate conduct, they are dismissed. The acadernic year is from October lst to Angust 1st, with semi-annual aud annaal examinations. August and September are exclusively for military training.
For statistics of scientific schools, see Table $X$ of the Appendix; for a summary of same, see the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## PROFESSIONAL.

TEEOLOGY.-The theological schools and departments reporting in 1884-85 are Baker Theological Institute, connected with Clafin Universits (Methodist Episcopal), Orangeburg; Theological Seminary of the General dssembly of the Presurterian Church South, Columivia: Theological Seminary of the South, a department of Newberry College (Evangelical Lutheran); Theological Seminary of the Associate Reformed Srnod, Due West.

Those reporting in $18 \Xi 3-84$ are the Theological Department of Allen Unirersitr, Coinmbia (Methodist Episcopal), and Theological Department of Benedict Institute, Columbia Sap st). Most of these report regnlar 3- Jears courses.

For statistics of the abore reporting, see Table XI of the Appendis; for their summaries, see the report of the Commissioner preceding.
Lam.-In the South Carolina College, a brauch of the State university, is given a full law course of 2 rears, leading io an appropriate degree.
Medrine. - The Hedical College of the State of South Cirolina, Charleston, reported in $1=8.4-8$ a faculty of 7 professors and 6 other instructors, a session of 20 meeks, a graded conrs? recommended but not requirenl, and no requirements for admission. For graduation there must be full age; preliminary education satisfactory to the facultr; 3 sears of study; 2 full conises of lectures; and examination in all the brauches. Attendance upon lectures, habits, and general character must be satis-
factory to the faculty. Matriculates, 5y; graduates, 17; a falling off of 21 in the former, and of 3 in the latter, from $188: 3-84$. Students in pharinacy are included in the number of matriculates, affecting the proportion of graduates to matriculates.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

## EDUCATION OF THE DEAF aND DUMB aND THE BLIND.

The South Carolina Institution for the Education of the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind, Cedar Spring, is under State control, and in $1834-5$ had 60 pupils, 20 of whom were girls. The institution was fonuder in 1849, since which time 191 pupils bave received instruction. : ommon English studies are pursued, both the sign aud oral systems being employed. The average time spent in the iustitution by pupils is 8 years. For industries, the boys hare boot and shoe making aud printing; the girls, plain and fancy sewing and general honsework.

The South Curolina Institution for the Education of the Colorıd Deaf and Dumb and the Bind, near Cedar Spring, had 15 pupils nuder instruction during the year in eommon and higher Euglish branches, with Biblical literature Latin, and vocal and instrumental music. For industries, the pupils are instructed in brom and brnsh making, cane-seating, mattress and mat making, piano-tuning, machine sewing, and fancy work.

## EDUCATION OF ORPEANS.

Thornwell Orphanage, a Preslsterian institution for the maintenance and edncation of "rphan chidren, Clinton, in 1884 closed its ninth year with 40 pupils nnder 4 teachers. The Orphanage is supported by voluntary coutributions, aud childrey of any denomination are adinitted who are of sound mind, bet ween the ages of 7 and 13 yeare, and without means of support. Besides common school stndies, instruction is offered in algebra, chemistry, Freach, Latin, music, and pemmanship. Printing is tanght, aud a monthly paper, issued by the institution, is printed by the boye, as well as circulars and reports. A new orphans' seminary was finished daring the year, and a home for orphau boys begun, for which the sum of $\$ 1,500$ was donated by Mirs. Annette F. McCormick, of Chicago.

The Loly Communion Church Institute, Charleston, an excellent bigh grarle school for boys, formerly free to most applicants, now largels a pay school, afforls an opportruity for a good education, coubtned with careful moral and religious training. The regular course of instruction covers 6 years, with a 4 -years course in mechanical engineering. Instruction is given in the French, German, Greek, and Latin languages, elocution, calisthenies, stenography, and telegraphy.
The Charieston Orphan House reported for lort an average aitendance of 108 boys and 94 girls. The stnalies embrace common English branches, with ancient and modern hisiory, familiar science, and vocal and instrumental music.

## EDUCATIONAL CONVENTIONS.

Two teachers' associations held annual meetings during the year, the white teachers at Charleston, the colored at Aiken, dates not given. The only account given of these gatherings is that the State superintendent aldressed them both, the former on "Reading," the latter on "The use of school discipline as a training for law-abiding citizenship." He says that teachers' associations have been formed in nearly every county where institutes were held, as a kind of first frnits of their intiuence. The visit to the State of Dr. A. D. Mayo, of Boston, is mentioned as one of the notable events of the year, he making addresses in 14 of the larger citirs and towns in the State, and speaking with a vigorons eloquence that awaliened much interest in the work of the public schools.

## CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OFFICER.

Hon. Asbuny Coward, State superintendent of education, Columbia.
[First term, December 5, 1882-December 4, 1884; Second, December 4, 1884-Decernber 7, 1886.]

## TENNESSEE.

## STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

|  | 1883-'84. | 1884-'85. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| population and attendance. |  |  |  |  |
| White youth of school age ( $6-21$ ) | a 420,997 | 452, 686 |  |  |
| Colored sonth of school age (6-\%1). | a150, 832 | 156. 342 |  |  |
| Whole number of scbool age. | aī $\overline{\text { ¢ }}$, 391 | 609, 028 | 23, 637 |  |
| White youth in prblic schools. | 272,80 | 292.989 | 20, 133 |  |
| Colored sonth in public schools | 77, 293 | 80, 288 | 3,595 |  |
| Whole public school enrollment | 350, 143 | 373, 877 | 23,734 |  |
| A verage daily attendance, white | 160,966 | 6150,502 |  |  |
| Average daily attendance, colored | 44,513 | 641,901 |  |  |
| Whole arerage daily attendance. | 205, 479 | b192, 403 |  |  |
| Per ceut. of school youth enrolled ... | 59.81 | 61.39 | 1.58 |  |
| Per cent. of school south in attendance $\qquad$ | 35. 10 | 31.59. |  | 3.51 |
| Enrolled in private schools | 33,743 | 25,569 |  | 8,171 |
| Average daily attendance in these | 27, 389 | 20, 503 |  | 6,820 |
| Pupils in public and private schools. | 353,886 | 399, 445 | 15, 560 |  |
| Average daily attendance in both.... | 232, 268 | 212, 906 |  | 19,962 |
| Per cept. of this to youth of school age. <br> sCHOOLS AND SCHOOL-HOUSES. | 39.78 | 34.96 |  | 4.82 |
| Public schools for white routh. | 4,924 | 5,186 | 262 |  |
| Public schools for colored routh | 1, 471 | 1,419 |  | 52 |
| Whole number for both races | 6,395 | 6,605 | 210 |  |
| Number of these graded. | 471 | 504 | 33 |  |
| Number of them consolidated | 230 | 253 | 23 |  |
| Number under cits school boards | 93 | 99 | 6 |  |
| Public school-houses | 4, 733 | 5,066 | 331 |  |
| Average time of schonls, in days..... | 78 | 40 | 2 |  |
| Private schools reporied............. | 893 | 855 |  | 28 |
| teachers. |  |  |  |  |
| White teachers in public schools | 5,410 | 5,702 | 292 |  |
| Colored teachers in public schools | 1,518 | 1,512 |  | 6 |
| Whole number teaching | 6,923 | 7,214 | 286 |  |
| Teachers in private school | 1,085 | 1,13\% | 47 |  |
| finamcial statement. |  |  |  |  |
| Arerage monthly pay of teachers.... | \$28 41 | 82852 | \%0 11 |  |
| Whole expenditure for pablic schools. | 955, 470 | 1,013, 464 | 57,994 |  |
| Valuation of State school property .. | 1,367,445 | 1,375, $781^{\circ}$ | 8,336 |  |
| Permanent State school fund ........ | 2,512,500 |  |  |  |

a Three counties not recloned in their school populations are represented in the total by the fgures of the preceding sear.
3 Returns inconplete.

## STATE SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## GENERAL CONDITION.

The statistics given fally sustain the statement of Superinteadent Paine, that "the poblic schools thronghont the State are steadily adrancing, both as to interest in them on the part of the people, and work done by teachers and pupils." The enrollment was ol. 39 per cent. of school yonth, and its increase during the sear exceeded that of school routh by 97 . Allowing that, on an arerage, one-third of the scbool yonth, 6-21, are over 16 sears of age and are mostls in the higher schools or employed in industries suited to their age, the enrollment reaches a little over 92 per cent. of a
school age 6-16. While this may not indicate the actual attendance, it probably approaches nearer the truth than the asual statements based on the ages $6-21$. Adding $\sum_{50,569}$ in private schools, shows that Tennessee is looking well to its school jourls. The loss of $13,0 \pi 6$ in average daily attendauce is only apparent, as the superintendent attributes it to the failure of several large counties to report this item, most of them giving good reasons for not doing it. He thinks that if all had reported as usual, there would have been an increase over the last year. On other rital poiuts there were handsome gains, there being 210 more public schools, the graded and consolidated increasing largely; 331 more public school-houses, there having been built during the rear 255 frame to only $59 \log$ houses; while 286 more public school teachers were employed, there having been an increase of 11 cents in their average monthly par. The expenditure for public schools was $\$ 57,994$ more than in $1883-64$, due largels to the erection of new frame school-bonses and the employment of a considerably increased number of teachers. The ralue of school property advanced, as may be seen, by $\leqslant 8,336$. The work in normal institutes is reported to have esceeded that of any previous jear, one encouraging result being the grading of country schools, sereral counties baving begun this work during the year.
Since the addition of the study of the elements of agriculture to the pablic school carriculum an increase is shown each year in the number of pupils pursuing this branch of study. The number reported in $1=84-{ }^{\prime} 85$ was 1,159 , an increase of 380 over 1883-3-4.
The county superintendents are mentioned as doing excellent service, and richly deserving praise for their earnestuess and skillful mauagement.

## ADMINISTRATION.

For general superrision there is a State superintendent of public schools, nominated biennially bs the governor and confirmed by the senate; for local supervision, a superintendent for each county appointed by the connty court bienuially, and in each district 3 directors, elected by the people for 3 sears, one going out each year. The law requires State and county superintendents to be persons of literary and scientific attainments, and of skill and esperience in the art of teaching. The public schools are free to all youth 6 to 21 years of age, but separate schools must be maintained for white and colored pupils. The studies in them include only the ordinary branches, with vocal music, elementary geologs of Tennessee, and elementary principles of agriculture. Other and bigber branches may be provided for by local tasation, or be allowed by special regulations, on the pasment of tuition fies. The union of public schools with academies and colleges (allowed by law) facilitates such arrangenents. The establishment of public high schools is encouraged when the population justifies it.

## SCHOOL FINANCES.

The entire permanent State school fond amounts to $\$ 2,512,500$, and the public schools are maintained out of the interest arising therefrom, and out of the proceeds of a poll tax of 1 mill on each $\$ 1$, all distributed on the basis of scholastic population. If from these sources there sbould not be enough to sustain schools 5 months in the rear, the county courts, of their own motion, or following a rote of the people, may lery an additional tax to keep them open for that time or longer; the whole amount, however, is not to exceed the entire sam of the State tas.
A former member of the legislature of Tennessee informs the Bureau that, on the passage of the Blair bill by the Senate of the United States, the county conrts of the State are prepared to meet the expected final action of the bill by levy of such taxes as would secure in every community the services of competent teachers, and schools from 6 to 8 months in the jear.

## SCHOOL SYSTEMS OF CITIES WITH 7,500 OR MORE INHABITANTS.

## ADMINISTRATION.

For cities there are boards of education elected by the people. City superintendents are elected by these boards.

8TATISTICS.
1884-85.

| Cities. | Population, census of 1880. | Childen of school age. | Enrollment in public schools. | Average dalls attendance. | Number of teachers. | Expenditure. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Chattannoga. | 12, 892 | 5, 058 | 3,458 | 2,071 | 43 | \$2.6.921 |
| Knoxrille. | 9. 693 | 4, 817 | 2,781 | 2, 054 | 45 | 26, 616 |
| Memplis | 33,592 | 13, 169 | 5, 143 | 3, 016 | 70 | 47, 643 |
| Nashville.. | 43, 350 | 14,816 | 7,035 | 5, 554 | 121 | 85,753 |

## ADDITIONAL PARTICULARS.

Chattanooga reports, in the main, a prosperous school year, baving 8 primary and grammar, and 3 high school grades, occupring 7 school buildings ( 1 of them rented), and tanght by 43 teachers in sessions of 178 days. There was a gain of 517 in school routh, of 412 in enrollment, of 316 in average daily attendance, and of 2 in teachers. Expenditure for public schools was $\$ 1,558$ less than in 1883-'©4.
Music and penmanship were taught by the regular teachers. Enrollment in private schools was estimated at 400. Total in public and other schools, 3,858 , leaving 856 school jouth (6-16) unaccounted for. School property was valued at $\$ 90,100$.

Fnoxville, in 8 public school buildings, furnished 1,810 sittings for primary grades; 670 for grammar grades; 100 for a high school-in all, 2,580 . The increase in attendance over 1883-84 was not equal to the increase of school youth. While this increase was 502 , that in enrollment was only 44 ; in average attendance, 99 ; with an increase of $\xi_{2}, 195$ in expenditure. Public schools were taught by 13 men and 32 women, in sessions of 189 days. Private schools occupied 3 school buildings mith 350 sittings, and had an average attendance of 210 , under 8 teachers. The combined enrollment of public and private schools shows that all but 133 of ordinary school age ( $0-16$ ) were in school. Public school property was ralued at $\$ 51,950$.

Memphis reports its school population the same as in 1883-'e4. The public schools were held in 11 school buildings ( 7 being rented), with 3,296 sittings. The enrollment increased by 917, average attendance by 35 , teachers bya 2 , and expenditure by $\$ 252$. The sessions were 167 days, under 9 men and 61 women. The estimated enrollment in private schools was 2,190, which, with that in public schools, shows 7,333 registered pupils, leaving 1,447 of ordinary school age (6-16) out of school. Public school properts was valued at $\$ 131,400$, as in 1883-'34. School debt was reduced from $\$ 10,185$ to $\$ 9,204$. The schools are located in 10 wards, with abuut the usual proportion of whites and colored common to Southern cities. The city superintendent sass that while the session has been more satisfactory than any for 5 Jears, set the want of school room remains, perpetuating the expensive evil of renting. This he bopes the city will soon abandon and build well appointed school-houses, which may compare with the cotton factories, electric light establishments, and other exponents of advanced civilization and enterprise which have marked the progress of Memphis for the last few jears.
Merophis grades its schools as primary, intermediate, and senior, the last covering 4 of the 11 years of the entire course, approximating the grade of ordinary high schools.
Nashville, while it gained 806 in school jouth, 56 in average attendance, and 5 in teachers, lost 18 in enrollment, and expended $\$ 1,804$ less for public schools than in 1883-'84. There were 13 school buildings with 5,359 sittings, which is 1,696 less than the total enrollment and 195 less than the average attendance.
To remed 5 this deficiency, the primary seats were used by 2 sessions of pupils of this grade dailr, which provided for 6,040 pupils. The public schools numbered 13,9 of them for white youth and 4 for colored; they were taught 185 days by 25 men and 96 women. The whole course covers 11 Jears, 3 given to the high school, with a special course in drawing and writing. The ratio of increase in school south is said to have been larger than for several years, and the discrepancy betmeen this and enrollment is attributed to the want of sufmieient school accommodations. Of the 14,816 school jouth, 9,329 where white and 5,487 colored, the former showing 41 per cent. of enumeration in arerage attendance, the latter, 32 per cent. Public school property same as in 1833-'84, $\$ 231,000$. Estimated enrollment in private schools, 600.

Reports from superintendents of cities having a system of graded schools show continued progress and thorough work done by both superintendents and teachers.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIOXTS OF TEACHERS.

## GENERAL STATE REQUIREMENTS.

To be employed as a teacher in a public school, one must hold a certificate of qualifications from the county superintendent, who, under direction of the State superintendent, examines and licenses applicants. Any officer who shall sanction a pajment to an unlicensed teacher is subject to a penalty of from $\overline{8} 5$ to $\$ 50$. For like services of men and women teaching in the public schools like salaries must be paid. Graduates from the State Normal College at Nashville are entitled to teach in the State without further examination.

## state normal training.

The State Normal College, a department of the University of Nashville, is maintsined from unirersity funds, the Peabody Educational Fund, and an appropriation from the State. The college is open to both seses, and, though it is a State normal school, it receives studeats from any Southern State, principally on Peabody scholarships.

Applicants for admission, except those with scholarships, mast be between the ages of 16 and 30 years, must pass a satisfactory examination io the common school branches, and declare their intention to teach. The course of instruction covers 3 years, enbracing a review of elementary branches and a study of higher English, Latiu entering into the second and thirl years. It also includes the organization, goverument, discipline, and general management of classes and schools of differeńt grades, wo:l public and prirate, and of higher educational institutions. The diplon.a of the college includes the degree of licentiate of instruction, and is given to those who complete the entire course, entitling the holder to teach in any part of the State without further examination. Students who hare taken the regular senior class studies may be admitted into the baccalaureate, or fourth year class, where the studies include Latin, German, model drawing, designing, and vocal mosic. Practice teaching receives attention throughout the year, and all studies are taught with special reference to methods of teaching them. Upon completion of the fourth sear the university degree of A. B. is conferred in addition to that of licentiate.
For sta istics of this and other normal institutions reporting, see Table III of the Appendix; for a summary of the same, see the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## formal institetes.

With the aid of $\$ 1,500$ from the Peabody Fund, 13 State normal institutes were held during the rear under the direction of the State superintendent; 3 for colored teachers, at Chattanooga, Nashville, and Memphis; 10 for white teachers, at Blountville, Cbarleston, Clinton, Jackson, Drersbarg, Adamsville, Centerville, Hartsville, Fayeiteville, and Sparta. The attendance on them is sald to have been good, not only by teachers but by the people at large, indicating a general interest in public schools.
Besides these, 349 county institutes were held during the year, an increase of 98 since $1883-81$, with an attendance of 2,829 teachers. The State superintendent says that the increase of interest in these institutes, shown by the fact that many more were beld and that a larger number of teachers attended than in any previous year, is the most evcouraging thing he has to report.
For full statistics of the above, see Table III of the Appendix; for their summaries, see the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## EDUCATIONAL JOURNALS.

The Southoestern Journal of Education, edited by Leon Truesdale and W. R. Garrett, was in its third volume in 1E84-' 5. This journal is devoted to the educational interests of the Southmestern States, and is the official organ of the superintendents of pablic instruction. The Test Tennessee Nornal and the Southern Normalist are published by the literary societies of the normal college at Nashville. The Educator, Cbattanooga, was started in February, 1885, and is devoted to education and temperance. Some educational information is also found in the Christian Adrocate, Nashville.

## SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

## PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS.

Information in regard to these schools continues to be limited. Chattanooga reports a higil school, but gives only the names of the teachers emplored; Knoxville had one occupring 2 school buildings, with 191 pupils enrolled, 121 in arerage attendance, and 6 teachers; Memphis, a senior department rith a 4 -rears course approximating the ordinary bigh school grade; Nashville has a bigh school course of 4 years, with 338 enrollerl, 283 in a verage attendance, under 8 teachers, and graduated a class of 15 boys and 31 girls in 1885 . In the 17 years of its work, having been suspended from 1830 to 1839, this school has graduated 364 students.

## OTHER SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

For statistics oî business colleges and private academies, see Tables IV and VI of the Appendix; for summaries of them, see correspouding tables in the report of the Commissioner preceding. For preparatory depurtments of colleges and scientific schools, see Tables LX and X of the Appendix.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## COLLEGES FOR YOUNG MEN OR FOR BOTH SEXES.

The University of Tennessce, Knozville, for young men onlr, distributes its conrse of instruction among 8 schools, each distinct in its classitication and course of studr. These schools are as follows: (1) Agricuiture, horticulture, and botany; (2) nataral history aud geology; (3) chemistry and mineralogy ; (4) applied mathematics ; (5) pure mathematics: (6) ancient languages; (7) Engiish and modern lavguages; and
(8) history and philusophy. Proparatory instruction is given in a 2 -years sub-collemiato course. There is also a department of military science, tactics, and discipline. Tho classical eourse of 4 years leads to the degree of $\Lambda$. IB.

For statistics and eonises of other universitios and colleges reportincs, see 'Table IX of the Appendix, and for a summary thereof, the report of the Commissioner preceding.

INSTITUTIONS VOR THE SUPミMIOR INSTRUCTION OF YOUNG WOMEN.
For statistics of selionls of this class reporting for $1884-85$, see Tables VIII and IX of the Appendix, and for a stmmary thereof, the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SCIENTIMIC AND PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION.

## SCIENTIFIC.

The scientific schools of the Stato University and Agricultural and Mechanical College, Knoxville, ofter, besides what has been mentioned under "Superior instruction," courses in eivil, mechanical, and mining engineering, and applied ehemistry, each of 4 years; also special courses in applied mathematies, in practical agrieulture, in agricultural apprenticeship, and a preparatory Latin-science eonrse, each of 2 years. There is also a Latin-science course of 4 years, which leads to the degree of bachelor of philosophy.

Fanderbilt University, Nashville, in its school of engineering, offers courses in civil engincering and in manual technology, each of 2 years. Instruction in the former course includes sanitary, dynamieal, and mining engineering, with practice in the machine shop, and the theory and use of the steam-engine. The department of manual technology, founded by a recent donation of $\$ 100,000$ by Mr. William H. Vanderbilt, has for its object a more thorough system of instruction in the subjeets whieh qualify young men to beeome skilled artisans, designers, and superintendents of mechanieal operations, and includes mathematics, natural philosopley, drawing, and shop work.

For statistics of scientific schools sce Table $\mathbb{X}$ of the Appendix, and for a summary see the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## PROFESSIONAL.

Theology.-Theological instruction is given in East Tennessee and Vanderbilt Universities and Central Tennesseo College (Methodist Episeopal), Fisk University (non-sectarian), Southwestern Presbyterian and Cumberland Universities (Presbyterian), University of tho South (Protestant Episcopal), Carson College and Southwestern Baptist and Roger Williams Universities (Baptist), and Burritt College (Christian).

Law.-Legal training was continued in 1884-'85 at Cumberland and Vanderbilt Univorsities and Central Tennessee College.

Medicune.-Medical studies mere still pursued in the Nashville Medical College, a department of the State university; in the medical departments of the University of Nashville and of Vanderbilt University ; in the Maharry Medical Department of Central Tennessee College; and in Memphis Hospital Medical College, a department of the Southwestern Baptist University. The first three named make provision for 3-years graded courses, which, however, are not obligatory. To graduate, students must liaro attended 2 full courses of lectures; have dissected during their entire attendance at the University of Temnessee, and during one season at tho others; and must pass a satisfactory examination by the faculty. Memphis Hospital Medieal College is essentialls the same. Maliarrs, for eolored students, recommends but does not require a 3-vears graded eourse. To graduate, its students must have had 3 jears of study, with' 2 full conrses of lectures, and must pass a satisfactory examination in the branches tanght, including the outlines of Bible history and doctrine.

Dentistry is still taught in the dental departments of the State and Vanderbilt Unirersities, in 2 -years courses, under the usual requirements for admission and graduation.

Pimarmacy is taught in the Department of Pharmacy of Vanderbilt University, with special reference to training its sudents to become practical pharmacists and chemical manufacturers. The eourse of instruction embraces general and analytical chemistry, botany, mineralogy, and ersstallography as related to pharmaej, materia medica and toxicology, and theoretical and practical pharmaey.

For statistics of all these professional schools, see Tables XI-XIII of the Appendix; for summaries of sueh statistics, see the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

## EDUCATION OF THE DEAF.

The Tennessee School for Deaf Ifutes, Knoxville, founded in 1845, reports 123 pupils for 1834 -' 6 , under 7 instructors. Common sehool studies are pursued, one elass being 17 E
taught exclusively by articulation. Instruction is given in agriculture, printing, and shoemaking. All deaf mutes in the State of proper age and physical condition are received free of expense. The State appropriated for the year $\$ 22,500$. The expenses reached $\$ 24,000$. The institution owns 35 acres of land, valued, with buildings, etc., at \$125,000.

## EDUCATION OF THE BLIND.

The Ternessee School for the Blind, Nashville, founded in 1844, had 77 pupils in 1884-'85. All blind children between the ages of 7 and 16 years are received free of expense. The total number admitted since opening has been 287 . The common and higher English branches are taught, with vocul and instrumental music ; also such employments as broom and mattress making, cane seating, beadwork, knitting, crochetting, and hand and machine sewing. The State appropriated $\$ 16,000$ for the year. Expenditures were $\$ 17,462$. Value of property belonging to the institution, $\$ 90,000$.

## INDUSTRIAL TRAINING.

The Stater Training School, formerly the Austin Industrial School, Knoxville, a manual training school for colored jouth, reports 300 girls and $\varepsilon 4$ boys. Instruction is given in carpentry, cooking, sewing, and housckecping. In the sewing school 329 garments were made during the year, and 284 were sold. The school is supported by contributions. The board of education of Knoxville, for 1885, gave $\$ 800$; the trustees of the Slater Fund, $\$ 500$; friends in Boston and other cities, $\$ 1,506$.

## EDUCATIONAL CONVENTIONS.

## TENNESSEE STATE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

The nineteeth anuual meeting of the State Teachers' Association was held atJonesborough, August 4-6, 18e5, the president, Frank M. Smith, in the chair. Among the subjects of addresses delivered before the association were "Common sense in the school-room ;" " Moderu tendency in education ;" and "Reading circles as an element in education." Mr. Lampson, in the latter address, presented the plan of a reading circle for the benefit of the teachers, and recommended that one be organized in the State, the object being to further general as well as professional cultare. The State superintendent indorsed the proposition, as did many others, and a committee was appointed to perfect the plan. The association was then addressed upon "Science in the public schools," "National aid to education," "History of institate work in the State," "Some old teachers," "The teacher's mission," "Elocution," and "The newspaper and books." A resolution was adopted thanking Senator Howell E. Jackson for an able address on "National aid to education," and a committee of five was appcinted to prepare and present to Congress at its next session a memorial praying for some act granting such aid. Prof. Charles F. Smith, of Vanderbilt University, in an address on "Preparatory school and college work in the South," gave a review of this system of education, showing its defects, and said: "Good academics should be established instead of so many colleges. There is too much show and too little true education." It was resolved to adopt the Southwestern Journal of Education as the official organ of the association, after which the officers for the ensuing year were elected, Prof. Eben Alexander of Knoxville being made president. The convention then adjourned.

## TEACHERS' READING CIRCLE.

At the meeting of the above State Teachers' Association, the Tennessee Reading Circle was organized by the election of a State board of directors, each member signing a pledge to enter upon and faithfully pursue the course of reading outlined by the directors. It was estimated that in the 35 counties already organized, 1,000 teachers were reading the prescribed course. Cities having a regularly organized school system have boards of directors to consist of 3 members instead of 5 , as in counties. Nashville, Jackson, and Union City had thus organized. The board of directors publishes each month outlines for the assistance of teachers in the Southwestern Journal of Education, Nashville.

CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OFFICER.
Hon. Thomas H. Paine, State superintendent of public schools, Aashville.
[Sccond term, January 15, 1895, to January 15, 1887.]

## TRXAS.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY.a

|  | 1883-'84. | 1884-85. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| POPULATION AND ATtENDANCE. |  |  |  |  |
| White children of school age (8-16).. | b231,069 | 224,758 |  | 6,311 |
| Colored of such age | b 80,065 | 76,267 |  | 3,798 |
| Whole number of school age | b 311, 134 | 301, 025 |  | 10,109 |
| Whites eurolled in public schools | 148, 639 | 179, 00\% | 30, 363 |  |
| Colored enrolled in such schools ..... | 56,160 | 54,719 |  | 1,441 |
| Whole enrollment in public schools.. | c 244,895 | 233, 721 |  | 11,174 |
| Average daily attendance ...........-. |  | 103, 433 |  |  |
| Per cent. of school jouth enrolled... | 78.71 | 77.64 |  | 1.07 |
| Per cent. of such in average attendance $\qquad$ |  | 34.36 |  |  |
| Children paying tuition .............. | 37, 594 | 32, 079 |  | 4,615 |
| district counties and schools. |  |  |  |  |
| School districts organized |  | '2,452 |  |  |
| Schools organized for whites |  | 3, 241 |  |  |
| Schools organized for colored |  | 619 |  |  |
| Whole number organized. |  | 3,860 |  |  |
| Schools maiutained for whites |  | 3,135 |  |  |
| Schools maintained for colored |  | 593 |  |  |
| Whole number maintained |  | 3,728 |  |  |
| COMMUNITY COUNTIES AND SCHOOLS. |  |  |  |  |
| Communities organized for whites... |  | 2,216 |  |  |
| Communities organized for colored .- |  | 1,155 |  |  |
| Schools maintained for whites. |  | 2,151 |  |  |
| Schools maintained for colored |  | 1,122 |  |  |
| School-houses reported ................ | 1,441 |  |  |  |
| Average time of county schools, in days | 100 |  |  |  |
| Average time of city schools, in days. | 164 |  |  |  |
| TEACHERS. |  |  |  |  |
| Men teaching in public schools | 4,326 |  |  |  |
| Women teaching in such schools..... | 1,957 |  |  |  |
| Whole number of State school teachers | d 6, 369 |  |  |  |
| Financial statement. |  |  |  |  |
| Expenditure for public schools | e\$1, 661, 476 |  |  |  |

$a$ All the returns for both the yoars included in this summary are incomplete.
$b$ School age from 1876 to Januars, 1884, 8-14.
cThe race of 40,096 not reported.
d The sex of 86 teachers not reported.
e Actual expenditure not reported; includes funds paid teachers from private sources and in cities.
(The figures for 188:3-'84 in the above summary are from the report of Hon. B. M. Baker, State superintendent of public instruction; those for $1884-35$ are from the Texas School Journal, May, 1886.)

## STATE SCHOOL SYSTEM. <br> GENERAL CONDITION.

The material for this is limited to a statistical report of the State superintendent in the Texas School Journal for May, 1886. The statistics are very imperfect, owing to the failure of many county judges to report.

Of the eurollment reported, 165,625 , from 127 counties, were instructed in orthography; 181,694 , from 128 counties, in reading ; 125,958 , from 127 counties, in penmanship $; 133,6 \%$, from 128 counties, in arithmetic; 82,759 , from 128 counties, in geography; 59,469, from 127 counties, in grammar; 31,930, from 123 counties, in composition; 32,456 , from 126 counties, in history; 9,044 , from 115 counties, in algebra; 3,998 , from 83 counties, in geometry; and 5,642, from 102 counties, in natural philosophy. The number of whites of school age, from 129 counties, who could not read at beginning of term mas 23,452 ; colored, from 91 counties, 18,903 . At the end of the term 8,422 whites, from 116 coanties, could not read; nor coald 8,917 colored, from 82 counties. The number of whites, from 130 counties, who could not write at the beginning of the term, was 54,765 ; colored, from 92 counties, 26,409 . Whites, from 123 counties, who could not write at the end of the term, 25,907 ; colored, from 88 counties, $15,072$. Whites, from 129 counties, who did not understand the 4 elementary rules of arithmetic at the beginning of the term, 79,629 ; colored, from 91 counties, 29,536 . Whites, from 127 connties, who did not understand these rules at the end of the term, 47,596; colored, from 90 counties, 22,020 . Total of those who could not read at the beginning of the tern, 47,360 ; at the end of the term, 17,339 ; who could not write at the beginning, $81,1 \% 4$; at the close, 40,979 ; who did not understand the 4 elementary rules of arithmetie at the beginning, 109,101; at the close, 69,616.

## administration.

This is still by a State superintendent of public instruction, elected for 2 years, and a State board of elucation, with the State superintendent as ex-offcio secretary. County scbool attairs are superintended by 3 trustees for each countr, appointed by the county judge. Countr judges must also appoint aunually a board of 3 examiners for testing the qualifications of teachers, whichesaminers must themselvesbe holders of first-grade certificates. This board receives $\$ 3$ from each teacher examined by it. The public schools are fres to all youth between the ages of 8 and 16 years, but white and colored children must we taught in separate schools. School funds are distributed in accordaace with the school population, the ceusus to be taken annally.

## SCHOOL FINANCES.

The public schools are sustalued from the interest of a permanent public school fund ; from legislative appropriations, not to exceed one-fourth of the general rerenue; and from a poll tax of $\$ 1$ anuually on all men of the State 21 to 60 years of age. In incorporated cities and towns, if the tax-payers so decide, an additional sum, not to exceed 50 cents on $\$ 100$ of city property, may be levied.

## PEABODY FUND.

The State reccived from this source $\$ 7,150$ in 1835 ; of which $\$ 0,000$ were for the Sam Houston Normal School, and $\S 1,150$ for Texan State scholarships at the Southern Normal School, NashviHe, Tenn.

## SCHOOL SYSTEMS OF CITIES WITH 7,500 OR MORE INHABITANTS.

## ADMINISTRATION.

For maintaining and controlling free public schools in cities and towns of 1,000 or more inhabitants there is in each a board of 6 trustees, elected for 3 -years terms, with annual change of one-third, the mayor of such city being ex-offcio chairman. Austin, Galreston, Houston, and others of the larger cities have school superintendents.

STATISTICS.
1884-'85.

| Cities. | Population, ensus of 1880. | Children of school age. | Enrollment in public schools. | $\underset{\text { daily }}{\substack{\text { at. } \\ \text { dage }}}$ tendance. | Number of teachers. | Espendi- ture. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Austin | $\begin{aligned} & 10,960 \\ & 22,248 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,103 \\ & 9,000 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | 2, ${ }_{\text {2, }}^{3,375}$ | 1,639 2,525 | $\begin{aligned} & 42 \\ & 64 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \$ 31,471 \\ & 152,500 \end{aligned}$ |

## additional particulars.

Austin, in its fourth annual report, indicates growth and activity in the attendance on its public schools, though in regard to sckool buildings, furniture, and appendages, it is yet poorly equipped. Of the buildings, 6 were rented; the whole number (13) included 40 graded rooms. During the 2 last years, $\$ 2,611$ were expended for new buildings, decreasing the rents from $\$ 523$ to $\$ 553$. Public school property was rated at $\$ 54,220$. The increase of school youth orer $1883-84$ was 1,493 , a little
over 48 per cent., while of the 3,103 such routh, 67.8 per cent. were enrolled, and 52.81 per cent. were in arerace daily attendauce. The amount paid teachers increased from silt.234 to sit,006. During the first week the demands for admission exceeded the seating capacits. Schools were classed as primary, grammar, aud high. with 1,476 white pupils and 628 colored, and were in session 175 dajs. The State schoul ago is 8 to 16 ; that of tho cits, 7 to 21 .
cralveston reports 9 school buildings, witb 3,000 sittings, in 64 rooms for study and recitation, affording sufficient accommodations for its general attendance. The buildings, with other school property, were valued at $\$ 200,500$. The public schools were taig 't br 15 men and 49 womtn in sessions of 175 days. School youth increased 5,007 , or 1. earlir 56 per cent., orer 1:83-'84; enrollment in public schools by only 575 , which, with the sou in private schools, made a total gain of 1,375 . Of the $\$ 152,500$ expended during the year for public schools, $\$ 105,100$ were for sites and school bnildings, with furniture, apparatus, and libraries, which shows that the city is awakenivg to the rapid increase of its population, and that the great lack of school accommoilations will not long be permitted to exist.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## GENERAL STATE REQUIREMENTS.

Persons mishing to teach in the public schools of the State must have from their county judge certificates of both moral and intellectual qualifications, the former based upon the judge's knowledge or upon evidence satisfactory to him, the latter on the oath of the country board of examiners, or on the certificate of the State normal school or of a Texas summer normal school, that the applicants hare passed the required examinations. The examinations for a third-grade certificate corer only the common school branches; for a second-grade, composition and history of the United States are added; for a first-grade, all the above, with elementary algebra, geometrs, natural philosophy, school discipline, and methods of teaching. A certificate of either of these grades is only valid for a rear, but may be renerred by the countr judge at his discretion, without examination. Persons graduating from the full 3-years course of the State normal sciools mar teach in the public schools of the State during good beharior ; those holding certificates of one rear's attendance on this school, or certificates from a summer normal institute, may teach for 3 years.

## state jormal tratnting.

The Sam Houston Normal School, Huntsville, offers a 3-gears course of strictly professional training, its object being to thoroughly prepare teachers for their work. Students completing the irst jear's work satisfactorily are granted second-class certificates; those completing the second year, and giring evidence of abilivy to govern and teach, receire a first-class certincate. Either of these is goorl for 3 jears. Students graduating from the full 3 -years course are given an unlimited State certificate. The school is divided into 7 departments, namely: professional work; natural and physical science; mathematics; English language and Latin; rhetoric, general histors, and literature; vocal music and calisthenics; and elocution, drawing, and penmanship. State students (one from each senatorial district appointed by the senator, one from each representatire district appointed by the representatire, and 3 from the State at large appointed by the woard of edncation) receive board free for 1 vear. Books and tuition are free to all. For 18s4-85, the sixth year of its existence, the school reported 159 State students, 49 pay students, and 89 graduates, 28 of them from the full course, the others from the 2 -years course.

## OTHER NORMAL TRAINING.

Tillotson Collegiate and Normal Institute, Anstin, besides intermediate and college preparatory courses, presents an elementary and a higher normal course, each corering 2 sears. The institute enrolled 132 students in $1884-85$, of whom 10 were in the normal course.

## teachers' institutes.

Each county judge is required by law to hold annually a summer normal institute in his countr, and it is the duty of all teachers to attend as far as possible.
edUCATIONAL JOURYALS.
The Texas School Journal, Houston and Dallas, edited by Hon. R. M. Baker, superintendent of public instruction, still continued in 1884-85 to be the official organ of the department of education, and ras in its third rolume.

## SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

## PCBLIC HIGI SCHOOLS.

Austin reports a high schnol with a 3 -rears conrse and an enrollment of $7 C$, an increase of 19 over 1533-34. With an arerigy atienlaneo of 50 , it graluated a class of

13, of whom 12 were young women, closing its fourth annual session with marked improvement in condition.

Houston has a high school in charge of Oscar S. Cooper, principal. other secondary schools.
For information concerning business colleges, private academic schools, and preparatory departments of colleges, see Tables IV, VI, IX, and X of the Appendix, and the summaries thereof in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## COLLEGES FOR YOUNG MEN OR FOR BOTH SEXES.

The University of Texas, Austin, organized in 1883 for both sexes, has in its academic department 7 distinct schools, viz, ancient languages, modern languages, English and history, philosophy, mathematics, chemistry, and physics. The courses of instruction occupy from 2 to 4 years, and lead to the degrees of B. Let., B. Sci., B. A., M. A., and B. L.

For courses and statistics of the 10 other colleges and universities reporting, see Table IX of the Appendix ; for summaries, see the report of the Commissioner preceding.
All offer preparatory studies and classical courses of 4 years. Southwestern University and Marvin College are arranged on the plan of 9 independent schools, including commercial departments and schools of music. Baylor, Waco, Trinity, and St. Mary's Universities present business courses of from 2 to 5 jears. Of the above institutions, $4^{1}$ admit the sexes upon equal terms, and Southwestern Unirersity provides an annex for young women.

INSTITUTIONS FOR THE SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION OF YOUNG WOMEN.
For information regarding the colleges for this sex alone, reference is made to Table VIII of the Appendix. A summary of this table will also be found in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION.

## scientific.

The Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, College Station, in 1884-85 reported 141 students, besides 29 in the preparatory class, all under 9 instructors. Tuition is free, the full course covering 3 jears. The college divides its stadies into 8 departments, namely: agriculture; mechanical engineering and drawing; military scieuce and tactics; chemistry ; mathematics; English language, literature, and history; ancient and modern languages; and physics. Graduates from a 3-years course are entitled to the college diploma, but for the degree of civil or mechanical engineer, or that of bachelor of science, one year is added, embracing advanced stndies in the departments under each degree.
For statistics of scientific schools and scientitic departments reporting, see Tables IX and X of the $\Lambda$ ppendix; for summaries of these, see corresponding tables in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## PROFESSIONAL.

Theology.-Theological instruction is offered in Baylor, Trinity, and Waco Universities.
For statistics, see Table XI of the Appendix, and for a summary of them, see the report of the Commissioner preceding.
Law.-Legal training is given in the law department of the University of Texas in a 2 -years course. Students are exercised in the discussion of legal questions and the preparation of legal instruments, and, when sufficiently advanced, in the trial of cases in moot courts.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

## EDUCATION OF THE DEAF.

The Texas Institution for the Deaf and Dumb, Anstin, teaches the common school branches, with natural philosophy and Bible study. Articulation is taught, as well as agriculture, printing, and shoemaking. The full course of instraction covers 7 years.

## EDUCATION OF THE BLIND.

In the Texas Institution for the Blind, Austin, the common school and some higher branches are taught, the point system being employed. Special attention is given to

[^71]instrumental music. In the mechanical department are tanght broom, mattress, and pillow making; chair-seating; aul tuning and repairing pianos and orgaus.

## EDUCATIONAL CONVENTIONS.

## state teachlers' association.

The Texas State Teachers' Association met at Waco, June 30-July 2, 1885, President Dow in the chair. Among the papers read and discussed before the association were, "Scientific instruction on temperance in the public schools," "A new view of geologr," "Religion and public schools," "Associational mork," "A plea for Euglish literature," "Natural history and science in schools," "Industrial education in relation to common schools," and "Our little ones." A resolution was adopted recominending that senators and members who appoint students to the Sam Houston Normal School carry out the srstem of competitire examination. It was also resolved to hold an edncational exhibit under the auspices of the association at the next meeting.

## SUPERINTENDENTS' ASSOCIATION.

The Superintendents' Association of Texas held its third convention at the Texas headquarters of the Exposition in New Orleans, President J. E. McQuire presiding. Hon. T. T. Gammage, U.S. Commissioner for Texas, presented a communication, which was acted upon favorably, requesting each teacher in the State of Texas to collect and formard at once to New Orleans educational exhibits from each of their respective schools. Professor Hogg, speaking on "National aid to education," said he was fully arrare of the liberality of Texas in providing for the educational necessities of her citizens, and that many of her sister States were unable, with their present resources, to successfully cope with the difficulties of educating the masses. A resolution was adopted stating that, in view of the embarrassments to education in the States suffering from the largest amount of illiteracs, the teachers of Texas embrace this opportunity to offer their profonnd conviction of the necessity and wisdom of providing immediate national aid to education.

## CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OFFICER.

Hon. B. M. Baker, State superintendent of public instruction, Austin.
[Term, January, 1884, to January, 1886.]

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STATISTICAL SUMFARY．

|  | 1883－94． | 1884－＇85． | Increase． | Decrease． |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| POPCLATION AND ATTENDATCE． |  |  |  |  |
| Youth of school age（5－20）a ．．．．．．．．．． | 99， 463 | 99， 463 |  |  |
| Public school enrollment ．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 72， 744 | 71，659 |  | 1，083 |
| Average daily attendance | 47，607 | 49，031 | 1，424 |  |
| Per cent．of enrollment to school． jouth． | 73.68 | 78.04 |  | 1．C4 |
| Per cent．of average attendance to school youth． | 47． 86 | 49.29 | 1． 4 ： |  |
| Attendance in private scliools ．．．．．．． | 8，004 | 7，533 |  | 471 |
| Attendance in graded public schools． | 13， 631 |  |  |  |
| Attendance in ungraded ones．．．．．．．． | 59，652 |  |  |  |
| SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND SCHOOLS． |  |  |  |  |
| Number of school districts | 2，290 | 2，245 |  | 45 |
| Number of public schools．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 2，550 | 2，560 | 10 |  |
| Number of such schools graded．．．．．． | 33 |  |  |  |
| Average time of schools in dajs | 127 | 126 |  |  |
| Schools with not more than 12 schol－ ars． | 555 | 494 |  | 61 |
| Schools with not more than 6 schol． ars． | 115 | 102 |  | 13 |
| TEACHERS． |  |  |  |  |
| Men teaching in public schools．．．．．． | 540 | 559 | 19 |  |
| Women teaching in such schools．．．．． | 3，723 | 3，696 | ．．．．．．．．．． | 27 |
| Total teaching in public schools | 4，263 | 4，255 |  | 8 |
| Number from Vermont normal schools | 521 | 556 | 35 |  |
| Fingncial statement． |  |  |  |  |
| Average monthly pay of men teach－ ing． | \＄34 82 | \＄31 56 |  | \＄3 26 |
| Average monthly pay of women．．．．． | 2004 | 21.23 | \＄1 24 |  |
| Expenditure for public schools． | 590， 581 | 611， 503 | 20，922 |  |
| Available State school fund | 669， 087 | 669， 087 |  |  |

$a$ United States census of 1880.
（From reports of Hon．Justus Dartt，State superintendent of education，for the two years above indicated．）

## STATE SCHOOL SYSTEM．

## GENERAL CONDITION．

The educational condition of the State cannot be fully shown，as the superintend－ ent＇s report is biennial，and 1884－＇ 85 is an off year．The main figures have，however， been furnished by him，showing a larger average attendance，with fewer teachers； more public schools，though fewer districts；and a lessened number of very small schools．Althouglimure teachers employed in the public schools hari received normal training，the average monthly salaries of men were reduced，while the pay of women was somewhat advanced．

As to the past，the nuinber of children between 4 and 18 sears of age in the State in 1804 was 85,795 ；in 1874，the number between 5 and 20 Jears was 89,541 ，the legal school age haring been changed in 1870 ；in 1878 ，the number was 92,831 ．This was the last school ceisus taken loy district clerks，the law requiring it having been re－
pealed. By the L'nited States census of 1880 the number of school fonth was $99,4 \% 3$, sinee which time no censns has been taken. Judging from the increase of school youth from $1 \approx 64$ io 1820 , it is probable that the present schnol pepulation is orer $10 \equiv, \mathrm{c} 00$.
An encouraging feature of the educational condition continnes to be an increasing number of toims adoptige the tomn system, instead of the district srstem, for the control of public schools, progress in which looks towards decided improvement in schon! work.

## ADMINISTRATION.

The sclonsl officers are, for the State, a superintendent of education, elected biennialls by tho general assemblr: for towns, superintendents elected annually: for wounties, examining boards, with clerks; for districts, moderators, clerks, collectors of tares, treasurers. 1 or 3 anditors, and pradential committecs. In tomns where the district srstem has been abolisbed, there are boards of 3 or 6 directors, and anr tomn haring a high or central school elects for such school a pradential committee of 3 , with annual change of 1 . Women mar vote in all school district meetings and in election of school commissioners in torns and cities, and mar bold school offices. A tomn, at its annual meeting, may abolish the district srstem. Unless otherwise instructed, every child of good health and sound mind between 7 and 14 years of age is required by la $\begin{gathered}\text { to attend a public school at least } 3 \text { months in the rear. A district }\end{gathered}$ mar establish evening schools, each erening to be regarded as a half-dar session of public schocl. The law prorides that one or more schools shall be maintained in each tomin for instruction of the south in the common school branches, in free-hand draming, histors and Constitution of the United States and of the State of Vermont, and in elementary physiology and hygiene with explanation of the effects of stimulants and narcotics on the human srstem.

## SCHOOL FLNANCES.

Publie schools are sustained by district and tomn tasation, and the income from town school funds and the United States deposit fund. The interest on the last is apportioned to towns according to population, while one-half of the town school moner, if it does not exceel $\$ 1,200$, or, if it does, one-third of it, is equally dirided among the districts of snch tomns; the remainder is divided among the districts accoriing to the attendance of the children of school age during the prerious rear. Towns failing to assess school tares forfeit to the county a sum equal to donble the amount required to be rassed by such tax, to be recorered by the county court. No sectarian or church school may be maintained from any portion of the public school fund.

## SCHOOL SISTEMS OF CITIES OF 7,500 OR MORE INHABITANTS.

## administration.

Burlington has a school board of 6 commissioners, one from each ward, and a city superintendent; Rutland, a board of education of 9 members, with a city superintendent.
sTATISTICS.
1884-85.

| Cities. | Population, census of 1880. | Enrollment in pubiic schools. | Number of teachers. | Expenditare. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Burlington Rutland | a11, 365 12,149 | 1,552 62,776 | 46 670 | $\$ 23,235$ 624,500 |

a Census of 1885 gives 13,357 .
b Statistics of 1833--84.

## ADDITIONAL PARTICULARS.

Burlington reports a small increase in enrollment and attendance, with 4 more teachers. The graded sebonls continued to be classed as primary, intermediate, grammar, and high. The finst 3 grades have a course of study covering 3 years each. and the high school 3 courses of 4 rears each. Three ungraded schools are reported, 1 dar, and : erening schools. Music, drawing, phrsiojogr, and language lessons are included in the curriculum as far as the high school, but appear to be dropped there. The grammar schonl was so crowded that it became necessary to stop the admission of ron-resident pupils. The number in the high school exceeded the seating capacity of the school, so that some of the pupils were compelled to stady at home, and report at the school-room for recitation only. During the jear a larger
sum than usual was expended for apparatus, charts, and maps. The intermediate schools have been furnished with globes, the grammar schools with wall maps, and both grades with charts and drawing models. The average number of weeks of school session was 31.2. About 1,000 children were attending private schools, making 1,652 youth of the city under instruction.

Rutland classes its schools as primary, intermediate, secondary, grammar, and high, covering 3 years for each grade, except secondary schools, which occupy but 2.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## GENERAL STATE REQUIREMENTS.

A certificate of graduation from the lower course of a normal school, or of a training department of a graded school, is a license to teach in the common schools of the State for 5 years; one from the higher course of such schools is a license for 10 years. The board of examiners may grant county licenses for 5 jears to candidates who pass a satisfactory examination in all the branches required by law to be taught in the common schools of the State, and in drarring, methods of teaching, and elementary physiology and hygiene. Town certificates may be giren to such as pass the examination satisfactorily. A town superintendent may teach in his orn town for one year, if found qualified on examination by the superintendent of an adjoining town.

## state normal training.

The 3 State normal schools, at Castleton, Johnson, and Randolphn offer strictly professional training in courses of from $1 \frac{1}{2}$ to 4 years. Each town is entitled to the free trition of one student, who may attend either school. Students may be admitted to adranced standing on passing an examination satisfactorily. Graduates from either of these schools may teach in the common schools of the State without further examination.

## SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

## PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS.

The State report for 1883 -'81 gives 27 towns as the number having graded schools of 4 or more departments, and supporting not less than 30 weeks of school. They are well organized under efficient supervision, and have regular courses of study. Four were combined with academies. Six other towns have graded schools of 3 departments, with prescribed courses of stady. In these graded schools there were enrolled during the year 13,631 pupils, of whom 1,969 were in high schools. The Burlington high school includes English, Latin-English, and classical courses, each covering 4 jears, and affords a thorough training for business, for teaching, or for the work of classical or scientific schools.

Rutland high school presents English and classical courses of instruction, each corering 3 years.

OTHER SECONDARY SCHOOLS.
For statistics of business colleges, private academic schools, preparatory schools, and preparatory departments of colleges, see Tables IV, VI, VII, and IX of the Appendix.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## COLLEGES FOR YOUNG MEN OR FOR BOTH SEXES.

The Cnirersity of Vermont and State Agricultural College, Burlington, gives instruction in departments of arts, applied science, and medicine, the first two being open to young women. The department of arts is divided into 5 sections, riz, (1) rhetoric and English literature, (2) ancient and modern languages, (3) mathematics, (4) natural science, and (5) political, moral, and intellectual philosophy. The course corers 4 years and leads to the degree of A. B. Male students are required to take part in military drill and instruction 2 hours each week. For departments of applied science and medicine, see proper headings further on. Hon. Frederick Billings, who donated $\$ 100,000$ for the erection of a new library building, as noted in the last report, has given $\$ 10.000$ additional for the same worth ${ }^{\prime}$ object, with the promise of more if needed. The library numbers 21,000 volumes.

Middlebury College, Middlebury, in 1884-' 55 reported 43 students in its 4 -years classical course, 8 of whom were joung women. For the attainment of honors a general average of 75 per cent is required; for highest honors, 90 per cent. Examinations are severe and thorough. The studies are arranged in 8 departments, viz, ancient languages; mathematics; rhetoric and English literature ; mechanics, physics, and astronomy ; modern languages; chemistry and natural history; philosophy; and ethics and political science.

Norwich University, formerly Lewis College, Northfield, although largely'scientific, offers a course in arts, or full classical course, extending through 4 years, and leading to the degree of A. B.

For statistics of these institutions see Tables IX and X of the Appendix; for a summary of them, see corresponding tables in the report of the Commissiouer preceding.

LNSTITUTIONS FOR THE SLPERIOR INSTRUCTION OF IOU゙NG WOMEN.
For statistics of these institutions see Table VIII of the Appendix; for summaries of them, see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION.

## SCIENTIFIC.

The Cniversity of Vermont and State Agricultural College, in its department of applied science, gives instruetion in 4 -5cars courses in civil engineering, theoretical and applied chemistry, agriculture and related branches, and in metallurgy and mining engineering. A special winter course is offered to farmers, the topics being agricultural chemistry, botan5, physics, entomology, stock-breeding, dairying, fruit culture, road making, bee culture, and farm accounts. No examination is reqnired for attendance upon this course.

Norwich Cniversity, formerly Lemis College, offers courses in science and civil engineering, chemistry and physics, mining engineering, metallurgy, science and literature, and arts. Each course covers 4 years, and leads to its corresponding degree. Military instruction is given daily throughout.

## PROFESSIONAL.

No schools of theology or Law report from this State.
Medicine. - Instruction is giren in the medical department of the State university, in a course of scholastic lectures on the 7 essential branches of medical science, namely, anatomy, physiologJ, materia medica, chemistry, surgery, obstetrics, and the theory and practice of medicine. Medical and surgical clinics are held reekls, also clinics for the ear, eye, and skin. No examination is required for admission. For graduation, there must be 3 rears' study, of 20 weeks each, and a final satisfactory examination. The department enrolled 200 medical students in $1884-{ }^{\circ} 55$, under 19 instructors, and 78 were graduated. The new college building, having a seating capacity of 350 , and with laborators, dissecting-room, museum, and rarious other rooms for the use of instructors and students, was the gift of Mr. John P. Howard, of Burlington. The Mary Fletcher Hospital buildings, adjoining the university, hare been planned with special reference to the wants of medical classes; they contain a pathological room with 100 sittings, in which post-mortem examinations are held in presence of the class.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

## EDUCATION OF UNFORTUNATE CHILDREN.

Vermont continues to proride for this class in other States. In 1884-85, 12 of its Deaf Mutes were being educated in the American Asylum, Hartford, Conn., at an annual expense of $\S 2,255$, and 4 at Clark Institution, Northampton, Mass., at a cost of $\$ 300$ a Jear. For the Blind, provision is made at the Perkins Institution, Boston, Mass., where 7 pupils were being educated at an annual expense of $\$ 2,100$. One Feeble-Minded pupil from the State was reported in Boston, under instruction at a cost of $\$ 300$ a year.

## EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATIONS.

## vermont state teachers' association.

This association held its thirtr-fifth annual meeting in Montpelier, January 1-3, 1835 , President C. A. Bunker in the chair. Upon the subject of reading, Principal John Pickard said that it was often erroneously considered, and too lightly disposed of. While reading is of the first importance, no subject is so poorly taught. The first thing to be gained is the power to perceive at a glance the printed idea; the second, the porrer to gire that idea intelligent expression. Principal Dana spoke upon wasted porrers, criticising the habit of teaching arithmetic, geography, and grammar to the exclusion of other branches of equal importance. In the afternoon the Misses Chamberlin and Thompson, with their pupils, gave interesting illustrations of class work. S. C. Bartlett, president of Dartmouth College, delivered an address in the evening on "What the spade has done for hrman history," instancing the prehistoric moundbuilders of Ohio and Illinois, the ancient copper miners of Michigan, the Esquimaux, the races of Mexico and Peru, and the cave men and lake dwellers of early Europe. Then, coming down to the historic races of EgSpt, Assyria, Babylonia, Greece, and

Trof, he showed what a mine of information as to the early people of our world had been brought to view within the present centurs-all going to confirm, as far as it went, the Bible statements, and none militating against these.

The morning of the second day ras occupied with a discussion of the proper method of teaching grammar, and Mrs. E. G. Green presented "Methodsin phrsiology and hygiene," illustrated by a class of boys. In the afternoon Miss Alice H. Burt gave an interesting exhibition, trith a class of young pupils from her school, of a lesson in reading. Following this came a class in music from the Montpelier schools, instructed br Prof. N. H. Thompson, who prefaced the exercises by predicting that the coming generation would be one of siuging men and women. Prof. Charles King, of Boston, delirered an address in the evening on "Fingers and eses," claiming that children will learn to do things most readily by doing them.

The rork of the third day consisted of reports and resolutions, and the appointing of committees. Mr. Dana, in behalf of the committee on resolutions, reported that the association farored the plan of free text books and the town srstem of schools, and resolved that in the recent action of the general assembly of Vermont, increasing the State school tax, lengthening the school year, and making teachers' certificates in some cases ralid during service in the to ivn or district for which they are granted, the association recognizes morements in the right direction.

CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OFFICER.

## Hon. Justus Dartt, State superintendent of education, Springfieid.

[Third term, December, 1884, to December, 1886.]

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STATISTMCAL SUMMARY.

|  | 1883-84. | 1884-'85. | Increaso. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| POPULATION AND ATTENDATCE. |  |  |  |  |
| White youth of school age (5-21) -.... | a314, 8: 7 | 345, 022 |  |  |
| Colored youth (5-21)................... | a240,980 | 265, 249 |  |  |
| Whole number of school youth | a555, 807 | 610, 271 |  |  |
| White youth in publie schools. | 184, 720 | 194, 235 | 9, 515 |  |
| Colored youth in public schools | 103,310 | 109, 108 | 5, 793 |  |
| Totsl public school enrollment....... | 288, 0:30 | :303, 343 | 15, 313 |  |
| Arerage daily attendance (white) | 106, 907 | 115, 624 | 8, 717 |  |
| Average daily attendance (colored)... | 56, 462 | 60, 845 | 4,383 |  |
| Whole daily attendionce................ | 163, 369 | 176, 469 | 13, 100 |  |
| Per cent. of school youth enrolled |  | 49.71 |  |  |
| Per cent. of enrollment in attendance. | 56.72 | 58.17 | 1.45 |  |
| Per cent. of school youth in attendance |  | 28.92 |  |  |
| White pupils studying higher branches | 7,250 | 8,223 | 972 |  |
| Colored studying higher branches.... | 1,024 | 1,342 | 318 |  |
| Pupils supplied with free text books.. | 8,674 | 8,625 |  | 49 |
| schools. |  |  |  |  |
| Schools for white pupils | 4,477 | 4,658 | 181 |  |
| Schools for colored pupils............. | 1.873 | 1,917 | 44 |  |
| Whole number of public school | 6,350 | 6,575 | 225 |  |
| Number of these sraded. | 319 | 368 | 49 |  |
| Average length of term in dars | 120.0 | 118.4 |  | 1.6 |
| School-honses orned by districts.... | 3,580 | 3,873 | 293 |  |
| School-bouses built during the year .- | 435 | 330 |  | 105 |
| TEACHERS. |  |  |  |  |
| White teachers in public schools | 4,783 | 4,932 | 149 |  |
| Colored teachers in the same. | 1,588 | 1,661 | 73 |  |
| Whole number employed | 6,371 | 6,593 | 222 | .......... |
| Number of men teaching | 3, 247 | 3,351 | 104 |  |
| Number of women teaching ........... | 3,124 | 3,242 | 118 |  |
| FINANCIAL STATEMENT. |  |  |  |  |
| Average monthly pay of men. | \$30 32 | \$31 00 | \$0 68 |  |
| Average monthly pay of women | 2639 | 2682 | 49 |  |
| Expenditure for public schools. | 1,321,537 | 1,424,532 | 102,095 |  |
| Valuation of public school property .- | 1,592, 435 | 1,819, 257 | 226, 822 |  |

$a$ State census of 1880 .
(From reports of Hon. R. R. Farr, State superintendent of public instructio3, for the years indicated.)

## STATE SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## GENERAL CONDITION.

The last report of the retiring State superintendent, Hon. Richard R. Farr, is remarkable, not only as showing unusual enlargement in school work, but also for the detail in which it is presented for the last year and for the 4 years of his administration. Laying down his work, it must be a matter of congratulation to be able to say that while the system still lacks much of being perfect, the report proves that the schools have improved in every detail; that the system is stronger than ever before, and that it now commands the respect of all ciasses of people in the State.

The public school enrollment exceeded that of the previous year by 15,313 , and the average daily attendance by 13,100 , a large gain in both items. Progress is also seen in an increase of 1,290 studying higher branches; of 225 in the number of public schools; of 49 in that of graded ones; and of 293 in that of school-houses owned by districts. The number of school-houses built during the year was less by 105, but the value of school property advanced $\$ 226,522$; expenditure increased by $\$ 102,995$; and 222 more teachers were employed, at about the same monthly wages.
Notwithstanding this pleasing view, even this great increase of school-houses, schools, and teachers does not reach the needs of the school population. It is said that 8,000 schools, or 1,425 more than the 6,575 reported, are needed to give all the children of the State equal facilities for a common school education.
The school system, with its more than 303,000 enrolled scholars, and nearly 177,000 in average daily attendance, has not yet been fully introduced, since thousands of the most illiterate class are reported by the superintendent to be absolutely without school facilities. He urges that the counties and districts be allowed to tax themselves to supply this deficiency. He also calls the attention of school officers to the discrimination made in many districts and counties against the colored children. The statistics show that they are not accorded equal school facilities, there being an average of 128 colored children in each school opened for thent, against only an average of 70 in each school for whites.
It is a startling fact that while school work is far in advance of what it has ever been before, it still falls sadly short of accomplishing what is needed in the way of primary education. With a school population of over 600,000 , only 50 per cent. are enrolled in the public schools, and only 29 per cent. are in daily attendance.
The progress in the number and quality of new school-houses is worthy of note, as originally the larger part were built of logs. In the 11 years from the organization of the school system up to 1882 there were built 2,683 school-houses, averaging 244 a year, the value of school property amounting to $\$ 1,199,333$, an average increase of $\$ 109,030$ a year. During the last 4 years 1,190 were built, averaging 297 a year, the value of school property, $\$ 1,819,257$, showing an average accumulation of $\$ 154,980$ a year. There jet remain $2,186 \log$ school-houses, with 3,542 frame, 143 brick, and 29 stone. In view of this, the superintendent does not feel elated at the influence of his efforts on the district trustees, though he has rigidly enforced the law requiring suitable school-houses for the children of the State.

## ADMINISTRATION.

The general supervision of the public schools is still rested in a State board of education consisting of the governor, superintendent, and attorney-general; in a superintendent of public instruction elected by the general assembly for 4 years; in county superintendents appointed quadrennially by the loard and confirmed by the senate; and in boards of district school trustees and sub-district directors, each of 3 members, the former chosen by a county electoral board, the latter by the voters of the subdistricts. The schools are free to all persons of school age, the law requiring separate schools for colored pupils. A school census is taken every 5 years, and the State funds are apportioned on the basis of the number of youth 5-21 years of age, as shown by this census.

## SCHOOL FLNANCES.

The schools are supported from the proceeds of a State literary fund, a capitation tax not to exceed $\$ 1$ on all voters, and a property tax of from 1 to 5 mills on $\$ 1$, as the general assembly may direct. County and district funds are derived from fines, penalties, and donations, and from a tax not to exceed 10 cents on $\$ 100$. Telegraph and railroad companies are liable to a tax for school purposes. Cities and towns may levy for the support of public schools a tax on property not to exceed 3 mills on $\$ 1$, and a capitation tar of not more than 50 cents per capita for all school purposes.

## AID FROM THE PEABODY FUND.

In 1834-'85 the State received $\$ 6,775$ from this source, an increase of $\$ 2,650$ over the preceding year. Of this amount, $\$ 2,275$ was to be used for Nashville scholarships; $\$ 2,000$ for teachers' institutes; $\$ 2,000$ for Farmville normal school; and $\$ 500$ for Hampton normal.

SCHOOL SYSTEMS OF CITIES WITH 7,500 OR MORE INHABITANTS.

## ADMINISTRATION.

All cities of 10,000 or more inhabitants must (and all others may) have a city superintendent of schools, appointed by the State board of education and confirmed by the senate. The school affairs of such cities are managed by a board of not more than 3 trustees from each ward.

## STATISTICS.

1884-85.

| Cities. | Population, census of 1880. | Children of school age. | Public schools. | Enrollment in publio schools. | Average daily attendance. | Number of teachers. | Expenditure. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Alesandria. | 13,659 | 4,582 | 31 | 1.679 | 1,245 | 27 | \$13, 511 |
| Dauville | 7,526 | $\because, 120$ | 24 | 1. 287 | 660 | 24 | 11, 247 |
| Lyechburg | 15, 059 | 4,907 | 44 | 2,510 | 1,8:1 | 47 | a25,251 |
| Norfolk... | 21, 066 | 6, 695 | 30 | $\because 202$ | 1,270 | 28 | 21, 969 |
| 1'etersburg. | 21, 656 | 7,203 | 41 | 2,945 | 2,057 | 42 | 23, 365 |
| Portsmonth | 11, 390 | 3,210 | 17 | 1,274 | 869 | 17 | a12, 681 |
| lichmond. | 63,600 | 21,536 | 162 | b8, 285 | b6,998 | 102 | a86,286 |

a A return gives $\$ 39,073, \$ 12.561$, and $\$ 95,622$.
6 A return gires these as 6,993 and 2,285 , evidently an error.
ADDITIONAL PARTICULARS.
Alexandria reports for $1884-8531$ public schools, taught by 27 teachers in 2 frame and 3 brick school-houscs, with 30 well-furnished rooms, valued with other school property at $\$ 26,000$. The statistics show 38 fewer pupils enrolled, and $\$ 1,689$ less expended for public schools than in 1833 -' 34 , with a gain of 86 in average daily attendance. The city schools enrolled 411 less than half the children of school age ( $5-21$ ) enumerated in 18:0. Adding 719 of the same age in private schcols, there appear to have been 2,184 out of school. Deducting one-third of the school jouth over 16, the combined enrollment leaves 657 ( $5-15$ ) yet unprovided for.
Danville, by census of 1830 , shows $9: 29$ white and 1,192 coloied school youth, employing 13 teachers for whites, with an average of $\boldsymbol{\gamma 1}$ to each school; 11 teachers for colored, with an average of 109 to a school. For these there were 13 schools for whites and 11 for colorerl, taught in 1 frame and 2 brick school-houses, valued with other school property at $\$ 25,000$. There was a gain of $\tau 8$ in enrollment, of 56 in average daily attendance, and of 2 in teachers, but $\$ 341$ less expenditure for public schools than in 1883-34. The arerage attendance being only a little more than 50 per cent. of eurollment shows large numbers attending school only part of the jear, a result probably due to the large colored population employed in the extensive manufacturing interests of the city.
Lynchburg shows rell in essential points. With an increase of 53 in enrollment, it gained 226 in arerage daily attendance, 4 in teachers, and expended $\$ 1,836$ more for public schools than in $1883-84$. For its 44 public schools there were one frame and 4 brick school-houses with suitable surroundings, and 45 well-furnished rooms, valued with other school property at $\$ 75,000$. Private schools report an enrollment of 387, which, with that of nublic schools, shows only a little more than 59 per cent. of school youth in school. But making due allowance for those over 16, there results a fraction over 74 per cent. of youth of 5 to 16 enrolled in the schools, which is thought to be nearer the truth than the former statement.
Norfolk sustained 18 public schools for whites and 12 for colored, under 18 teachers for the former and 10 for the latter, with about an equal average of children to each school. For these, there were 2 frame and 5 brick school-houses on suitable grounds, with 28 well-furnished rooms, ralued, with other school property, at $\$ 60,000$. The average attendance fell off 556 during the year, enrollment gaining only 24 ; expenditare for public schools increased $\$ 1,953$. The schools enrolled only a fraction over 30 per cent. of school youth, and with 1,955 in private schools, a little more than 59 per cent. But allowing a reduction of one-third for those over 16, the per cent. of attendance in all schools rises to over 87, which is doubtless nearer the actual fact.

Petersburg reports a gain of 811 in school population during the year; also gains of 277 in enrollment, of 78 in average attendance, of 1 in teachers, and of $\$ 800$ in expenditure for public schools. Yet even with this good record of school work the public schools enrolled but a little more than one-third of the school youth. Adding the 750 in private schools, and deducting school youth orer 16 years of age, leaves about the average amount of children ( $5-15$ ) in school. The 41 public schools, under 42 teachers, occupied 3 frame and 7 brick school-houses, 6 owned by the district, and ralued, with other school property, at $\$ 67,000$.

Portsmouth shows a clear record of progress in every detail, gaining 3 in public schools, 158 in enrollment, 71 in average daily attendance, 3 in teachers, 1 in school-houses, and expending $\$ 2,945$ more for public schools than in 1883-' 84 . For its 17 public schools, under as many teachers, there were 3 brick school-houses suitably surrounded, with 22 well-furnished rooms. Valuation of all school property, $\$ 29,000$. About the same per cent. of school youth was enrolled as is usual in cities with large colored popu-

Yations, increased by 430 in private schools, and also the same small per cent. of enrolled in average daily attendance.

Richnond reports a uniform advance from 1883-'84. Having 3 more public schools, It gained 132 in enrollment, 233 in average daily attendance, and 3 in teachers, expending $\$ 4,595$ more for its 162 public schools, which, under as many teachers, occupied 3 frame and 13 brick school-houses, all suitably located, with $18: 2$ well-fiurnished rooms. 111 city school property was rated at $\$ 301,081$.

Considering the large portion of school youth in some way employed, the school attendance may be regarded as very creditable. Of the 21,536 school jouth, more than 40 per cent. were colored. Leaving out of the account the average one-third over 16 years of age, and adding 2,235 in private schools, there remained 3,787 youth of $5-16$ out of school.

The statisties show that school facilities are about equally enjoyed by hoth whites and colored.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## GENERAL STATE REQUIREMENTS.

For permission to teach in the public schools of the State persons must present to the proper school officers certificates of qualification from the county or city superintendent in charge of the school that they desire to teach.

Examinations for such certificates must be held in the common school studies, and if the applicant desires to teach a school of higher grade there must lee an examination corresponding to the grade.

STATE NORMAL TRAINING.
The Staie Normal School, at Farmville, was established in 1834 by the legislature expressly for the training and education of white girls to be teachers in the public schools of the State. It aims to be strictly professional in its methods of teaching. The school was in successful operation 8 months daring 1884-'85. The plan of the school was to give 2 courses of instruction, elementary and advanced, each covering 2 years, the former fitting teachers for primary, the latter for high schools; but the present income being insufficient for the support of both courses, only the elementary is now taught. The law gives to each city of 5,000 inhabitants and to each county the privilege of sending one or more student:, according to the number of its members in the house of delegates, and these State students reccive free tuition, but must agree on entering to teach at least $\curvearrowright$ years in the public schools of the State after graduation.

The Virginia Norinal and Collegiate Institute, Petersburg, established by act of legislature for the higher education of colored youth, presents 2 courses, normal and academic, each covering 3 years. I training school is connected with the institute, in which the lower branches are taught, where students who are preparing to teach may apply the methods they have learned under the supervision of their instructors. State students are selected, 1 from eich senatorial district and 10 from the State at large. Tuition to such is free, provided they arree to teach in the public schools of the State at least 2 years after graduation. Ali candidates for admission must be not less than 14 years of age, and mist pass satisfactorily an examination in the common school branches.

## OTHER NORMAL INSTRUCTION.

The Hampton Normal and Agricultural Institute, Hampton, for colored and Indian youth, reports for 1881-'85 340 students in its 3-years normal course, 106 in the Indian classes, 207 in the evening school, and 16 in the pastors' class, 6 of the latter number having been counted in other classes. Common school studies are parsued, practice teaching entering into the second and third years, with book-keeping, free-hand drawing, civil government natural philosophy, and ancient history for the senior year. In the industrial department students are taught trades, agriculture, sewing, and housework. The Indian classes study one half of each day, and devote the other half to work; evening classes work 10 hours daily and study 2 , while the normal students study 4 days of each week and work 2.

For statistics of normal schools reporting, see Table III of the Appendix; for a summary of same, see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## TEACHERS' INSTITUTES.

The State makes uo provision for institute work, but the agent of the Peabody Fund required that $\$ 2,000$ of the amount given to the State in $188 . \overline{3}$ from this fund be cleroted to this purpose. The institutes were marked by enthusiasm. The owe at Staunton enrolied $64 \mathrm{~S}^{\circ}$ teachers; at Fredericksburg' 256; a.t Marion, 295 ; and at the colored inst1tute at Danville, 175. The Virginia Normal and Collegiate Institute held the usual
eight weeks' summer normal, with more than 140 teachers present. The superintendent expressed the obligations of the teachers to the trustees of the Peabody Fund, by whose timely aid 1,514 teachers had receired most valuable instruction.

TEACHERS' READING ASSOCIATIONS.
The first Virginia Reading Association was organized at Wytheville, August, 1884, the object being to pursue a course of educational reading extending through two years, to be prescribed by a committee of three. On completion of this course, certificates are given to those who hare sustained throughout a creditable standing, to whom a more extended course may be prescribed. Examination questions on books read are sent semiannually to the menbers of the association, to be answered and returned to the secretary. who keeps a record of the standing of each member as determined by the officers.

At the first annual meeting there was a membership of 300 , most of whom had read the first tro books of the course.

The State superintendent expresses surprise at the little attention paid to school literature by a large majority of teachers in the State, and regards these associations as a prime necessity. Many who would read do not know how or where to obtain the right books. The associations not only prescribe a uniform course of reading, but select the books, which can be purchased at largely reduced rates. By the examination questions sent out the minds of the readers are refreshed, and can see immediate results.

## EDCCATIONAL JOURNALS.

The Educational Journal of Virginia, published at Richmond, continues to be the official organ of the department of education, and in 1855 was in its sixteenth volume. The general departnent was in that year edited by William M. Fos, and the official by Hon. P. R. Farr, State superintendent.

The Southern Workman and Hampton School Record is published in the interest of the Hampton Normal and Agricultural Institute, and in 1885 was in its fourteenth rolume.

## SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

## PCBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS.

The State superintendent reports 9,564 studying the higher branches, of whom 8,222 are whites and 1,342 colored, showing a gain of 972 in the former, of 318 in the latter, and a total gain of 1,290 over $1833-$ ' 84 .
In a list of institutions where public school teachers had been trained are the Lynchburg, Petersburg, Richmond, and Staunton high schools. Besides these are mentioned the prirate high schools at Kenmore, Piedmont, Lebanon, and the Episcopal High School, near Alexandria, this last being of high grade.
Danville and Portsmouth also reported public high schools in 1883-'84.

## OTHER SECONDARI SCHOOLS.

For statistics of private academic schools, preparatory schools, and preparatory depart. ments of colleges reporting, see Tables VI, VII, and IX of the Appendix; for summaries, see the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## UNITEhSities AND COLLEGES FOR YOUNG MEN.

The University of Virginia prorides thorough instruction in independent schools, academic, scientific, and professional. The academic or literary department is dirided into schools of Latin, Greek, modern languages, English, historical science, and moral philosophy, with graduate courses following, leading to the degrees of B. S., B. Ph., B. A., and M. A. For professional and scientific schools, see proper headings further on. The number of students in all the departments of the university in $1884^{-}$' 85 was 306 , under 28 instructors.

Other unirersities and colleges reporting for 1834-'S5 are the Emory and Henry, Randolph Macon, Hampden Sidney, Pichmond, and Roanoke Colleges, and Washington and Lee University, all of excellent standing.
For fuli statistics of colleges reporting, see Table IX of the Appendix; for a summary of their statistics, see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## INSTITUTIONS FOR THE SUPERIOR INSTRECTION OF YOUNGG WOMEN.

For information regarding the colleges for this sex, reference is made to Table VIII of the Appendix. A summary of this table will also be found in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

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## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION.

## SCIENTIFIC.

The three special scientific schools reporting for 1884-'85 were the Virginia Agricultural and Mechanical College, Blacksburg; the Hampton Normal and Agricultural Institute, Hampton ; and the Virginia Military Institute, Léeington.

The first named presents technical, scientific, and literary courses of study. Students wishing technical instruction only have a 3 -years course arranged for them, culminating in the degree of graduate of agriculture or graduate of mechanics; those wishing the degree of civil or mining engineer take a 4 -years course, embracing either agriculture or mechanics, with an additional year of special study for the degree sought, which may be either C. E., M. E., or A. B. Elective studies are provided for those not intending to graduate.

The State university, in its scientific department, includes the schools of mathematics, natural philosophy, general and industrial chemistry, analytical and agricultural chemistry, natural history and geology, and practical astronomy, with graduate courses following. Besides these, coming properly under the head of scientific training, are the engineering and agricultural departments, including civil and mining engineering, and the Miller School of Agriculture, Geology, and Botany.

Hampton Normal and Agricultural Institute, for colored and Indian youth, offers, in connection with the minor scientific studies, instruction in practical farming and in mechanic arts for men. The young women are trained in the art of bread-making, plain cooking, sewing, and housework. This instruction is continued throughout the entire course.

The Virginia Dilitary Institute receives $\$ 30,000$ from the State annually, which supplies tuition and board free to State students, and, with the aid of tuition fees and invested funds, supports the faculty. The State cadets are selected from those who are unable to pay their own expenses, and in consideration thereof they are required to teach two years after graduation. The course covers four years, and includes civil and military engineering, surveying, chemistry, mechanics, descriptive geometry, tactics, astronomy, drawing, Latin, modern languages, moral philosophy, draving, logic, and geology. Special schools of mining and civil engineering and of applied cliemistry are provided.

General scientific courses of two to four years are found in Washington and Lee University, and in Emory and Henry, Hampden Sidney, Randolph Macon, and Roanoke Colleges.

New Market Polytechnic Institute offers 3 years of preparatory study and a 2-years collegiate course. This includes mathematics pure and applied, mensuration, surveying and astronomy, natural and moral science, and metaphysics.

For statistics of scientific schools and scientific departments reporting, see Tables IX and $X$ of the Appendix; for summaries of these, see corresponding tables in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## PROFESSIONAL.

Theology. -Theological instruction is given in 3-years courses in Union Theological Seminary, Hampden Sidney College (Southern Presbyterian), and in the Theological Seminary of Virginia, Theological Seminary (Protestant Episcopal). Richmond Institute (Baptist) for colored students, besides a 2 -years preparatory and a 3-years academic course, gives 2 years of theological training. Such instruction is also found in the School of Biblical Literature of Randolph Macon College.

A pastors' class was organized in the Hampton Institute in Oetober, 1884, to aid colored pastors and other young men in the vicinity who are fitting for the ministry and desire instruction in Biblical studies. The instructors of the class represent 4 different denominations. The regular course of studies covers 3 years, but pastors may avail themselves of any part of it, and no charge is made for tuition.

For statistics, see Table XI of the Appendix; for a summary of them, see the repert of the Commissioner preceding.

LAW. - Legal instruction is given in the University of Virginia, the department comprising 2 schools, one of common, statute, and constitutional law; the other, of international and mercantile law, evidence, and equity. Each school presents a 2-years course, leading to the degree of B. L.

The Washington and Lee University, in its school of law and equity, furnishes a $2-$ years course of legal training, but it is so arranged as to render it possible to complete the studies in one session of 9 months. The degree of B. 工. is conferred upon graduates.

For statistics, see Table XII of the Appendix.
Medicine.-Medical studies are pursued in the medical department of the State university and the Medical College of Virginia, Richmond. The former, with an annual session of 40 weeks, has a 2-years graded course, but no requirements for admission; the
latter has an annual session of 26 weeks, and requires a preliminary education sufficient to justify entrance upon the study of medicine.
For statistics, see Table NIII of the Appendix.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

## EDUCATION OF THE DEAF AND DUMB AND THE BLIND.

The Virginia Institution for the Elucation of the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind, Staunton, in 1884 -' $^{\prime} 8$ reported 11 deaf and 36 blind pupils. Instruction is given in the common English branches, with articulation, drawing, and oil painting for the deaf, and in higher branches, with vocal and instrumental music, for the blind. The boys are taught trafles; the girls sewing, knitting. etc. Total number of deaf mutes admitted since the institution was founded, 570; of blind, 231; average number of years spent, 7; value of school property, $\$ 275,000 ;$ State appropriation for the year, $\$ 35,000$.

INDUSTRIAL TRAINING.
The Miller Manual Labor School for Boys, at Crozet, divides its instruction into 3 departments, primary, intermediate, and academic, the last 2 covering 3 years each. The studies embrace common and higher English, with civil engineering, physics, chemistry, Latiu, and the modern languages. Manual labor is made prominent in agriculture, engineering, technical drawing and shop work, electric engineering, bee-culture, printing, and working in iron.
Hampton Normal and Agricultural Institute for colored and Indian youth, before noted, furnishes industrial training for boys in nearly all the useful employments, including farming, engineering, and horticulture; while the girls are taught sewing, knitting, nursing, cooking, laundrying, and general housework.

## EDUCATIONAL CONVENTIONS.

## CONFERENCE OF SUPERINTENDENTS AND PRINCIPALS.

The conference of superintendents and principals of high schools held its third annual meeting at Richmond February $10-13,1885$, with Superintendent R. R. Farrin the chair. There were 80 superintendents present during the meeting, 70 of whom were at the opening session. At the close of the addresses of welcome and reply, General Armstrong, of the Hampton Institute, delivered an address on the "Education of Indians," after which Prof. George E. Little, of Washington, D. C., entertained the conference with a blackboard exercise in drawing. Among the other subjects brought forward for discussion were "Examination of teachers," "County superintendents, the life of a State school system," "Technical training in public schools," "County institutes," "The teacher and the teaching for public schools," "How to obtain pure air in the schoolroom," "Powers and duties of school superintendents with reference to the proper administration of school laws," "School supervision," "Aims and purposes of normal schools," "Daties of school trustees," "How confiicts between superintendents and district trustees are to be avoided," "Educational tendencies of the present time," "Rights and obligations of school teachers under the law," "Should the standard of professional certificates be raised and made uniform?" "Evening schools for mechanics," and "How text books should be used." Among the resolutions adopted by the conference was one indorsing the objects of the Virginia Teachers' Reading Circle, and of the Teachers' Literary Circle, and promising them cordial support.

At the closing session of the conference the superintendents manifested their appreciation of the earnest labors of State Superintendent R. R. Farr in behalf of the public school interests by presenting him with a beautiful silver tea service and a handsome ebony gold-headed cane. In closing his remarks Hon. W. H. Ruffner referred to this manifestation of the superintendents towards their chief officer, and said that it was pleasing to see the cordial relations existing between them and the State superintendent, and that their expression of esteem and confidence was a just tribute to a faithful officer.

The actual work of the public schools of the State was on exhibition at the conference. This was a new feature and excited general interest among the superintendents, teachers, and pupils. The senate chamber, in which the work was displayed, proved entirely inadequate for the purpose. The exhibition embraced maps of States, countries, counties, and districts; drawings of school buildings; diagrams.on grammar, arithmetic, and Latin; literature charts, essays, specimens of peumanship, examination papers, hastories of the public schools, specimens of needle-work, etc. Eighty-three counties were represented, and all but one of the cities.

## WEST VGRGINIA.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

|  | 1883-34. | 1884-'85. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| POPULATION AND ATTENDANCE. |  |  |  |  |
| White youth of school age (6-21) | 219, $5 \div 8$ | 226,029 | 6, 481 |  |
| Colored youth (6-21). | 8,637 | 9,:316 | 679 |  |
| Whole number of school ag | 228, 185 | 235, 345 | \%,160 |  |
| White jouth in public schools | 161, 605 | 171. 413 | 9, 748 |  |
| Colored in public schools | 4,60\% | 5,163 | 556 |  |
| Whole public school enrollment | 166, $2 \pi / 2$ | 176,576 | 10, $30 \pm$ |  |
| Whites in arerage daily attendance.-- | 99, 225 | 101, 360 | 2,135 |  |
| Colored in arerage daily attendance-- | 2,787 | 3, 293 | 503 |  |
| Whole average daily attendance- | 102,012 | 109, 17 | 7,165 |  |
| Per cent. of school youth enrolled | 7:. 87 | 75. 02 | 2.15 |  |
| Per cent. of school youth in average attendance. | 42. 70 | 44. 46 |  | . 24 |
| SCHOOLS. |  |  |  |  |
| Public ungraded schools | 4,122 | 4,283 | 161 |  |
| Public graded schools. | 125 | 144 | 19 |  |
| Public high schools. | 7 | j |  | 2 |
| Average length of term in days | 100 | 96 |  | 4 |
| School-houses, frame or log. | 3, 934 | 4,030 | 10 |  |
| School-houses, brick or stone | 113 | 125 | 12 |  |
| Whole number of school-house | 4,097 | 4, 153 | 55 |  |
| Number built during the year | 167 | 53 |  | 105 |
| TEACHERS. |  |  |  |  |
| Men teaching in public schoo | 3, 036 | 3, 239 | 203 |  |
| Women teaching the same | 1,607 | 1. $5 \%$ |  | 35 |
| Whole number employed | 4,643 | 4, 811 | $10^{2}$ |  |
| Teachers who hare had experience... | 1,433 | 2,064 | 631 |  |
| Teachers from State normal schools..- | 852 | 1,019 | ¿5\% |  |
| financial statement. |  |  |  |  |
| Average monthly pay of men.------- | \$30 31 | \$26 31 |  | $\$ \pm 00$ |
| Average monthly pay of women | 3052 | 2631 |  | 421 |
| Whole expenditure for public schools. | 997, 431 | 699, 331 |  | 208,100 |
| Valuation of public school property-- | 1, 871, 235 | 1, 978,540 | \$107, 305 |  |
| Available school fund....-....-...-.-- | 514, 159 | 549, 255 | 35, 099 |  |

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## STATE SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## ADMINISTRATION.

A State superintendent of free schools, elected quadrenuially by the people, has general control of pablic school interests. Local schools are supervised by county school superintendents elected by the people for 2 years, by district boards of education, and ing sub-district boards of trustees. District boards comprise a president aud 2 commissioners. One of these holds for 4 years; the other is liable to change at the expiratiou of 2 years; he, or the one chosen in his place, then holding for 4 years, which is the sub-
sequent ideal term. This board appoints 3 trustees for each sub-district, to hold office for 3 years, with annual change of 1 . The county superintendent and 2 high-grade teachers, whom he may nominate, constitute a county board of examiners for each county, to examine and license applicants for teachers' certificates.

## SCHOOL FINANCES.

For the support of public free schools there is still levied annually a State tax of 10 cents on each $\$ 100$ of real and personal property, which, with the interest of the invested State school fund, the proceeds of forfeitures, fines, and an annual capitation tax, constitutes a general school fund, annually distributed among the counties in proportion to the number of youth of school age in each, as shown by the last enumeration.
To proride school-houses and pay other school expenses, there is a further annual tax in each district of not more than 40 cents on $\$ 100$; also an annual levy in each independent school district of not more than 50 cents on every $\$ 100$ of valuation for the payment of teachers' salaries within the district.

## THE PEABODY FUND.

The State in 1884-' 85 received $\$ 2,500$ from this source, with the stipulation that $\$ 1,200$ be used for teachers' institutes, $\$ 1,000$ for Nashville scholarships, and $\$ 300$ for normal schools.

## CITY SCHOOL SYSTEM OF WHEELING.

## ADMINISTRATION.

The city school officers of Wheeling are a board of education of 3 members from each sub-district, with a superintendent of the city school district, appointed by the board, who must have had at least 3 years' practice in graded schools before his appointment.

## sTATISTICS.

Wheeling for 1884-85 had 10,053 children of school age, 5,000 enrolled in the public schools, 4,500 in average daily attendance, 107 teachers, and 16 school buildings, with 5,000 sittings for study.

## ADDITIONAL PARTICULARS.

The schools, classed as primary, intermediate, grammar, and high, were taught 198 days by 6 men and 101 women, with one special teacher of German. The course of instruction from primary to grammar, inclusive, covers 12 years. The expenditures for the year amounted to $\$ 65,894$; receipts, $\$ 69,260$. Estimated enrollment in private schools, 800.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## GENERAL STATE REQUIREMENTS.

Each county has an examining board, consisting of the county superintendent and 2 experienced teachers holding first-class certificates, nominated by him and appointed at a meeting of presidents of district boards.

Teachers, to be employed in the public schools, must present to the proper school officers certificates of their qualifications to teach schools of the grade for which they apply, duplicates of which must be filed with the secretary of the board of education of the districts in which the schools are located.

## STATE NORMAL TRAINING.

The West Virginia State normal school at Marshall College, Huntington, with its branches at Concord, Fairmont, Glenville, Shepherdstown, and West Liberty, all present courses of 3 years in normal training, and nearly all offer preparatory courses. The schools at Huntington, Fairmont, Shepherdstown, and West Liberty give collegiate training. All present the common and higher English branches, with ancient and modern languages optional.

## OTHER NORMAL TRAINING.

West Virginia College has a normal course of 3 years. In the first and second years the branches required to be taught in the public schools of the State receive particular attention; in the second year, English language, literature, and the physical sciences. The third year is devoted to collegiate studies and an exposition of pedagogics as a science and an art. Upon a satisfactory completion of the prescribed course, a normal diploma is given, and the degree or bachelor of pedagogics conferred. A model school is attached to the institution, which is divided into 3 grades-primary, intermediate, and grammar.

From the agent of the Peabody Fund, in 1884-'85, the State received $\$ 1,000$ for Nashville scholarships and $\$ 300$ for normal schools.

For statistics, see Table III of the Appendix.
Storer College, Harper's Ferry, for the education of the colored race, has, by arrangement with the State school authorities, up to 1884-'85 trained a considerable number of colored pupils for normal work in the schools of West Virginia. Whether the arrangement has been continued since that time does not appear at the time at which this Report goes to press.

## TEACHERS' INSTITUTES.

The law requires that teachers' institutes shall be held annually, one or more in each county in the State, and teachers are required to attend in their respective comnties. To defray the expenses of this instruction for its teachers the State makes an annual appropriation of $\$ 500$, and in 1834-' 85 the Peabody Fund appropriated $\$ 1,200$ for this purpose. Thirty institutes were reported during the year, in 21 counties, showing an attendance of $1,8 \% 3$ teachers. As about 63 institutes are required each year, others not reported were probably held. Among those from which no official reports were received in season for notice were 2 for colored teachers, which are said to hare been well attended.

EDUCATIONAL JOURNAL.
The West Virginia School Journal, published at Wheeling and edited by the State superintendent of free schools, is devoted to the educational interests of the State, and in 1885 was in its fourth rolume.

## SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

## PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS.

The State report gires no definite information in respect to high schools. One is reported in a return from Wheeling, but no statistics are given. The number in the State has usually been small.

## OTHER SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

For statistics of business colleges, private academic schools, and preparatory departments of colleges, see Tables IV, VI, and IX of the Appendix; for summaries of them, see corresponding tables in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## COLLEGES FOR YOUNG MEN OR FOR BOTH SEXES.

West Virginia University, Morgantown, arranges its studies in 10 independent schools, of which 8 are academic and 2 professional. The former are schools of ancient languages, modern languages, English, geology and natural history, metaphysics, agriculture, physics and chemistry, and history and mathematics ; the latter, schools of law and equity, and of anatomy, physiology, and lyygiene. A military department is connected with the university, giving a 4 -years course of training. Under the laws of the State, 5 cadets may be appointed from each senatorial district by the regent of said district. These receive tuition, books, and stationery free. The degrees conferred on graduates are B. S., M. S., B. A., M. A., and B. L.

Storer College, Harper's Ferry, besides its 4 -years academic course, has, as before stated, offered 3 years of normal training, with two grades of preparatory study. Whether this is continued coes not yet appear. Girls in the college are taught needlework, and boys printing to a limited extent. The State has in the past aided the school with 18 scholarships, and it is supposed will continue at least this aid.

Bethany College, Bethany, and West Virginia College, Flemington, open alike to both sexes, present classical and literary courses, the former of 4 and the latter of 3 years. The former has also scientific and ministerial courses, and a special ladies' course ; the latter, philosophical, normal, and commercial deparments. Both of these colleges give special attention to rocal and instrumental music.

For statistics of colleges reporting, see Table IX of the Appendix; for a summary of statistics, see the report of the Commissioner preceding.

INSTITUTIONS FOR THE SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION OF YOUNG WOMEN.
For statistics of schools of this class reporting, see Table VIII of the Appendix; for a summary of statistics, see the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION.

## SCIENTIFIC.

The State university provides facilities for scientific study. To obtain its degree of Sci. B., it requires diplomas in the schools of metaphysics, modern languages, English,
geology and natural history, agriculture, chemistry and physics, with mathematics; also certiticates of proficiency in physiology and hygiene. The degree of Sci. M. requires diplomas in the schools of like studies with the above, but, of course, of higher grade. Substitutes for some of these studies are allowed.
Bethany College, Bethany, had, in 1882-'83, under the head of "scientific course," a 4 -years school of mathematics and astronomy ; another of mental and political philosophy and belles-lettres, with apparently briefer ones in moral philosophy, natural sciences and modern languages, all preparing for the Sci. B. degree.

For statistics, see Table $\bar{X}$ of the Appendix; for a summary, see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## PROFESSIONAL.

Theology.-Theological instruction is given in Bethany College, in a 4 -years ministerial course, embracing the schools of sacred literature, Greek, Latin, mathematics and astronomy, natural science, mental and political philosophy and belles-lettres, and of sacred history and moral philosophy. The course leads to the degree of B. L.
LAW.-Legal training is offered in the State university, in a 2 -years course of study, leading to the degree of B. L. The course embraces common and statute law, mercantile law, equity, eridence, and constitutional and international law.

MEDICINE.-Medical instruction is given in the State university school of anatomy, physiology, and hygiene, its aim being to teach anatomy thoroughly. Subjects for dissection are provided for the students. Physiology and hygiene are taught by specimens, the microscope, drawings, lectures, models, etc. Members of the class who give evidence at the final examination of successful study receive certificates of proficiency in the branches taught.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

## EDUCATION OF THE DEAF AND DUMB AND THE BLIND.

The West Virginia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb and Blind, Romney, in 1884-'85 enrolled 75 deaf pupils and 30 blind. They were taught the common school branches, with cabinet making, printing, shoemaking, and tailoring for the former, and chair caning and broom and mattress making for the latter. The average time spent in the school by the pupils is 7 years. The institution owns 25 acres of land, valued, with buildings, etc., at $\$ 80,000$. State appropriation for the year, $\$ 25,000$; expenditure, \$22,956.

## EDUCATIONAL CONVENTIONS.

## WEST VIRGINIA EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION.

The State association met at Keyser, July ${ }^{7}-9,1885$, Hon. B. L. Butcher in the chair. The meeting was held in the commodious hall of the new school building, and was said to have been of the best ever held in the State. More than 100 teachers were in attendance, but some were not enrolled as members. An interesting paper on "Pestalozzi" was read by E. I. Hall, principal of Glenville Normal School, and was ably discussed by others. Mrs. N. Bayly, of Chicago, gave an instructive address, with illustrations, on "Object teaching." A paper was read the second day by Prof. U. S. Fleming on "Obedience," and one by Miss A. Abbott on "Primary teachers." "Civil service reform in our public schools" was discussed by Mr. J. N. David, who pointed out defects and recommended improvements. Addresses were delivered the third day by Hon. E. M. Turner, Dr. M. A. Newell of Maryland, and Hon. B. L. Butcher, the former State superintendent, after which the last named gentleman introduced his successor, Hon. B. S. Morgan, and the association adjourned.

CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OFFICER.
HoN. B. L. Butcrer, State superintendent of free schools, Wheeling.
[Term, March 4, 1881, to March 4, 1885.]
Succeeded by Hon. B. S. Morgan.
[Term, March 4, 1885, to March 4, 1889.]

## WHESCONGIN.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

|  | 1883-84. | 1884-> 85. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| population and attendance. |  |  |  |  |
| Youth of school age (4-20) | 528, 750 | 544, 976 | 16,226 |  |
| Number between 7 and 15 years | 286,542 | 289, 035 | 2,493 |  |
| Enrolled in public schools - | 316, 969 | 321, 718 | 4,749 |  |
| Per cent. of school youth enrolled | 59. 94 | 58.70 |  | 1. 24 |
| Average daily attendance. | 171, 181 | 174, 844 | 3, 663 |  |
| Enrollment of youth \% to 15 | 238, 266 | 244, 709 | 6,443 |  |
| Attending free high schools | 7, 689 | 7, ${ }^{\text {\% } 61}$ | 72 |  |
| Enrolled in private schools | 15,616 | 13,625 |  | 1,991 |
| In collegiate and normal schools | 5,821 | 5,049 |  | 772 |
| In all classes of schools.- | 338,403 | 310, 392 | 1,986 |  |
| districts and schools. |  |  |  |  |
| School districts outside of cities---- | 5,767 | 5,809 | 42 |  |
| Schools with more than one department | 519 | 535 |  |  |
| Number of high schools .--------- | 115 | 119 | 4 |  |
| Average term of city schools in days.- | 192 | 190 |  | 2 |
| Volumes in district school libraries. | 30, 985 | 28,071 |  | 2,914 |
| Number of public school-houses | 5, 951 | 6,033 | 82 |  |
| Built during the year .---.-.- | 287 | $25 \%$ |  | 30 |
| teachers. |  |  |  |  |
| Number of men teaching | 2,378 | 2,422 | 44 |  |
| Women teaching -- | 8,251 | 8, 444 | 193 |  |
| Whole number of teachers-- | 10,629 | 10, 866 | 237 |  |
| Teachers with first-grade certificates.- | 199 | 234 | 35 |  |
| With second-grade certificates | 666 | 711 | 45 |  |
| With third-grade certificates | 7,835 | 7,735 |  | 99 |
| financial statement. |  |  |  |  |
| Average monthly pay of men in cities_ | \$9823 | \$10572 | \$7 49 |  |
| Of women in cities | 3581 | 3854 | 273 |  |
| Monthly pay of men in counties | 4285 | 4175 |  | \$1 10 |
| Of women in counties | 2852 | 2820 |  | 32 |
| Expenditure for public schools | 2, 964, 861 | 3, 300, 455 | 335, 594 |  |
| Amount of available school fund |  | 2, 953, 528 |  |  |
| Permanent school fund. |  | a 4, 646, 841 |  |  |
| Value of public school property |  | 6,132, 635 |  |  |

a Includes permanent common school fund, $\$ 2.838,739$; university fund, §22j,673; agricultural college fund, $\$ 285,448$; and normal school fund, $\$ 1,296,981$.
(From retarns of Hon. Robert Graham, State superintendent of public instruction of Wisconsin, for the years indicated.)

## STATE SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## ADMINISTRATION.

A State superintendent, elected biennially by the people, has general supervision of the public schools. Each county has a superintendent, and counties with 15,000 or ynore inhabitants may have 2 of these officers. Districts have boards of 3 directors. Towns which have adopted the township system have township boards consisting of the
clerks of the several sub-districts belonging to the township. Women are cligible to all school offices except that of State superintendent. Iublic schools must be non-sectarian, and free to all resident youth of school age (4-21). A census of such jouth is taken annually by the district clerks. Children $7-15$ years of age must attend school at least 12 weeks in each school year, unless their education has been otherwise provided for, or unless they are excused for specified cause. The public school system includes high and normal schools and a State university. There are also State institutions for the blind and the deaf, and a State reform school.

SCHOOL FINANCES.
Public schools are supported from the income of a State school fund and from local taxation. The income of the State school fund is distributed annually to such towns and districts as send the required reports, showing that they have raised toward the support of common schools one-half the amount last appropriated to them from the State fund, and have maintained schools at least 5 months in the year, a 3-months term being accepted in extraordinary cases. School money is apportioned according to the school census.

## NEW LEGISIATION.

For the improvement and unification of local school supervision, State Superintendent Graham presented an important expedient which became a law in 1885. The statute provides that the State superintendent must hold annually at least 4 conventions for advice and instruction, and for consultation with county superintendents in regard to the supervision and management of public schools. It is made the duty of erery superintendent to attend annually at least one of these conrentions.

SCHOOL SYSTEMS OF CITIES WITH 7,500 OR MORE INHABITANTS.
STATISTICS.
1884-'85.

| Cities. | Population, census of 1880. | Youth of school age. | Enrollment in public schools. | $\left\lvert\, \begin{aligned} & \text { A verage } \\ & \text { daily at- } \\ & \text { tendance. } \end{aligned}\right.$ | Number of teachers. | Expenditure. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Appleton..................... | a8, 005 | 3,938 | 2,097 | 1,817 | 43 | \$16,484 |
| Eau Claire................... | 10,119 |  | 2,870 |  | 46 | 39, 537 |
| Fond du Lac................ | 13,094 | 5,407 | 2,123 | 1,477 | 45 | 21,540 |
| Janesville..................... | 9,018 | 3, 829 | 1,374 | 1,280 | 35 | 19,997 |
| La Crosse. | 814,505 | 6, 298 | 3,191 | 2,282 | 54 | 48,341 |
| Madison.................. ... | 10,324 | 3,802 | 1,871 | 1,535 | 37 | 24,610 |
| Milwaukee................... | 115,587 | 49,804 | 14,943 | 13,613 | 290 | 234, 390 |
| Oshkosh.............................. | c15, 218 | 7,056 | 2,197 | 1,98. | 57 | 42,136 |
| Pacine.. | 16,031 | 7,031 | 2,969 | 2,087 | 57 | 38, 748 |
| Watertown.. | d7, 883 | 3,301 | 1,134 | 924 | 24 | 10,510 |
| a Census of 18S5, 10, 903 <br> $b$ Census of 1885, 21, 212 |  |  | $c$ Censu <br> d From | of $1883,22,0$ Commissione | 's Reporí o | $1883-\bigcirc 84 .$ |

## ADDITIONAL PARTICCLARS.

The school age in all these cities is 4 to 20. All report graded schools, classed as primary, grammar, and high, covering from 11 to 13 years. Music, drawing, and classical studies are included, and teachers' meetings are held throughout the school year.

Appleton, with a small increase in school population, enrollment, and attendance, reported 10 more teachers and $\$ 16,203$ additional expenses. The schools were taught 176 days in 7 buildings, with a seating capacity of 2,450 pupils. School property was advanced in value from $\$ 110,500$ in 1833-' 84 to $\$ 142,100$ in 1884-' 85 . Enrollment in private schools, 520 .
Eau Claire public schools were taught 180 days in 13 buildings, containing 44 rooms with 3,000 sittings, valued, with other sehool property, at $\$ 58,700$.
Fond $d u$ Lac reported a falling off in school popalation, with a corresponding adrance in enrollment aud attendance, 5 more teachers, and a slight increase in expenditure. The schools were in session 200 days in 17 buildings, containing 24 rooms for primary schools, 18 for grammar, and 4 for high, aggregating 3,800 sittings for study. Public school property was valued at $\$ 125,500$. Enrcllment in pricate schools, 600.
Janescille reports an increase in school population and ia daily attendance, but a decrease in the enrollment in its public schools, with 4 ferver teachers. This decrease in enrollment is partly accounted for by the fact that 50 more children than in the vear before were atteuding prirate schools, making in all 300 . Public schools were taught 186 days
in 11 buildings, with 35 rooms and 1,605 sittings, valued, with all other school property, at $\$ 100,000$.
La Crosse reports increase in all points except expenditure, which was about $\$ 10,000$ less than in the preceding year. The public schools were held 196 days in 13 buildings, with accommodations for 2,628 pupils. School property was valued at $\$ 138,000$. Estimated enrollment in private schools, 1,273.
Madison reported advancement all along the line, holding its schools 185 days in 8 buildings, with 1,900 sittings for study, valued, with all other school property, at $\$ 100,-$ 000 . Enrollment in all private schools, 300.
BFilwaukee includes kindergarten training in its city school system. The entire graded course covers 13 years, and music, drawing, and German are given throughout. A business course is offered to students beyond the eighth grade, embracing the ordinary English branches, elementary science, short-hand, type-writing, book-keeping, and let-ter-writing. The college preparatory course covers 3 years, and includes Latiu, Greek, German, French, English studies, and the sciences. Special teachers employed in 1884' 85 were 1 in music, 1 in drawing, and 16 in German. Evening schools were taught in day-school buildings, and enrolled 1,200 pupils, with an average attendance of 700 boys and 150 girls. Schools were taught 192 days in 27 buildings, containing 16,070 sittings for study and recitation. Public school property was valued at $\$ 863,800$. Enrollment in private schools, 13,010 .
Oshkosh in 1884-'85 showed an increase in youth of school age and in enrollment, with 1 more teacher, but expenditures were considerably less than in the preceding year. One school-house was added, making 10 in all, furnishing accommodations for 3,200 pupils, and valued, with all public school property, at $\$ 102,500$. A great difference is made in the salaries of the sexes teaching in the public schools, as the men receive an average annual salary of $\$ 831$, the women only $\$ 384$. The highest paid any man during the year was $\$ 1,750$; the highest paid any woman, $\$ 650$. The grades of instruction cover 10 years, closing with a full classical course, if desired. Public schools were in session 196 days during the year. Private schools enrolled 1,550 pupils.
Racine reported fewer youth of school age in 1884-'85, with a slight increase in enrollment and 2 more teachers. Public schools were taught 200 days in 8 buildings, containing 49 rooms, with 2,900 sittings for study, valued, with all school property, at $\$ 112,000$. Estimated enrollment in private schools, 963, occupying 9 rooms under 16 teachers.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## GENERAL STATE REQUIREMENTS.

Teachers, to be legally employed in public schools, must have a certificate of qualification from their county superintendents or from the State board of examiners, unless they are graduates of one of the State normal schools, of the State university, or of some college in the State with equivalent courses of study; and no person may receive a certificate who does not write and speak English easily and correctly. Certificates granted by county superintendents are of three grades. For third-grade certificates, good for time specified by county superintendents, not to exceed a year, applicants must be examined in common school branches; for second-grade, good for a year, there are added grammatical analysis, physical geography, and elementary algebra; and for first-grade, good for two years, applicants must pass a satisfactory examination in all the foregoing, also in higher algebra, natural philosophy, and geometry. Each county superintendent establishes for his county, under the adrice of the State superintendent, the standard of attainment which must be reached by applicants for the different grades of certificates. The board of examiners, which is appointed by the State superintendent, gives State diplomas good for 5 years and for life. The State superintendent also has power to graut diplomas to graduates of the un ersity and of colleges, which hold good until annulled. Diplomas of graduates from the full 4 -years course of the State normal schools, countersigned by the State superintendent, become unlimited State certificates after the holder has successfully taught one year.

## STATE NORIIAL TRAINING.

The 4 State normal schools, located respectively at Oshkosh, Platteville, River Falls, and White Water, are sustained from the income of the State normal school fund and from tuition fees. Normal instruction in each school covers 4 years. All have primary, intermediate, grammar, preparatory, and training-school departments, and that at Oshkosh has a kindergarten class. Children are received into this department between the ages of 4 and 7 years, and are classified in 3 divisions. The aggregate number of pupils in the 4 schools in 1884-' 85 was 2,045; of normal students, 1,199-an adrance over the preceding year of 74 in the aggregate attendance, and of 259 in normal students.

The grounds and building provided by the city of Milwaukee at an expense of $\$ 53,000$ were presented by that city for a State normal school, and accepted by the board of regente, in Jane, 1885 , to be opened for pupils the following September. Free taition in all these schools is extended to normal students who declare their intention to follow the profession of teaching.

## OTHER NOORIAL TRAINING.

Normal instruction enters into the city school system of Milwaukee in connection with the 3 -vears high school course.

The Tational German-American Seminary, Milwaukee, offers a 3 -years normal course, aull in 18 º' $^{3} 5$ had 17 students under 6 instructors. Vocal and instrumental music and drawing aie tauzit, and a model school for practice teaching is connected with the institution.
The Cutholic Normal School, St. Francis, has a 4 -years course of normal training, and reports 101 male students under 5 instructors; S of these students graduated during the year, all of whom engaged in teaching. Music and drawing are taught. No model school attached.

Ifilton College has a teachers' course divided into elementary and adranced sections, each requiring 2 vears for its completion.

A class in methods of teaching, meeting once or trice a week, was connected with Galesrille University in 1884.

The Kindergarten Training School, Eau Claire, in 1884-'85 had 12 normal students in its 1 -year coarse, of whom 4 were graduated and engaged in teaching.

## TEACHERS' INSTITCTES.

The law prorides for at least one State teachers' institute annually, to be conducted by the State superintendent, and for at least one institute in each count $y$ annually, held by the county superintendent. In the spring of 1835, teachers' institutes were held in 19 counties, with an aggregate attendance of 1,594 teachers. They are said to hare been well attended, and very profitable. The time occupied by these institutes ranged from 2 days to 2 weeks.

## EDUCATIONAL JOURNAL.

The Wisconsin Journal of Education, published at Madison and conducted by State Superintendent Graham and his assistants, is the organ of the State Teachers' Association and of the department of instruction. In 1835 it was in its fifteenth rolume.

## SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

## PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS.

The State appropriates $\$ 25,000$ annually for the maintenance of free high schools: and any district establishing a high school according to lam, and maintaining the same not less than 3 months in any school year, is entitled to receire from this fund annually onehalf the amount actually expended for such instruction. High schools are maintained in the cities of Appleton, Berlin, Eau Claire, Fond du Lac, Janesrille, La Crosse, Madison, Milwaukee, Oshkosh, Racine, and others, with classical courses of 3 or 4 years each, those of Madison and Milwaukee adding business courses. The State superintendent reports 119 high schools in the State, 4 more than in 1883-' 84 , with an enrollment of $7, \% 61$ pupils, an increase of 72 .

## OTHER SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

For statistics of business colleges, pritate academies, and preparatory schools reporting, see Tables IV, VI, and VII of the Appendix, and summaries in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## COLLEGES FOR YOUNG MEN OR FOR BOTH SEXES.

The Cniversity of Wizcorsin, Madison, with endowment from the State and from the Congressional grant for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts, with an annual income of nearly $\$ 30,000$, and with grounds. buildings, and apparatus ralued at $\$ 400,000$, receives an annual appropriation from the State, and gires its students free tuition, admitting both sexes on equal terms. Its 4 -years collegiate department includes a college of arts and one of letters, the latter having an ancient and a modern classical course, each leading to its appropriate degree. In both courses Latin is required, the ancient classical also requiring Greek; the modern c!assical, German or French in place of Greek. A graduate course is also prorided. Graduates of aceredited high schools are receired without further examination by the unirersity into any of its courses for which they hare been fitted.

The other institutions of collegiate rank are Lawrence University, Appleton; Galesville University; Northwestern University, Watertown; and Beloit, Milton, Racine, and Ripon Colleges. Beloit, Racine, and the university at Watertown are for young men only; the oters are open alike to hoth sexes. Lill have preparatory departments, scientific and classical courses of study, and Lawrence University a commercial course of 2 years.

For statistics of colleges, see Table IX of the Appendix; for a summary of their statistics, see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## INSTITUTIONS FOR TEE SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION OF YOCNG WOMEN.

For statistics of institutions of this class, see Table VIII of the Appendix, and the summary of it in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION.

## SCIENTIFIC.

Instruction of this class is found in the State university, in its college of agriculture and mechanic arts, established by act of Congress in 1882, granting 240,000 acres of land to the State for the practical teaching of these sciences. Departments of agricultural chemistry, botany, mechanical engineering, and practical mechanics are included. The study of astronomy is amply provided for in the Washburn Obserratory. The National Academy of Sciences has appropriated $\$ 300$ from the Bache Fund for the construction of an aurora spectroscope, which is to be loaned to the observatory.

Scientific courses of 2 to 4 years are found in Lawrence, Galesville, and Northwestern Universities, and in Beloit, Milton, Racine, and Ripon Colleges.
For full statistics of scientific schools, see Table X of the Appendix; for a summary, see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

PROFESSIONAL.
Theology.-Theological instruction is given in the Mission House, Franklin (Reformed); in the Lutheran Theological Seminary of the Synod of Wisconsin; at Nashotah House, Nashotah (Protestant Episcopal); and in the Seminary of St. Francis (Roman Catholic). All report 3 -years courses of study, and require an examination for admission.

For statistics and other information relative to these and other schools reporting, see Table XI of the Appendix; for a summary, see the report of the Commissioner preceding.

Latr.-Legal training is given in the law department of the State university in a 2 -years course, the instruction being by reading, lectures, and moot courts. Applicants for admission who are not college graduates must be 20 years of age, and must pass a satisfactory examination in the ordinary English branches.

Pharmacy is taught in the State university in a 2 -jears course, the instruction comprising a saries of lectures upon practical pharmacy, pharmaceutical and general chemistry, chemical physics, materia medica, and botany, all of which are illustrated by cabinet specimens, experiments, apparatus, and diagrams, with frequent reviews throughout the course. Graduates from a school of high standard, or who hold certificates of good standing and scholarship in a high school or college, and are at least 16 years of age, may be admitted without examination.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

## EDUCATION OF THE DEAF.

The Wisconsin School for the Deaf, Delaran, a State institution, gives tuition, books, board, etc., free of charge to deaf mutes of the State who are between the ages of 8 and 21 years, and of sound mind, health, and morals. Instruction is given in the common and higher English branches, including anatomy, chemistry, natural history, and philosophy, with drawing, painting in oil and water colors, lip-reading, and oral speech; also baking, carpentering, printing, and shoemaking. The rorkshops are each uuder the charge of a competent foremau, and the work is said to he carried on with profit and success.
The Miliwaukee Day School for Deaf Children, fouaded in 1533, and for some time under control of the Wisconsin Phonolozical Institute, became a public sehool, with special State aid, April 4, 1885. It had 11 pupils in 1854-' 55 , under 2 instructors. The common English branches are taught by the oral method alone. The innome for the year is reported to have been $\$ 2,200$ from the Wisconsin Phonological Institute, and $\$ 150$ from tuition fees. Expenditure for the year was $\$ 2,500$.

The Wisconsin Institution for the Education of the Blind, Janesville, is supported by the State, no charge being made for board or tuition. Pupils are admitted between the ages of 8 and 21 years, and are given a good common-school cducation, specially adapted to their condition. A kindergarten is consected with the institution. Besikes rocal and instrumental music, various trades and industries enter into the daily instructiou, thereby fitting pupils to take an intelligent and useful part in the aftairs of life. The number of pupils on the rolls October, 1534, was 64, under 11 teachers.

## REFORMATORY AND IN゙DUSTRIAL TRAINING.

The Hisconsiil Industrial School for Boys, Waukesha, for the moral, intellectual, aud industrial training of youthful offenders between the ages of 10 and 16 , was established under state control in 1860. Since that time 2,286 boys have been committed. The primary branches are taught, with such industries as boot and shoe making, sockknitting, tailoring, and farming.
The II isconsin Industrial School for Girls, Milwaukee, established in 13\%5, gives moral and cducational training to girls under 16 and boys under 10 years of age, who are found in danger of falling into habits of vice and immorality; also to the stribborn and unruly, and to offenders under the abore ages who hare committed and been arraigned for any punishable ofiense. In $1884-85$ there were 45 boys and 127 girls, under 18 instructors, and 96 were discharged during the year. The parents of nearly all were illiterate, and all but 5 or 6 were native born. Since the institution was organized, 530 have been committed; and of the number discharged, nine-tenths are known to have become useful and orderly members of society. The common English branches are taught, with civil government and domestic economy. Instraction is also given in sewing and general housework.

## EDUCATIONAL CONVENTIONS.

## WISCONSIN STATE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

The meeting of this association was held at Madison, December 29-31, 1884, President R. W. Burton in the chair. The first address was by Hon. L. A. Proctor, upon "The work of the Boys' Industrial School." Hon. Robert Graham, State superintendent, presented the report of the committee on "Arbor day," recommending that the governor of the State be requested to appoint a day in the spring of 1835 to be obserred as Arbor day, which was concurred in. A paper by Professor Belfield, of the Chicago Manual Labor School, upon the "New education" was read; alter which ensued a spirited discussion upon the course of reading in all grades of public schools. Prof. A. F. North follower with a paper upon "Courtesy," and President J. L. Pickard, of the Iowa State university, addressed the association upon "The increase of crime in the United States, and the relation of the schools thereto." Papers were also read upon "The duty of the school to the community," and "Oral instruction;" after which the committee on resolations reported and the association adjourned.

## CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OFFICER.

Hon. Robert Graham, State superintendent of public instruction, Madison.
[Second term, 1885 to 1888.]


#### Abstract

ALASKA. Dr. Sheldon Jackson, recently appointed United States general agent of education in Alaska, reports the schools for 1884-185, as far as organized, in a flourishing condition under missionary supervision. At Sitka, in the summer of 1884, the board of home missions of the Presbyterian Church secured a contract from the Commissioner of Indian Affairs for the enlargement of the native training and industrial school. In September, 1884, the girls' industrial school at Fort Wrangell, with its 2 teachers, was semored to Sitka and consolidated with this school. Buildings were erected in the autumn and winter of 1884 to replace those burned the year previous. Central Hall, a $2 \frac{1}{2}$ story frame building, 130 by 50 feet, contains school-rooms, kitchen, dining-rooms, sewing-rooms, girls' dormitory, teachers' rooms, etc., occupied in January, 1885. On the completion of other buildings regular instruction was begun in carpentry and woodwork. Over 100 children were in the boarding department. At Haines, 200 miles north of Sitka, an industrial school is reported with 25 to 30 boarding pupils and 75 day scholars, under 3 instructors. The Hoonah Mission, 130 miles north of Sitka, had an attendance, during the winter of 1884 , of 69 boys, 76 girls, and 74 adnits, making a total of 219 , under 2 instructors. The school at Jackson, 533 miles south of Sitka, reported an attendance of 100 pupils. All the above schools are supported by Presbyterian missions.

At Fort Wrangell a small industrial school for boys is maintained by Mrs. S. Hall Young, from whom nostatistics have been received. No statistical report has been received from the Seal Islands, where the Alaska Company has schools, which their contract with the Government requires them to support.


## PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

On March 2,1885, the Secretary of the Interior assigned the duty of making provision for the education of children in Alaska to the United StatesCommissioner of Education. Although thisact was too late to be available for the school year now closed, it promises an enlargement of school operations during 1886. This nerv work will require not only additional teachers, but also school buildings, furniture, books, etc., necessitating an increased appropriation.

As nearly as can be ascertained from the United States census of 1880, there are about 11,000 children of schoolable age in Alaska. This is, probably, under the real number, but is far in excess of any possible enrollment.

## CHIEF SCHOOL OFFICER.

Dr. Sheldon Jacesor, general agent of education, Sitka.
[Appointed April 10, 1885.]

## ARIRONA.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

(From reports of the territorial superintendents of public instraction, Hon. W. B. Horton and Hon. R. L. Long, for the years mentioned.)

## STATE SCHOOL SYSTEII.

## GENERAL CONDITION.

The rital points in the school work of the year show a clear advance on 1883-'81. The increase of only 5 in teachers comes from 5 men falling off and 10 women coming in. Arizona follows the example of the new Territories and many of the new States in pasing the same wages to men and women teachers of the same grade, its average monthly pay being $\$ 8 \% .84$, an increase of $\$ 2.84$ orer that last reported. An adrance of $\$ 58,919$ in the value of public school property is reported.

## ADMINISTRATION.

The educational interests of the Territory are cared for by a territorial board of education, of which the governor is president, and a territorial superintendent of public instruction is secretary, the treasurer of the Territory forming a third member. A concurrence of all the members of this board is necessary to the validity of its acts.

The board determines the regulations for the government of the public schools and school libraries; plans for the improvement of the territorial school fund ; prescribes a uniform series of text books for the public schools, and the course of study to be pursued in them; grants educational diplomas ralid for 6 years, or life diplomas on satisfactory evidence of 10 years' successful teaching, both revocable on proof of immoral conduct or evident unfitness for effective school work.

A school month is 20 days, or 4 weeks of 5 days each. The public schools must be open for all children in the district of legal school age ( $6-18$ ). They are classed as pri-
mary and grammar schools, and must be taught in the English language, including in the branches taught elements of physiology, book-keeping, industrial drawing, and mauners and morals.
A school session is not to exceed 6 hours a day, nor more than 4 for children under 8 years of age. No sectarian literature is to be admitted to the public schools, nor are they to be under the control of any religious denomination.
For more detailed iniormation, see "New legislation" below.

> SCHOOL FINANCES.

See "Aew legislation" below.
NEW LEGISLATION.
Amendments to the school law, passed March 12, 1885, added to the duties of the territorial board of education the devising of plans to increase the public school fruds and the selection of a list of books for school libraries.
A territorial board of examiners was also provided for, to consist of the territorial superintendent and 2 persons appointed by him, to adopt rules of examination for territorial teachers' certificates, and to prepare questions for the use of county boards of esaminers, whose pay is now limited to $\$ 5$ daily while in session.

The probate judge of each county is continued as ex officio county superintendent of public schools, to apportion school moneys, visit schools, preside at institutes, ${ }^{1}$ and make reports. He may appoint a deputy, but may not pay him from the school fund.

Every county, city, or incorporated town is now made a school district (Pima County excepted), each district to have the former 3 trustees, elected for 1 -year terms. Women are eligible, and may vote as previously, except in Apache and Graham Counties. The trustees elected must visit each school in their districts at least once a quarter, must maintain them an equal length of time, and, as far as possible, with equal privileges; must also provide paper, pens, ink, slate-pencils, and crayons for them, not to exceed yearly $\$ 10$ for each teacher.

A census-marshal in each district is still to take (apparently annually) a census of all school children (now made 6 to 18 years of age instead of the former 6 to 21), and to report them to the county superintendent, specifying those attending private schools, public schools, or no school. The clerk of a school district is now allowed to act as censusmarshal, and has the further duty of keeping the school-house in repair and of providing the before-mentioned school supplies.

A school year is made to be from July 1st of one year to June 30th of the next, instead of from September to August, as before. The school month is still 20 school days. The prescribed school studies are unchanged, except that rocal music seems to hare been dropped as a required branch.

Teachers are now to report monthiy, instead of quarterly, and are also to make annual reports on blanks provided by the superintendent of public instruction.

The school tax for the territorial treasury is made 3 cents on each $\$ 100$, instead of the former 15 cents; and that for county school purposes is made specifically 75 cents on each $\$ 100$, instead of 50 to 80 cents. The ordinary time for keeping schools open is made 5 months instead of 3 ; and when the territorial and district school moneys will not meet all needs of instruction and buildings for that time, the voters may determine whethes more shall be raised, and if so, how much.

## SCHOOL SYSTEM OF TUCSON.

## SCHOOL STATISTICS AND OTHER EDUCATIONAL PARTICULARS.

Tucson sends no report to this Bureau since January, 1883, at which time the school buildings did not meet the growth of school youth, and a new one was soon to be erecter which would furnish ample room. The enrollment was 318, an increase of 84 during the year. Schools were classed as primary, grammar, and high, the course covering 11 years. music and drawing entering into the first 8 years.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## GENERAL REQUIREMENTS.

The law provides for county boards of examiners, consisting of the county superintendent and 2 other persons in the county appointed by the territorial superintendent. It is the duty of these boards (1) to examine applicants and issue county certifieates, valid for 4 years, authorizing the holders to teach in grammar schools; also others valid for 2 years, anthorizing to teach in primary schools; (2) to grant, without exami-
nation, county certificates to holders of life and normal school diplomas; (3) to renew, on the same conditions, certificates previously issued by them, or granted in their county, the same to remain valid for the time for which the original ones were granted. They may also issue temporary certificates, ralid until the next regular meeting of the county board, to such as may furnish evidence of experience in teaching, these to be given only once. Certificates may be granted only to those who pass a satisfactory examination in orthography, defining, re:aing, penmanship, physiology, natural philosophy, composition, arithmetic, algebra, geograply, grammar, history of the United States, methods of teaching, and the school law of the Territory.

Applicants for seconl-grade certificates are not required to pass an examination in algebra, physiology, or natural philosophy.

## TEACHERS' INSTITUTES.

The new law of 1885 prorides that whenever the number of districts in any county is 10 or more the school superintendent may, at his discretion, hold at least one teachers' institute each year, which every teacher of a public school in the county must attend, unless good cause is shown for non-attendance, their wages to continue if the institute occurs while their schools are in session. The institute may continue not less than 3 nor morep than 5 days.

The superintendents of 2 or more counties may hold a joint institute, the expenses to be apportioned among them, provided they do not exceed $\$ 25$ for each county.

## SECONDARY AND SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

SECONDARY.
With the exception of the high school at Tucson no provision for the higher education of the youth of the Territory is yet reported to this Bureau.

## SUPERIOR.

Up to present writing no institutions of this class, either territorial or private, have been reported.

CHIEF TERRITORIAL SCHOOL OFFICER.
Hon. R. L. Long, territorial superintendent of public instruction, Phcenix.
[First term, from January 1, 1885, to January 1, 1857.]
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## DAMOTA. <br> STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

|  | a1883-'84. | 1884-'85. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| POPULATION AND ATTENDANCE. |  |  |  |  |
| Youth of school age (7-20) | 77, 499 | 87,563 | 10,064 |  |
| Enrolled in public schools. | 50, 031 | 69,075 | 19, 044 |  |
| A.verage daily attendance.---------- | 32,520 | 43, 517 | 10,997 |  |
| Per cent. of school youth enrolled ...- | 64.55 | 78.88 | 14.33 |  |
| Per cent. of same in arerage attend-- ance. | 41.96 | 49.70 | 7.74 | --------- |
| DISTRICTS AND SCHOOLS. |  |  |  |  |
| Organized school districts | 1,042 | 1,062 | 20 | -------- |
| Number of graded schools | 69 | 291 | 222 |  |
| Ungraded schools. | 1,930 | 2,988 | 1,058 |  |
| School-houses | 1,921 | 2,745 | 824 |  |
| Built during the year | 785 | 895 | 110 |  |
| School townships .---------------- -- - - - - | 567 | 781 | 214 |  |
| Average time of schools in days .-..-- | 101 | 99 |  | 2 |
| TEACHERS. |  |  |  |  |
| Men teaching in public schools | 863 | 1,284 | 421 |  |
| Women teaching in the same | 2,048 | 2,861 | 813 |  |
| Whole number of teachers | 2,911 | 4,145 | 1, 234 |  |
| FINANCIAL STATEMENT. |  |  |  |  |
| Average monthly pay of men teaching- | \$38 43 | \$38 23 |  | 20 |
| Average montbly pay of women.--.-- | 3172 | 3129 |  | 43 |
| Expenditure for public schools | 1,306, 879 | 1,814,212 | \$507,333 |  |
| Valuation of public school property--- | 1,689, 653 | 2,187, 850 | 498, 192 |  |

$a$ The returns for 1883-' 81 cover the 15 months ending June 30, 1884.
(From the report of Hon. W. H. H. Beadle, territorial superintendent of public instruction, for the two years indicated.)

## TERRITORIAL SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## GENERAL CONDITION.

The statistics reported present increase in nearly all the items, which indicate effective school work. Large additions to the teaching force helped to increase the expenditure for schools, although the salaries of both sexes were reduced. This reduction and a decrease of 2 days in school session are the only backward steps reported. A large increase in school-houses added $\$ 694,660$ to the expenditures, this amount being $\$ 194,-$ 579 greater than the entire sum paid for teachers' wages. The great number of additional school baildings gives the children a less distance to travel to and from their schools and enables teachers to secure greater punctuality. During the year covered by this report nearly 79 per cent. of the school population attended scbool, a noble record for a Territory, and especially a noble one for a Territory still so young. To secure good teachers 2 normal schools have been established, one at Madison, doing good work, the other at Spearfish, which was just beginning work. There are also several efficient high schools so well established that classes graduate from them annually.

## RELATIVE PROGRESS.

The report of Superintendent Beadle for 1833-'84 appeared remarkable in showing that this young Territory led several of the States in expenditure for public schools.

But now Superintendent A. S. Jenes claims that, in this respect, Dakota leads 22 of the great States that are of much older date than it, several of these States not expending for school purposes one-half as much as Dakota; while, as respects accommodations for school children, it is claimed that it leads 22 again, having had in 1884-' 85 a school house for every 151 of population, the States surpassed by it coming in the following order: Kansas and New Hampshire each 1 school-house for 156 of population; Minnesota, 1 for 167; Indiana, 1 for 204; Wisconsin, 1 for 221; Florida and Michigan, 1 for 232; Missouri, 1 for 247; Kentucky, 1 for 252; Ohio, 1 for 255; Illinois, 1 for 256; South Carolida, 1 for 305; Pennsylvania, 1 for 323; Tennessee, 1 for 326; Colorado, 1 for 370; Connecticut, 1 for 375; New York, 1 for 426; North Carolina, 1 for 544; Arkausas, 1 for 552; New Jersey, 1 for 714, and Texas, 1 for 1,106.

In the part of the Territory known as South Dakota there was in 1884-'85 a schoolhouse for every 132 people; in North Dakota 1 for every 202; the latter leading all the above-named States but 4, the former leading nearly all the United States.

In permanent school property, valued at $\$ 2,187,850,15$ of the States are said to be outranked, and in the number of teachers employed 14 were surpassed.

## ADMINISTRATION.

Educational affairs are in the hands of a superintendent of public instruction, appointed biennially by the governor and confirmed by the legislature; of county superintendents, chosen biennially by the people, women being eligible; and of township boards of 3 members, elected for 3 years, with annual change of 1 . The duty of these boards is to provide buildings, employ teachers, regulate schools, and disburse the funds of their townships. The school census must be taken annually. The Bible may not be excluded from any public school, nor deemed a sectarian book, and the law requires that the highest standard of morals be taaght. School attendance is compulsory on all children 10 to 14 years of age for at least 12 weeks in each school year, 6 of which weeks must be consecutive, unless such children are excused by the school authorities for good reasons.

## SCHOOL FINANCES.

Taxation is of two kinds: (1) a county tax of $\$ 1$ on each elector, and of 2 mills on each $\$ 1$ of tazable property, to be distributed in proportion to school population; (2) a local tax, not to exceed 3 per cent. of the tasable property of the district in which it is levied. The general tax, or public fund, as it is called, is increased by penalties of various kinds, and is distributed according to the ratio of school youth in each school corporation.

## CITY SCHOOL SYSTEM OF YANKTON.

## ADIINISTRATION, STATISTICS, AND ADDITIONAL PARTICULARS.

The Yankton schools are under the supervision of a board of education, including a secretary and treasurer. A visiting committee is appointed, to whom appeals may be made from the decisions of the board. Corporal punishment may not be administered by any teacher until the case has been reported to the secretary of the board.
The present population of the city is about 4,500 . The people are noted for their intelligence, enterprise, and thrift, education securing from them attention proportioned to its importance. Great liberality is displayed in providing school facilities. Six school buildings, including a high school, are said to be models of comfort and convenience, and furnish ample room for the 1,000 youth enrolled. The course of study is divided into the usual 12 grades, one for each year, the primary, grammar, and high school departments each occupying 4 years. The text-books, as well as the studies, are prescribed by the board of education. Nothing of a sectarian or partisan character is allowed.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## GENERAL TERRITORIAL REQUIREMENTS.

The law authorizes county superintendents to issue three grades of certificates to persons over 18 years of age, who are found, upon examination, to be qualified to teach; the first grade good for 2 years, the second for 18 months, and the third forone year. County superintendents may issue probationary certificates, good for 6 months, to persons not found qualified. Besides these, the territorial superintendent may issue certificates valid for 5 years to graduates of normal schools, or to persons who have established themselves as teachers of special merit.

During the year there were issued to teachers 2,901 certificates, 398 of the first grade, 856 of the second, 1,161 of the third, and 486 probationary. Of the applicants for teachers' certificates; 404 were rejected.

## TIERRITORIAL NORMAL TRAINING.

The territorial normal schools at Madison and Spearfish, with elementary and adranced courses, report an aggregate of 153 pupils studying with a view to teaching. Length of course not defined.

The University of Dakota, Vermillion, offers a 4-years course of normal training, and students qualified to teach at the close of the first or second year receive a certificate to that effect. Those who complete the full course of 4 years and pass the examination creditably receive diplomas conferring the degree of bachelor of didactics. The studies include the common and higher English branches, with astronomy, chemistry, geometry, land measurement, mental science, ciril government, and lectures upon the science and art of teaching.

The University of North Dakota has a normal department, course not defined.
other normal instruction.
Pierre University, organized in 1853, presents a 3-years course of normal instruction, including astronomy, botany, chemistry, physics, physical geography, logic and rhetoric, geology, and methods of teaching.

The Agricultural College, Brookings, las a normal department, course not defined.

## TEACHERS' INSTITUTES.

The law requires institutes to be held, conducted by teachers employed or designated by the territorial superintendent, and $\$ 600$ are annually appropriated for this purpose. Of this fund, not more than $\$ 60$ may be paid for the expenses of any institute in a year, such institute to continue in session 2 weeks. Two or more counties may be grouped into one institute, and $\$ 30$ be appropriated for its use. Erery applicant for a county teachers' certificate must pay \$1, which is added to the institute fund of the countr where it is given. In 1834-'85 there were 38 county institutes held; fees receired for them, $\$ 2,961$.

EDUCATIONAL JOURNALS.
The Dakota School Joumal, published at Blunt by Mr. Henry Hoffman, appears to be the only medium of educational information for the Territory, and gives much matter of general use. It was in its first volume in 1884-' 85.

## SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

## PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS.

The law permits such schools to be established and maintained, subject to the will of the township voters. In 1884-'85 there were 291 graded schools reported in the Territory, also several very efficient high schools. The course of instruction in the Yankton high school occupies 4 years, and includes the higher English branches, with chemistry, book-keeping, physics, and Latin.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## COLLEGES FOR YOUNG MEN OR FOR BOTH SEXES.

The University of Dakota, Vermillion, organized in 1883, has preparatory and collegiate departments, the former covering 3, the latter 4 years, of 36 weeks each. Each department embraces classical, scientific, and literary courses. Vocal and instrumental music are taught, and normal training is provided for in a 4 -years course. For 1883-'84 and 1884-' 85 the legislature appropriated $\$ 51,000$ for the institution. The school had a library of 480 volumes. Valuation of all property belonging to the university, $\$ 65,000$.

The University of North Dakota, Grand Forks, was chartered in 1883, and received from the legislature $\$ 30,000$ as a building fund. Like the above, it is designed to supply the usual university courses, and, like that, has established preparatory, collegiate, and normal departments.

Pierre University, East Pierre, first organized in 1883 as the Presbyterian University of South Dakota, has preparatory and collegiate departments, the former of 3, the latter of 4 years. Both departments have classical and scientific courses, with elective studies for each. After completing the first year of collegiate study, ladies may, for Greek and mathematics, substitute music and painting. A 3 -years course is provided in rocal and instrumental music. Drawing, painting, and book-keeping are taught, as well as normal methods in teaching. Gifts and bequests were made during the year to the amount of $\$ 19,500$. School property was valued at $\$ 40,000$.

Yankiton Colleqe (Congregational), established in 1881, reported in 1884 property worth
$\$ 25,000$, and in 1884-'S5 had 122 students, 12 of them in collegiate classes, under a faculty of 7 professors.

For statistics of these and like institutions reporting, see Table IX of the Appendix. ${ }^{1}$

## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION.

## SCIENTIFIC.

The Dakota Agricultural College, Brookings, reported 240 pupils in all its departments, under 6 instractors. Courses of agriculture and domestic economy, and civil and mechanical engineering, are provided; also a literary course, in which prominence is giren to science and general literature. The degrees of Sci. B., B. C. E., and B. M. E. are conferred upon gradnates of the proper departments.

The School of Mines, Rapid City, opened in 1835, has a technical course of study, including chemistry, metallurgy, geology. mining, milling, engineering, mathematics, mechanics, draming, and the fundamental laws of the United States. This school, like the agricultural college, is free to all residents of Dakota of proper age and qualifications.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

## EDUCATION OF THE DEAF.

Dakota School for Deaf Mrutes, Sioux Falls, founded in 1830, reported 28 boys and 9 girls, under 2 instructors. The common English branches are taught, with articulation to a limited extent. The institution owns 10 acres of land, and agriculture appears to be the only industrial training provided. The Territory appropriated $\$ 16.000$ for 1884-'85; income from other sources, about $\$ 5,010$. Expenditures, $\$ 5,010$. Valuation of school property, $\$ 39,000$.

## OBITUARY NOTE.

June 5, 1885, at Vermillion, Dakota, Hon. John Wesley Simonds departed this life. A native of Franklin, N. H., be became a teacher, and rose through the rarious grades of school life to the superintendency of the publicschools of his native State, holding this position from $18 \% 1$ to 1873 by his first election, and for the larger part of a second term, from February, 1874, to August, 1876, by special election to succeed Hon. Daniel S. Beede. How employed afterwards does not appear till September, 1883, when he became president of the University of Dakota, where he seems to hare done excellent work until his death, thoroughly organizing the departments of instruction and greatly increasing the attendance.

CHIEF TERRITORIAL SCHOOL OFFICER.
Hon. W. H. H. Beadle, territorial superintendent of public instruction, Yankton.
[Third term, 1333 to 1885. Then succeeded by Hon. A. Sheridan Jones.]

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## DISTHEECTOF COLUNRIA.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

|  | 1883-'84. | 1884-'85. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| population and attendance. |  |  |  |  |
| Population of the District | a177, 625 | 6203,459 |  |  |
| Total school population (6-17) | a43, 537 | a43, 537 |  |  |
| Colored school population | a11, 938 | a11, 938 |  |  |
| Total enrollment in public schools.- | 30,388 | 28,659 |  | 1,729 |
| Colored enrollment. | 9,167 | 9, 486 | 319 |  |
| Average daily attendance | 22, 318 | 23,296 | 978 |  |
| Colored in daily attendance | 6,895 | 7, 191 | 296 |  |
| Enrolled in private schools. | 4,000 |  |  |  |
| scerools. |  |  |  |  |
| Number of sittings. | 25,076 |  |  |  |
| Average time of schools, in days. | 189 | $185 \frac{1}{2}$ |  | $3 \frac{1}{2}$ |
| TEACHERS. |  |  |  |  |
| Number of men teaching.-........-.-- | 56 | 58 | 2 |  |
| Number of women teaching | 469 | 507 | 38 |  |
| Colored teachers ----- | 154 | 162 | 8 |  |
| Total number of teachers. | 525 | 565 | 40 |  |
| financial statement. |  |  |  |  |
| Average monthly pay of white male teachers. |  | \$36 90 |  |  |
| Of white female teachers. |  | 6106 |  |  |
| Of colored male teachers. |  | 12778 |  |  |
| Of colored female teachers |  | 5714 |  |  |
| Expenditure for public schools | \$559, 697 | 581, 535 | \$21, 838 |  |
| Value of public school property | 1,296, 355 | 1,390,666 | 94, 311 |  |

a Census of 1880 .
$b$ Police census of 1885.
(From returns of Hon. W. B. Powell, superintendent of public schools, and G. F. T. Cook, superintendent of colored schools, for the 2 years indicated.)

## DISTRICT SCEOOL SYSTEM.

## GENERAL CONDITION.

No report of the condition of the public schools of the District is at present printed. The statistics, as presented by returns, show a generally well proportioned increase, althongh there was a falling off in the length of the school term and in the number enrolied. No statistics are available as to private schools, therefore the number of youth of school age under instruction can not be given. Public school property was largely increased in value. Ten months constituted the school year. The income for all the public schools for $1884-185$ was $\$ 526,575$.

## ADMINISTRATION.

The absence of suffrage in the District of Columbia places the choice of the 9 menibers of the board of trustees, which is the educational authority, in the hands of the commissioners of the District. This board annually selects 2 superintendents ( 1 white, 1 colored), as its chief executive officers, and chooses supervising principals, to act under the supervision of these superintendents. Through its committee on teachers, the board
of trustees also appoints an examining board, composed of the 2 superintendents and an undefined number of supervising principals and principals of public schools. To assign each superintendent to his proper field of action, the public schools have been formed into 8 divisions, the first 4 comprising the schools for whites in Washington: the fifth, like schools in Georgetornn; the sisth, the rural schools for both races-over all of which one of the superintendents exercises authority: the seventh and eighth, comprising the schools for colored youth of Washington and Georgetown, are under the control of his collengue. The school age is G-17. The schools are all graded, with a fer exceptions among the rural schools, and each race is taught by instructors of its own color.

## SCEOOL FINANCES.

To support the school system, Congress makes an annual appropriation, one-half of which is taken from the amount raised by local tasation, and the other from the public funds of the United States.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OE TEACHERS.

## EEQUIREMENTS AND GRADING.

The board of examination is composed of the two superintendents and an undefined number of principals of public schools. As the result of examinations, a first-class certificate is sufficient eridence of the qualifications required for teaching in any school from the first to the third grade, inclusive; a second-class certificate, for any school from the first to the fifth grade, inclusive; a thitd class, from the first to the serenth grade, inclusire; a fourth-class certificate, from the first to the eighth grade, inclusire; for all other positions the examinations and certificates are special. Teachers holding first and second class certificates must be at least 18 jears of age; all others not less than 21 .

## DISTRICT NORMAL TRAINING.

There are 2 normal schools, for white and colored teachers respectively, connected with the public school system. The number of students is limited to 30 , selected from the female graduates of the high schools in the District. Each candidate must be at least 18 jears of age, and, besides passing the required preliminary examination satisfactorily, must declare her intention to complete the prescribed course of stady, and, after graduation. to teach at least 2 years in the public schools of the District. The course of stady in these normal schools is strictly professional, and limited to 1 year, divided into 4 terms. The studies include psychology, didactics. pedagogics, methods of instruction, observation lessons, natural history, physical and rocal culture, hygiene, and rocal music, with actual teaching for 1 month in the training schools established for this parpose.

## OTHER NOBJIAL TRAINLKG.

Wayland Seminary, organized by the Baptist Church in 1865, for colored students, had 61 young men and 45 joung women under normal instruction in 1884-'85. The first Fear of the course includes the common school branches; the second adds bonk-keeping and botany; and the senior year is deroted to higher studies, with chemistry, natural philosophy, political economy, and the gorernment class-book. A class in elocation meets weekly. Students desiring to take a partial course are assigned to the classes they are prepared to cnter.
Horcard Cniversity reports a 3 -years course of normal training, in which, in 1884-'85, were 1544 students.
Two kindergarten training schools are reported-the Froebel Institute, under the direction of Mrs. Louise Pollock, and the Garfield Kindergarten Training School, conducted by Mrs. Amna B. Ogden.
For statistics, see Table III of the Appendix.

## SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

## PUDLIC HIGH SCROOLS.

The Washington High School (for both sexes) has 3 leading courses of study, academic, scientific, and basiness, each covering 3 years, but no one of these courses is in every part compulsory. Subject to the hour plan of recitation, pupils may. with approval of parents or guardians, determine their own course of studr. The studies of the high school embrace mathematios, physics, chemistry, natural science, business training. English, German, Latin,•Greek, history, and political science. Regular and special elective courses in drawing are prorided, and for the third year students may elect from instrumental drawing, free-hand drawing and design in colors, exercises in composition, recitation, or reading. Drawing and rocal music extend through the entire conrse.

The school library numbers orer 3,000 volumes, books being arranged and catalogued by subjects for easy reference. All books except encyclopedias and similar works of reference may be borrowed by pupils.
The high school for colored youth was in operation during the year, but no report of it has been furnishect.
other secondary schools.
Statistics of business colleges, private academies, independent preparatory schools, and preparatory departments of colleges and scientific schools may be found, as far as reported to this Bureau, in Tables IV, VI, VII, IX, and X of the Appendir; summaries of them, in corresponding tables in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## COLLEGES FOR YOUNG MEN OR FOR BOTH SEXES.

The Columbian, Georgetown, and Howard Universities, in 1884-'85 continued their 4 -years collegiate courses, Columbian devoting 4 years to preparatory training, and each of the others 3 years. The National University exists at present in its law course only. In the collegiate department of Columbian University the regular course of instruction is divided into schools of English, Greek, Latin, modern languages, mathematics, natural history, and philosophy. The university has also schools of law and of medicine. Degrees were conferred on 111 graduates during the year.

Georgetown University, besides classical and scientific collegiate courses, has schools of medicine and of law, and a post-graduate course which includes the fundamental principles of civil, political, and international law, the history of philosophy, and special branches of science. The college library contains 30,000 volumes, many rare and ancient works being among them. The philosophical cabinet and chemical laboratory are well equipped; and the astronomical observatory, besides being provided with instruments, has a library of 500 rolumes on astronomy, mathematics, and physical science. Degrees were conferred in 1884-' 85 on 63 graduates.
The instruction in Howard University comprises collegiate, normal, theological, and medical courses, with law, pharmacy, and dentistry. An industrial department is provided, and all stadents in the preparatory and normal classes are required to attend at specified hours; those of the other departments are encouraged to do so. The branches taught are tin and iron work, carpentry, printing, shoemaking, and tailoring, with cooking and sewing for the girls.
The National Deaf-Mute College, Kendall Green, presents, with preparatory training, a collegiate course of 5 years of 36 weeks each, leading to the degrees of A. B., Sci. B., Ph. B., A. M., Sci. M., and Ph. D. This institution was incorporated in 1857, and is sustained by the Government and the pay from pay pupils. Deaf-mute children of the District of Columbia and of the Army and Navy receive free education. The range of study was extended in 1864 to embrace a college course, and the institution was divided into 2 departments, giving the adranced one the title of National Deaf-Mute College, while the preparatory school still retains the old name of the Columbia Institution. This is the only college for deaf mutes in the United States, and students may here receive a thorough course of intellectual training in the higher walks of literature and the liberal arts. A well selected library of 2,600 volumes belongs to the college, to which additions are made annually. The college property is valued at $\$ 650,000$; amount appropriated by Congress in 1884-' 85 for the support of the institution, $\$ 58,000$.
Gonzaga College (Roman Catholic) reports 2 courses of study covering 8 years. The 2 departments are the collegiate course proper, including the Greek and Latin classics, and the non-classical course, embracing English language and literature, mathematics, and the natural sciences. Penmanship and short-hand are taught, as well as military drill.
For statistics of colleges reporting, see Table IX of the Appendix; for a summary of their statistics, see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION.

## SCIENTIFIC.

The Corcoran Scinool of Science and Arts of the Columbian University presents general and special courses of study occupying 4 years. The general course embraces studies leading to the degrees of Sici. B., and of civil, mechanical, and mining engineer, etc. Among the studies of the special course are practical astronomy, electrical engineering, architecture, geodesy, analytical chemistry, metallurgy, assaying, and drawing in all its branches.
Georgetown University and the National Deaf-Mute College present scientific courses,
each covering 3 years. The degree of bachelor of science is conferred on those who pass satisfactory examinations in the branches studied. Graduates from the Deaf-Mute College who have made satisfactory prorress in science, philosophy, literature, and the liberal arts, on furnishing good evidence of the same to the faculty, receive the degree of master of scieace.

## PROFESSIONAL.

Tueologr.-Theological instruction is given in Howard University in a well organized 3 -years course, including Hebrew and Greek. This department is non-sectarian, and is sustained by the American Missionary Association and the Presbytery of Washington. For 1884 -' 85 there were reported 50 stadents in the course, of whom 14 were unclassified.

Law.-Legal training is provided in the law departments of Georgetown, Columbian, Homard, and National Universities. The course of study for each is divided into 3 periods of one year each; the first, or junior year, is giren to the study of real and personal property, contracts, and negotiable instruments; the second, or senior year, to evidence, pleading, equity, jurisprudence, and the law of torts. A post-graduate course of one year in each case includes the studies of commercial and mercantile law, applied evidence, and practice. The degree of L. B. is conferred at the end of 2 years, and that of L. M. on completing the post-graduate course, provided students pass a satisfactory examination. This last course is necessary to full legal practice in the District of Columbia.

The Law Library at the United States Capitol contains over 50,000 volumes, and, by the operation of the copyrightlaw and the outlay of an annual appropriation, is constantly receiring new acquisitions, thus being keptin a state of comp密eness. Students of the be-fore-mentioned universities have free access to this library for 7 hours each day, and the privilege is largely availed of.
Medicine. - The National Medical College, a department of Columbian University, and the medical departments of Georgetown, Howard, and National Universities, present the usual courses of 3 years of from 20 to 30 weeks each. The course in Georgetown is graded; for the others such a course is recommended, bat not required. For admission to either of these schoois there must be proof of fitness; only graduates from colleges, high schools, and academies are exempt from a preliminary examination. For graduation students must be at least 21 years of age, of unblemished character, must have attended the required 3 years of study, including 3 courses of lectures, dissections, etc., and pass a satisfactory final examination on all the branches taught in the course. In 1884-'85 the aggregate number of matriculates in these schools was 215, of graduates, 51.
For further information see Table XII of the Appendix.
Pharmact.-The National College of Pharmacy, with annual sessions of about 32 weeks, requiresfor graduation 2 years of study in practical and analytical chemistry and toxicology, pharmacy, materia-medica, and botany. These lead to the degree of doctor of pharmacy.
Dentistry is taught, in all its branches, in the dental departments of the National and Howard Universities.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

## EDUCATION OF THE DEAF.

The Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb, Kendall Green, including the National Deaf-Mute College already noticed, in 1834-'35 had 45 students in the college department and 106 in the institution. Preparatory and collegiate training is provided, with articulation and cabinet making for the lower department. In the institution there are 20 girls, but none in the college.
A. Graham Bell's School for Deaf Children, founded in 1883, in 1884-'85 had 6 pupils, under 2 instructors, in articulation and the common English branches of stady. The school is controlled by Alezander Graham Bell, and is maintained by private contributions.

## EDUCATION OF THE BLIND.

The District of Columbia provides instruction for this class of children in the Maryland Institute for the Blind, Baltimore, where, in 1884 -' $^{\prime} 85$, there were 7 pupils from the District.

## INDUSTRIAL HOME SCHOOL.

The Industrial Home School of the District, for poor children of both sexes, maintains 2 schools on the premises, under public school regulations, the papils being all members of the Home. To promote general habits of industry, the boys are trained in the carpenter's shop, the greenhouse, and the garden, and the girls in all kinds of housework and in sering.

## INDUSTRIAL AND REFORJIATORY TRAINING.

The Reform School of the District for incorrigible and vicious boys, in 1884-'85 had 250 inmates, of whom 87 were admitted during the year. The oldest boy receired was 17 and the youngest 7 years of age. The superintendent says, with respect to separating and classifring the boys, that the school sessions of each family are held in their respective buildings, the ordinary branches of a common school education being taught. Chaircaning is productive of the largest income, and more boys are employed at this work than in any other single industry. The smaller boys perform this work almost entirely, while the larger ones work on the farm, in the shoemaking and tailoring departments, and in the laundry, bakery, and kitchen.

## BUSINESS EDUCATION.

The Spencerian Business College, Henry C. Spencer, principal, aims to give to young neen and women a practical business education, which will qualify them to successfully perform the active duties of life. This instruction includes rapid writing and calculations, correspondence, book-keeping, business practice, commercial larv, political economy, stenography, and type-writing. Day and eveuing sessions are held, and the full course occupies one year.

## INSTRUCTION IN LANGGUGES.

The Berlitz School of Languages gives instruction in Washington in a considerable number of the different European tongues; Professor II. Larroque, a graduate of La Sorbonue, in French, and Miss Rosa Poesche in German and French. These languages are also taught in all the higher schools of the District and by many private teachers, as well as in the city liigh school.

## EDCCATIONAL CONVENTIONS.

teachers' associations.
A voluntary association of the graduates of the normal school for white stadentiomeets once a month, to compare experiences in gorernment and teaching.

## CHIEF DISTRICT SCHOOL OFFICERS.

Hon. J. Ormond Wilson, ${ }^{2}$ superintendent of public schools for white pupils in Washington and Georgetown, and of the schools for both races in the rural districts, holds office till 1885.

Hon. Geobge F. T. Coor is superintendent of the public schools for colored pupilsin Washington and Georgetown.

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STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

|  | 1883-84. | 1884-'85. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| POPULATION AND ATTENDANCE. |  |  |  |  |
| Youth of school age (5-21) | 13,140 | 15,399 | 2,259 |  |
| Enrolled in public schools | (18, 287 | 10, 037 | 1,750 |  |
| Per cent. of school youth enrolled | 63.06 | 65.17 | 2.11 |  |
| DISTRICTS AND SCHOOLS. |  |  |  |  |
| Number of school districts | 6238 | 273 | 35 |  |
| Number of school-houses | c166 | 205 | 39 |  |
| Number of schools.- | $d 180$ | 248 | 68 |  |
| financial statement. |  |  |  |  |
| Average monthly pay of teachers |  | \$61 53 |  |  |
| Expenditures for public schools | \$89, 914 | $123,368$ | \$33, 454 |  |
| Amount paid for teachers' salaries |  | 76,302 |  |  |
| a Nine districts not reporting. $b$ One district not reporting. |  | ty-five distri wenty-one dj | not repor ricts not rep | ng. orting. |

(From reports and returns of Hon. James L. Onderdonk and Hon. Silas W. Moody, territorial superintendents of public instruction, for the 2 years indicated.)

## TERRITORIAL SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## GENERAL CONDITION.

The above statistics show progress and improvement in every point. In several newlyformed districts the citizens have contributed liberally towards the erection and equipment of new school-houses, both by subscription and labor. No statistics are available as to the number of teachers. Their pay compares favorably with that of teachers in the States and other Territories, and leads many of them in this respect. By the abrogation of third-grade county certificates, a move has been made in the direction of raising the standard of qualifications. As the law directs, each county in the Territory has adopted a uniform series of text books, and the teachers, through the superintendent, express themselves highly gratified at the change, and regard it as a material aid to their work. Two public libraries are maintained in the Territory, one at Ada, the other in Center County. The former has 800 volumes; number in the latter not reported. In view of the fact that to the majority of the school youth a college education is unavailable, the territorial superintendent strongly recommends that an industrial or technical school be established, and located in some central place in the Territory.

## ADMIINISTRATION.

The territorial controller is ex-offcio superintendent of public instruction, and comaty auditors are $e x$-oficio county school superintendents. Each county has a board of examiners, and each district a board of 3 trustees. Schools cannot be sustained from the public school fund if any political or sectarian doctrines be taught therein, and the distribution of books, tracts, or documents of this character in them is forbidden by law.

## SCHOOL FINANCES.

The public schools are sustained from the income of a general territorial school fund, from a county tax of not less than 2 nor more than 8 mills on $\$ 1$, from moneys arising from legal fines and forfeitures, and from fees paid by teachers for certificates of qualification. The basis of distribution of the school money is the number of children of schnol age (5-21). Districts may levy special taxes for building or repairing school-houses, and, when the cost of repairs does not exceed $\$ 2 \overline{5}$, the trustees may levy a tax, to be collected from such patrons of the school as are able to pay.

## NEW LEGISLATION.

An act of the territorial legislature, approved February 5, 1835, continues the territorial controller as ex-officio superintendent of public instruction; requires counties containing more than 5 school districts to elect a county superintendent for a 2 -years term, to hold examinations of teachers, visit schools, preside orer institutes-with concurrence of county, commissioners, adopt text books, and make annual reports. Elections for trustees of school districts are to be held annually, as before, but under the new law 3 are to be chosen in each district at a first election, and subsequently 1 aunually for a 3 -years term, in place of an outgoing one. These trustees are, under the former rule, to visit their schools at least once a month. Teachers of public schools must now hold certificates from their county superintendents, instead of the former county school examiners, and these must be ralid for the time of their engagement; but any one that has taught successfully for 5 years in the Territory is not to be required to undergo any further examination in the county where such service has been performed. Territorial certificates, good for 5 years, may also now be granted by the territorial superintendent to applicants that pass a satisfactory examination before him in 14 specified branches of study, including the theory and art of education. Every teacher of a public school is, further, now required to enforce the course of study, use of text books, rules. and regulations prescribed by his or her county superintendent. If such a superintendent gives 10 days' notice of his intention to hold an institute, all teachers in his county and holders of certificates are to attend it, and teachers so attending are not to forfeit pay during the time of such attendance.

A school month, formerly unfixed, is made to be 4 weeks of 5 school days each. The school year is to begin the first Monday in September.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## GENERAL TERRITORIAL REQUIREMENTS.

Teachers must present to the proper school officers certificates of qualifications covering the branches taught in the schools for which they apply. County superintendents are authorized to issue 2 grades of certificates of ability to teach the common school branches, the first grade to be valid for 2 years and the second for 1 year, the grade to be determined by examination. Territorial certificates, entitling the holder to teach in any part of the Territory for 5 years, may be issued by the superintendent of public instruction, upon the applicant passing a satisfactory ezamination before him in such studies as are required for the first and second grade, with the addition of high school branches, and the theory and art of teaching. Any person who has been engaged in teaching for 5 years is not required to undergo any farther examination for the same school. To receive a certificate, teachers must pay the sum of $\$ 3$, to be added to the school fand.

## NORMAL TRAINING.

Lewis Collegiate Institute, Lewiston, offers a course of normal instruction covering 2 years of 40 weeks each.

## TEACHERS' INSTITUTES.

Under the new legislation before referred to, the superintendent of any county containing 10 or more organized school districts may hold annually a teachers' institute, the expenses of each not to exceed $\$ 50$, to be paid from the current expense fund. Such institutes must be held not less than 2 nor more than 5 days, and all teachers are required to attend in their respective counties. Teachers closing school for this purpose are not to lose their time. Teachers' institutes, marked by good attention and lively interest, have been successfully held in several counties. The superintendent says that they have awakened a general interest in school affairs, imparting a healthful stimulus to the teachers, and a beneficial influence among the communities where they were held.

## ADVANCED INSTRUCTION.

## collegiate.

Lewis Collegiate Institute (Methodist Episcopal), organized at Lewiston in 18S2, presents a teachers' and a commercial course, with preparatory and collegiate departments in both classical and scientific studies. In 1884-' 85 the institute reported 25 young men and 53 young women, under 4 instructors, of which number 52 were in the musical department. Painting and elocution are also taught. The value of all property belonging to the school is estimated at $\$ 20,000$; volumes in library, 1,000 .

CHIEF TERRITORIAL SCHOOL OFFICER.
Hon. James L. Onderdonk, territorial superintendent of public instruction; succeeded by Hon. Silas W. Moody, Boisé City.

## INDEAN TEEERETORT.

## statistics of indian education.

|  | 1883-'84. | 1884-'85. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| POPULATION AND ATTENDANCE. |  |  |  |  |
| School youth among tribal Indians .-- | 39,918 |  |  |  |
| School youth in the Fire Nations----- | a12, 837 |  |  |  |
| Enrollment of tribal Indians in schools- | 11, 731 |  |  |  |
| Enrollment of Fire Nations Indians.- | 7, 862 |  |  |  |
| Arerage attendance of tribal Indians.- | 7,650 |  |  |  |
| Average attendance of Fire Nations Indians. | 3, 978 |  |  |  |
| Per cent. of school youth enrolled.-.- | 37.14 |  |  |  |
| Per cent. of such youth in arerage attendance. | 22.04 |  |  |  |
| SCHOOLS AND SCEOOL SITTINGS. |  |  |  |  |
| Boarding schools of tribal Indians ..-. | 89 |  |  |  |
| Boarding schools of the Fire Nations.- | 17 |  |  |  |
| Day schools of the former class------ | 126 |  |  |  |
| Day schools of the latter class .------- | 201 |  |  |  |
| School sittings for tribal Indians | 12,178 |  |  |  |
| School sittings for the Fire Nations--- | 10,704 |  |  |  |
| TEACHERS. |  |  |  |  |
| Teachers among tribal Indians. | 678 |  |  |  |
| Teachers among the Five Nations. | 303 |  |  |  |
| EDUCATIONAL RESULTS. |  |  |  |  |
| Tribal Indians taught to read | 19,579 |  |  |  |
| Five Nations Indians taught to read -- | b32, 050 |  |  |  |
| Tribal Indians taught to speak English. | 25, 394 |  |  |  |
| Fise Nations Indians that speak English. | 6150, 800 |  |  |  |
| Financial statejrent. |  |  |  |  |
| Expenditure for schools on reservations, and at Carlisle, Hampton, etc. | \$848, 493 |  |  |  |
| Expenditure for schools of the Fire Nations. | 196, 612 |  |  |  | a No census taken; an increase proportionate to that of the tribal Indians allowed for. 6 In 1852-'83.

(From the official report of the Commissioner of Indian Affairs for the Jear indicated.)

## TERRITORIAL SCHOOL SYSTEM.

general summary.
The fire tribes composing the Union Agency have regalar constitutional gorernments, and the outline of the school system of all is nearly the same. That of the Cherokee Nation is quite complete. Its board of education, appointed by the principal chief and confirmed by the senate, is composed of 3 members, who must possess liberal literary attainments, with moral and temperate habits. This board has entire charge of all
schools in the nation, with power to adopt rules and regulations, subject to the laws, for its own government; to prescribe and enforce a series of uniform text books, etc. Teachers must hold certificates of qualifications from the examining board before receiring appointment.
A large per cent. of the teachers are natives; theschools are taught in English, although in some settlements the teachers are qualified to teach both languages, a very necessary accomplishment in teaching those who speak only the Indian language. The salary of teachers is fixed at $\$ 30$ a month for an average of 15 pupils or under; an increase of $\$ 1$ is allowed for each pupil up to 35 pupils, when the maximum salary of $\$ 50$ is reached. The U. S. Indian agent of the 5 civilized tribes of the Union Agency, Robert L. Owen, taking charge only at the close of the year, is unable to furnish statistics of these tribes for 1884-'85; but 3 high and 100 primary schools are reported in the Cherokee Nation, as well as 1 academy, 2 seminaries, 5 mission schools, and an orpban asylum with about 150 children, to whom the Cherokees furnish everything. The 2 seminaries for young men and young women, near Tahlequah, have excellent large brick buildings, and offer well regulated high school courses of study. Theseschools average an attendance of about 125 pupils each. The nation maintains entirely 50 boarders in each school, and furnishes everything, even text-books, for all others at $\$ 5$ per month.
The Creek Nation maintains 2 schools; each of these must average an attendance of 20 pupils.
The Chickasaw Nation has 4 large academies, and the Choctaw Nation 3. Each nation has many primary and mission schools, the statistics of which are not arailable.
The schools for Indian pupils at Carlisle, Hampton, Forest Grove, Albuquerque, Chilocco, and Genoa, before reported, were continued in 1884-'85, and to them have been added others at Philadelphia, Lawrence, and Santa Fé, all on the combined educational and industrial plan begun at Carlisle and Hampton, Congress having appropriated for Indian education and improvement in $1884 \$ 680,200$, and for like ends in 1885 the noble sum of $\$ 992,800$.
The number of boarding schools for Indian youth at agencies or under the supervision of agents in the latter year was 84 , with an average attendance of 4,066 , at a total cost of $\$ 488,974$; number of day schools at agencies 86 , with average attendance of 1,849 , at a total cost of \$44,594; while 23 contract and other schools in States and Territories, not under agents, had an average of 710 pupils at a cost of $\$ 80,653$. Adding some others, there appear 200 schools, with an average of 8,143 , at a cost to the Government and benevolent contributors of $\$ 887,276$.

## OBITUARY NOTE.

Mr. J. M. Haworth, long and most farorably known in connection with the Indian service, and from 1832 Indian school superintendent, died at Albuquerque, N. Mex., March 12, 1885. He was the first incumbent of that important office, and his early death in it seems a sad misfortune.

## CHIEF SCHOOL OFFICERS.

These at last advices were reported to be as follows:

## FOR THE FIVE NATIONS.

President of the board of education of the Cherol:ces, Tahlequah, Ind. Ter.
School superintendent of the Chickasaws, Tishomingo, Ind. Ter.
School superint'endent of the Choctaws, Red Oaki, Ind. Ter.
School superintendent of the Creeks, Eufaula. Ind. Ter.
Superintendent of schools for the Seminoles, Wewoka, Ind. Ter.

## FOR OTHER INDIAN SCHOOL TORR.

Gex. S. C. Arystroyg, Hampton Norma! School, Hampton, Va.
Capt. R. H. Pratt, Training School for Indian Youth, Carlisle, Pa.
H. J. Minthorn, Training School, Forest Grore, Oreg.

Sanuel F. Tappan, Training School, Genoa, Nebr.

## MONTANA.

STATISTICAL SUMIMARY.

(From report and return furnished by Hon. W. W. Wylie, territorial superintendent of public schools, for the 2 years above indicated.)

## TERRITORIAL SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## GENERAL CONDITION.

The figures in the foregoing table show progress in erery item but one-that is, women's wages. The standard of examinations is being raised, and better qualifed teachers are thus obtained. Many teachers in the Territory have been trained in Eastern normal schools, and in the matter of salaries Montana is in adrance of many of the States. The school buildings are said to be in excellent condition, although many of them lack the necessary appliances of maps, charts, globes, and blackboards, especially the ungraded schools. The new official map of Montana was distributed in all the school-rooms during the year, and the text books prescribed by law were almost universally adopted.

## ADMINISTRATION.

Educational affairs are managed by a territorial superintendent of public instruction, county superintendents, and district boards of 3 trustees. The first is appointed biennially by the governor; the others are elected by the people, county officers for 2 years and district boards for 3 , with annual change of 1 . Women are eligible to vote at all school meetings. Provision is made for colored pupils in separate schools. Instruction must be given in all public schools during the entire course in morals, manners, and
saws of health, with due attention to physical exercise and to the ventilation and temperature of school-rooms. Text books in the different branches required by law to be taught in the public schools must be uniform throughout the Territory. Nothing of a political or sectarian nature may enter into the instruction of any schcol.

## SCHOOL FINANCES.

The schools are sustained from money derived from a county tax of not less than 3 nor more than 5 mills on $\$ 1$, from unlimited taxes roted by the districts, from various fines, and from a fund arising from the sale of town lots previously reserved to provide for the erection and furnishing of school buildings or for general school purposes when the district shall so elect. The county tax and the amount derived from legal penalties are distributed to the districts in proportion to their population of youth of school age, excluding Indians not under the guardianship of white persons, provided school has been maintained 3 months.

## NEW LEGISLATION.

Amendments to the school law of Montana, approved March 8, 1883, and not before reported, require: (1) The election of county superintendents for 2 -years terms, as previously, with the addition that "all persons otherwise qualified shall be eligible to the office without regard to sex." (2) Each county superintendent is to receive annually, for service assuch, at the rate of $\$ 1$ for each census scholar in the county, "provided that the total shall not exceed $\$ 1,000$." (This is instead of a former fee of $\$ 10$ for each district.) (3) The annual school meeting for election of a trustee, or trustees, and district clerk is changed from the last Saturday in August to the first Saturday in April; all elections to be by ballot, as before, with the addition that "every person 21 or more years of age, and a resident and taxable inhabitant, shall be entitled to vote, without regard to sex." (4) The district clerk, besides recording the proceedings at annual school meetings and special meetings, and making a statement of receipts and expenditures of school moneys, is "to make report, in September of each year, to the county superintendent, on blanks furnished by him, for the school year next preceding." He is "also to give written notice to the county superintendent of the time of opening of the school of his district, of the length of term, and name of teacher;" and further, "is to make report to the territorial superintendent of the text books used inschool," which are to be uniform throughout the Territory. (5) The county superintendent in any county containing 5 or more school districts must hold annually a teachers' institute, to continue in session 3 to 5 days, giving 30 days' notice of such institute in advance in some newspaper of the county, and a written notice to each qualified teacher. The territorial superintendent of public instruction is to attend the different county institutes, or forfeit $\$ 10$ of his salary for each neglect. Teachers engaged in the county, or holding certificates, territorial or county, are also to attend and participate in the exercises of the institute, and those in charge of schools are to adjourn their schools for the time of the institute. (6) In each alternate year the territorial superintendent is to embody in his report a copy of the school laws. (7) Every parent, guardian, or other person having charge of a child or children 8 to 14 years of age, must send such child or children to a public or private school, taught by a competent instructor, for at least 12 weeks each year, 6 of these weeks to be consecutive, unless excused by the school trustees for cause; and no child is to be excluded from a public school on account of race or color. The penalty for failure on the part of parents or guardians to comply with these requirements is $\$ 5$ to $\$ 10$ for a first offense; $\$ 10$ to $\$ 20$ for a second, or imprisonment in the county jail. Trustees of schools are to inquire into cases of neglect in this line, and to prosecute the matter within 10 days after a written notice (unless excused by the district board), or be liable to a fine of $\$ 5$. (8) County certificates, issued by county superintendents, are to conenue in force 1,2 , or 3 years (instead of the former 2 years), according to standard of scholarship, the examination to be in the common branches previously prescribed, with the addition of "practice of teaching.". (9) Public libraries in incorporated tomns, for the use of the citizens, are also now distinctly authorized, and may be provided for by the levy of a town or city tax, not to exceed 1 mill on $\$ 1$ of all taxable propertysuch levy to be first submitted to a vote of the qualified electors.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## GENERAL TERRITORIAL REQUIREMENTS.

County superintendents are authorized to issue certificates, to continue in force 1, 2, and 3 years, according to the standard of scholarship. For first grade, teachers must have had 12 months' successful experience in teaching, and no certificate may be given to applicants who cannot pass a satisfactory examination in the common English branches, including history of the United States.

## SPECIAL NORMAL TRAINING.

The College of MIontana, Deer Lodge, presents in 1834-'85 a normal course of 4 years, beginaing with elementary studies and including algebra, mental science, logic, chemistry, civil government, political economy, and ethics.

## teachers' institutes.

The law requires that teachers' institutes be held anuually in every county having 5 or more organized districts, continuing not less than 3 nor more than 5 days, and requires teachers to attend in their respective counties. Such institutes were held in every county during the jear, and were well attended throughout the Territory. The law requires the territorial superintendent to attend each institute held or forfeit $\$ 10$ of his salary for each neglect. No provision is made for traveling expenses, but $\$ 25$ is paid from the school fund of each county, to provide suitable buildings, etc., for institute work.

## SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

PUBLIC HIGY SCHOOLS.
High school studies form a part of the territorial system of Montana. Helena, when last heard from, reported a well organized high school, with classical and scientific courses of 4 years each.

OTHER SECONDARY SCHOOLS.
For statistics of institutions of this class, see Table VI of the Appendix.

## SUPERIOR INSTRECTION.

COLLEGE OF MONTANA.
The College of Montana, Deer Lodge, in its catalogue of the academic year 1884-'85, shows a faculty of 7 members, with courses in classical and scientifc studies open to both sexes. The classical course, meant to corer 4 years beyond the 3 preparatory years, shows 3 students in junior and senior preparatory studies, and 1 in the freshman.
The scientific course, also meant to cover 4 years, with 2 preparatory years, shows 12 students in the preparatory and 7 in the freshman and sophomore classes.
Besides these, there were 14 not jet classified, 15 in normal studies, as before mentioned, 18 in music, 26 in art studies, and 4 in special. As 27 names occur twice, the true total of attendance appears to hare been 76 , of whom 45 were joung momen and 31 young men.

## EDUCATIONAL CONVENTION.

## MONTANA TERRITORIAL TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

This association held its annual meeting at Bozeman, December 29-31, 1855, with a large attendance from the different parts of the Territory. This association is entirely voluntary, and the expenses are all borne by the teachers attending. The superintendent says, " when it is known that lady teachers come to this association in mid-winter from a distance of nearly 300 miles, at an indiridual expense of about $\$ 40$, their zeal for the cause may be understood." He further says that the value of such a meeting as was heid at Bozeman cannot be estimated, and he earnestly hopes the nezt legislature will encourage these assemblies by granting some territorial aid.

## CHIEF TERRITORIAL SCHOOL OFFICER.

Hon. Cornelies Hedges, territorial superintendent of public instruction, Helena,
[Term, February, 1883, to Februars, 1855.]
Succeeded by Hon. Williny W. Wilie, Helena.
[Term, February, 1885, to February, 1887.]

## ivew mexico.

## STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

|  | 1884-85. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| POPULATION AND ATTENDANCE. |  |  |
| Youth of school age (5-20) | 30,031 | 13 |
| Boys in public schools .-. | 4,427 | 5 |
| Girls in public schools. | 1,783 | 5 |
| Whole number enrolled. | 8,967 | 8 |
| Boys in arerage daily attendance | 222 | 1 |
| Girls in arerage daily attendance | 156 | 1 |
| Whole number attending ------- | 603 | 2 |
| Youth in private schools. | 1,866 | 5 |
| DISTRICTS AND SCHOOLS. |  |  |
| Number of organized districts | 209 | 8 |
| Number partly organized. | 11 | 4 |
| Number unorganized | 4 | 2 |
| Number of public schools | 167 | 4 |
| Number of private schools | 45 |  |
| TEACHERS. |  |  |
| Number of men teaching.- | 47 | 1 |
| Number of women teaching .-. | 22 | 1 |
| FINANCIAL STATEMENT. |  |  |
| Highest monthly salary paid teachers | \$80 | 2 |
| Lowest salary paid teachers | 20 | 2 |
| Expenditure of public schools | 12,722 | 3 |

## TERRITORIAL SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## GENERAL CONDITION.

The new school law of 1884 referred to in the last Report from this Bureau has produced a fuller school report than has come to hand since 1876. Statistics are still exceedingly imperfect, as may be seep.
Governor Rnss, in his annual report, says that the educational interests of the Territory are in a much better condition than formerly, the new public school law being a good beginning in the line of progress. Public schools are in process of establishment, and the attention of the public is being arwakened to the importance of the education of the youth of the Territory. The governor further says that the number of youth attending school in 1884 -' 8 J was 10,230 , a gain of 5,477 orer the school enrollment of 1880 ; that the number of persons unable to read was 42,091 , a decrease of 10,003 since 1880 ; those unable to write, 44,899 , a reduction of 12,507 in the same time. Taken together with the improrement in the educational system, and the growing interest in educational matters among the people, this seems to be a gratifying rate of advancement.

ADMINISTRATION.
By an act of the legislature approved March 31, 1894, a system of public schools was established in the Territory of New Mexico. Under this a superintendent of schools for
each connty is to be appointed by the county commissioners, bolding his office till his successor is appointed. Each superintendent must within one month after be is qualified, or as soon thercafter as practicable, call a public mecting in each school district, when 3 directors are to be elected, to hold office till the next general election, when the same number are to be clected for 2 -years terms. Each of the voting precincts constitutes a school district, in which must bo established at least one public school. In these schoo's the common branches are to be taught, with history of the United States, in Euglish or Spauish, or both, as the directors may determine. The county school funds are to be apportioned to the rarious districts in proportion to the number of children 5 to 20 years of age residing therein.
For statistics of private institntions for secondary instruction reporting for the year, see Table VI of the Appendix.

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STATISTICAL SUMMARY．$a$

|  | 1883－84． | 1884－＇85． | Increase． | Decrease． |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| POPULATION AND ATTENDANCE． |  |  |  |  |
| Youth of school age（6－18）．－－－－－－－－ | 48， 889 | 50，638 | 1， 749 |  |
| Enrolled in public schools ．－－－－－－－－－ | 29，325 | 20，978 | 653 |  |
| Average daily attendance．－－－－－－－－－ | 19，073 | 18，678 |  | 395 |
| Per cent．of school youth enrolled．．． | 59.98 | 59.20 |  | ． 78 |
| Per cent．of the same in attendance．－ | 39.01 | 36.88 |  | 2.13 |
| SCHOOLS． |  |  |  |  |
| Number of school－rooms | 455 | 6455 |  |  |
| Average term of schools in days．．－－ | 135 | 145 | 10 |  |
| TEACHERS． |  |  |  |  |
| Number of men teaching＿ | 251 | 290 | 29 |  |
| Number of women teaching | 331 | 324 |  | 7 |
| Whole number of teachers． | 592 | 614 | 22 | －－－－－．．－－－－ |
| FINANCIAL Statement． |  |  |  |  |
| Average monthly pay of men teaching | \＄49 80 | \＄49 10 |  | \＄0 70 |
| Average monthly pay of women－－－－－ | 2880 | 2960 | \＄0 80 | －－－－－－－．－ |
| Expenditure for public schools－．．．．－－ | 204， 310 | 223， 844 | 24，504 |  |
| Valuation of public school property－ | 433， 461 | 459， 544 | 26，083 |  |

$a$ See also mission schools below．
$b$ Exclusive of those used only for recitation．
（From report and returns of Hon．L．J．Nuttall，territorial superintendent of public instruction，for the two years indicated．）

## TERRITORIAL SCHOOL SYSTEM．

## GENERAL CONDITION．

The foregoing summary denotes progress in most respects，and farther information goes to show that the public school system in Utah more than holds its own．For sus－ taining the public schools there was received in 1834－＇ 85 ，from State and local taxation， $\$ 151,907$ ；this，added to the revenue from all other sources，with balance on hand， netted an income of $\$ 277,127$ ，being over $\$ 47,000$ in excess of all expenditures．New buildings were erected at a cost of $\$ 34,637$ ；improvements and repairs were made costing $\$ 13,752$ ；and furniture purchased at $\$ 6,789$ ．

## ADMINISTRATION．

The territorial superintendent of district schools，elected for 2 years，has general charge of public school affairs．The local officers are county superintendents，elected by the people for 2 years，and district school trustees，elected for 3 years，with annual change of 1．There are also boards for the examination of teachers，comprising $3 \mathrm{mem}-$ bers，appointed by the county courts．The territorial and county superintendents in convention determine what text books are to be used in the public schools．The law requires district trustees to take an annual census of school youth，and to report to the county superintendent the condition of the schools．

## SCHOOL FINANCES．

Public schools are sustained from territorial，local，and special taxation；from the sale of estrays，and from donations，rents，etc．The school fuuds are distribated in propor－
tion to the number of children of school age ( $6-18$ ), as reported annually by the county superintendents.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## GENERAL TERRITORIAL REQUIREMENTS.

Teachers must hold certificates of the required qualifications, signed by the board of examiners of their respective counties. These certificates are valid for 1 year.

## TERRITORIAL NOOMML TRAIN゙INGG.

The University of Deseret provides a 2 -vears course of normal instruction, including the common school branches, with elocution, botany, geology, physics, zoology, music, frec-hand drawing, civil government, and the theory and practice of teaching. This department is supported in part by legislative appropriation, and graduates from the prescribed course are entitled to teach in the district schools of the Territory without farther examination.
For statistics of this and any other normal departments reporting, see Table III of the Appendix.

## MISSION SCHOOLS IN UTAK.

## ELEMENTARY AND ACADEMIC.

Various religious bodies in the East support missionary schools in the Territory. The following statistics are furnished by Rer. Calrin M. Parks:

Statistics of mission schools.

| Name of school and post-office address. |  |  | Name of principal. |  | Pupils. |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | $\underset{\text { giz }}{\text { é }}$ |  | E |  |  |
| Willard Acad., American F | 1879 |  | Niss Clara Pierc | 2 | 36 | 22 | 58 | 57 |  |
| Bearer Seminary, Beaver... |  | M | Miss C. E. Copeland. | 2 | 34 | 32 | 65 | 58 |  |
| Bingham, Bingham | 1576 |  | Miss Mary E. Pease... | 1 | 53 | 41 | 97 | 93 |  |
| Bliss Hall, Bountiful | 1881 | Cong | Miss B. Ferrell. | 1 | 17 | 17 | 34 | 34 |  |
| Coalville Free, Coalvill | 1882 | Cong. | Miss R. O. Beard. | 2 | 31 | 35 | 66 | 66 |  |
| Ephraim Mission, Ephra | 157 | Presby'n... | Miss Carrie Rea. |  | 9 | 15 | 27 | 23 | 4 |
| Fairview Mission, Fairvi | 1851 | Presby'n ... | Miss Maria Fishback.. |  | 14 | 11 | ${ }^{2} 5$ | 18 |  |
| New West, Farmington. | 1850 | Cong. | Miss Sarah T. Lester... | 1 | 18 | $\stackrel{2}{2}$ | 40 | 36 |  |
| Fillmore Presbyterian, Fillmore | 1880 | Presby'n... | Miss M. E. Knox. | $\stackrel{1}{2}$ | 30 | 29 | 59 | 58 | 1 |
| Fountain Green, Fountain Gr'n | 1855 | M. E......... | Miss R. Halvorsen. | 1 | 4 | 4 | 45 | 8 |  |
| Franklin Academy, Franklin... | 1850 | Presby'n ... | Miss Anna Noble.. | $\stackrel{2}{2}$ | 10 | 14 | ${ }_{21}^{45}$ | 43 | 2 |
| Nerw West. Heber... | 1883 | Cong.. | Miss M. A. Hand. |  | 30 | 36 | 66 | 66 |  |
| Heber Mi. E. Mission | 1854 | M. E. | Miss May Glanville | 1 | 15 | 33 | 48 | 48 |  |
| New West, Henefer | 1853 | Christian... | Miss Florence Beard.. | 1 | 13 | 16 | 29 | 29 |  |
| Hoytsrille Seminary, Hoytsrille |  | Cong | Miss A. C. Prescott... | 1 | 9 |  | 16 | 12 |  |
| New West Cong., Huntsville.. | 1855 | Cong. | Miss Era B. Stokes.... | 1 | 15 | 15 | 30 | 27 | S |
| Presbyterian Mission, Hyrum.... | 1851 | Presby | Miss Carrie Mitting | 1 | 14 | 15 | $\stackrel{29}{ }$ | 29 |  |
| Presbyterian Mission, Kaysville | 1852 | Presby'n | Miss Ella MicDonald.. | 1 | 20 | 23 | 43 | 43 |  |
| Lehi Academy, Lehi. | 1851 | Cong. | Miss C. W. Hunt. | 3 | 54 | 60 | 114 | 100 | 1 |
| Cache Valley Seminary, Logan.. | 1878 | Presby'n... | Miss MI. P. Shirleg..... | 3 | 37 | 35 | 75 | 62 | 13 |
| Presbyterian Mission, Mantí | 18 \% | Presby'n ... | Miss F. Galbraith. | 2 | 42 | 28 | 70 | 70 |  |
| Mendon Presbyterian, Mendon.. | 1854 | Presby'n ... | Miss S. L. Brown.. | 1 | 8 | 13 | 21 | 21 |  |
| Men West, Midway..... | 1853 | Cong. | Miss Rena Clark. | $\stackrel{1}{2}$ | 32 | 11 |  | 73 |  |
| Presbrterian Mission, Mo | 1881 | Presby'n ... | Mrss C. C. Decker | 1 | $\frac{11}{30}$ | $\stackrel{7}{7}$ | 18 | 18 | ) |
| Meth. Episcopal, Mt. Pleasant... | 1883 | M. E. ........ | Miss C. N. Larsen... | 2 | 35 | 22 | 57 | 51 | 2 |
| Wahsatcl Acad., Mt. Pleasant | 1875 | Presby'n... | Miss M. Beekman. | 3 | 45 | 46 | 91 | ¢9 | 22 |
| Murray, Murray. | 1554 | M.E....... | Virs. F. Brock. | 2 | 15 | 16 | 31 | 31 |  |
| Funtington Academy, Nephi.. | 1879 | Presby'n... | Miss L. L. Lockwood.. | 2 | 36 | 29 | 65 | 56 | 9 |
| Meth. Episcopal School, Ozden.. | 18 | Meth ......... | Miss MI. A. Skewes..... | 2 | 49 | 50 | 99 | 59 | 0 |
| Ophir, Ophir. |  | Meth | Miss J. McCoard.. | 1 | 14 | 11 | 28 | 25 | 2 |
| Presbyterian Mission, Ogde | 1573 | Presby'n ... | Miss A. M. Haines..... | 2 | 41 | 25 | 60 | 35 |  |
| Presb ${ }^{\text {a }}$ (erian Mission, Box Elder | 1878 | Presby'n... | S. L. Gillespie. | 1 | 14 | 23 | 37 | 29 | 8 |
| Park Academv, ParkCity | 18 | Cong ...... | Forest E. Merrill | 2 | 41 | 30 | 11 | 40 | 1 |
| Pilgrim, Salt Lake City. |  | Cong | Miss G. E. Gilberth | 1 | 25 | 53 | 79 | 79 |  |
| Paraman Pres. Miss'n, Paraman | 1879 | Presby'n ... | Miss Josie Curtis | 2 | 35 | 25 | 60 | 60 |  |
| Payson, Payson, ¢.................... | 157 | Presby'n ... | MissM.H.M'Cullough | 1 | 23 | 17 | 40 | 40 |  |
| Presby'n Miss'n, Pleasant Grore Proro | $187 /$ | Presby'n... | Miss A. M. Whitney. | 1 | 12 | 16 | 28 | 23 |  |
| ${ }_{\text {Proro Nerw West Com'n, Proro... }}^{\text {Provo Seminary, Proro }}$ | 1883 | Cong ......... | Miss M. F. French. | 3 | 35 | 43 | 78 | 75 |  |
| Provo Seminary, Provo-.......... | 1873 | M. E | T. W. Lincoln |  | 43 | 42 | 85 | 45 | 5 |
| Presbyterian Mission, Richfield.. Richmond Pres'n Mis.,Richmond | 1850 1853 | Presb | Miss J. A. Olmsted. Miss L. H. Simons. |  | 29 10 | 10 | 53 | $45$ | 5 |

Statistics of mission schools-Continued.

| Name of school and post-oClice address. |  |  | Name of principal. |  | Pupils. |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | $\frac{\stackrel{0}{3}}{\frac{3}{4}}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \frac{2}{5} \\ & \text { gy } \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { E゙ } \\ & \text { É } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| St. George, St. Geo | 1880 | Presby'n .. | Miss M. J. Cort. |  | 10 | 6 | 16 | 16 |  |
| S:atima Preshyteriun, Salina....... | 1885 | Preaby'n.. | Miss Minnie Curry.... |  | 13 | 15 | 28 | 25 |  |
| Camp Mission, Salt Lake City. | 1883 | Presby'ı.. | Miss S. E. Reed.......... |  | 53 |  | 95 | 95 |  |
| Salt Lake Acad'y, Salt Lake city | 1878 | Cong. | E. Benucr....... |  |  | 100 | 2.53 | 188 | 6, |
| Salt Lake Coilegiate Institute, Silt Lake City. | 1875 | Presby'n.. | J. F. Millspaugh | 8 | 127 | 98 | 225 | 193 |  |
| Scand'n Meth., Salt Lake City... | 1893 | M. E. | Miss CMMHalvorsin.. |  | 40 |  | 67 | 67 |  |
| Sundy Free, Sundy................... | 1883 | Cong........ | Miss E. S. Junes..... | 1 | 41 |  | 69 |  | 18 |
| Samtaquin. Santaguin | 1855 | Meth....... | Miss IR. II. Halvorsin. | 1 | 13 |  | 20 | 11 |  |
| Pres'n Hume ${ }^{\text {a is n }}$, Spanish Fork | 1881 | Presby'n | Miss L. B. Perle. | 1 | 20 | 20 | $4{ }^{4}$ | 40 |  |
| -, Spring City.................... | 1879 | Presby'n.. | Miss L. I. Ilindinan. | 1 | 20 | 22 | 42 | 42 |  |
| Stuckton Free, Stockto |  | Cons. | Miss Emenı T. Colby.. | 1 | 33 | 37 | 70 | 70 |  |
| Tovele Seminary, Touele. | 1871 | M. E........ | Miss V. E. Bidwell..... |  | 18 |  | 35 | 16 | 1 |
| Toquerville Mis'n, Toque | 1831 | Presby'n.. | Miss F. R. Burke...... | 1 | 8 |  | 12 | 11 |  |
| Trenton Free, Trenton | 1881 | Cong....... | Miss Etta F. Hunt..... |  | 12 |  | 27 19 | 19 |  |
| Presbyterian Mission, Wellsville | 1531 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 9 |  |

## ADDITIONAL PARTICULARS.

All of these schools but one were in session from 180 to 228 days, and all but one began the term in September, 1884. The value of school property, other than that rented, was astimated at $\$ 135,755$. Value of apparatus, $\$ 2,8: 25$.

## SECONDARY INSTRECTION.

## PUBLIC HIGII SCHOOIS.

School districts having a population of 1,200 or more may by popular vote establish and maintain graded schools, or graded departments of schools, where pupils over 18 years of age may be instructed in branches higher than those taught in common schools. None such; however, have been reported to this Bureau.

## other secondary schools.

For statistics of private secondary schools and preparatory departments of colleges reporting, see Tables VI and IX of the Appendix, and summaries of them in the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## UNIVERSITY OF DESERET.

The University of Deseret, Salt Lake City, onen to both sexes, offers a preliminary course of 1 year, classical preparatory and normal courses of 2 years each, and a scientific course of 4 years. The first named includes only the common school studies; the classical preparatory, higher branches, with introductory Latin and Greek. The university possesses sutticient mathematical, philosophical, and chemical apparatus to illustrate, with a considerable degree of fullness, the subjects of natural seience. Volumes in the library, 3,307 in 1881-' 85 , an increise of 213 in the last 2 years.

## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL.

The university has added a year to its scientific course since the last report. New studies have been added, former ones extended, and the general standard raised. Graduates from the entire course receive the degree of Sci. B. with diplomia. The first and second years are given to the higher English branches, chemistry, surveying, and introductory Latin; the third year adds mineralogy aud lithology; the fourth, astronomy, mental science, political economy, etc. German is taught in the third and senior years. To supplement the course in civilgovernment and political economy, a series of lectures is given upon the elements of law. These lectures are intended to be preliminary to the final establishment of a complete law departinent in connection with the university.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.

## EDUCATION OF THE DEAF.

A circular from the president of the University of Deseret, dated September, 1884, states that at the last session of the legislature of Utah an appropriation of $\$ 2,000$ annually was roted for 2 years to assist in establishing, in connection with the university, a department for the instruction of deaf mutes. The circular shows that the matter was promptly acted on by the officers of the university, and that in 1884-'S5 instructors had been secured from the East, and arrangements made for the reception of such deaf mutes as need instruction and are found to be prepared for entrance on the course projected. Further information will naturally come in the Report for $1885-186$.

CHIEF TERRITORIAL SCHOOL OFFICER.
Hon. L. John Nuttall, territorial superintendent of district schools, Salt Lake City.
Term, August, 1851, to August, 1885.]

## 

STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

|  | 1883-'84. | 1884-'85. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| population and attendance. |  |  |  |  |
| Youth of school age (4-21) | 31,599 | 37,156 | 5,557 |  |
| Public school enrollment | 22,341 | 26,397 | 4, $0 \overline{5} 6$ |  |
| Average daily attendance. | 14,223 | 17,504 | 3,281 |  |
| Per cent. of school youth enrolled. | 70.70 | 71.04 | . 34 |  |
| Per cent. of enrolled in attendance- | 63.66 | 66.31 | 2.65 |  |
| Percent. of school youth in attencauce- | 45.01 | 47.11 | 2.10 |  |
| Children in private schools .-...----- |  | 1,836 |  |  |
| Children not in any school.--.-------- |  | 8, 923 |  |  |
| SCHOOL DIStricts and schools. |  |  |  |  |
| Districts reported |  | 858 |  |  |
| Districts in which schools were taught- |  | 744 |  |  |
| Public school-houses--- | 652 | 723 | 71 |  |
| School-houses built during the year | 87 | 102 | 15 |  |
| Graded schools .----- |  | 24 |  |  |
| Average term of schools, in days .---- | 92 | 92 |  |  |
| teachers. |  |  |  |  |
| Men teaching- |  |  |  |  |
| Women teaching |  |  |  |  |
| Whole number of teachers. | 831 | 1, 040 | 209 |  |
| financial statement. |  |  |  |  |
| Average monthly pay of men | \$4800 | a\$50 20 | \$2 20 |  |
| Average monthly pay of women | 3900 | a41 60 | 260 |  |
| Total expenditure for public schools .- | 287, 590 | 287, 029 |  | \$561 |
| Value of school property .- | 360, 421 | 524,163 | 163, 742 |  |

$a$ These figures for pay of teachers are from a written return. In the printed report the average pay of men is given as $\$ 15$; that of women as $\$ 37$.
(From reports of Hon. C. W. Wheeler and Hon. R. C. Kerr, territorial superintendents of public instruction for the years indicated.)

## TERRITORIAL SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## GENERAL CONDITION.

In estimating the growth of the public schools in this Territory, it must be remembered that while a Territory it has no public school fund, and that the people taxed themselves to the amount of more than half a million dollars, in 1884-' 55 , for the support of their public schools. Throughout the Territory the schools are reported in a very prosperous condition.
Their growth is said to have been rapid and healthy, keeping fair pace with the development of the Territory. To provide for the increase of population since the last biennial report, 267 new school districts have been organized, and 189 new sclinol-houses built, varying in value from the graded building of the city, costing $\$ 40,000$, down to the humble school-room of the backwoods and the prairie, costing only a few hundred dollars.
For the 37,156 school youth, teachers have increased in the 2 years from 490 to 1,040. Among these are graduates from nearly every normal school, college, and university in
the United States and Europe, forming a body of teachers who compare favorably in essential points with those in any State. Their efficiency, with that of local school boards, is seen in the fact that during the last year, whe the increase in school youth was 5,557 , that of enrollment reached 4,056 ; that of average attendance, 3,281 . Considering the condition and extent of the territory over which the schools are scattered, this school work is remarkable. Graded schools have increased from 15, in 1883, to 24, a very creditable number, and, in quality, will compare favorably with those in the larger cities on the Atlantic coast.

## ADMINISTRATION.

The chief school officers continue to be a territorial superintendent of public instruction, appointed by the governor for a 2 -years term, and confirmed by the legislature ; a board of education, appointed as above, and for the same time, composed of the superintendent and one suitable person from each judicial district; a county superintendent for each county, elected annually by the people for a 2 -years term. The county superintendent and 3 persons in the county, holding the highest grade of certificates, constitute a board of examiners. Districts are controlled by a board of 3 directors elected for 3 years, with a change of 1 each year, and a district clerk. Women are eligible to school offices, and may vote at district school meetings. To entitle districts to apportionments of school money, schools must be taught by qualified teachers at least 3 months of the year, must be free to all residents 5 to 21 years of age, and give instruction in the common branches of an English education, including physiology and hygiene. During the entire course, attention must be giren to the cultivation of manners, morals, laws of health, and ventilation and temperature of school-rooms. Nothing of an infidel, partisan, or sectarian character may enter into the instruction of any public school, or be admitted into any public school library. Districts must take an annual census of school children in the district and report to the county superintendent. School days must be 6 hours, but teachers may dismiss scholars under 8 years of age after an attendance of 4 hours. The school year begins July 1st and ends June 30th.

## SCHOOL FINANCES.

The public schoce continue to be sustained by an annual tax of 2 to 6 mills on $\$ 1$ of tasable property, and the proceeds of certain special taxes, fines, and penalties, all to be apportioned to each district according to the number of school youth in it. Districts may raise f.unds by special taxation, not to exceed 10 mills on $\$ 1$, to purchase additional schcol facilities.

## SCHOOL SYSTEMS OF TOWNS WITH 7,500 OR MORE INHABITANTS.

Seatlle, with a population of 12,000 to 15,000 in $1884-85$, had 3 public schools, conducted by an able superintendent and an efficient corps of teachers and assistants. For theseschools there were large and commodious buildings, erected in conrenient and sightly localities, and constructed with reference to the health and comfort of the pupils, with a liberality of outlay characteristic of its citizens. Besides these, there were said to be excellent private schools.
From other places than the above there are, as yet, no statistics reported to this Bureau.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## GENERAL TERRITORIAL REQUIREMEN'S.

County boards of examiners issue 3 grades of certificates, the first valid for 3 years, the second for 2, and the third for 1 year. Those holding first-grade county certificates who have been teaching 3 years, are eligible to examination for first.grade territorial certificates.

## TERRITORIAL NORMAL TRAINING.

The only territorial normal training yet provided is given in the teachers' normal course of the University of Washington Territory. It offers a 3 -years course to those wishing to fit themselves for teaching in the public schools. The demand for welltrained teachers becoming more pressing every year, it is intended to gire more prominence to this department. A primary training-school is added to give lessons in the art of teaching, government, discipline, etc. Students in the former, 17; in the latter, 50 .
Whitman College also offers a 3 -years course of normal training. Students completing it receive diplomas, or are given certificates on completing the first 2 years. Students, 13.

For further statistics of these departments, see Table III of the Appendix; for a summary, see the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## TEACHERS' INSTITUTES.

The territorial law requires each superintendent of any county containing 500 census children to hold, once a year, a county institute of not less than 3 days, at which instruction shall be given in the best methods of teaching the branches required by law to be taught in the public schools. The county commassioners may appropriate for expenses a sum not exceeding $\$ 100$ annually. All teachers in the comnty where the institute is held are required to attend, on forfeitnre of $\$ 1$ for each day of unnecessary absence.

In 1884 two territorial institutes were held: one at Dayton, August 4 th to 7th; the other at Tacoma, August 18th to 21st ; both well attended.

In 1885 the eastern and western divisions united at Vancourer, with a good attendance by teachers from both sides of the mountains. Much good work is said to hare been done. These institutes have exceeded the provision of law, and have taken, to a large extent, the form of normal schools. They hare increased from 7, in 188:3, to 18, in 1885. They are usually held during the holidays, and continue from 1 to 5 weeks. The teachers all orer the Territory are becoming more and more enthusiastic in their behalf, in one county paying from their omn purses several hundred dollars to secure eminent educators from the East as instructors; in another county, spending 5 weeks of vacation in county institutes or normal study, deroting the time usually spent in recreation to fitting themselves for better work in their school-rooms.

## SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

## PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS AND OTHER SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

There seems to be no legal recognition of high schools in the Territory; but the law provides for graded schools, prescribing that no other than the English language, nor mathematies higher than algebra, shall be taught in them.

These schools are reported to hare increased from 15 , in 1833 , to 24 , in 1885 , many of them comparing favorably with those of the Atlantic coast.

## SUPERIOR INSTRUCTION.

## NNSTITUTIONS FOR YOUNG MEN AND WOMEN.

The University of Washington Territory, Seattle, offered in 1884-'85 a preparatory course of 2 years; classical and scientific courses of 4 years each; a normal one of 3 , and a business one of 2; an academy, normal training-school, and departments of music and arts. There was a total of 259 students in all departments.

The university, organized in 1862 , is a part of the public educational system of the Territory, under the care of a board of regents appointed by the governor, and is supported in part by legislative appropriations. It conlers the degree of A. B. on completion of the classical, and of S. B. on that of the scientific course. The library contains 2,500 volumes, and is said to be largely increasing.

The territorial report says that the university is in a flourishing condition. It offers to deduct from the traveling expenses of students who come a long distance, thus hoping to save to the Territory more thinn $\$ 40,000$ annually paid by those who go abroad for a higher education.

This central university at Seattle is naturally for western Washington, while Whitman College, its branch, is at Walla Walla, for eastern Washington, with a classical course of 4 years; scientific and literary courses of 3 years each; and academy courses of 3 years for preparatory, normal, and commercial training. This college graduated its first class in June, 1884 . Its courses of study are said to be well up with other new institutions. College students, 15; academy, 127; total, 142.

During 188t-'85 Yesler College, Seattle, is reported to have been founded by Hon. Henry L. Yesler, mayor of Seattle, who, it is said, will richly endow it.

For full statistics of the 2 colleges, see Table IX of the Appendix; for summaries of same, see the report of the Commissioner preceding.

## SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION.

## SCIENTIFIC.

The territorial unirersity, in its 4 -years scientific course, includes geometry, conic sections, trigonometry, mensuration, surveying, analytical geometry, chemistry, and calculus.

Whitman College, in its scientific course of 3 years, has geometry, chemistry, trigonometry. analvtical geometry, geology, and calculus.

PROFESSIONAL.
Medicine. - The medical department of the University of Washington Territory was organized in 188.), with a faculty of $\Omega$ professors, a 3 -years course of study, a winter and a spring term. No lectures will be given until 1886. It is intended to make the course a graded one, and atténdance of 3 full years compulsory.

For admission applicants will be required to show eridence of a fair general education by examination or otherwise.

## CHIEF TERRITORIAL SCHOOL OFFICER.

HON. R. C. KERR, territorial superintendent of public instruction, Port Tononsend.
[First term, January 9, 1884, to January 9, 1886.]
To be succeerled by Hon. J. C. Latwrence, whose term is to be from January 1, 1886, to January $1,1888$.

## WIOMING.

## STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

|  | 1882-'83. | 1884-'85. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Youth of school age (7-21) | a4, 112 | a4, 112 |  |  |
| Enrolled in public schools | 3, 371 | 4,405 | 1, 034 |  |
| Number of such schools reported | 75 | 6114 | 39 |  |
| School-houses reported -- |  | ${ }_{628}^{628}$ |  |  |
| Teachers employed, female |  | 102 |  |  |
| Whole number employed. |  | 6130 |  |  |
| Average monthly pay of teachers. |  | \$58.06 |  |  |
| Aggregate pay of teachers- |  | 55, 936 |  |  |
| Average cost of each pupil per month. |  | 4.14 |  |  |
| Paid for new school-houses |  | 13, 075 |  |  |
| Valuation of school-houses. | \$99, 781 |  |  |  |

$a$ United States census of 1880 .
c Uinta county not reporting.
$b$ Johnson county not reporting.
(From reports of Hon. John Slaughter, territorial superintendent of public instruction for the years indicated, the figures coming through the report of the governor for 1885, and his message to the legislature for 1886.)

## TERRITORIAL SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## GENERAL CONDITION.

Much fuller information of the educational status of this Territory in 1885 is presented in the last reports received than has come to the Bureau since 1879-'80. All its 8 counties are reported in statistics that show a great advance in the elements of a good school system. What yet remains to tell the world how far and how fast it is adrancing is apparently an imperative requirement of complete compliance with the territorial calls for full and uniform statistics, according to settled forms.

## ADMINISTRATION.

The territorial librarian is ex-oficio superintendent of public instruction, with general supervision of all the district schools, making report biennially to the governor. County superintendents are chosen biennially for visiation and stimulation of the territorial schools. District boards of 3 members include a director, treasurer, and clerk, one of them liable to change each year. Women may vote for either of these electire officers, and may, if chosen, hold county or district school offices. With the approval of the county superintendent, 15 or more colored children in a district may have a separate school and teacher. Parents or guardians are required to send their liealthy children or wards, $7-16$ years of age, to school at least 3 months each year, on penalty of $\$ 25$ fine. High grade schools are provided for, in case of need for them.

## SCHOOL FINANCES.

As the territorial school lands are not available till the Territory shall become a State, provision for the support of public schools is made, meanwhile, by a tax of 2 mills annually on $\$ 1$ of all taxable property, and of $\$ 2$ on each taxable poll; besides which, each annual district meeting may vote such a taxas is thought to be necessary for teachers, school-houses, fuel, books for indigent scholars, and a library or libraries, if needed.

## CITY SCHOOL SYSTEM.

## LARAMIE CITY.

This flourishing city sends evidence of doing good school work in 1885, reporting 11 schools, graded from primary to high, with 563 registered pupils, 440 in average be[onging, 427 in average daily attendance, and 241 perfect in attendance.

## PREPARATION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF TEACHERS.

## GENERAL REQUIREMENTS.

Persons proposing to teach in the public schools must obtain certificates of qualification, either from the territorial superintendent of public instruction or from the superintendents of schools in the counties in which they propose to teach. Examinations for these last must be competitive, if possible, and the certificate given must indicate the grade attained.

To aid in giving the instruction needed for obtaining such certificates, a territorial teachers' institute is required to be held annually from 4 to 10 days, the territorial superintendent presiding, and the several county superintendents, with all the principals of graded schools that can be present, aiding as far as may be. To make sure of the attendance of these principals, the territorial superintendent is authorized to proride for the payment of their traveling expenses.

## CHIEF TERRITORIAL SCHOOL OFFICER.

Hon. John Sladghter, territorial librarian, and ex-officio superintendent of public instruction, since 1873.

## RUUCATIONAL ASSOCEATEONS AND CONTENTRONS.

NATIONAL EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION.

## GENERAL MEETING.

The twenty-fifth annual meeting of the National Educational Association was held at Saratoga, N. Y., Ju'y 14-17, 1835, President F. Louis Soldan in the chair.

Except the Madison meeting this gathering was the largest ever held, enrolling 1,570 persons, among whom was an unusually large number of prominent educators from all sections of the country. The fees for new members amounted to $\$ 1,300$.
After the address of welcome by Hon. David Marray, secretary of the New York State Board of Regents, and response by Superintendent Geo. T. Church, of Saratoga, the following topics were presented and fully discussed: "The ideal schoolmaster," by Gen. Thomas Morgan, of Providence, R. I.; "The teacher's tenure of office," by H. R. Waite, Boston; "Psychological inquiry," by Dr. Wm. T. Harris, of Concord, Mass.; "Learning to do by doing," by Rev. A. D. Mayo, Boston, Mass.; "The child's environments," by Miss Clara Conway, of Memphis, Tenn.; "The apprenticeship question and industrial schools in the United States," by Thomas Hampsoa, Washington, D. C. ; and "Training for citizenship," by Geo. L. Fox, of New Haven, Conn.

Among those reported deceased during the year were Phineas Allen, of Newton. Mass. ; C. W. Smith, superintendent of schools in Hennepin County, Minn.; Col. Mark Johnson, Atlanta, Ga.; William Harvey Welis, A. M., former superintendent of schools in Chicago and ex-president of the association; Charles Oliver Thompson, Ph. D., Terre Haute, Ind.; Superintendent C. W. Smith, St. Paul, Minn.; and Henry B. Norton, Santa Cruz, Cal.
The committee on resolutions submitted and the association adopted a series of utterances upon "Higher education of women," "Tenure of office," "Supervision of schools," "Use of tools," "Drawing and music," "National aid to education," "Indian education," "Education in Alaska," "Reading circles," " Pernicious literature," "Temperance," and also one of sympathy with General Grant in his dying hours.
The session closed with short addresses from representatives of the different sections of the United States, Principal C. C. Rounds speaking for New England, Dr. J. H. Hoose for the Middle States, Dr. E. E. White and Prest. Geo. T. Fairchild for the Western, and Miss Clara Conway and others for the Southern States.

## NATIONAL COUNCIL OF EDUCATION.

This body held its fifth annual session at Saratoga, July 10-13, 1855, President White, of Cincinnati, in the chair.
The first business of the session was a report supplementary to the one submitted at the meeting in Madison, 1834, upon the subject, "Recess or no recess," by Dr. Hoose, of Cortland. N. Y. The discussioa developed a preponderance of sentiment in favor of recess in public schools, and of more space for play grounds.
The other topics presented and discussed by the conuncil were as follows: "Practice departments in normal schools," by Mr. Rounds, of New Hampshire; "State supervision of schools," by President Smart, of Indiana; "Academies, their place and function," by W. A. Mowry, of Massachusetts; "School reports," by John D. Phiibrick, of Massachusetts; "Reforms in statistics," by T. W. Bicknell, of Massachusetts;" and "Methods of pedagogical inquiry," by Dr. W. T. Harris, of Massachusetts. The council resolved that the legal school age should be from 4 to 21, and the obligatory school age from 6 to 14.
The session closed by a fitting memorial of the late Dr. Charles O. Thompson, and the introduction of Dr. D. B. Hagar as president for the ensuing year.

## ELEMENTARY DEPARTMENT.

This department held its annual session at Saratoga, July 15-16, 1885, Supt. W. N. Barringer, of Newark, N. J., presiding, who, in his opening address, called attention to the rapid progress in improvements of methods in elementary instruction. Christine Schenck, of New York, made an eamest appeal for better moral instruction in schools. Papers were read by Clarence E. Meleney, of New Jersey, on "The true obiect of early school training;" by Zalmon Richards, of Washington. D. C., on "Language as an educator;" by Prof. L. R. Klemm, of Hamilton, Ohio, on "Methods in teaching geography;" and by W. M. Grifín, of Newark, N. J., on "Avenues to the mind."

## NORMAL DEPARTMENT.

This department, over which George P. Brown, of Terre Hante, Ind., presided, considered: "The relation of normal schools to the teachers' reading circle;" "The function of the normal school in our educational system;" aud "The educational value of comnon schoo! studies." These topies were fully discussed in the 2 sessions held by the department.

## DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER INSTRUCTION.

The president of this department, W. W. Folwell, being absent, Dr. Eli T. Tappan, of Ohio, took the chair. An hour was spent in discussing the differences between the university and the college, drifting into the consideration of the comparative educational value of prescribed and elective courses of study in colleges. Prof. Andrew F. West, of Princeton College, rearl a paper on "The relation of secondary education to the American university problen." followed by one from Prof. S. N. Fellows, of the University of Iowa, ou "The practical value of college education." He stated that college graduates include one-half of one per cent. of the young men of our country; that these graduates have illed 58 per ceut. of the chief national oftices during the past hundred years; that the same results appear in the professional and organized industries; and also that the higher the rank of position the larger the per cent. of college graduates who occupy it; and still further, that a college education virtually adds ten years to a man's life, and not only increases the chances of material success, but refines, elevates, and ennobles character.

## DEPARTMENT OF SUPERINTEADENCE.

This branch of the association in its tro sessions considered the subject of "Country school sapervision," by Hon. John W. Holcombe, of Indiana. This paper excited unusual interest, especially in regard to gradation in country schools, and a special committee was appointed to study the subject and reportat the next meeting of the department. The other two subjects presented were "High schools and the state," by J. E. Seaman, of New Orleans, La.; and the "School superintendent as a businessman," by Aaron Gove, of Denver, Colo.

## INDUSTRIAL DEPARTMENT.

During the two sessions of this department three interesting papers were read and discussed. The first was a report from Sec'y S. R. Thompson, on "The progress of industrial education during the year," in which he said that ten years ago, when it was proposed to start such an industrial department in connection with the National Association, its success was regarded as doubtful, but that the result had exceeded the expectation of the most sanguine. Charles H. Ham, of Chicago, read a paper on "Educational value of manual training," followed by one on "An outline of technical work for a manual training sciivol," by Wm. F. M. Gross, of La Fayette, Ind.

## DEPARTMENT OF ART EDUCATION.

The sessions of this department of the National Educational Association were held July 15-17, 1885, President Otto Fuchs, of Maryland Institute, 5 in the chair.

After the opening address by the president, Mrs. E. F. Dimock, of Chicago, introduced the topic of "Drawing in primary schools," illustrated by drawings of pupils. On motion of Mrs. Hicks, a committee was appointed to consider the relation of drawing to otber stadies and how its use in that direction can be best promoted.

Mr. Goodnough presented a plan for the supervision of several towns or cities by one teacher of drawing. Walter S. Perry, of Worcester, Mass., addressed the meeting on "Drawing in high schools," illustrated by an exhibit. This address is said to have been exceedingly instructive. Miss Kate C. Shattuck, of the St. Louis Normal School, read a paper on "Drawing in normal schools," illustrated by drawings and examples in terra cotta work by pupilis. Charles M. Carter, of Massachusetts Normal Art School, Boston, gave an address on "Industrial drawing for primary and grammar schools," illustrating by an exhibit from Quiney, Mass., the method of teaching at the Massachusetts normal schools, the Normal Art School, and at the State teachers' institutes. Prolessor Fuchs read a paper on "Evening and industrial drawing schools," illustrated by a complete exhibit of the industrial drawing classes of the Maryland Institute. Prof. George H . Bartlett, principal of the Massachusetts Normal Art School, made the closing address. on "Course of study now used in the Normal Art School," in which he compared results obtained from former instruction with that of to-day. The normal art school of the past is not that of the present. Former students were obliged to get their training as teachess after leaving the school. Now such is the demand for the best class of teachers that ${ }^{\text {* }}$ is impossible to complete their training.

## DEPARTMENT OF MCSIC.

The sessions of this department occupied parts of three days, President Daniel B. Hagar, of Salem, Mass., in the chair, who read the first paper of the session on "Tb importance of music as a branch of school education, "regarding it as a means of mental culture and considering its moral effects and its physical relations. "Voice building. phesical culture, and clocution" was the theme of a paper by Prof. T. H. Brand, oi Madison, Wis., follorved by demonstrations of the tonic sol-fa system of singing, with the aid of a class of 30 children, by Prof. Theo. F. Seward. Prof. B. Jepsou, of New Haven, Conu., followed with a paper on "A plea for the element of music in primary grades." He deprecated marching songs and the combination of music with gy mnastics as being disastrous to a proper management of the breath, emission of pure tone, attention to time, careful regard for expression, and correct pronunciation of words or syllables. He would have children regard song-singing as secondary. Omit the practice of music in the high school if you must, but begin and keep up systematic instruction in primary grades. An ausiliary committee of ladies was added to the officers of the department, and the:-ions closed by the introduction of a class of young children from Boston, by Mr. H. L. Holtz, whose exercises in music greatly delighted the audience.

## KINDERGARTEN DEPARTMENT.

Thisdepartment held its second annual meeting in parts of two days, President W. W. Hailmann in the chair. He stated that the purpose of the department was to test and sift kindergarten principles and methods, and to derise ways for their application in the school, aud mapped out, in a general way, a plan of operations, but found many difficulties in the way. A paper by Mrs. Elizabeth Bond, on "The kindergarten in the motber's work," elicited hearty approval. Then followed a paper by Albert C. Boyden on "The relations of the kindergärten to the primary schools," in which he said, among other things, that every child, either at home or in an organized class, should from his earliest years be directed toward spontaneous activity. If the child can be started off from the first in the race of life in a way that will co-operate with nature in producing natural results, the primary school will not be bardened with preparing him to begin his school work. With a paper from Mrs. Hailmann, on "Some essentials of the kindergarten," the sessions closed.

## THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF INSTRUCTION.

This institute held its fifty-sixth annual session at Newport, R. I., July 7-10, 1885, with about 1,500 men and women in attendance. At the opening exercises on the evening of July \%th, President Patterson, of New Hampshire, introduced as the first speaker Rev. W. Randolph, who delivered a pleasing address of welcome to the educators. He was followed by Mayor Franklin and ex-Senator Sheffield, for the governor. In response to the welcome of the city and State, President Patterson in behalf of the institute said that the progress of education in the last fifty years has been as surprising as the triumphs in the fields of industrial enterprise. The special efforts of the scholars in this age are to bring the profoundest and truest scholarship to the aid of practical life. Education has made the masses masters of themselves and of the world.

Part of the morning session of the second day was devoted to President Patterson's annual address, in which he said that the true teacher must be a scholar; he need not necessarily hare compassed the circle of the sciences, but must possess a spirit that instinctively seeks for hidden things. The function of the public school, he said, is to lift the standard of national taste, and to improve our educational methods. Prof. W. H. Paine followed, on "The new edrcation," and L. H. Marvel, of Lewiston, Me., on "The province of superrision." One hour of the evening was occupied withanaddress on "Ciril service reform among teachers," by Thomas W. Bicknell, editor of the N. E. Journal of Education, in which he gave the number of teachers in the United States, cited the importance of the profession, and gave as the causes tending to depreciate teaching, "inadequate preparation," "lack of professional enthusiasm," and "short tenure of office and small pay." This was followed by Mrs. A. G. Woolson, on "George Eliot and her heroines." The exercises of the third day consisted of papers on "The teacher's duty," by F. W. Tilton; "The education needed," by H. M. Willard," of Virginia; "Too much of a good thing," by Prof. S. R. Thompson. The evening was devoted to addresses by Miss Freeman, president of Wellesley College, on "Influence of woman's education on national character," and by Col. H. B. Sprague on the need of "An educational party." Papers and addresses of the last day were on "Horace Miann," by Prof. Amos Hadiey; "Geometry and its methods as a means of discipline," by Prof. R. Fletcher, of Dartmouth College; "The necessity for erening schools," by Edwin P. Searer, city superintendent of schools, Boston; and " Greek in the colleges," by Noah Porter, president of Yale College. President Patterson was unanimously re-elected for the ensuing year, and resolutions presented by J. R. Blackinton and Rev. A. A. Miner, of Boston, were adopted, after which the institute adjourned.

THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF SCIENCE.
The annual meeting of this association was held at Ann Arbor, August 27, 1885. In Section A papers were read on subjects relating to the sun, planets, and astronomical instruments.
In Section B Prof. S. P. Langley, of Allegheny, opened with a paper on "The spectra of some sources of invisible heat," describing experiments with a spectrowicope which led him to believe that the wave length of light is greater than has been beliered. Other papers were read on different phases of optics, and on the chemical behavior of iron in the magnetic field.
In Section C papers were read on "Butter crystallization;" "Calorimetric method for estimation of phosphorus in irou and steel;" and "The electrical furnace, and reduction of the oxides of boron, silicon, aluminum, and other metals, by carbon."
In Section D, on mechanical science, papers were read on "Strength of staybolts in boilers;" "Universal form of pressure motor;" and "The use and value of accurate standards for surreyors' chains;" and a committee reported as to the best method of teaching mechanical engineering.
In Section E the geology of Ann Arbor was described; also papers were read on the lower Helderberg period in New York; the structure and relations of the Dakota group; the structure of the quaternary deposits of Illinois; the post-glacial changes of level in the basin of Lake Ontario, as observed in the old beach outline of that lake; the sources of trend and crustal surplusages in mountain structure.

In Section F papers were read on "Cross fertilization;", "Germination;" "Influence of cocoaine and atropine on the organs of circulation;" "The song notes of the periodical locust;" and "Some popular fallacies and new facts regarding the seventeen-year locusts;" "Proof that bacteria are the direct cause of the disease in trees known as 'pearblight;'" and on "Mechanical injury of trees by cold."

## THE AMIERICAN SOCIAL SCIENCE ASSOCIATION.

In the series of meetings held by this association at Saratoga, 1885, the department of education met Sept. 8th, Dr. W. T. Harris in the chair. In his address he spoke of the adrance in material civilization as the mainspring by which the highest mental, moral, and ethical powers of mankind are dereloped and brought into action. This was followed by papers on "The relation of the drama to education;" "Education in the city, as contrasted with the country;" on "Schools of political science;" "The place of art in education," by Prof. Thos. Davidson, of Orange, N. J. This paper was regarded as a thoughtful presentation of a subject too generally misunderstood or ignored.

## AMERICAN ECONOMIC ASSOCIATION.

A few gentlemen met at Saratoga September 8, 1885, to consider the advisability of organizing an American economic association, the need of one having for some time been felt by the advanced American political economists. After due deliberation an organization was effected, the object being the encouragement of research, the publication of monographs, and the establishment of a bureau of information.

Among its principles are: (1) We regard the State as an agency whose positive assistance is one of the indispensable conditions of human progress. (2) We hold that the conflict of labor and capital has brought into prominence a vast number of social problems whose solution requires the united efforts of the church, the state, and of science.
Francis A. Walker, LL. D., of Boston, was appointed president; Henry C. Adams, Ph. D. of the University of Michigan, Edmund J. James, Ph. D. of the University of Pennsylrania, and J. B. Clark, Ph. D. of Smith Coilege, vice presidents; and R. T. Ely, Ph. D. of Johns Hopkins University, secretary. The direction of the work was given to a council, consisting of some educators of wide reputation. The association began with fifty members, and with fair prospects of influence and usefulness.

## AMIERICAN HISTORICAL ASSOCLATION.

This association held its second annual session at Saratoga, September 8-10, 1885, Hon. Andrew D. White presiding. His opening address was on "The influence of American ideas upon the French Revolution," followed by Goldwin Smith, of Canada, on "The political history of Canada." Prof. T. R. Bracket, of Johns Hopkins University, made a report on certain studies in the institation of African slavery in the United States; Justin Winsor, of Harvard University, read a paper on "An Italian Portolano in the sixteenth century;" Prof. Herbert Tuttle, of Cornell Unirersity, on "New materials for the history of Frederick the Great;", Prof. E. Emerton, of Harvard, on "Recent controversies concerning the Reformation;" Rt. Rer. C. F. Robertson, Bishop of Missouri, on "The

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Louisiana purchase and its influence upon the American system;" Miss Lucy M. Salmon, of the Unirersity of Michigan, on "The history of the appointing power of the President of the United States;" John A. Porter, of Washington, D. C., on "The origin and administration of the city of Washington;" Prof. H. R. Adams, on "The Society to encourage home study;" Irving Elting, A. B. of Harrard, on "Dutch rillage communities on the Hudson Rirer;" Josiah Royce, Ph. D. of Harvard, on "The secret history of the acquisition of California." "The development of the modern cometary system," "The study of the constitutional and political history of the United States," "History of American political economy," and "Materials for American history in foreign archires," were topics for papers oil large interest. The closing one was from Gen. George W. Cullum, on "The disposal of Burgoyne's troops after the Saratoga convention of 1777."

President for ensuing year, Hon. George Bancroft.

## AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF CIVICS.

The conrocation of this nerw institute, representing State councils, held its first meeting at Saratoga in Julr, 1835, General John Eaton, LL. D., in the chair. The parpose of its founders was stated as being "education for citizenship." B. G. Northrop, LL. D., of the Connecticut council, delivered an address on "Right thinking in its relation to citizenship," with special reference to its influence upon the relations of capital and labor; Wm. N. Hailmann, LL. D., of the Indiana council, follorved in an address entitled "When shall teaching in civics begin?" Prof. W. H. Paine, of the University of Michigan, spoke on "Education with reference to taxation;" Gen. H. B. Carrington, LL. D., U. S. Army, presented as one feature of the work the promotion of not only equality, but quality in citizenship. President Waite stated that it was the purpose of its ofticers not to present a complete syllabus of its plans until they could hare the benefit of the fullest possible consensus of the opinions of its counselors.
"The science of cirics and the subjects it should embrace" was presented by Hon. E. E. White, of the Ohio council, who said that it had a broader significance than that attached to political science, including not only the science of government, but also political economy, and that part of social science which is related to government and citizenship. Prof. E. J. James, of the Pennsylrania council, said that however important was the definition of the new term "civics," it was of more immediate importance to decide upon means for making the work of the institute effectual, as in the majority of college courses almost nothing of ralue is offered in relation to this important subject. Educational means nust be emplosed to cure the evils of strikes and communistic gorernments. The work of the institute should be to provide these means. Dr. E. L. Youmans beliered that the work contemplated by the institute was of the highest importance. John S . Clark, of the Massuchusetts council, spoke on "Industrial training as related to citizenship ;" and Hon. J. P. Wickersham, of the Pennsylrania conncil, urged the need of a popular sentiment which shall secure fuller protection of the jury system and the ballotbos. J. TV. Holcombe, of the Indiaua council, said, "Whe must train political leaders who will bring intelligence to the discussion of public questions.' W. E. Sheldon, of the Massachusetts council, heliered that the institute would find a useful field in connection with lyceums and similar organizations. Its official organ is the Citizen, a monthly periodical published by D. Lothrop \& Co., Boston, Mass.
The institute has orer 2,000 members, including in its active membership and State counselors many of the foremost men in the country.
Its adrisory board cousists of Hon. Morrison R. Waite, Chief Justice of the United States, as president; Hon. H. Colquitt, Georgia; Hon. John Eaton, LL. D.; Rev. Noah Porter, late president of Yale College ; Hon. Wm. Preston Johnston, president of Tulane University, Louisiana ; Hon. Hugh McCullough; Rer. Julius Seeley, president of Amherst College ; and Hon. Justin S. Morrill, of Vermont.

## THE NEW ENGLAND ASSOCIATION OF SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS.

This association held its semi-annual meeting in Boston, October 30, 1885, Superintendent Fisher, of TVeymouth, Mass., presiding. Forty-nine State and city superintendents of schools trere in attendance. representing all the New England States but Connecticut. The subject of the meating was "Criticism of the public schools." Papers were read on "The pasition of the press," by I. F. Trweed, oi Cambridge: "The old and the new," by A. P. Stone, of Springtield, in which he cited, as some of the fruits of the new system, the abolition of the rate bill, the establishment of free schools, admitting girls into the public schools, increased length of schools, the establishment of colored and evening schools, better teachers, text books, school-houses, and health conditions, and the introduction of industrial elements.
"Viers of business men on the adrantages of a public school education in business life" were presented by Superintendent Conley, of Lowell. In relation to industrial
training, some opposed and some favored it in the schools, the main criticism being that the teaching in the public schools was not up to the needs of many pupils, and that practiol studies should be emphasized. The high school was admitted to be a vaiuable factor for preparing tor business life. A discussion on overworking pupils in public schools was opened by J. T. Prince, of Waltham, in which he expressed bis opinion that daily marking, extra credits, and promotion examinations lead to nervous exhaustion in a few cases; but excess in eating, late hours, and parties are more frequent causes of ill health and poor scholarship. The school exhibition, he said, is a relic of barbarism; there is as much danger from underwork as orerwork. Superintendent Connell, of Fall River, introduced a resolation expressing the opinion of the meeting in favor of a law for the more permanent tenure of teachers in the public schools, which was adopted. G. I. Aldrich, of Quincy, was elected president for the ensuing year, and the association adjourned.

## MODERN LANGUAGE ASSOCIATION.

The second annual conrention of the Madern Language Association of America was held in New York Cits, December 29, 1884, Franklin Carter, president of Williams College, in the chair. Some interesting letters of Jean Paul Richter were read, followed by papers on "The college course of English literature, and how it may he improved," and "The genitive in Old French." The subject of the evening discussion was "The practicability of substituting a modern for an anciert language in preliminary examinations for colleges." Professor Boyesen, of Columbia College, said that the adrantages of the Greek language were greatly exacgerated, and offered a resolution substituting German or French for Greek. Professor Cohen, of Harvard, and Professor March, of Lafayette College, opposed the resolution, while Professor Schmitz, of the Brooklyn Adelphi Academ5, and Professcr Fay, of Tufts College, spoke in its favor. The resolution was laid orer. Professor Brandt, of Hamilton College, read a paper relating to the extert to which purely scientific grammar may enter into the ordinary college classes, and horv far the latest results of scientific research may be embodied in text books. The main reasun, the professor said, of the loose and unsystematic methods of teaching modern languages is the lack of the dignity and weight which comes from a scientific basis. He was not in faror of giring up the old languages, but thought that French, scientifically studied, was worth, as a discipline, any amount of Greek and Latin. Professor Gummer, of Massachusetts, read a paper on "The place of Old English philology in elementary schools," and Professor Joines, of South Carolina, gare a statement of the progress of the study of modern languages in the southern colleges since the War; after which President Carter was re-elected for the ensuing year, and the association adjourned.

## THE NEW ENGLAND NORMAL SCHOOL TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

The eighth annual meeting of this association was held in Boston February 6, 1885, Miss Ellen Hyde, of Framingham, presiding. The morning exercises were deroted to a paper by Principal C. C. Rounds, of the New Hampshire State Normal School, on "Professional reading." Doctor Rounds presented a raluable list of books which he had found useful in his professional work. Other books were added to the list by Messrs. Boyden. Dunton, Hagar, and Morgan, and on motion of Doctor Dunton, the association requested Doctor Rounds to publish this list of pedagogical books, with such a review of each as he might desire.
On re-assembling in the afternoon session, oficers were elected for the ensuing year as follows: President, C. C. Rounds, of New Hampshire; rice-president, T. J. Morgan, of Rhode Island; secretars, Miss Davis, of Massachusetts. The regular exercises being resumed, Prof. W. H. Paine, of Ann Arbor, presented a paper entitled "The normal school problem." The speaker briefly outlined the aims of the founders of the normal schools in this country, reriewed their progress, and suggested lines of possible growth. The normal school, he said, is not only an essential instrument of general education, but is also a product of modern cirilization, and, though in its infancy, it has come to stay. Its proper sphere is that of a leader and a model for all public schools, both in methods and matter. It should never so train the teacher in technical methods as to deaden all ambition for general culture, the great desideratum of all true teachers. To this end, the normal school should always give prominence to the scientific aspect of education, the method being left to the ingenuity and resources of a well-stored mind, and this well-stored mind should beone of the great aims of the normal school. The professor further said that the outlook for broad culture in the teacher is likely to diminish in proportion as the techuical element is brought into prominence. By the constant repetition of a certain train of ideas, the mind seems to lose the ability to work in any other direction.
The paper was discussed by different members, and rather sererely criticised by Principal Carrol, of Connecticnt, who did not think it absolutely necessary that all teach-
ers should begraduates of a college or normal school, as some of the best primary teachers were only graduates of lower schools, and many of the ablest women teachers in the country had never entered a college. Other speakers, while agreeing in many points with Professor Paines presentation of the subject, leaned to the opinion that the question of culture or non-culture in the tendency of technical instruction in methods depended largely on the presentation and landling of the subject. If the scientific and humanitarian end be constantly lept in view, the result must be a broadening and ennobling of the rhole man. The discussion haring closed, the association unanimously passed a rote of thanks to Professor Paine, requesting the paper for publication, and the association adjourned.

## EDUCATIONAL CONVENTIONS AT NEW ORLEANS. ${ }^{1}$

A public reception of the International Congress of Educators, the Department of Superintendence of the National Educational Association, and the special delegation of the National Educational Association appointed at Madison July 23, 1884, was held at New Orleans February 23, 1835. Addresses were made by Hon. Charles E. Fenner, of Louisiana; Col. Wiiliam P. Johnston, of Tulane University; Hon. John Eaton, LL. D., of Washington, D. C.; and Rer. A. D. Mayo, associate editor of the New England Journal of Education.

The Department of Superintendence met at Tulane University February 24th, Hon. John Hancock presiding. Hon. Warren Easton, State superintendent of public instruction, Louisiana, delivered the address of welcome, followed by papers on "School econony," by Hon. A. J. Rickoff; "The inner workings of the University of Virginia," by Prof. James M. Garnett; "A true course of stady for elementary schools," by Hon. E. E. White; "Rise and progress of public education in Texas," by Superintendent W. C. Rote; "Co-ordination in instruction and in education," by Brother Noah; "Moral education in the common schools," by Dr. W. T. Harris; and "The relation of the university to the common school," by Col. William Preston Johnston.

## NATIONAL TEACHERS' READING CIRCLE.

In securing the professional training of teachers the teachers' reading circles promise to become a most important adjunct to the normal schools and teachers' institutes.
A large number of the friends of the morement, desirous of advancing its interests by a national organization, called a meeting, which was held in connection with the National Educational Association in July, 1885. The attendance was large, speeches and proceedings enthusiastic, Superintendent John Hancock presiding. Mrs. Delia Lathrop Williams, of Ohio, gave an account of the morement in that State; Dr. S. N. Fellors, professor in Iowa University, gave the history of the circle in that State; Prof. W. H. Payne an account of the circle in Michigan; Dr. George P. Brown, an account of the movement in Indiana; ex-Superintendent Speer, of Kansas, spoke of the movement in that State; Dr. J. W. Stearus, of Wisconsin, said that his State was following the lead of Ohio, Indiana, and other States; and Prof. S. S. Parr gave an account of the movement in Minnesota. A strong desire was expressed for national recognition.

## THE TWELFTH CHAUTAUQUA ASSEIIBLY.

At the twelfth Chautauqua Assembly, beginning July 2, 1885, it soon became apparent that the assembly of 1835 was a year's growth in adrance of that of 1884 . The session was divided into 4 sections: the preliminary session, the July meetings, the assembly, and the after-week. The July meetings included 3 weeks of the schools of language, and the teachers' retreat. The attendance on the former numbered 160, from 23 States. The teachers' retreat was under the control of Prof. J. W. Dickinson, of Massachusetts. The departments were manned to do the most advanced work, the pupils representing 20 States and Canada. With the schools of language were classes in elocution, calisthenics, microscopy, penmanship, phonography, type-writing, stenography, geology, forestry, and other kindred subjects.
During the meeting of the assembly new developments were announced, the mostimportant being the completed plan for the Chautauqua University. The scheme dirides the university into the departments of the assembly, the summer sessions of the schools of language, the Chautauqua Literary and Scientific Circle, the school of liberal arts, and the Chautauqua press. Advanced plans for worl in all these departments were prorided. The faculty secured is said to be rich in strong names, and each section is under the direction of some eminent leader. It is also claimed that there is a true university

[^74]breadth in the variety of study offered, while the courses outlined for the different sections are quite as exacting in their requirements as similar courses in any university known.
The problem of supplying the large constituency with prescribed books was solved by the cstablishment of the Chautarqua press at 117 Franklin street, Boston, Mass.

## FROEBEL INSTITUTE.

This institute held its annual meeting at Saratoga in July, 1885. President Hailmann. of La Porte, Ind., read his report, in which he said that the special objects of the organization were the diffusion of Froebel literature and the establishment and encouragement of kindergärten in all parts of the country; he recommended the creation of committees on statistics, finance, and the condition of training schools, especially the last, in view of the inroads of "cram" in the kindergärten of our land. The reports from Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Montpelier, Philadelphia, Grand Rapids, and Washington, D. C., were of a most pleasing character Prof. L. W. Mason reported remarkable progress of kindergärten in Japan; President Irwin Shepherd gave an account of the great influencz of the kindergarten department of the Winona normal school for the last 5 years; President Hailmann, of the extensive charity work done in Chicago by the free kindergärten of that city; and Mrs. E. P. Bond gave an instructive account of the unique work in Florence, Mass.

## APPENDIX.

STATISTICAL TABLES

RELATING TO

## EDUCATION IN THE UNITED STATES.

Table I.-Part 1.-Statistics of the school systems of the States and Tervitorics, showing \&'c., for 1884-'85; from replics to inquiries

|  | States and Territories. |  | school tear. |  | SChool population. |  |
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|  | Alabama | 1884-'85 | Oct. 1 | Sept. 30 | 7-21 | 420, 413 |
| 2 | Arkansas | 1883-'84 | July 1 | June 30 | $6-21$ | 316, 356 |
| 3 | California | a1884-'85 |  |  | 5-17 | 250, 977 |
| 4 | Colorado ... | 1884-'85 | Sept. 1 | Aug. 31 | $6-21$ | 57, 955 |
| 5 6 | Connecticut | 1834-85-84 | Sept. 1 | Aug. ${ }^{\text {Dec }} 1$ | $4-16$ | 151,069 |
| 7 | Florida.. | 1884-'85 | Oct. ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | Sept. 30 | $6-21$ | c $c 40,569$ c66, 708 |
| 8 | Georgia | 1884 | Jan. 1 | Dec. 31 | 6-18 | f508, 722 |
| 9 | Illinois | 1884-'85 | July 1 | June 30 | 6 -21 | 1, 077, 302 |
| 10 | Indiana | 1883-'84 | Sept. 1 | Sept. 1 | 6-21 | 722, 851 |
| 11 | Iowa ... | 1583-'84 | Mar. - | Mar. - | 5-21 | 623,151 |
| 12 | Kansas.. | 1884-'85 | Aug. 1 | July 31 | 5-21 | 461, 044 |
| 13 | Kentucky | 1882-'83 |  |  | 6-20 | 581, 322 |
| 14 | Louisiana | 1885 | Jan. 1 | Dec. 31 | g6-18 | 1:291, 049 |
| 15 | Maine. | 1884-'85 | Apr. 1 | Mar. 31 | 4-21 | 213, 863 |
| 16 | Maryland | 1884-'85 | Sept. 1 | July 31 | i5-20 | $j 295,215$ |
| 17 | Massachus | 1884-'85 | Sept. - | June - | 5-15 | 343, 810 |
| 18 | Michigan. | 1884-'85 | Sept. 1 | Sept. 1 | 5-20 | 595, 687 |
| 19 | Minnesota: | 1884-'85 | Aug. 1 | July 31 | 5-21 | c359, 366 |
| 0 | Mississippi | 1884 | Jan. 1 | Dec. 31 | $5-21$ | 444, 131 |
| 21 | Missouri.. | 1884-'85 | July 1 | June 30 | 6-20 | 805, 313 |
| 2 | Nebraska. | 1584-'85 | July - | July - | 5-21 | 233, 238 |
| 4 | Nevada.... | 1883-84 | Sept. 1 | Aug. 31 | $6-18$ | 9,593 |
| 5 | New Jersey .... | ${ }_{1883-84}^{1885}$ | Sept. 1 | Aug. 31 | 5-15 | 760,899 356,061 |
| 26 | New York. | 1888-'85 | Ang. 21 | Aug. 20 | 5-21 | 1, 721,126 |
| 27 | North Carolina | 1885 | Dec. 1 | Nov. 30 | 6-21 | 530, 127 |
| 88 | Ohio... | 1884-'85 | Sept. 1 | Aug. 31 | 6-21 | 1,095, 469 |
| 29 | Oregon | 1884-'85 | Sept. - | June - | kit-20 | 80,018 |
| 30 | Pennsylvania | 1884-'85 | June 1 | June 1 | 6-21 | h1, 422, 377 |
| 31 | Rhode Island. | 1884-'85 | May 1 | Apr. 30 | $g 5-15$ | 60, 147 |
| 32 | South Carolina | 1884-'85 | Nov. 1 | Aug. 31 | 6-16 | h262, 279 |
| 33 | Tennesseo. | 1884-'85 | July 1 | June 30 | 6-21 | 603, 831 |
| 34 | Texas | 1883-'84 | Sept. 1 | Aug. 31 | 8-16 | 311, 134 |
| 35 | Vermont | 1884-'85 | Apr. 1 | Mar. 31 | 5-20 | h99, 463 |
| 6 | Virginia. | 1884-'85 | Aug. 1 | July 31 | 5-21 | $n 610,271$ |
| 7 | West Virginia | 1884-85 | July 1 | Jurie 30 | 6-21 | 236, 065 |
| 38 | Wisconsin. | 1881-'85 | July 1 | June 30 | 4-20 | 545, 084 |
| 39 | Arizona | 1884-'85 | July 1 | June 30 | 6-18 | 10, 220 |
| 40 | Dakota | 1884-'85 | July 1 | June 30 | 7-20 | 87, 563 |
| 41 | District of Columbia | 1884-85 | July 1 | June 30 | g6-17 | h43, 537 |
| 2 | Idaho. | 1884-'85 | Sept. 1 | Aug. 31 | 5-21 | 15, 399 |
| 3 | Montana | 1884-'85 | Sept. 1 | Aug. 31 | $4-21$ | 16,796 |
| 4 | New Mexico | 1880 |  |  | T-18 | he9, 255 |
| 5 | Utah | 1884-85 | July 1 | June 30 | 6-18 | 50,638 |
| 46 | Washington | 1884-'85 | July 1 | June 30 | $6-21$ | 37, 156 |
| 7 | Wyoming . | 1880 |  |  | 7-21 | h4, 112 |
| 48 | Indian: <br> Cherokees | 1883-'84 |  |  |  |  |
|  | Chickasaws | 1883-84 |  |  |  | 05, o1, 0 |
|  | Choctaws | 1883-'84 |  |  |  | o3, 000 |
|  | Crecks | 1883-84 |  |  |  | 02, 000 |
|  | Seminoles | 1883-'84 |  |  |  | o450 |

[^75]$c$ Not including colored children in Wilmington. d Approximately.
e School census of 1884.
$f$ Corrected State school census of 1882.
$g$ Inclusive.
the school population, cmollment. atlendance, duration of schools, number and pay of teachors, by the Linited Siates Lurcan of Education.

$h$ United States Censts of 1880.
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This is the age for distribution of school funds; $n$ 6-20 for colorad.
$j$ For 1883-'84.
This is the age for distribution of school funds; for free attendance it is $0-21$.
$l$ Includes evening school reports.
$m$ Sereral large counties failed to report this item.
School census of 1885 ; the State school census of 1880 was, howerer, the basis for distribution of school funds in 1885.
o In 1883.
$p$ In boarding schools only.

Table I.-Part 1.-Statistics of the school systems of the States and Territories,

showing the school population, enrollment, atiendance, $f \cdot \mathrm{c} .$, for 1884-85-Continued.

$l$ For white teachers in counties; arerage salary of $p$ In the cities.
White teachers in the cities: males, $\$ 103.45$; fe- $q$ In 1853-'84.
males, $\$ 39.94$.
$m$ For colored schools.
$n$ Excluding board, which costs the districts an average of \$8 20 a month for each teacher.
oln the counties.
$r$ Innormal schools, academies, and private schonls.
8 Number of census children reported as attending Catholic aud select schools.
$t$ Includes evening school reports.
$u$ United States census of 1880 .

Table I.-Part 2.-Statistics of the school systems of the States and

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| 9 | Alabama... | a\$230, 000 | 6\$138, 010 |  | \$142, 350 |
| $\stackrel{2}{3}$ | Arkansas.. |  |  |  |  |
| 3 4 | Colorado... | d1, 893, 011 | e1, 411, 944 | \$910, 125 | 42, 064 |
| 5 | Connecticut. | 226,604 | 1, 289, 807 | 1, 516, 411 | 120, 855 |
| 6 | Delaware. | ah52, 056 | h,161, 048 |  |  |
| 8 | Florida.. | 70,667 | 233,567 | 304, 234 | 31,750 |
| 9 | Illinois... | 1,000,000 | 7, 915, 077 | 476, $8,915,077$ | 603, 296 |
| 10 | Indiana.. | 1,00, 000 | 7, 1015 | 8, 110,07 | 603, 29 |
| 112 | Iowa... | d690, 223 | 4, 972, 278 $72,021,053$ |  |  |
| 13 | Kansas.... |  |  | 22, 021, 053 | ไ304, 445 |
| 14 | Louisiana.... |  |  |  |  |
| 15 | Maine | 235, 915 | 705, 660 | 941, 605 | 95, 273 |
| 16 | Marsland... | 496, 458 | 996, 707 | 1,493, 165 | 53, 502 |
| 17 | Massachusetts. |  | 6, 754, 419 | 6, 754, 419 | 172, 547 |
| 18 | Minnesota. | 0 | 3,379,310 | 3, 379, 310 | 705, 664 |
| 20 | Mississippi | 300, 000 | - 506,320 | 1,611, 8068 | 320,474 66,000 |
| 21 | Missouri... | 407, 176 | 2, 888, 393 | 3, 295, 569 | 682, 229 |
| 22 | Nebraska. | 144,555 | 2, 286, 547 | 2, 431,102 | 254, 897 |
| 23 | Nevadi.. | d53,556 | 112, 179 |  |  |
| 24 | New Hampshire. | (572, |  | 572,755 | 39,679 |
| 25 | New Jersey... | 01, 396, 968 | 0883, 892 | 02, 280, 860 | 0100,000 |
| 26 | New York. North Carolina. | 2, 750, 000 | 9,712, 324 | 12, 462, 321 | 170, 000 |
| 28 | Ohio.... | 1,630, 768 , | 7, 213,254 | 8,844, 022 | 255,689 |
| 29 | Oregon | 1, ${ }^{\text {(401, }}$ |  | 8,801, 266 | 60,000 |
| 30 | Pennsslvania.. | q81, 388 | $q 616,717$ | q698,105 | 12, 191 |
| 32 | South Carolina | q81, (l441, | 9) ${ }^{\text {q6, }}$ | 7441, 599 |  |
| 33 | Tennessee..... | d145, 017 | 769,396 | 914, 413 |  |
| 34 | Texas .... | d1, 399, 874 |  |  |  |
| 35 36 | Virmont.. |  | 519, 830 | 519, 830 | 49,845 |
| 37 | West Virginia. | di85, 616 | $\cdots 7103$ | 957, 150 |  |
| 38 | Wisconsin. | 59,549 | 2, 538, 136 | 2, 597,685 | 224, 043 |
| 39 | Arizona.. | s17, 846 | 91, 390 | 109, 236 | 0 |
| 40 | Dakota ............... | t181, 425 | 1,960,332 |  |  |
| 42 | Idaho................ |  |  | ut1, |  |
| 43 | Montana | 0 | 178, 316 |  | 0 |
| 44 | New Mexico.. |  |  |  |  |
| 46 | Washington | 889, 299 | 62, 608 | 151, 907 |  |
| 47 | Wyoming... |  |  |  |  |
| 48 | Indian: Cherokees . |  |  |  |  |
|  | Chickasaws. |  |  |  |  |
|  | Choctaws. |  |  |  |  |
|  | Creeks........ |  |  |  |  |

[^76]Territorics, showing the income, expenditure, f.c., for 1884-'85-Continued.

$n$ Inclucles exnemiliture for repairs.
$t$ From Territorial appropriations.
Imount of schonl money raised in 1883-84, but $u$ Total from taxation and Concressional appronot arailable fir use nutil $1884^{-85}$.
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$v$ Includes interest paid.
${ }_{20}$ United States census of 1880.
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Table I.-Part 2.-Statistics of the school systems of the States and

|  | States and Territories. | anNual expenditure. |  |  |  |
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| 1 | Alabama. | \$502, 759 | b\$22, 253 | \$ 538,950 | \$1 28 |
| 3 | Arkansas.. | 2,573,624 | 415, 587 | 561,745 $3,364,224$ |  |
|  | Colorato. | 2, 448, 170 | e325, 759 | - 0 944, 727 | 13.57 |
| 5 | Connecticut | 1,166, 879 | 380,594 | 1,852, 221 | 1031 |
| 6 | Delaware. | 152, 591 | 54, $3: 7$ | 215, 161 | cf 590 |
| 8 | Florida | 247, 133 |  | g33.5, 984 | 501 |
| 9 | Illinois | 5, 897, 4: 4 | 2, 792, 046 | 10, 108.928 | ${ }_{8}^{129}$ |
| 10 | Indiana. | h3, 154, 083 | 2, 1 2, 46 | 4,660,000 | i6 45 |
| 11 | Iowa.. | j3, 696, $4 \overline{\text { T }}$ | e1, 808, 033 | 6, 236. 970 | c8 90 |
| 12 | Kansas. |  |  | 3, 388, 652 | $i 735$ |
| 13 | Kentucky |  |  | f700, 790 | 2155 |
| 14 | Louisiana. | 379, 927 | 70,103 | 450, 030 | 155 |
| 15 | Maino .... | ${ }_{1,277,587}(\underline{1}, 0$ | ${ }^{\text {0 0 2 }}{ }_{301,751}$ | $\begin{array}{r}n 1,134,050 \\ 1,745 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 5 5 5 |
| 17 | Massachusetts. | 04, 675, , 882 | 784, 992 | g7, $220,4: 0$ | 2042 |
| 18 | Michigan. | j2, $784,3 \div 4$ | 835, 1:5 | 4, 723, 941 | 621 |
| 19 | Minuesota. | 2, 238, 173 | 296, 743 | 2, 587, 544 | 700 |
| 20 | Mississippi |  |  | 872, 320 | 196 |
| 22 | Missouri | j2, 906, 539 | 435, 019 | 4, 261,572 | 502 |
| 23 | Nerada.. | $1,492,346$ 131,318 | 517,020 19,000 | 2, 918,157 | q9 c15 94 |
| 24 | New Hampshire | 446, 841 | e86, 616 | 613, 199 |  |
| 25 | New Jersey | 1,597, 005 | 402, 798 | 2,422. 299 | 590 |
| 26 | New York. | 8,762, 950 | 1, 521, 495 | 13, 580,968 | 789 |
| $\stackrel{27}{ }$ | North Carolina | 22416, 197 | 2337, 406 | n535, 205 | $n 119$ |
| $\stackrel{28}{29}$ | Ohio... | 6, 035, 689 | 2,512, 166 | 10, 093, $0: 8$ | 975 585 |
| 30 | Pennsylvania | 5,586, 481 | 2,485, 542 | 9, 800, 405 |  |
| 31 | Rhote Island. | r 4771,212 | -r83, 751 | $r 736,8 \times 2$ | 928 |
| 32 | South Carolina. | n374, 257 | n20, 739 | n428, 419 | 152 |
| 33 | Tenuessee | 876, 229 | 40,207 | 1, 013,464 | c156 |
| 34 | Texas.. |  |  | t1, 661, 476 | 450 |
| 35 | Vermont | 443, 903 | 99, $7 \times 7$ | $u 611.503$ |  |
| 36 37 | Virginia. | 1, 060, 621 | 95, 018 | 1, 424. 532 |  |
| 38 | Wisconsin... | $\begin{array}{r}\text { 5:6, } \\ 2,0641 \\ \hline, 241\end{array}$ | 129,640 660,291 | rer690, 331 | 3 <br> 5 <br> 5 <br> 14 <br> 14 |
| 39 | Arizona... | 2, 78, 8.39 | 23, 888 | 107, 879 | $n 1726$ |
| 40 | Dakota | 500, 481 | 581, 818 | 1, 814, 212 | 2072 |
| 41 | District of Columbia. | 354, 218 | 114, 125 | 581, 534 | $f 1463$ <br> $x 1084$ <br> 808 |
| 42 | Idaho... | 76,302 | 13, 757 | 123,368 | is 01 |
| 44 | Montana.... | y28, 002 |  |  | 10 009 c0 |
| 45 | Utah ....... | 142, 805 | 34,463 | 2.8284 | i4 52 |
| 46 | Vasbington | 194,787 | 33. 706 | g287, 029 | 770 |
| 47 | Wroming | $y 25,894$ | y2, 610 | y28,504 | c6 93 |
| 48 | Indian: <br> Cherokees |  |  | 81, 730 |  |
|  | Chickasaws |  |  | 86, 015 |  |
|  | Choctaws. Creeks... |  |  | 46, 725 |  |
|  | Seminoles |  |  | 12, 142 |  |

$a$ In estimating these items, onl 5 the interest on the amount expended under the head of "vermanent" (i.e., for sites, buildings, furniture, libraries, and apparatus) should be added to the current s xpenditure for the sear
6 Includes $\$ 21,500$, total amount expended for normal schools.
$c$ Estimated by the Bureau, 6 per cent. being the rate used in casting interest on permanent expenditure.
d Per capita on current expenses only
e Iucludes amount paid for interest or to cancel debt.
$f$ For white schools only.
$g$ Items not all reported.
$h$ Amount of tuition revenue.
$i$ Per capita on total es penditure
$j$ Includes salaries of superintendents.
$\%$ Superintendent's estimate for several rears nast of the amount of permanent fund when all shall be available.
$l$ State per capita for white and colored children alike, for the school rear 1884-'85.
$m$ In the city of New Oileans only for 1884; no report for the remainder of tho State.

Territories, showing the income, expenditure, sc., for 1ss.-‘-'-C'ontinued.

$n$ For 1883- 84.
o Inclndes some miscellaneous expenditare.
$p$ In $18 \mathrm{E}_{2}$.
$q$ Estimate of State superintendent.
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t Actaalespenilitare not reported; amoant miven is the snm of the State apportionment for1853' $\varepsilon$ s, and the amonnt paid teachers by cities and from private fands during the same rear.
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$r$ Expenditure for current purposos only; excludes that for sites baildines, \&-c.
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$z$ Includes the Cberolsec devlam and ornhan funds aa Sciools stpported from genemal tribal funds.
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ce The income deriwel from these funds is ang mented from other suarces.


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Table II．－School statislics of citics containing 7，500 inhabitants and over，for 1884－85，fe．－Continued．

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| North $\triangle$ dimas, M | c1. 500 |  |  |
| Northampton, Stas | 1,350 |  | 800 |
| Peabody Mass*.. | c1, 400 |  |  |
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| Salem, Masef. |  |  |  |
| Somerville. Ma | 2,400 |  | 1,800 |
| Springfiold. Mase | 2,70 |  | 1. 800 |
| Tuanton, Mass | 3,70 |  | 1,200 |
| Waltham. Mass | c1, 800 |  | c1,003 |
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| Weburn, Mass. | 1, \%00 |  |  |
| Worcester, Mas | 2,700 |  | 1,167 |
| Adrian, Miehf | 1,200 |  |  |
|  | 1,600 |  | 1,125 |
| Bay City, Mich Detroit. Mich. | 2,000 | 1,000 | 883 |
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| Flint, Micla* | 1,000 |  |  |
| Grand Rapids, Mich... | 2.025 |  | c1,350 |
| $\left\{\begin{array}{l}\text { Jacksmn, } \\ \text { Mich, }\end{array}\right.$ | 1,400 |  |  |
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| Saginarr, Mich | 1,000 |  |  |
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| St. Joseph. Mo | 1,800 |  | 1,175 |
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| 231 | Meadvillo，Pa ．．．．．．．．． |  | 800 |  | 4．0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 8iv， 040 |
| 232 | Now Castlo，Pa |  | ab60 |  | ab50 |  |  |  |  |  |  | b $\$$ |  | 35， 000 | 3，000 |  | 53， 200 |
| 233 | Nortistown，Pa Philadelphia Pa | 1,400 2,400 |  |  | 425 |  |  |  |  | 400 | 80 |  | 50， 000 | 95， 0110 | 14，000 |  | 179， 600 |
| 234 | Philadelphia， $\mathrm{Pa}^{*}$ ．．．． <br> Pittibure，Pa | 2，400 |  | \＄1，925 |  | \＄2， 400 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 2，165， 849 | 4，432， 117 |  |  | $6,44,780$ $2,20,0 \geq 8$ |
| 2：3 | Reading， $\mathrm{P}^{\text {a }}$＊ | 1，40f | 1，000 | 875 | 600 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | （20， |  | 2， 230.0088 |
| 237 | Scranton， $\mathrm{P}^{\prime} a^{*}$ | 975 | 650 |  | 55.5 |  |  |  |  | 700 |  | c 400 |  |  |  |  | 332，c00 |
| 238 | Shenandoah，Pa ．．．．．．． | 1，000 |  | 540 | 450 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $(62,800)$ |  | 200 | Ci3， 0100 |
| 239 |  |  | 685 |  | b60 |  |  |  |  | 840 | $b 40$ | bd 40 |  |  |  |  | 6．4． 275 |
| 241 | Wilises Barre，Pa．．．．． Williamsport，${ }^{\text {Pa．．．．}}$ | a1， 000 |  |  | a075 |  |  | $b \$ 25$ | b20 | 600 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 20\％2， 678 |
| 242 | York，Pa | 1，050 |  | 630 | 468 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 36,100 | 103， 500 | 12， 000 |  | 153，99，0 |
| 243 | Lincoln，R．I ${ }^{*}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 81． 700 |
| 244 | Newport，IR． I |  | 3，500 | 1，050 | 1，100 |  |  | 75 | 125 | 900 | 900 |  | 25， 889 | 84，300 | 18，000 |  | 128． 139 |
| 245 | Pawtucket，R I－．．．．．． | a1， 500 |  |  | a700 |  |  |  |  | 1，201 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 217，427 |
| 248 | Providenca，R．I ．．．．．．． | $\alpha^{2}{ }^{2} .240$ | a1， 500 | a1， 900 | a1， 0100 |  |  |  |  | 1，7014 |  | e600 |  |  |  |  | 971.4 ¢5 |
| 248 | Warwick，R．I＊．${ }^{\text {Woonsorlser，}}$ R． | ai，${ }^{\text {f }} 100$ | ${ }_{\text {f }}{ }_{\text {f } 600}$ | a800 | $f 280$ $c 600$ |  |  | $a 100$ | a 50 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 30，913 |
| 249 | Charleston，S． C |  | 1，200 |  | 6 ล̄0 | （g） |  |  |  | 1，000 |  |  | 25， 000 | 100， 000 | 20,100 | 1，000 | 146， 100 |
| 250 | Cohnmbia，S．© ．．．．．．．． | ${ }_{\text {（120 }}^{720} 50{ }^{\text {a }}$ |  | （ab80） |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 13， 016 | 15，500 | 2，040 |  | 3i1． 6.40 |
| 251 | Chat tanonga，Tenn．．．． |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 32， 510 | 51.800 | ，（5，800） |  | 90， 100 |
| 253 | M1／mphis，T（－na．．．．．．．． | 805 | 800 |  |  | 0.0 | 600 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $1.50,1000$ | $3: 2$ $80,0.0$ 000 | 4， 610 11，000 | 450 400 | 51， 81.10 |
| 255 | Nashvillo，＇oun ．．．．．． | 1，600 |  | 1，000 | $8: 5$ |  |  |  |  | 1，075 | （1，075） |  | E\％， 000 | 166， 010 | 1\％， 00 ） | 1，000 | 231， 010 |
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TABLE II．—School statistics of cilies containing 7，500 inhabilants and over，for 1884－＇85，\＆＇c．－Continued．

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| Montgomery，Ala ．．．． | \＄10，000， 000 | \＄7，500， 000 |  |  | ${ }_{\text {\＄899 }}$ |  |  |  | \＄5， 076 | \＄12， 600 |  | \＄1， 900 | \＄20， 475 |  | \＄88 |  |
| Little Roek，Ark．．．．． | 9，500， 000 | 7，200， 000 |  |  | 40，202 |  | \＄0 | \＄0 |  | 38， 328 |  |  | （a45， 828 | \＄19， 012 | 1，300 |  |
| Los Angoles，Cal．．．．．．．． | $30,000,000$ | 14，781， 88.85 | 1 | ${ }_{2}^{2}$ | $\begin{array}{r}\text { 9，} 678 \\ 17 \\ \hline 18\end{array}$ | 36， 877 |  |  | 615， c106， 035 | 28,948 57,702 |  | 871） | 102,409 182,360 | 17， 109 | 696） | \＄09 |
| Sacramento，Cal．．．．．．．．．． |  | 28， 794,949 |  |  | 17，077 |  |  |  | $c 106,050$ $c 65,763$ | 57,702 32,563 | \＄1， 547 | 49 | 182,366 132,081 | 17,109 10,000 | 2,661 <br> 2,308 | 738 279 |
| San Francisco，Cal |  | 223， 509,560 | 1.1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 886， 311 |  | 12， 278 | 279 |
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| Stockton，Cal ${ }^{\text {Denver，Colo．（\％）．．．．．}}$ |  |  |  |  | 32， 885 |  |  |  | 19， 059 | 24， 444 | 2， 641 | 826 | 79，855 | 9， 922 | 2， 026 | 183 |
| Denver，Colo．（58 of city）＊ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 202， 090 |  |  |  |
| Beardillo，Colo d ．．．．．．．． |  | $\begin{array}{r}\text { 2，} \\ \text { 12，} 3811,499 \\ \hline\end{array}$ |  |  | 0 |  |  | 9， 308 | 7， 294 | 13，490 | 0 | 7，711 | 38,403 98,171 |  | 10，261） |  |
| Danbury，Connd．．． |  | 5，845， 548 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 98，171 | 22， 1015 |  |  |
| Derby，Conn ${ }^{\text {b }}$ ．．．． |  | 3，984， 502 |  | 7． 33 |  | 8，006 |  | 239 |  | 20，684 |  | 8，533 | 37， 362 | 1，©40 | 1 |  |
| Grecnwich，Conn d Ifartford，Conn $d$. |  | 3，705， 075 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 17， 471 |  |  |  |
| Meriden，Conn ．．． | $15,000,000$ | 10，114， 243 | 2.5 | 3 |  | 359 |  |  | 11，965 | 10， 444 |  |  | $\begin{array}{r}\text { 215，} \\ 423 \\ 42 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 62， 500 | （e）， | 8） |
| Mildlotown，Conn＊f．．．． |  | 5，800， 000 | 2 | 2 | 5，088 | 1，196 |  | 464 | 2＇， 293 | 16，171 | 1，223 | 5，734 | 32， 269 | 1，316 | 2，000 | 100 103 |
| Now Britain，Conn ．．． | ＊9，000， 000 | ＊ $6,000,000$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 30， 290 |  |  |  |
| New Haven，Conn． |  | 47，540， 590 |  | 4 | 1，814 |  |  | 1，587 | 39,266 | 202， 261 | 2，014 | 11 | 247， 553 | 2，23i |  |  |
| New London，Conn＊ Norwalk，Conn．．．．． |  | $6,789,397$ $\times 5,419,859$ | ， | 2.7 |  | 4， 520 |  | 641 |  | 18,000 $3 ., 062$ |  | 397 10,447 | 23,558 43,168 |  |  | 59) |
| Norwich，Conn ${ }^{\text {a }}$ ．．．． |  | ＊ $51,419,859$ |  | 4.08 |  | 11， 647 |  | 997 |  | 32,062 <br> 52 <br> 963 | 192 | g10， $\begin{array}{r}\text { c47 } \\ 604 \\ 604\end{array}$ | － 43,168 |  |  |  |
| Stamford，Conn d． |  | 7，511， 124 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 6.4 | 25， 129 |  |  |  |
| Watorbury，Conn＊ |  | 8，488， 435 |  | 8 | 5， 070 | 11，857 |  | 3，142 |  | 65， 256 | 612 | 450， 301 | 136， 238 | 26， 961 | 2， 270 | － |
| Windham，Conn d．．．． |  | $4,195,604$ $28,864,776$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 19,743 $+137,397$ | 2，785 |  |  |
| Key West，fla ${ }^{\text {a }}$ ． | 1，403， 458 | 1，403， 458 | 4 | 4 | 614 | 780 |  |  | 5， 326 |  |  |  | －137，397 |  | （853） |  |
| Atlanta， $\mathrm{Ga}^{*}$ ．．． | 26，000， 000 | 22， 000,000 |  |  | 4，479 |  |  |  | 5， 664 | 48，0 |  | 213 | 58，665 | 0 |  |  |



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Table M. -Šhool statistlics of chties containing 7,500 inhabitants and over, for 1884-85, soo-Continued.






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[^87]Table II．－School statistics of cities containing 7，500 inhabitands and over，for 1884－85，\＆．－Continued．

| Total taxablo property in the city． |  | Tax for school pur poses． |  | Receipts． |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Expenditares． |  |  |
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|  |  |  |  |  | Amount recoived from interest on perma－ nent fund． |  |  | Amount received from taxation． |  |  |  |  | Permanont． |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ⿷⿹勹巳H } \\ & \text { H } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { (ig } \\ & \stackrel{y y y y}{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { む̈ } \\ & \text { !n } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| $\begin{aligned} & \$ 17,500,000 \\ & 46,000,0 \backslash 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 14,500,000 \\ 46,000,000 \\ 7,889,610 \\ 2,300,000 \\ 1,963,108 \\ 7,150,000 \\ 7,156,515 \\ 7,195,286 \\ 16,500,000 \\ 6,206,195 \end{array}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \\ & 4.9 \\ & 6.5 \end{aligned}$ | \＄49，269 | $\left\|\begin{array}{l} \$ 4,829 \\ 14,523 \end{array}\right\|$ | \＄39， 791 | ．．． | ．－．．．．． |  | \＄741 | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 108 \\ 12,311 \\ \hline 344 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \$ 93,278 \\ & 3737,620 \end{aligned}$ | \＄22， 111 | $\begin{aligned} & \$ 1,732 \\ & (44,60.9) \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  |  | 6． 66 |  | ${ }^{\prime} 361$ | …．．．．． | ．．．．． |  | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 5,597 \\ 3,994 \\ 1,813 \end{array}$ |  | 20045429 |  | 60 <br> 48,83 <br> 481 <br> 17 |  |  |  |
| 6，960，000 |  |  | ${ }^{19}$ |  |  | －．．．．．． | ．．．．．．．．． |  | $\begin{aligned} & 52,351 \\ & 4.3,817 \end{aligned}$ |  | 1，988 |  |  | 7271,195 |  |
| 2， 000,000 |  |  | 196 | $\begin{array}{r}4,218 \\ \hdashline-10\end{array}$ |  |  |  |  | 1,813 34,638 <br> 1,484 10,000 |  | ${ }^{1} \cdot 1.19$ | ${ }^{41,103}$ | ¢ |  |  |
| 2，00，00 |  |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 1,264 \\ 1,951 \\ 8,393 \\ 950 \end{array}$ |  | …．．．．．．．．．．．． |  | 1,1243,2683,2685,5646,842 | $\begin{aligned} & 38,942 \\ & 68,94 \\ & 68,1650 \\ & 71,850 \end{aligned}$ | 48804004848 | $\begin{array}{r} 380 \\ 22,511 \\ 5,559 \\ 2,484 \end{array}$ |  | $\left\lvert\, \begin{gathered}1,051 \\ 4,591 \\ 0,54\end{gathered}\right.$ | $\cdots$ | ${ }^{\$ 8} 8$ |
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|  | $\begin{array}{r} 12,450,000 \\ 1,600,000 \\ 5.500 .000 \\ 5,006,380 \\ 2,060, \end{array}$ | 3． 33 | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \\ & 10 \\ & 10 \\ & 100 \end{aligned}$ |  | ．．．．．．．． |  | ．．．．．．． |  |  | $\cdots \cdots$ | 185 | $\begin{array}{r} 4,363 \\ 1,24 \\ 1,20 \\ 40 \\ 60 \\ 0 \end{array}$ | 20，6：4 | 3，غ00 | 1i8 |  |
| 4，800，000 |  |  |  | 1,832 12,183 <br> 1,599 21,690 <br> 2,184 27,486 <br> 2,081 17,985 <br> 3,453 28,642 <br> $(1,618,447)$  <br> $(511,188)$  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 18,563 \\ 25,333 \\ 33,259 \\ 20.976 \\ 34,776 \\ 1.818,447 \end{array}$ |  |  |  | 7， 760 |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 0 \\ 1,773 \\ 876 \\ 969 \\ 0 \end{array}$ | － 0 |  | ．．．．．． | ．$\$ 0$ |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  | 57， 7 780， 2000 | $19^{-\cdots \cdot 0^{4}}$ |  |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} \cdots \cdots \\ a 32,547 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{array}$ |  | $\cdots \cdots$ |  | 1，646 |  |  |  | 17 |  |  |
| 577， 198,087 | 571， 4813,235 |  |  | 0 | $\begin{array}{r\|l\|l\|l\|l\|} 0 & 1,618,447 \\ d 1360 & 84, ~ & 207 \end{array}$ |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 1 i 11888 \\ 31,078 \\ 5,937 \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} 7,006 \\ 1.500 \\ 917 \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  |  |
|  | 25， 000,000 |  | $f 3$ |  |  |  |  |  | 19， 338 | 0 |  |  | 0 |  |  |  |  | 0 |
| 50，000， 000 | 10，000， 000 |  | 15 | 30，024 |  |  |  | ${ }^{90}{ }^{90} 708$ |  | 10 |  |  |  | 4，601 | 133， 594 |  |
|  | 1， $1.6880,000$ |  |  | 872 1,350 |  |  | － 2,438 | 21,433 <br> 23.651 <br> 18 | 206 |  |  |  |  | 24，996 | 181 |
| $20.000,000$ | 3．602． 880 | 3.5 | $\begin{aligned} & 6.5 \\ & 3.5 \end{aligned}$ | 3，464 |  |  |  |  | 5，775 | $\begin{aligned} & 58,0,07 \\ & 39,398 \\ & 28,381 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 330 \\ & 120 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 931,363 \\ 184 \\ 18,057 \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{array}{r} 27,579 \\ 3,000 \end{array}$ | $1,600$ | …10 |
| ［12，$12.25,000$ <br> 10,797 | 6， 8188,100 $7,198,060$ |  |  |  |  | 3,576 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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TABLE II. -School statistics of citics containing 7,500 inhabitants and orcr, for 1884-85, fo. - Coutianed.



[^88] 1883 -'84.
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board, fuel, and care of fires and school rooms.
$h \Delta$ monnt paid for all school purposes from money
raised by taxation.
$i$ For all incidental or contingent expenses.
$j$ Includes total exponditure for drawing school and
for evening sehools.
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$l$ Exponditures for school repairs and buildings are
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[^89]TABLE II.-School statistics of citics containing 7,500 inhabitants and over, for 1884-'85, \&c.-Continued.




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Table III.-Part 1.-Statistics of public normal schools for 1884-'85; from replics to inquirics by the United States Bureau of Rducation.


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| 51 | Tougaloo University ．． | Tougaloo，Miss | 1869 | Wm．Herbert Thrall，A．M | \＄3， 000 | \＄0 | \＄0 | \＄10 04 | 14 | 85 | 13 | 6 | 41 | 25 |
| 52 | Missouri tricti State Normal School，third dis－ | Cape Girardeau，Mo．． | 1873 | $\underset{\text { president．}}{ }$ Rorton，A．M．， | 10，000 |  |  | 3600 | 8 | 279 | 169 | 10 |  |  |
| 53 | Normal department of the University of | Columbia，Mo | 1549 | D．R．McAnally，jr．，A．M．， | 6560 |  |  |  | 16 | 610 | 13 | 24 | 491 | 82 |
| 54 | Lincoln Instituto $\qquad$ | Jefferson City，Mo | 1866 | Inman I．Page，A． | 8，000 |  |  | 3800 |  | 217 |  |  | 73 | 92 |
| 55 | Missouri trictate Normal School，first dis－ | Kirksville，Mo．．．．． | 1867 | J．P．Blanton，A．M．，pres＇t．．． | 10，000 | 0 | 0 | 1500 | 22 | 475 | 249 | 226 |  |  |
| 56 | Liberal Normal School＊．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | Liberal，Mo | 1882 | W．E．Grayston | 100 | 320 |  | 100 |  | 113 | 2 |  | 47 | 61 |
| 58 | St．Louis Normal School | Warint Louis，Mo ．．．．．． | 1871 | F．Louis Soldan．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | c25， 000 | 0 | 7，472 | 2087 | ${ }_{11}^{6}$ |  | 206 | ${ }_{29}^{27}$ |  |  |
| 53 | Bloomington Normal School ．．．．．． | Bloomingron，Nebr ．．． | 1882 | Frani M．Vancil ．．．．．．．．．．． |  |  | d4，473 |  | 2 | 170 | 25 | 35 | 60 | 50 |
| 60 | Nebraska State Normal School ．．．．．．．．．．． | Peru，Nebr | 1867 | George L．Farnhan，A．M．．．． | 14，000 |  |  | 4130 | 10 | 339 | 134 | 205 |  |  |
| ${ }_{62}^{61}$ | Manchester Training School for Teachers． | Mauchester，${ }^{\text {N }}$（ H．．．．． | 1889 | Miss O．Adole Evers．．．．．．．． Prof．C．C．Rounds，Pu．D ．．． |  |  | 2， 000 |  | $\frac{1}{2}$ | ${ }_{22}^{9}$ |  | ${ }_{22}^{9}$ |  |  |
| ${ }^{63}$ | Newark Normal School | Newark，N．J．．．．．．．．． | 1879 | Jane E．Johnson， | 0 | 0 | 1，500 |  | ${ }_{2}^{4}$ | ${ }_{35}^{23}$ |  | 35 |  |  |
| 65 | Normal Trairing Class＊＊${ }_{\text {Nersey }}$ | Paterson，N．J | 1855 | Washington Hasbrouck， | 20，000 |  |  |  | 25 | 220 | 40 | 180 |  |  |
| 65 | State Normal School |  |  | $\stackrel{\text { Pu，}}{ }$ |  |  |  |  | 13 | 56 | 128 |  |  | 100 |
|  |  | Albany，N． | 1844 | ph．D．，presilent | 18，00 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 67 | State Nermal and Training School．． | Brockport，N．Y ．．．．．． | 1867 | Charles D．MoLean，A．M．， | 18，006 |  |  |  | 17 | 435 |  |  |  |  |
| ${ }_{69}^{68}$ | State Normal and Training Schoo State Normal and Training Schoo |  | 1871 | Henr B．Backham．．．．．．．．．． | 17,878 18,000 | 0 |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 16 \\ & 13 \end{aligned}$ |  | 127 |  |  |  |
| 70 | Stato Normal and Iraining School | Fredonia，N． | 1868 | Jrancis B．Palmer，PU．D．．．． |  |  | 0 |  | 17 | 286 | 120 | 141 | 28 | ${ }_{57}^{13}$ |



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| 18 | Training school department of public schools. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | x | $\times$ | 0 |  | (k) | (k) | c | < |  | ${ }^{1)}$ | - |
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| 19 | Intlianapolis Normal School ........ | 23 |  | $1 \frac{1}{2}$ | 38 |  |  |  |  |  | 0 | $\times$ | 0 | $x$ | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | Jılie |
| 20 | Amorican Normal Collego | 1 | 1 | $2 \frac{1}{2}$ | 48 | 820 |  | 30 | 17 | 100, 000 | 30 | $\times$ | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | $\times$ | 0 | ${ }^{x}$ | 0 |  |
| 21 | Indiaua State Normal Scho | 26 |  | 4 | 39 | 2,500 |  |  |  |  | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | 0 | $\times$ | $l x$ | 0 | 1110 19. |
| 22 | Iowa Siate Normal School | 30 | 26 | 4 | 40 | 2, 250 | 275 | 188 | 8 | 100, 000 | $\alpha 0$ | $\times$ | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | x | $x$ | 0 | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | 1:110 "0. |
| 23 | Normal department of the High. School.* | 12 |  | (m) | 40 |  |  |  |  |  | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ |  | 0 |  | x | 0 | 0 | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | J1me. |
| 24 | Chair of Didactics, Stato University of Iowa. | 9 | 8 | 4 | 37 |  |  | 00 | 5 | ( $n$ ) | 25 | $x$ | $\times$ | 0 | 0 | x | x | $\times$ | 0 | 0 | $0 \times$ | 0 | Jan+ 23. |
| 25 | Wost Des Moines Training Sehool. | 6 | - | 1 | 36 | 32 |  | 32 | 4 |  | 0 | $x$ | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | $x$ | $x$ | 0 |  |
| 26 | Kansas Stato Normal School | 21 | 19 | 3,4 | 40 | 1,700 | 200 | 65 | 12 | 75,000 | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | Junes 11. |
| 27 | Somborn Normal School and Business Collego. | 12 | 10 | 4 | 48 | 3,500 | 250 | 100 | 6 | 75, 000 | 48 | $\times$ | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | $\times$ | 0 | $\times$ | 0 | Jnly 31. |
| 28 | Normal departmont of the $A$ gricnltural and Mechanical Collogo. $p$ |  |  | 3 | 36 |  |  |  |  |  | h15 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\times$ |  | Juno 3. |
| 29 | Louisiana Stato Normal School $q$. |  |  | 2 | 24 |  |  |  |  |  | 0 | $x$ |  | $x$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Jnko 1. |
| 30 | Eastern Stato Normal School.. | 40 | 36 | 2 | 38 | 975 | 25 | 50 | 1 | 25,000 | 0 | $x$ | $x$ | $\times$ |  | $\times$ | $x$ |  |  |  | $\times$ | 0 | Ju |
| 31 | Stato Normal and 'Trainiug School. | 30 | 20 |  | 38 | 1,500 | 15 | 200 | 11 | 20,000 | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | $\times$ | x | 0 | 0 | $\times$ | x | 0 | Jume, 2d Thurs. |
| 32 | Stato Normal and 'rraining School. | 32 | 30 | 2 | 40 | 1,488 | 63 | 207 | 12 | 40,000 | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | $x$ | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | x | $\times$ | 0 | Jan. and |
| 33 | Madawaska Training School *. | 12 | 12 | 4 | 40 | 300 | 50 | 10 |  |  |  | $\times$ | 0 |  |  | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  | $x$ | ${ }^{x}$ |  |
| 34 | Normal Training and Practice Class | . | 7 | 1 | 38 |  | 32 | 152 | 4 |  | 0 | $\times$ | 0 | $\times$ | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | Tul |
| 35 | Baltimore Normal School for Colored 'Ioachers. |  |  | 4 | 41 | 200 |  |  |  |  | $0 \frac{1}{2}$ | $\times$ |  | ${ }^{\times}$ |  |  |  |  |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 |  |
| 36 | Maryland Stato Normal Sch |  |  |  | 39 | 455 | 82 | 26 | 18 | 30 | r0 | $x$ | $x$ | $x$ |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | $\times$ | $x$ | $x$ | $x$ | May, last week. |
| 37 | Hoston Normal School. | 56 | 55 | 1 | 41 |  |  |  |  |  | 0 | x | $x$ | $\times$ | 0 | 0 | 0 | $\times$ | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 110 |
| 38 | Massachusetts Stato Normal Art | 1 | 1 | 4 | 40 | 102 | 9 |  | 3 |  | 810 | $x$ | $\times$ |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | June. |
|  | School. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 39 | Stato Normal Sch |  |  | 2,4 | 40 |  |  |  |  |  | $t 0$ | $x$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |  | $\times$ | $x$ | $\times$ |  | $x$ | $\times$ |  | July 1. |
| 40 | Stato Normal School* | 20 | 20 | 2,4 | 40 | 1,663 | 69 | 183 | 0 |  | $t 0$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | Juno. |
| 41 | Havorhill 'raining Scl | - | 8 | 1 |  | 35 | 10 | 10 | 9 |  | 0 | x | 0 | $\times$ |  | 0 | 0 | $\times$ | 0 | x | x | $\times$ | Sept. |
| 42 | State Normal School* |  |  | 2,4 | 40 |  |  |  |  |  | $t 0$ | $x$ | $x$ | $\times$ | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | $x$ | 0 | 0 | $\times$ | 0 | Jan. and June. |
| 43 | Westfield State Normal Sch | 19 |  | 2,4 | 40 | $u 2,500$ | 500 |  |  | 100, 000 | 0 | x | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | $\times$ | $x$ | x | 0 | 0 | $\times$ | 0 | June 30. |
| 44 | MassachusettsStato Normal School at Worcestor. | 36 |  |  | 40 | 2,100 |  |  |  | 108, 114 |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | 0 | x | 0 | June, las |
| 45 | Course in tho science and tho art of teaching (Univorsity of Michigan). |  |  | (v) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $x$ |  |  |
| 46 | Stato Normal School .............. | 100 |  | 4 |  | 6, 680 | 707 |  | 33 | 125, 000 | 10 | $x$ |  | $x$ |  | $\times$ | $\times$ |  | 0 |  |  |  | June, last Wed. |
| 47 | Stato Normal School at Man | 19 |  | 3,4 | 38 | 1,200 | 100 | 40 | 17 | 80, 000 | 19 | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | $\times$ |  | 0 |  |
| * From Ioport of tho Commissioncr of Education for 1883-'84. <br> a To normal pupils. <br> $b$ For other fees; thition is freo. <br> $c$ Tho Stato gives connty boards discrotionary powor in thematter. <br> d In addition to threo years in tho high school. <br> $e$ In schools of tho city. <br> $f$ Nothing to report for 1884-'85, and no seppropriation for $1885-186$. <br> $g$ To county appointcos; others, $\$ 30$ to $\$ 40$. |  |  |  |  | $h$ Freo to thoso pledged to teach in the Stato. <br> $i$ Freo to pupils in tho county. <br> $j$ In all sehools of tho county, except those of Chicago. <br> o Aftor two years of snccessfnl teaching gradnates may receivo the degrce of "bachelor of (lidactics." <br> $p$ These statistics are for the school year 1883-'84. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  |  |  |  |  | all open to tho nse of tho training school. <br> $l$ Cortificates aro given on complotion of conrse ; diplo- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $r$ To 200 State stndonts; $\$ 50$ to others. <br> $s$ 'To standents intonding to teach in tho State; to |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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of successful teaching.






$g$ Tho certificato is good for two years in tho Stato ;

[^91] $k$ Tncludes value of library.
$l$ 'To nommal pupils.

From Report of the Commissioner of Education a Froe to those pledged to teach in the State. W For other fees; tuition is freo.
c State certificates are granted by State superintend-
 $e$ In schools of the county
$f$ In schools of the city.
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Table III.-Part 2.-Statistics of privale normal schools for 1884-'85; from replies to inquirics by the Unitcd States Eureau of Education.


Table III．－Part 2．－Statistics of private normal schoole for 1884－85，fec．－Continued．

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| 45 | Garnett Normal School and Business Institute． | Garnett，Kavs ．．．．．．．．．．．．． |  | J．A．McKirahan．．． |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 46 | Kansas Normal School and Business | Paola，Kans | 1878 | Jobn Wherrell | 4 | 1，028 | （26） |  |  |  | 21 | 12 |
| 47 | Institute．＊＊${ }^{\text {Salina }}$ Normal University ．．．．．．．．．．．．． | Salina，Kans | 1884 | I．O．Thoroman ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 11 | 173 | 103 | 70 |  |  | 9 | 8 |
| 48 | Kentucky Presbyterian Normal School．＊$\kappa$ | Anchorage，İу ．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 1860 | Prof．R．C．Morrison ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 13 | 146 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 49 | School of Pedagogice，Soath Kentucky College． | Hopkinsville，Ky ．．．．．．．．． |  | James E．Scobey，M．A．，professor．． | 1 |  |  |  |  |  | 1 |  |
| 50 | Normal department of the State Uni－ versity． | Louisville，Ky ．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 1879 | Miss M．V．Cuok ．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | bl6 | 83 | 42 | 41 |  |  |  | 9 |
| 51 | Kentricky Female Orphan School＊${ }^{*}$ ．．．． | Midнау，Ky ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 1849 |  | 5 3 | 80 |  | 80 |  |  | 8 | 8 |
| 52 | Normal department，New Orleans Uni－ versity． | New Orleans，La ．．．．．．．．．． | 1873 | Almon F．Hoyt，A．M．，B．т．B．，act－ ing president． | 3 | 14 | 2 | 12 |  |  | 0 | 0 |
| 53 | Normal department，Straight Univer－ sity． | New Orlcans，La ．．．．．．．．．． | 1869 | Trof．R，C．Hitcheock ．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 4 | 46 | 20 | 26 |  |  | 3 | 3 |
| 54 | Peabody Normal School for Colored Students． | Netv Orleans，La．（Fisk School building）． | 1877 | Mrs．Sylvanie F．Williama．．．．．．．． | 1 | 10 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 55 | Peabody Normal Seminary ．．．．．．．．．．．． | Now Orleans，La | 1870 | Rohert，Mills Lasher．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 2 | 8 | 0 | 8 |  |  | 3 | － 2 |
| 56 | Normal department of Maine Central Inatitute．＊ | Pittafield，Me ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 1870 | O．II．Drake， 1.1 ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 6 |  |  |  |  |  | 7 | 4 |
| 57 | Oak Grove Seminary，normal depart－ ment． | Vassalborough，Me．．．．．．． | 1857 | Charles H．Jones | ＜6 | 24 | 4 | 20 |  |  |  |  |
| 58 | Centenary Biblical Institute，normal department． | Baltimore，Mid．（cor．Falton and Edmondson aronnes） | 1872 | Ror．W．Maslin Frysinger，D．D．， president． | 68 | 147 | 98 | 32 |  |  | 8 |  |
| 59 | St．Catherine＇s Normal Institute ．．．．．． | Baltimore，Mrd．（cor．Har－ lem and Arlington aves）． | 1874 | Sister Ferdinand，superior．．．．．．．． |  | 170 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 60 | The Theresianum（Notre Dame of Maryland）．＊ | Embla，Md．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 1877 | School Sisters of Notro Dame． | 5 | 20 |  | 20 |  |  |  |  |
| 61 | Kindergarten Normal Class＊．．．．．．．．．． | Boston，Mass．（52 Chestnut etreet）． | 1872 | Miss Mary J．Garland and Miss Rebocca J，Weston． | 0 | 16 |  | 16 |  |  | 16 | 0 |


Table III.-Part 2.-Statistics of private normal schools for 1884-'85, \&.c.-Continued.


| 112 | Maryville Normal and Preparatory School. | Muryviile, 'Toun | 1878 | Timothy Wilso | 4 | 54 | 14 | 14 | 15 | 11 | 0 |  |
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| 113 | Normal department of Maryville Col. loge.* | Murysille, 'Tenn |  | Willam A. Cuto, n, | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11 | Le Moyno Normal Institito........... | Momplis, Ton | 1872 | Andrew J. Stcelo | 10 | 118 | 50 | 68 |  |  | 4 | 2 |
| :15 | Morristown Simimuy and Normal Instituto. | Mortistown, 'Tomi | 1881 | liev. Judson S. Mill, A. | 7 | 172 | 65 | 48 | 23 | 30 | 2 | 2 |
| :10 | Pelectlo Normal Instifnte . . . . . . . . . . | Mnrfreatborough, 'Tems | 1884 | James Wuter | 7 | 138 | 12 | 7 | 74 | 45 | 0 | 0 |
| 117 | Central 'Iemmesaon Collogo, normal department. | Nashville, 'I'emin ....... | 1866 | Miss Lucy H. Hi | 4 | 240 | 28 | 19 | 87 | 103 | 6 | 5 |
| 118 | Nomal dopartment of Flak Unlvorsity - | Nushvilte, 'Teun | 1863 | Rev. Frastus M. Cravath, m. A., presidont. | 8 | 26 | 11 | 15 |  |  | 1 | 1 |
| 11 | Normaldepartment of Roger Willlams University.* | Nashville, 'i'cun | 1866 | Rev. D. W. Phillips, D. I ......... | 11 | 230 | (161) |  | ( |  | 8 | 8 |
| 120 | Winchester Normal b . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | Wiuchester, | 1878 | Jmmes W. Tor | 07 | c412 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 12 t | 'Tlllotson Colleghate and Normal Iosti- tute. | Anstin, 'rex | 1881 | W. İ, Gordon | 12 | (182 | 53 | 79 |  |  |  |  |
|  | St. Stepheu's Normal sichoot ${ }^{\text {a }}$. . . . . | Poleralmrg, Va | 1871 | Kov. (xilos Buckne | 7 | 275 | 10 | 15 | 100 | 150 | 5 |  |
| 12 | Kindergarten 'rahning Sohool | Kant Claire, Vis | 1882 | Jomil Lloyd Jone |  | 13 |  | 12 |  |  | 4 | 4 |
| 12.1 | Milwankee Kindergarten Training School.* | Ailwankes, Wis |  | Sarah A. Stownet. | 1 | 2 |  | 12 |  |  |  |  |
| 125 | Nitiond Germon-Ameriemn 'Tenehers' Sominary. | Milwankoe, Wis. (643 Ibrondway). | 1878 | Dr. Hermann Dor | 6 | 17 | 11 | 6 |  |  |  |  |
|  | Gatholio Nomm School of tho Holy Family. | St. Prameis, Vis . . . . . . . . | 1870 | Rev. Charlos Fessler; reetor | 5 | 101 | 101 |  |  |  | 8 | 8 |
|  | Frobuel Normal Institutod | Washington, 1). C. (1127 'Thirteentlı st.). | 1875 | Mins Snaio I. Pollock |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Garfield Kindergarton Truining Sehool for kindergartnors. | Wankiagton, I). (.) (923 Nincterenth nt.). | 1882 | Mra. Anua B, Ogden | 2 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 2 |
| 130 | Kindergaton Nommal Institnte**.... | Washington, 1). | 1875 | Min. Tomine Pollock | 2 | 8 |  | 8 |  |  | 7 |  |
| 130 | Normal department of Howard Universits.* | Washingrton, I). ${ }^{\text {C }}$ | 1867 | Miss Miuthat B. Brigh | 5 | 153 | 98 | 65 |  |  |  | 6 |
| 131 | Nomal department of Wryland Seminary: | Washington, 1). (\%........ | 1865 | Lus. G. M. J. King, A. m., president. | 6 | 115 | 61 | 45 | 8 | 1 |  |  |
| 132 | Nomal departmevt of Brigham Young Acuiemy: | Provo.Clty, Utah | 1876 | Prof. Кıal G. Mneser . . . . . . . . . . | c10 | 38 | 25 | 13 |  |  | $e 18$ | 11 |

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[^92] *From Report of the Commissioner of Edacation for 614 half-free scholarships donated by principai. (X). $d \Lambda$ dupartmont of Jennings Seminary (see Table VI),

[^93]Table III.-Part 2.-Statistics of privaic normal schools for 1884-'85, \&'c.-Continued.


| $71$ | Contral Weslogan Colloge, normal depart. ment. | 2 | 39 |  | ) | 200 | 12 | (a) | 27 | $\times$ |
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| 72 | Woano Colloge, norinal fepartment | 3 | 38 | (c) | (a) |  |  |  |  | $\times$ |
| 73 | Fairfol:i Notmat and Colloginto Ins | 3 | 38 |  |  |  |  |  | 8 | 0 |
| 74 | Normal and Jusinega Collogo |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 75 | Mel'herson Notrasl Gollege | 3 | 89 | 2,000 |  | 30 | 4 |  | 50 | $\times$ |
| 76 | Sinteo Nornnat 'ramining Seh |  | 44 | 8 | 10 | 8 | 2 | 39, 275 | 0 | $\times$ |
| 77 | Normal Kindorearten class |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\times$ |
| 78 | Seminary foa the 'l'raising of Kindergat- |  | 35 |  |  |  |  |  | 200 |  |
| 79 | Gialaara Normal Coblewot | 3 | 40 | 100 | 20 | 12 | 4 |  | 45) | 0 |
| 80 | Whitin Normal Schonl ${ }^{+}$. | 4 | 21 | 450 |  |  | 2 |  | 12-14 $\frac{1}{2}$ |  |
| 81. | St. Angnstino's Normal School and Collo- | 4 | 36 | I. 000 | 500 | 75 |  | 12,000 | 9 | $\times$ |
| 82 | giato Instituto. <br> Shaw University ${ }^{+}$ | 4 | $3)$ | 3,000 | 6 CO |  | 8 |  | 8 | $\times$ |
| 83 | Normal (epartarent of Zion Wesloy Collogo. | 3 | 35 |  |  |  |  |  | $\mathrm{B}_{3}^{2}$ |  |
| 81 |  | 2.4 | 3: | 100 |  | 12 | 4 | 1,000 | 8 | $\times$ |
| 85 | 'THeston Normil Ebluoo | d 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 86 | Ohio Normai University | 4 | 4!) | 1,000 |  | 58 | 13 | 60,000 | $39!$ | x |
| 87 | Ashland Coltoge Nommel School* | 4 | 48 |  |  |  | ( |  | $33^{\prime}$ | $\times$ |
| 88 | Northenstern ()ho Normal Schoo | 1, 6 | 43 | 1,000 | 100 | 50 | 10 | 50,000 | $31 \frac{1}{2}$ | 0 |
| 89 | 'raining Class of the Cincinnati Kindergarten Assoclation.* |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 90 | Normaldepartment of Ohio Weslogan University. | 3 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\times$ |
| 91 | Fnyoto Normal, Musie, and Business College. | 1,4 | 40 | 800 | 4 | 1.5 | 5 | 15,000 | 32 | x |
| 92 | Colloge of 'Tuachers of tho National Nor. mal University. | 9 | 48 | 5,000 | 200 | 200 | 30 | 70,000 | 38 | $x$ |
| 03 | Western Rosorvo Normal Sehoole |  | 40 |  |  |  |  |  | 2.7 | $\times$ |
| 94 | Normal dopartment of Mt. Unlon Colloge | 3 | 48 | (a) | (c) |  |  | (a) | 21-30 | 0 |
| 95 | Wilborfored University, normai department. |  | 43 |  |  |  |  |  | 17\} | $\times$ |
| 96 | 'Teachers' Sombary of the Evangelleal <br> Joint Synorl of Ohio and Ailjacent Sitales. | 4 | 40 | 200 |  | . . | 2 | 12,000 | 23 | $\times$ |
| 97 | Tho Brothren's Normal Collogr ..... . . . . . | 3,6 | 43 | 1,087 | 100 |  |  | 25.5000 | 42 | $x$ |
| 98 | Tyeoming Comnty Normal Siehool | 2 | 20 | 1, 250 | 12 | 20 | 4 | 40,000 | 16 | $\times$ |
| 95 | Fröbel 'Training Solnool for Kinciergartners | Ins |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\times$ |
| 100 | Normal 'I'raining School for Kindergatner's. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 100 |  |
| 101 | E'hiladelphla 'Training School for Kindergartners. | 1 | 36 |  |  |  | 6 |  | 100 | $x$ |
| 103 | Normal foparfment, Swarthmore College... | 4 | 40 | (a) | (a) |  |  | (a) | $f 450$ | $\times$ |
| 103 | 'I'hos Sichollolit Normal mud Imdinstrinl Schoul. | 3 | 36 | 1,400 | 800 |  | 5 | 15, 000 | 10 | $\times$ |
| 104 | Avery Normal Instifute* |  | 38 | 300 | 10 | 12 | 3 |  | 13. ${ }^{1}$-18 | $x$ |
| 10.5 | Bralnord Instituto | 1 | 36 | 100 | , | 30 | 0 | 10,000 | 0 | $\times$ |
| 100 | Normal departmentol \llon University | 1 | 36 | 75 |  | 0 | 8 | (a) | (\% | 0 |
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TABLE III．－PART 2．－Statistics of private normal schools for 1884－85，s．c．－Continued．

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TABLE III.- Mcmoranda.

| Name. | Location. | Remarks. |
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| Normal School for Colored Teachers | Hinitsvillo, Ala | Name changed to State Normal and Industrial School. |
| Normal department of $\Lambda$ rkansas Industrial University | Fry yotiovillo, Ark | Snspended. |
| Los Angeles Nornal School . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | Los Angelos, (al. | Seo Branch State Normal School ; identical. |
| Connecticut Stafo Normal Suhool..... Normal School for 'raming Kindergar | New 13ritain, Cor | Nane changed to Connecticut Normal mul 'Training School. |
| Normal Shool for 'Araining Kindergartnors Northen | Danvillo, Ill. Fulton, Ill.. | See Holy Trinity Normal Kindorgarten Training School; identical. Sco report of this college (Tablo V1) |
| ! ornis Normal and Scientitic School | Morris, 11 | Sco report of thit college (Tablo V1). School discontimed. |
| Whasi department of Norwegian Luther Colloge | Decorah, Iov | Normal work is so intimately associatod with college work that no emas rate report can be made. |
| Whittier College and Normal Institnte...................... Gampledl Nommal Vinivorsity and Commercial Institut | Salem, Fowa | rate report can be made. <br> Seo report of Whitier College (Tablo VI). |

Table III.-Memoranda-Continued.


Tames IV.-Statistics of commercial and business colleges for 1884-85, $f \in$.-Continued.




| 81 | Bry | altimore |  | 1864 | W. 1 | 12 | 0 | 755 | 755 | 7.48 | 7 | (b) | (b) | (b) |
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| 82 | Eaton \& Burnot's Bushess College* | 8 N . Charles street). <br> Balthmore, Md ........ |  | 1878 | A. H. Eaton and $\boldsymbol{F}$. | 10 |  | 0 | , |  |  | 0 |  |  |
| 83 | French's Business College and stonographic Institute. | Beston, Mass. (corner Boylatonnnd Berke- | 0 | 1818 | Charles Frencls, $1 . \mathrm{m}$ | 2 | 1 | 146 | 146 | 121 | 22 | , | 0 | 0 |
| 84 | Sawyer's Commercial Colle | Boston, Mass. (101 Tremont sificet). | 0 | 1838 | orge A. Sawyer | 2 | 1 | 101 | 101 | 82 | 19 | 0 | 0 |  |
| 85 | Holmes' Bryant \& Stratton Commerciat College. | Fall River, Mass. (box 453). |  | 1868 | m: | 1 | 1 | 40 | 20 | 10 | 5 | 20 | 16 |  |
| 80 | Chickering's Commercial Collego and School of Business. | Pittsfleld, Mass....... | 0 | 1861 | B | 1 | 1 | 36 | 30 | 29 | 7 |  |  |  |
| 87 | Wilbrahan Bnsiness Uni versity (Wesloyan Academy). | Wilbr |  | 1880 | Prof. A. $\Lambda$. Randall, director | 3 | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 88 | Hinman's 'Business Colloge. | Worcester, Mass | 1880 | 1880 | 11 | 3 | 1 | 260 | 140 | 110 | 0 | 20 | 110 | 10 |
| 89 | School of Commerce, Adriam Colle | Adrian, Mi |  |  | William 1 | 2 |  | 28 | 28 | 19 | 9 |  |  |  |
| 90 | Commercial department of Battlo Croek High school. * | Battlo Creek, Mic | 0 | 1882 | ' 1 . $\Lambda$. Pote | 2 | 3 | 40 | 40 | 28 | 12 | 0 | 0 |  |
| 91 | Big Rapids Industrial School. | Bigr Rapi |  | 188.4 | Prof. W. N |  |  | 38 | 3 |  | 37 | 45 | 31 | 14 |
| 92 | Commorcial dopartment, Dotroit lligh school. | Detroit, M |  | 1883 |  | 1 |  | 105 | 105 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 93 | Tho Goldsmith Byraut \& Stratton Businoss University.d | Detrolt, |  | 1850 | W. F. Jewoll, principal of high school. | 8 | 1 | 123 | 327 | 209 | 58 | 95 | 83 | 12 |
| 94 | Spencerian Innsiness Collogo d.. | Detroit, |  | 1860 |  | 6 | 1 | 350 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 95 | Grand Rapids Business Collego and Practical Training School. | Grand |  | 1866 | C. | 1 |  | 250 | 250 | 200 | 50 |  |  |  |
| 00 | Commercial and telegraphic department of Hillsdale College. | Hillsilale, Micl | 1855 | 1866 | Alexander C. Sideont, hita D. | 2 |  | 173 | 173 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 97 | Poncher Basiness College | Io | 0 | 1877 | Irvin M. |  |  | 73 | 73 | 67 | 16 | 0 | 0 |  |
| 98 | l'arsons' Business Collego, Short-hand and Tolograph Institnto. |  |  | 1869 | w | 3 |  | 140 | 140 | 120 | 20 | 21 | 15 |  |
| 90 | Bartletits Pusiness College | Lansing, Mich |  | 1867 | II. P. Bartlott | 1 |  | 75 | 75 | 60 | 15 |  |  |  |
| 100 | St. John's Commercial Colloge (St. John's Univeralty). | Collegeville, M |  |  | Kov. Alfred Mayer, o. A. n., m, $\boldsymbol{\Lambda}$. | 4 |  | c180 | e180 | e180 |  |  |  |  |
| 101 | Arohibald Business Colleges* - .............. | Minneapolis, |  | 18771 | Alexandor ie. | 7 |  | 307 | 250 | 200 | 50 | 57 | 47 | 10 |
| 102 | St. Panl Businoss College and Tolegraphic Inatitate. * | St. Paul, Min |  | 1865 | W. A. Fuddi | 4 | 2 | 298 | 26.4 | 250 | 14 | 34 | 30 |  |
| 103 | Winona Business Colloge* | Winoma |  | 1878 | R. $\Lambda$. Lambort | 2 | 1 | 200 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 104 | St. Stanislans Commercial Collego | Bay St. Lonis, M | 1870 | 1855 | Brother Illorimond, president. | 10 | 0 | 80 | 80 | 80 | 0 |  |  |  |
| 105 | Cooper's Bnsiness Colloge (Cooper Instituto). | Daleville, Mi |  | 1866 | A. S. Coope | 1 |  | 24 | 24 | 23 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 106 | Meridian Busingess College ...............- | Moridi |  | 1881 | T. D, ( iraham............... | 2 |  | 68 | 60 | 30 | 30 | 8 | 8 |  |
| 107 | Sonthwestern Commercial Collogo (Sonth- west Baptist Collero). | Boliva | 1879 | 1879 | J. M. Leaviti, n. s., A. M., 11, Acer. | 3 | 0 | 32 | 32 | 20 | 0 |  |  |  |
| 108 | National Jushess Colloge | Kansa |  | 1884 | Henry Coom | 3 |  | 05 | 48 | 40 | 8 | 17 | 15 |  |
| 109 | Kirksville Mercantilo Collogo and Writing Instifito. |  |  | 1880 | W.J.Smith | 1 |  | 500 | 300 | 198 | 103 | 200 | 145 | 55 |
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Table IV．－Statistics of commercial and business colleges for 1884－85，\＆．c．－Continued．

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|  | Name． | Location． |  |  | Prinolpal． |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ज⿹\zh26灬 } \\ & \text { ज़ } \end{aligned}$ | 离 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ⿷匚 } \\ & \text { むi } \\ & \text { ⿷匚⿳⿻コ一冖巾刂 } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { థ゙ँ } \\ & \text { H. } \end{aligned}$ | 囟 | 㥻 |
|  | 1 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | $y$ | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 |
| 110 | Bryant＇s Business Colloge ．．．．．．．．． | St．Joseph，Mo |  | 1864 | G．W．Vogler and J．C． | 3 | 2 | 150 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 111 | Ritner＇s Commercial Colloge．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | St．Joseph，Mo St．Joseph，Mo | 1882 | 1881 | P．Rituer，A．M ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．， | ${ }_{8}^{3}$ | 1 | ${ }_{130}^{286}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 199 \\ & 130 \end{aligned}$ | 165 | 34 | 87 | 62 | 25 |
| 113 | Bryant \＆Stratton Businoss Collego ．．．．．．．． | St．Louis，Mo | 1861 | 1854 |  | 12 | 3 | 803 | 803 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 114 | Franklin Institate．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | St．Lonis，Mo．（s．w． cor．4th and Market streets） |  | 1877 | Frank Charles Kossak． | 1 |  | 25 | 18 | 18 |  | 7 | 7 |  |
| 115 | Jones Commercial Colloge |  | $\begin{array}{\|l\|l\|} \hline 1849 \\ 1877 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1841 \\ & 1877 \end{aligned}$ | J．G．Bohmer <br> John W．Johnson，president． | $\stackrel{4}{6}$ | 0 | $\begin{aligned} & 200 \\ & 245 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 140 \\ & 1775 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 128 \\ & 140 \end{aligned}$ | ${ }_{35}^{12}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 60 \\ & 50 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 60 \\ & 40 \end{aligned}$ | ${ }_{10}^{0}$ |
| 117 | Mound City Commercial Colloge．．．．．．．．．．．． | St．Louis，Mo．${ }^{\text {212 }}$ N．3d street）．${ }^{\text {a }}$（322 | 1861 | 1859 | Thomas A．Rice，A．M．，LL．B．， | 7 | 0 | 157 | 82 | 80 | 2 | 75 | 75 | 0 |
| 18 | Northwestern Normal School and Business | Chestnnt street）． Stanberry Mo ．．．．． | 0 | 1881 | D．L．Chaney ．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 7 | 2 | 290 | 290 | 149 | 141 |  |  |  |
| 119 | Institute． Stewartsville Commercial Colloge ．．．．．．．．．． | Stewartsville，Mo ．．．． | 1879 | 1879 | Rev．w．O．B．Perry，A．m．， | 1 |  | 12 | 11 | 8 | 3 | 1 | 1 |  |
| 120 |  | Warrenton，Mo | S64 | 1864 | preaident． Rov．H．A．Koch，D．D．．．．．．．． | $a 11$ |  | 46 | 46 | 41 | 5 | 0 | 0 |  |
|  | College． |  |  |  |  | 3 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 122 | Lincoln Business College ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | Lincoln，Nobr．．．．．．．．．． | 0 | 1884 | F．F．Rnose，B．B．．．．．．． | 2 | 2 | 151 | 111. | ${ }_{60}^{26}$ | 45 | 40 | 19 28 28 | 12 |
| 123 | Omaba Commercial Collego．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | Omala，Nebr ．．．．．．．．． |  | ${ }_{1}^{1885}$ | M．G．Robrboug | 7 | ${ }_{2}^{3}$ | ${ }_{325}^{270}$ | 240 325 | 180 290 |  | 30 | 20 |  |



[^94]|  | Bryant \& Stratton | Manchester, N. H |  | 765 | illiam Heron |
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| 126 | New Hampton Commercial C | N |  | 1877 | Rev. A. B. Meservey, A. M., |
|  | Commercial College | Portsmouth, N. H |  | 1873 | Lewis E. Smith............ |
| 128 | Elizabeth Business Colleg | Elizabeth, N. J. (315323 Jefferson ave.). | 1873 | 18 | James H. Lans |
| 129 | Jersey City | Jersey City, N. J. (23 |  | 1879 | William E. Dr |
| 130 | Coleman's Bryant \& Stratton Business Colloge.* | Newark, | 1863 | 1863 | Coleman \& Palms. |
| 131 | New Jersey Business Colloge.......... | Newark, N. J. (764 and 76ęBroad strect). |  | 1874 | C. ' |
| 132 | Paterson Busines | Paterson, N.J |  | 1876 | George W. Latim |
| 13 | Capital City Comme | Trenton |  | 1865 | Androw J. Ri |
| 134 | Albany Business College .................... | Albany, N. Y $\mathrm{Y}^{\text {Y }}$. ${ }^{\text {a }}$. . |  | 1857 | Carnell \& Ca |
| 135 | Claghorn's Bryant \& Stratton Commercial School. | Brooklyn, N. Y. (38- 44 Court strent). |  | 1861 | C. Claghorn |
| 136 | Freneh's Business and Telegraph College .. | Brooklyn, N. Y. (16 Court street). |  | 1868 | George W.Frex |
| 137 | St. James's Commereial Colleg | Brooklyn, N. Y. (Jay street). |  | 1851 | Rev. Brother Tati |
| 138 | Wright's Business Coll | Brooklyn, N. Y. (e. d.) |  | 1873 | Henry C. Wr |
| 139 | Cominercial department of Canisius Colloge | Bucto | 1883 | 1870 | Rev. 'Theodore va B. J. |
| 140 | Allen Business Coll | mira, |  | 1880 | F M Alle |
| 141 | Elmira Busiuess Colle | Elmira |  | 1858 |  |
| 142 | Commercial department, Fort Edward Collegiate Institute.* | Fort Edward, | 18 | 1854 | Rev. Jos. E. King, D. D., PH. D., president. |
| 143 | Geneva Business College . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | Ge |  | 1880 | A. E. Mackey, p |
| 14 | Lima Business Colle |  | g1832 | 181876 1873 | Carlos B. Ellis <br> Charles E. Cady and Наг. |
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| 147 | Paine's Business | New York, N. Y. (62 Bowery, corner Canal strect). | 0 | 1810 | Ma |
| 148 | The Paine Uptown Business College | New York, N.Y. (1313 Broadway, corner $34 t h$ street). |  | 1872 | II |
| 149 | Eastman Business College | Poughkeopsie, N. Y... | 0 | 1859 | Clement C. Gaines......... |
| 150 | Rochester Business Universit | Rochester, N. X. (corner State and Mar. ket streets). | 0 | 1863 | L. L. Williams, president; <br> F. E. Rogers, seeretary. |
| 151 | Taylor \& Co's Business College and Writing Institute. | Rochester, N. Y. (79 and 81 East Main st.). |  | 1876 | A. J. |
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| 2.4 | Silsboo Commeroial Collugo | Jaumsville, Wis | 1877 | 1866 | J. 13. Silsher | 2 | 2 | 134 | 1134 | 115 | 19 |  |  |  |
| 225 | La Crosso Businers Collow | La Crosse, Wis | 0 | 1808 | J. I . Wallace | 4 | 0 | 160 | 160 | 151 | 9 | 16 | 16 |  |
| 226 | Northwestorn Business Colloge | Madison, Wis. | 0 | 1856 | R. C. Deming and J.(I.Proctor. | 4 | 1 | 222 | 173 | 146 | 27 | 49 | 30 | 19 |
| 227 | Charles Mayer's Commeroial Colloge and Elementary Solect School. | Milwankee, Wis ...... | 0 | 1870 | Charles Mayer.............. | 4 | 2 | 248 | 160 | 135 | 25 | 88 | 82 |  |
| 22 | Spancerian Business Collogo ... | Milwaukco, | 1870 | 1863 | Robert, C. Spenc | 3 | 3 | 266 | 205 | 180 | 25 | 61 | 56 |  |
| 229 | Dr. Vm. Bayor's Commnrcial Collego | Milwaukce, W is |  | 1867 | Dr. William Bayo | 1 | 1 | 90 | 41 | 39 | 2 | 49 | 17 |  |
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| 231 | Silsheo Business College* | Sioux Falls, Dak |  | 1883 | J. P. Silabeo | 2 | 0 | 68 | 68 | 58 | 10 | 20 | 18 |  |
| 232 | Spencerian Busincss Colloge* | Washington, DC. (cor. Ninth and D stroets, n. w.). | 0 | 1864 | Henry C. Spencer. | 5 | 2 | 404 | 195 | 149 | 46 | 209 | 170 | 39 |

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| 87 | Wilbraham Business University（Wesleyan |  |  |  |  |  |
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| 95 | Grand Japidy Business Collego and I＇ractical Trainins School． |  |  |  |  |  |
| 96 | Commercial and telegraphic department of Jillardale Collego． |  |  |  |  |  |
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| 101 | Archibald Businoss College＊．．．．－．．．．－．．．．．．． | 25 | 20 |  |  |  |
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Table IV.-Commercial and business colleges from which no information has been reccived.

| Name. | Location. | Name. | Location. |
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| Commorcial course in Spring Hill Collcge. | Near Mobile, Ala. | St. Joseph Normal Business College | St. Joseph, |
| Los Angelcs Business College | Los Angeles, Cal. (box | Browne's Business College | Brooklyn, N. Y. (304, |
| Sacramento Business College | Sacramento, Cal. | Bryant's Euffalo Business College | Buffalo, N. Y. (451 |
| - Business department of St. Mary's College | San Francisco, Cal. |  | Main st.). |
| Comifornia Commercial College | San Francisco, Cal. | Commercial department, St. Joseph's Colle | Buffalo, N. Y. |
| commercial conrse of St. | 12th st.). | Kinderhook Academy and Commercial Colle | Kinderhook, N. Y. |
| H. B. Bryant's Chicago Business College and Enclish Training | Chicago, Ill. (77, 79, \& | Commercial department of the Cotlege of St. Francis Xavicr. | New. York, N. Y. (49 |
| Onarga Commercial Collcge | Onarga, III. | Bryant \& Stratton Utica Business College | Utica, N. Y |
| - Flliott's Business College | Burlington, Iowa. | Capital City Commercial College | Columbus, Ohio. |
| Bowen's Business College and Aca | Des Moincs, Iowa. | Oberlin Commercial Institu | Oberlin, OLio. |
| Baylie's Commercial Colleg | Dubugue, Towa. | Portland Business College | Portland, Oreg. |
| Commercial departmont, Kentucky | Farmdale, Kentucky. | Commercial department in Trach's Academy | Easton, Pa. |
| Bryant \& Stratton Commercial Schoo | Boston, Mass. (608 | Easton Busincss Collcge. | Easton, Pa. |
| Comer's Commercial College | Washington st.) ${ }_{\text {(606 }}$ | Pennsylvania Busincss Collc | Marrisburg, Pa. |
|  | Washington st.). | Luco's Business College... | Philadelphia, Pa. |
| Devlin's Bay City Business College | Bay City, Mich. | Goodrnan's Business Colle | Nashville, Tenn. |
| Jackson Pusiness College | Jackson, Mich. | Practical Busincss School | Nashville, Tenn. |
| Curtiss Business College | Minneapolis, Minn | Commercial School in Winchester Normal | Winchester, 'Tenn. |
| Darling's Business Collcg | Rochester, Minn. | Livingston's Galveston Business Collcge | Galveston, Tex. |
| Curtlss Business College | St. Paul, Minn. | Oshkosh Busincss Colleg | Oshkosh, Wis. |

Table IV.-Memoranda.

| Name. | Location. | Romarks. |
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| Commercial department of Pacific Methodist College | Santa Rosa, Cal. | No students nor special instructor for this departuent given in catalogue |
| Illinois Wesleyan University | 11 |  |
| The Bryant \& Stratton Business Coll | , | the Illinois Wesleyen Universi! y. |
| Bryant's Busincss College | Indianapolis, Ind. | These colloges have consolidated under the name of Indianapolie Busi- |
| The Indianapolis Business Colle |  | ness University. |
| Commercial department of Oskaloosa | Oskaloosa, Io wa | Incorporated in 1885, under the name of Oskaloosa Business College. |
| Hebron Academy | Hebron, Mo. | This acadomy has not a distinct commercial department. |
| Oak Grove Commercial Collcge | Vassalborough, M | Closed on account of burning of buildings about two years ago, and not ret reopened. |
| Mayhew Busiuess Colloge | Detroit, Mich | Consolidated July 1, 1885, under the name of Detroit Business University. |
| St.John's Commercial Collog | St. Joseph, Mi |  |
| Goodman's Business Colloge | Meridian, Miss | Changed to Meridian Busiuess Collcge. |
| Drake Businers Colloge... |  |  |
| Gaskell's Jersey City Business College | Jersey City, N.J | Succeeded by Jerscy City Business College. |
| Busincss College......... | Salom, N. J | Closed. |
| Folsom's Business Collcge | Albany, N. Y . ${ }_{\text {Wake }}$ | Name changed to Albảny Busiuess College. |
| Row's Actual Busimess Colleg | Springtield, Ohio | 'This collogo as a department of Williss' College of Short Hand is appar- |
| The Now Commercial Collego | Youngstown, Obio | No such colloge in Youngstows. |
| Altoona Busincss College and Phonographic Insti | Altoona, Pa, | Superseded by Mountain City Business College. |
| Goodman's Busincss College | Knoxville, 'Temn | Closed. |
| Island City Business College | Galveston, Tox | Closed. |
| Scherrer's Busincss Colloge .... | Galveston, 'Tex | Closed. ${ }^{\text {d }}$, |
| Queen City Commercial College | Burlington, Vt.. | Name changed to Burlington Busincss College. Mail matter unclaimed and principal not found |
| Howe's Busincss School | Washington, 1. | Mail matter unclaimed and principal not found. |

## Table V.-Kindergärten.


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| 15324 | Union Point High School*......... | Union Poin | 0 | 1885 | IR. B. Smith | Non-scet |  |  | 68 | 38 | 30 | 68 | 5 | 0 |  | 0 |  |
| 10325 | Valdosta Collegiato and Normal Institute.* | Valdosta, |  |  | James R. Anthony, A. M .... |  | 2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ㄸ. 326 | Now Villis İica $\Delta$ cademy. . . . . . . | Villa Riofo, | 1884 | 1884 | W.S. Feathorston ..-........ | Non-sect | 1 | 1 |  | 4.5 |  | 75 | 5 |  | " |  |  |
| 327 | Barnott's 4 cadomy d ${ }^{\text {d }}$ | Walnut, Ga |  | 1877 | I. C. $\Lambda 1$ llon.................... | Non-sect | 2 |  | $80$ | 50 | $30$ |  |  |  | 3 |  |  |
| 328 | Wathourville $A$ cadomy | Wathourville, | 1823 | 1823 | Miss Mimia Montgomory... | Non-sect |  | 1 | $22$ | 13 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 329 | Warrenton Academy* | Warrenton, Ga | 1829 | 1829 | IS. Neely and A. F.. Waro.... | Non-sect | 2 |  | 105 | 55 | 50 | 47 | 30 | 40 | 15 | 3 |  |
| 330 | St. Joseph's Acadomy | Washington, | 1878 | 1876 | Mother St. John.............. | 12. C |  |  | 60 |  | 60 | 60 | 27 | 30 | 25 |  |  |
| 331 332 | Washington Female Seminar | Washington, | 1800 | 1793 | Mrs. J. I. Inghram.......... | Non-sect | 1 | 3 | 65 |  | 65 | 50 | 5 | 10 | 22 | 4 |  |
| 332 | Washington Malo $\Lambda$ cademy * | Washington, fi | 1783 | 1827 | 15. IL. Ciallaway ............... |  | 2 |  | 45 | 45 |  |  | 10 |  | 6 3 | 3 |  |
| 334 | Way (ross $\Lambda$ cadomy b .--........ | Way Cross, |  |  |  |  | 1 |  | 38 | 20 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 334 | Whighan Malo and Fomalo Academy. | Whigham, | 0 | 1873 | IR. (4. Chest | Bap.and | 2 |  | 78 | 46 | 32 | 27 | 14 | 0 | 00 | 0 |  |
| 335 | Dawson Instituto... | Whito Plains, Ga |  | 1833 | J. M. Howell.................. |  | 1 | 2 | 86 | 38 | 48 | 60 | 10 |  |  | 1 |  |
| 336 | High School | Whito Snlphur Springs, Ga. | 0 |  | Rev. Beverly P. Allon and Miss Fmlly M. Allon. | Non-sect | 1 | 2 | 01 | 27 | 34 | 61 | 20 | 3 | 10 | 2 |  |
| 337 | Woodville High School*. | Woodville, Ga .............. |  |  | W. L. 'Tugglo . . . . . . . . . . . . . |  | $\alpha 2$ |  | 52 | 21 | 31 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 338 | Wrighisville Iigh School * | Wrightsvillo, | 0 |  | J. E. Whito | Non-sect | 1 |  |  | 41 | 44 | 88 | 6 | 0 | 100 | 0 |  |
| 339 | Gorman Evangolical Luthoran School. | Addison, Ill. | 1849 | 1819 | Rov. 'T.J. Grosse............... | Ev. Luth | 2 | 1 | 180 | 98 | 82 | 135 | 0 | 0 | 10 ... | 6 |  |
| 340 | Slodo $\Lambda$ cademy - .-................. | Alodo, 111 |  | 1874 | J. R. Wylio, , m ............. | Non-scet | 1 |  | 55 | 25 | 30 | 44 | 5 | 6 | 31. | 3 |  |
| 341 | Ursulino Convont of tho Holy Family. | Alton, Ill | 1867 | 1859 | Mother 'Toresa Gillespio... | R. | 0 | 7 | 250 |  | 250 | 250 | 0 | 100 | (250) |  |  |
| 342 | Union $\Lambda$ cadomy of Southorn Illinols. | A | 1884 |  |  | Presb... |  |  | 02 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 343 | Jennings Sominary and Aurora Normal Sohool. | Anrora, | 1855 | 1857 | Rov. John J3. Robinson, D. 1)., 1'II. D. | Moth ... | 6 | 4 | 355 | 175 | 180 | 23 | 32 | 67 | 1948 | 5 |  |
| 344 | Bunker Hill Scudomy | Runker I | 1857 | 1857 | Tov. Samuel L. Stiver, A. M. . |  | 2 | 1 | 36 | 23 | 13 | 29 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 2 |  |
| 345 | St. Josoph's Fonato \cadomy | Cairo, Ill | 1864 | 1864 | Sister Simpllcia, superior... |  |  | 10 | 125 |  | 125 |  |  | 3 | 21 |  |  |
| 346 847 | Mt. St. Josoph's Colloge.......... Convont of tho Immaoulato Con. | Carrollton, |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 247 | Convont of tho Immaoulato Conception. | Chicago, |  | 1873 | Sister Enphemia .........-. - | R |  |  | 80 | 40 | 40 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 348 | Doarborn Sominary*.. | Chicago, Ill. (985 Wabash avouue). | 1857 | 1856 | Zuinglius Grover, A. M . ...... | Non-sect | 1 | 10 | 130 |  | 130 |  | 20 | 60 |  |  |  |
| 349 | German-American A'cadomy of Chicago. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Chioago, Ill. ( } 623 \mathrm{~W} . ~ \Lambda d- \\ & \text { ams atreet). } \end{aligned}$ | 1882 | 1876 | Robort Mrentzo |  | 7 | 1 | 80 | 60 | 20 | 80 | 26 | 80 |  |  |  |
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| 351 | Gials' Highor Sohool | Chicago, III. (487-489 La Salle avonac). |  | 1876 | Robeceas. Rico, A. M........ | Non-sect | 2 | 9 | 93 | 12 | 81 |  | 20 | 90 | 5 |  |  |
| 352 | Missos Grant's Sominary . . . . . . . | Chicago, 1ll. (130 Doarborn avemuo). |  | 1869 | Miss Elizabeth Gran |  | 4 |  | 170 | 20 | 150 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 353 | Kirkland School | Chicago, Ill. (275 Huronst.) |  | 1875 | Miss Elizaboth S. Kirkland. | Non-sect | 3 | 9 | 237 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 354 | Luthoran Immannel School | Chicago, Ill. (16 Brown st.) |  | 1855 | H. G. Louis Panl | Ev.Luth |  | 1 | 664 |  | 317 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| 797 | Smith＇s $\Delta$ cadomy and Commercial | Portsmouth，N． 1 |  | 1873 | Lowis E．Smith ．．．．．．．．．．．．． |  | 3 | 1 | 52 | 40 | 12 | 52 | 17 | 10 | 12 | 5 |  |  |
| 798 | Raymond Itigh School． | Raymond，N． H | 0 | 1867 | John T．Bartlott． | Non sect | 2 | 1 | 67 | 10 | 57 | 60 | 25 | 5 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 799 | McGaw Normal Institute | Tecel＇s Forry， | 1849 | 1849 | Wlliot Whipple，M．A ．．．．．．．．． | Non－sect． | ， | ， | 43 | 25 | 18 | 18 | ${ }_{20}$ | 9 | 1 | 6 | 0 |  |
| 800 | Dearborn $\Lambda$ cademy＊＊．．．． | Seabrook，N．If | 1853 | 1853 | Marcia W．Sanborn | Cong ．．． | 0 | ， | 49 | 29 | 20 |  |  |  | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 801 | Barbard Acadomy＊．． | South Hampton， | 1834 | 1842 | Mias Lila， 1 ．Frerett．．．．．．．．． | Non－sect |  | 1 | 22 | 11 | 11 | 19 | 3 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 802 | Now Hampshire Conference Semi－ nary and Female College． | Tilton，N．H．．． | 1852 | 1845 | Rev．Daniol C．Knowles， 1. m． | M．E．．．． | 5 | 3 | 110 | 62 | 48 | 55 | 55 | 20 | 30 | 5 |  |  |
| 803 | Simonds Free High Sehool ．．．．．． | Warner，N． 11 | 1871 | 1871 | Menry S．Roberts，A．m | Non－sect | 1 | 1 | 60 | 25 | 35 | 35 | 15 | 10 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 804 | ＇Tubbs＇Union Academy＊－．．．．．．．．． | Washington，N．H | 1848 | 1848 | Frank 1P．Newman ．．．．．．．．．．． | Non－sect． | 2 | 1 | 75 | 32 | 43 | 39 | 4 |  | 2 |  |  | 4 |
| 805 | Whitefiold Select School for Xoung Ladies． | Whitefiold，N．If ． | 0 | 1883 | Miss Alice Stobbins ．．．．．．．．． | Non－seat |  | 2 | 28 | ．．． | 28 | 18 | 10 |  |  | 4 |  |  |
| 806 | Momoschool．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | Ancora，N．T． |  | 1880 | J．Madison Allen | Spirit＇lst | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 807 | Belvidere Seminary． | 130lvidere，N．J |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 808 | Triuity IIall ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | Beverly，N．I． |  | 1867 | Rachelle Gibbons IInnt．．．．．． | 1．E．．．． |  | 3 | 20 |  | 20 |  |  |  | 7 | 5 | 2 | 0 |
| 809 | Gymnasinın，or Academic Depart－ ment，of the German Theological School of Nowark，N．J． | Bloomifield，N．J | 1871 | 1869 | Rev．Charles E．Knox，D．D．， president． | Presb．．． | 5 |  | 18 | 18 |  | 18 | 18 | 18 |  |  | 4 |  |
| 810 | Bordentown Military lustitute ．．． | Pordentown，N．J | 0 | 1881 | Rov．T．IT．Tandon，m．A ．．．． | Non－sect | 4 | 1 | 42 | 42 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 811 | St．Joseph＇s A cadlemy | Bordentown，N．J |  | 1873 | Sister M．Geneviove ．．．．．．．． |  |  |  | 85 |  |  | 35 | 10 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 812 | Ivy Hall Seminary．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | Bridgeton，N．J | 1861 | 1861 | Rev．Henry Reevos，A．m．， ri．n． | Non－soct | 3 | 5 | 59 | 0 | 59 | 32 | 15 | 12 |  |  |  |  |
| 813 814 | Sonth Jorsoy Instituto．．．．．．．．．．．． | Bridgeton，N．J | 1868 | 1870 | Menry K．Trask，LL．D．．．．．．．－ | 13aptist． | 5 | 5 | 153 | 80 | 63 | 75 | 78 | 37 | 25 | 20 | 7 | 6 |
| 814 | Mt．St．Lominic＇s Academy ．．．．．．． | Caldwoll，N．J |  |  | Sistor M．Angelica，superi－ or． |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |






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| St. Mary's School | New York, N. X. 88 East |  |
| St. Matthew's $\Delta$ cademy* | 46th street). <br> New York, N. Y. (corner Broome and Elizabeth strects). |  |
| St. Teresa's Acadomy | New York, N. Y. (137 and 139 Henry street). |  |
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| Miss Spring's Private School | Now York, N. Y. (121 East |  |
| Ursuline A cadem $^{\text {a }}$ | New York (East Morrisa. |  |
| Van Norman Institute |  |  |
| iam W. Richards | New York, N. Y. (1475 |  |
| Boys.* <br> The A. M. Chesbrough Seminary | Broadway) Norit Chili, |  |
| Granvillo Military 4 cadom | No | 1855 |
| Nyack Sominary |  |  |
| Rockland Colleg |  | 1878 |
| Williston |  |  |
| Cary Collegiate Seminar | Oakfiel |  |
| Onondaga Acadc |  | 1813 |
| Oxford Academy $\begin{aligned} & \text { A } \\ & \text { Aldeny }\end{aligned}$ | Oxfor |  |
| Pcekskill Military $\Lambda$ cademy... | 1'eoksk | 1838 |
| St. Gabriel's |  |  |
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| Seymour | P10 |  |
| Port Byroa Free School |  | 1860 |
| Academy. |  |  |


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TABLE VI.-Stalistics of institulions for secondary instruction for 1884-85, \&c.-Continued.



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| 1121 | Statesvillo Acadomy for Boys and Young Men． | Statesvillo，N．C ．．．．．．．．．．．． |
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| 1122 | Summorfield High School．．．． | Summerfiold，N．C ．．．．．．．．． |
| 1123 | Wright＇s School | Thomasville，N．C．．．．．．．．．． |
| 1124 | Trap Lill Normal Ins | Trap Hill，N．© ．－．．．．．．－．． |
| 1125 | Trenton High School | Tronton，N．C．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． |
| 1126 | ＇Troy Male and F＇emale $\Delta$ cadomy． | Troy，N．${ }^{\text {C }}$ |
| 1127 | ＾nson Institute | Wadesborougr |
| 1128 | Fork Instituto | Wartenton．N |
| 1129 | Warsaw High School | Warsaw，N．C |
| 1130 | Washington Malo and Femalo $\Delta$ cadomy．＊ | Washington，N．C．．．．．．．．．． |
| 1131 | Tranklin Oistrict IHigh School $\alpha$ ． | Wnynosville，N．C ．－．．．．．．． |
| 1132 | Wayuesvillo High School＊．．．．．．． | Waynesvillo．N． |
| 1133 | Whitovillo 1 cadomy | Whitovills，N． |
| 1134 | Capo iroar Acadom | Wilmington， N ． |
| 1135 | Lev．Dinniel Morrelle＇s English and Chassical School． | Walmington，N．C．．．．．．．．．． |
| 1130 | Barnes＇School | Wilson， |
| 1137 | ＇Tho Grange High Sch | Woodland， |
| 1138 | Yadkin Collogo | Yadkin Collog |
| 1139 | Frauklin Higb School＊ | Zub，N．C＇ |
| 1140 | Albany Euterpriso Acadomy＊ | Albany，Ohio（P．O．，Loe）． |
| 1141 | Grand Rivor Instit | Austinburg， |
| 1142 | Ohney Sthool | Noar Barnosville |
| 1143 | Bartlott Acadomy | Bartlott，Ohio |
| 1144 | Buverly Colleget | Buverly，Ohio |
| 1145 | Quinnjiat Collogiato Institnto．． | Caldwent，Ohio |
| 1146 | $\Lambda$ cadeny of Contral Collogo | Central Colloge，Ohio |
| 1147 | Goaugat Sominary＊ | Chester Cross Roads，Ohio （Goamga Co．）． |
| 1148 | Leadomy of tho Sistcrs of Notre Damo． | Cincinnati，Ohio（East Gth street）． |
| 1149 | Day School ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | Cincinnati，Ohio（160 West 7th atroet）． |
| 1150 | Madame Fredln＇s School | Cincinnati，Ohio（ 15 Morris street，Eden Park）． |
| 1151 | St．Traucis＇Eeclosiastical Colloge | Cincinnatl，Ohio ．－．．．．．．．． |
| 1152 | Clermont 4 cademy | Clormontvillo，Ohio－．．．．．． |
| 1153 | Cloveland Acadomy | Cleveland，Ohio（150 Inr－ ron streot）． |
| 1154 | Miss Mittloberger＇s School for Girls． | Clovoland，Ohio（ 1020 Pros－ pect strest）． |
| 1155 | St．Joseph＇s $\Lambda$ catem．${ }^{*}$ | Colunbus，Ohlo ．．．．．．．．．．．． |
| 1156 | St．Mary＇s Institut | Dayton，Ohio． |

Table VI. - Statisties of institutions for secondary instruction for 1884-95, go. - Continued.


rable: VI.-Statistics of institutions for secondary instruction for 1881-85, s.c.-Continued.

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| ${ }_{1212} 12$ | Moravian Parochial School ...... | Tethlebom, Pa ............ | 1853 | ${ }_{1854}^{1753}$ | Eugcne L. Schaefor .......... | Morav.. | ${ }_{2}^{2}$ | $5$ | 1188 | ${ }_{40}^{101}$ | ${ }_{65}^{97}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1213 | Mrandywine A cademy -........... | 1,randywino Manor, Ta $\ldots$... |  |  |  |  | 2 |  |  |  |  | 105 | 31 | 12 | 4 |  |  |  |
| 1214 | Witherspoon Instituto*........... | Putler, Pa-... | 1849 | ${ }^{\text {al1951 }}$ | P.S. Bancroft, $\Lambda$. |  | ${ }_{2}^{2}$ | 3 | 150 | 80 | 70 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1215 | Callensburg A cademy ........... |  | ${ }_{0}^{1850}$ | ${ }_{1871}^{1856}$ | W. A. Beer.................. | Non-soct | 2 | 1 | 50 74 | 70 | 40 95 | 144 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1217 | Penn's Valley Instituto* ${ }^{\text {Jo......... }}$ | Center Hal, ${ }^{\text {r }}$ | 0 | 1877 | W. P . Hosierman, A. is ....... |  | 2 |  | 67 | 47 |  | 67 | 9 |  | 5 | 1 | 2 |  |
| 1218 | Chester A cademy. | Chester, Pa | 0 | ${ }^{1863}$ | Georgo Gillert.. | Non-sect | 1 |  | 116 | 55 | ${ }_{61}^{61}$ | 116 | ${ }^{0}$ | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1219 1220 | Carrier Seminary* | Clariou, Pa, ${ }_{\text {Concordill }}$ | 1870 | ${ }_{1868}^{1888}$ | Rov.J. M. Edwards, A.B. | M.E. ${ }^{\text {M }}$ ( | 7 | 5 |  |  |  |  | 10 |  |  | 1 | i |  |
| 1221 | Corsica Classical and Normal In. | Corsica, P'a ..... |  | 1870 | S. A. Saxman. |  | 1 | 1 | 60 | 31 | 29 | 57 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| 1222 | Union Academy* ${ }^{\text {a }}$........ | Damascrs, Pa | 1848 | 1849 | Theophilus N. Glover....... | Non-sect | 1 | 1 | 50 | 30 | 20 | 45 | 4 | 10 | 2 | 2 |  |  |
| 1223 1224 |  | Narby, Pa, ${ }^{\text {Downing }}$ | 0 |  | Rebccea J. Williamson...... | Friends, |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 122 | Doylestown Sominary -. | Doylostown, Pa | 1876 | 1868 | John Gosman, Put D.......... | Non-sect | 4 | 4 |  |  | 49 | 39 | 41 | 25 |  |  | 0 |  |
| 1226 | Eldersridge Classical and Normal Academy. | Elderssidge, Pa . | 18 | 1847 | Rev. Alex. Donalison, D. D .. | Non-sect | 3 | 1 |  | 40 | 13 | 35 | 18 | 2 | 15 |  | 4 |  |
| 1227 | Erie Acadoliny | Erie, Pa | 1817 | 1823 | Alaric Stone, A. M | Non-scct |  | 3 | 120 | 70 | $50$ | $67$ | 40 | 13 |  |  | 3 |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1228 \\ & 1229 \end{aligned}$ | St. Benedict's Academy**......... |  |  | 1854 1869 | Sister M. Gregoria, o. s. B..... Rev. Jobn H. IIaris, A. M., |  | 5 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1230 | Friends' School |  |  | 1861 | PII. D. <br> Llizaboth M. Robert $\qquad$ | Friend |  | 4 | 66 | 31 | 35 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1231 | Zoigler's School... | Groen Castle, Pa...... |  | 1872 |  | Non-sect |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |



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|  | Name， | Location． |  |  | Principal． |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { I⿹\zh26工 } \\ & \text { Hे } \end{aligned}$ | 品 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 5 | （1） | ＇9． | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 6.3 | 193 | 18 | 18 |
| 12¢0 | Frients＇Contral High School （bors＇department） | Philadelphia，Pa．（3．w． | 0 | 1845 | Goorge L．Maris，A．m ．．．．．． | Friculs． | 7 | 8 | 229 | 229 |  | 134 | 95 | 78 | 8 | 10 | 5 | 6 |
| 1270 | Friends＇Central School（girls＇ departments． | Philatelphia，Pa．（s．w． cor．15th and Racests．）． |  |  | Annio Shoomaker ．．．．．．．．．．． | Frienda． | 2 | 18 | 310 | 0 | 310 | 38 | 167 | 190 | 3 | 0 |  |  |
| 1271 | Frionds＇Select School for Moys＊． | Philadelphia，Pa．（320 | 0 | 1833 | John H．Dillingham ．．．．．．．． | Frionds | 2 | 2 | 43 | 43 | 0 | 32 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 1272 | Gitard College for Orphans＊ | Philadelphia，Pa．．．．．．．．．． | 1832 | 1818 | Adarn II．Fetterolf，A．m．， | Non－sect | 0 | 30 |  |  | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1273 | I．V．Smith＇s Sehool for Young Ladies and Children．＂$b$ | Philadelphia，Pis．（1833 Chestnut street）． |  | 1830 | rii．w．，president． <br> Miss Lydia V．Smith |  | 1 | 6 | 25 |  | 25 | 25 | 15 | 22 |  |  |  |  |
| 1274 | Mt．St．Josoph Academy．．．．．．．．． | Philadelphia，Pa．（Chest－ nut Hill）． | 1858 | 1858 | Sisters of St．Joscph． | R．C |  | 12 | 78 |  | 78 | 78 | 24 | 78 |  |  |  |  |
| 1975 | Phitadelphia Seminary． | Mhiladelphia，Pa．（1325 North Broad street）． |  | 1871 | Robecca E．Judkins |  | 4 | 10 | 110 |  | 110 | 110 |  | 98 | 2 |  |  |  |
| 1276 | Iittenhouse Acnhemy ．．．．．．．．．．． | Philadephia，Pat（n．e．eor． | 0 | 1854 | De Bennevillo K．Ludwig， | Non－scet | 7 | 0 | 64 | 64 | 0 |  |  | 20 |  |  | 8 |  |
| 1277 | Schatoigh A cadomy＊． | Philadelphia，Pa．（18th |  | 1877 | A．M． <br> Miss Fannio M．Schleigh ．．． | Non－sect |  | 7 | 4.4 | 19 | 25 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1278 | School for Young Ladies．．．．．．．．． | Philadolphia，Pa．（1117 Walnut street， | ．．．．． | 1868 | Anuio and Sarah Cooper．．．． | Non－soct | 1 | 7 | 60 |  | 60 | 60 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1279 | West Chestnut Streot Instituto ${ }^{\text {．}}$ | Philadelphia，Pa．（4035 |  | 1873 | Mra，Julia A，Bogardus ．．．． | Presb．．． | 1 | 7 | 50 |  | 50 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1280 | West Chestnut Stroet Seminary ． | Philadelphia，Pa．（1707 <br> Chestant stroet）． |  | 1878 | Miss M．B．Cochran ．．．．．．．． | Meth ．．． | 2 | 1 | 35 |  | 35 | 35 |  |  |  |  | 1 |  |


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|  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 16 | 18 | 12 | 13 | 1.8 | 13.5 | E6 | 17 | 18 |
| 1313 | Charleston Femalo Seminary＊．．． | Charleston，S．C | 0 | 1870 | Miss Etta A．Kolly |  | 3 | 9 | 160 |  | 160 | 160 | 100 | 50 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| 1314 | Southern Home School for Boys． | Charleston，S．C．（West End，Broad streot）． |  | 1884 | William Simons |  |  |  |  |  |  | 10 | 0 | 9 | 8 | 2 |  | 2 |
| 1315 | Walling ford 4 cadomy ．．．．．．．．．．． | Charleston，S．C ．．．．．．．．．． | 1808 | 1865 | Rev．Thomas A．Grove．．．．．． | Preab．．． | 3 |  | 666 | 322 | 344 | 660 | 19 |  | 17 | 21 | 16 | 5 |
| 1316 | Clinton Colloge and Migh School． | Clinton，S．S．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 1882 | 1872 | Ciliam Statos Loe，A．M．．．．． | Prest Co | 2 | 3 | 92 52 | 50 32 | 20 | ${ }^{32}$ | 19 | 3 | 17 | 20 | 16 5 |  |
| 1317 | Cokeabury Couferonco School ．．． | Cokosbury，S．C．．．．．．．．．． | 1834 | 1836 | C．C．Reed M．Hiceker，A．м．．． | M．E．So． | $\frac{1}{2}$ | ． | （52 |  | 8 | 191 | 10 |  | 11 | 15 | 5 |  |
| 1318 | Bonedict Instituto．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | Colnmbia，s．C．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 0 | 1870 | president． | Baptist． | 2 | ， | 202 | 15 | 87 | 191 | 11 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1310 | Volle Crucis Institute of the Ur－ sulines． | Near Columbia，S．C． |  |  | Madame M．B．Lyneh， mother superior． | R．C |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1320 | Penu S＇chool ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | Frogmore，S．C | 0 | 1862 | Missen Laura M．Towno and Ellen Murray． | Non－sect | 1 | 9. | 223 | 114 | 109 | 123 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1321 | Cooper STimestone Institute＊．．．．． | Gaffuey，S．C |  | 1881 | II．1＇．Griflith und li．O．Sams | Baptist | 2 | 5 | 83 |  | 83 | 83 | 20 | 12 |  |  |  |  |
| 1332 | Greenville Military histitute a ．－ | Greonville，S．${ }_{\text {Grenwood }}$ |  | 1878 | Johin B．Patrick ．．．．．．．．．．．．． | Nons seet | 4 | 0 | 70 | 70 | 0 | 70 | 19 | 5 | 4 |  | 4 |  |
| 1323 | Brewer Norual schomi ．．．．．．．．．．． | Greenwo Station，S．C |  |  | T．I．Young | Non－seci | 1 |  | 55 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1324 | Grove Station Acadomy ．－．．．．．．． English and Classical | Grovo Station，S．C |  | 1880 | T．I．Young <br> Leev．J．E．Watsou，A．M．， | Non－sect | 2 | 0 2 | 125 | 35 60 | ${ }_{60}^{20}$ | 120 | 4 4 | 12 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ．－． |
| 1325 1326 | English and Classical Instituto．． Lexington Itigh School ．．．．．．．．．． | Leesville，S．C． | 1881 0 | 1880 1875 | Lev．J．H．Watsou，A．M．， <br> president． <br> Edwin J．Drober | Non－sect Non sect | 1 | 1 | 120 0.5 | 40 | 25 | 120 55 | 10 | 12 |  |  |  |  |
| 1326 1327 | Lexington High School ．．．．．．．．．．． | Lexington，S．C | ${ }_{1807}$ | 1875 | Edwin J．Dreher ．．．．．．．．．．．．． <br> A．P．Pifer | Non seet | ${ }_{2}^{1}$ | 13 | 65 110 | 40 | 110 | 110 | 10 22 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 |
| 1328 | Itsidville Fomale Colloge＊．．．．．．． | Reidvillo，S．U | 1857 | 1857 | fobort I＇．Smith，A．m ．．．．．．．． | Presb－ | 2 | 3 | 6.5 |  | 65 | 35 | 25 | 15 | 12 |  |  |  |
| 1329 | Sumter Inatitnte＊．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | Sumter， S ． |  | 1866 | Mrs．Laura A．Browno and Miss Eliza E．Cooper． | Non－sect |  | 6 | 100 |  | 100 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1330 | Williamston Male Academy | Williamston，S．C | 1854 | 1848 | R．II．Blalock ．．．．．．．．．．．．． | Non－soct | 1 | 0 | 37 | 37 | 5 | 37 | 11 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1331 | Johntown A cademy | Williston，s． C |  | 1880 | Boynton O＇Brini，A． | Non－sect | ${ }_{3}^{2}$ | 1 | 140 | 82 | 58 | 111 | 29 | 9 | 23 | 47 | ${ }_{4}^{6}$ | 12 |
| 1332 | King＇s Mountain Military School | Yorkville，s．C | 1881 | 1855 | Col．Ashury Coward | Noll－sect | 3 |  | 45 | 45 |  | 7 | 13 | 15 |  |  | 4 |  |


| ${ }_{1334}^{1933}$ | Yorkvillo Masonic $\mathbb{N}$ | $\left.\right\|_{\substack{\text { Yloxk } \\ \text { York }}}$ |  | 1854 |  | Presi, ... |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} 30143 \\ (189) \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  | Sallins Collego | Br | 1874 | 1863 | 1: | M. Sorth |  | 516 |  | 0) 163 | 165 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | $\mathrm{Ca}^{\text {a }}$ |  | 0 | 1889 |  |  |  |  |  | 50 | 50 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $4$ | Ced |  | 18359 | ${ }^{1880}$ | (r. Whd | Non-s |  | 2 |  | 65 65 65 59 59 | ${ }_{5}^{52}$ | 17 | ${ }_{26}^{10}$ | 6 | ${ }_{15}^{20}$ |  |  |  |
|  | Char eroton Highl Siliol | Charlosion' To | ${ }_{1888}^{1871}$ | ${ }_{1872}^{1872}$ |  | Non-s |  | ${ }_{11}^{1} 113$ |  | ${ }_{70}^{68}{ }_{70}^{47}$ | ${ }_{6}^{47}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Chursh Hill A catemy | Chared IIII, 1 | 1882 | ${ }_{\text {l }}^{1882}$ | J. I. I. Senoker. |  |  |  | 8154 | ${ }^{46}{ }^{35}$ |  |  |  | ${ }^{2}$ | 4 | 6 |  |  |
|  | Cog Hill Collegiato Insti | ${ }_{\text {Cog Hill, }}^{\text {conenl }}$ | 1870 |  | Rev.d. I. Le Lew |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $48$ | Tipton Female Som Cullooka Institute | Coving Cullcol | $\begin{gathered} 1852 \\ 1888 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 1855 \\ 1850 \\ 18920 \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{Noo} \\ & \mathrm{No} . \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 131950 \\ & 1351 \\ & 1351 \end{aligned}$ | Tentese Vnlloy Con | Kerens | 1880 | ${ }_{185}^{1882}$ | (riof: |  |  |  |  |  | 43 |  | \% | 15 | 30 | 25 |  |  |
|  | ren Co |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 36 | - |  | 50 |  |  |
|  | Gorrionsilio Acaatemy | $\xrightarrow{\text { Gorctunsv }}$ Nerr Cras |  |  | Gicorro W |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 20 |  |  |
| 1355 | Heinderson Masonic 1 | Henderson, Toun | 1869 | 1868 | G. M. Sivzer | Non-sct | 5 | $4{ }^{19}$ |  | ${ }^{606} 8$ | $8{ }^{3}$ | 91 | 33 | 25 |  |  |  |  |
|  | West Tennossoon Siein |  | 1874 | 1874 | Rev. Josenylis. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Odd Fellorys' Malo | Hum | 1871 | 1872 | S. $\Lambda$. Mynd |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1358 \\ & 1359 \end{aligned}$ | Irvint Collog |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | ${ }^{80} 50$ | 50 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1359 \\ & 1350 \\ & 13060 \end{aligned}$ | Srank houston Aciadoin |  | $\begin{array}{\|} 1846 \\ 1855 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18181 \\ & 1886 \\ & \hline 886 \end{aligned}$ | Winnes stian |  |  |  |  | ${ }^{100} 100$ | ${ }^{100}$ |  | 12 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Cloar spring Acaucony | Jockey, Toun |  |  | D.ik Mnys |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 析 | Soiococo Ilillil nostitito | Jonimson City, | 1866 | 1870 |  | Non.s |  |  |  | 120 |  |  | , |  | 14 | 30 |  |  |
| ${ }_{1365}^{1385}$ | Lexington $\Lambda$ caalomy |  | 1879 | 1869 | S.A. ${ }_{\text {Symiers }}$ |  |  |  |  | ${ }_{70}^{40}$ | ${ }_{77}$ | 20 | ${ }_{5}^{14}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| ${ }^{1366}$ | Jonesboro' District Hi, | Limmestono, Ton |  |  | IV. V/ smith | M. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Lincon |  |  |  | W. W.F.armai |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 13 |  |  |
| ${ }_{1389}^{1399}$ | Loudon Hiph S School. | Loan | ${ }_{1}^{1869}$ | 1870 | E. W |  |  |  | 1 | ${ }^{19} 131$ | 31. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Waners | Martin, Tenn .. | 187 | 1870 | W. A. Cooolv |  | 1 |  | ${ }^{90} 5$ | ${ }_{60}^{50} 70$ | 70 |  |  | $\checkmark$ |  |  |  |  |
|  | emy.* |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

TABLE VI．－Statistics of institutions for sccondary instruction for 1884－＇©5，fe．－Continned．

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Number of students． |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Name． | Location． |  |  | Principal． |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 玉゙ } \\ & \text { H゙ } \end{aligned}$ | 馬 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\underline{1}$ | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | $1: 3$ | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 |
| West Tennessee Seminary．．．．．．． | Mason，Tenn．．．．．．．．．．．．． |  | 1877 | C．E．Alexander．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | Meth ．．．c | 1 | 2 | 114 | 50 | 64 | 114 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Clara Conway Institute．．．．．．．．．．． | Memphis，Tenn．（259 Pop－ lar street）． |  | 1876 | Clara Couway ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | Non－sect |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Memphis Institute．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | Memphis，Tcnn．（ 174 Her－ nando strcet）． | 0 | 1881 | Wharton Stewart Jones ．．．． | Non－sect | 4 | 1 | 123 | 123 | 0 | 90 | 33 | 20 |  |  | 12 | ．．．． |
| St．Mary＇s School． | Memplis，Tenu．（352 Pop－ lar strect）． |  | 1873 | Sisters of St．Mary．．．．．．．．．． | P．E | 2 | 6 | 80 |  | 80 | 80 | 40 | 30 |  |  |  |  |
| Middleton Migh School ．．．．．．．．．．． | Midder strect，Tenn．．．．．．．．．． | 1880 | 1878 | Ferd．M．Malone ．．．．．．．．．．．．． | Non－sect | 1 | 1 | 50 | 28 | 23 | 25 | 5 |  | 12 | 12 |  |  |
| Milligan College．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | Milligan，Tenal．．．．．．．．．．．． | 1882 | 1868 | J．Hopwood，A．M．，president | Christ＇n | 6 | 4 | 207 | 144 | 63 | 187 | 20 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Morristown Femalo High School． | Morristown，Tenn ．．．．．．．．－ | 0 | 1868 | Iev．J．G．McFerrin ．．．．．．．． | Non－scet | 2 |  |  |  | 160 | 150 | 10 | 0 | 10 | 25 | 5 | 0 |
| Morristown Male Academy＊${ }^{\text {a }}$－${ }^{\text {a }}$－ Djersburg District High School | Morristown，Tenn－1．．．．．． | 1880 | 1867 | J．A．Stubblefield ．．．．．．．．．．．． | M．E．So． |  | 0 | 65 42 | 65 |  |  | 15 | 7 | 15 | 18 |  |  |
| Dsersburg District High school $b$ | Mt Atoka）．Tenn．（P．O．， | 1880 |  | licv．IH．J．Turner，president． | M．E．So． |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| East Nashville A cademy ．．．．．．．．． | Nashvill，Tenn．．．．．．．．．．．． | 0 | 1880 | Rev．Mayo Cabell Martin ．．． | Non－sect | 3 | 0 | 71 | 71 | 0 | 71 | 16 | 4 | 15 | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| Montgomery Bell Academy．．．．．． Alpine Acaidemy c ．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | Nashville，Teun．．．．．．．．．．． |  |  | Joseph W．Yeatman，M．A ．．． Miss M．G．McDonnold ．${ }^{\text {a }}$ ． | Non－scet | 6 | 1 | 145 | 145 |  | 120 | 15 |  | 15 |  |  | 2 |
| Newbern Classical and Normal College． | Newbern，＇Tenn ．．．．．．．．．．．． |  | 1865 | J．Hale Peay ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | Non－sect | 2 | 1 | 300 | 125 | 175 | 150 | 50 | ．．．． | 25 | 25 | 20 | 8 |
| Union Seminary＊．．．． | Newhern，Tenn | 1881 |  | Thomas C．Gordon，A．M．．．． | Non－sect | 1 | 4 | 154 | 70 | 84 | 154 | 12 |  |  |  |  |  |
| New Market Academy | New Market，＇Tenn |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ooltewah A cademy | Ooltervah，Tenn．．．．．．．．．．． |  |  | N．G．Jacks | Non－sect | 2 |  | 95 | 50 | 45 | 95 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Slelsoe Institute＊． | Orme＇s sitore，Tenn ．．．．．．．． |  | 1873 | J．N．Kerley ．．．．．．．．．． |  | 1 | 2 | 110 36 | 17 | 19 |  |  |  |  |  | 7 |  |
| ＇the Mrs．S．II．Welch Migh | Orysa，Tenn ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 1887 | 1880 | Isaac L．Case，A．Mo，M．D．．．．．． Mrs．S．If．Welch．．．．．．．．．． | Non－sect | $\frac{1}{1}$ | 2 | 36 48 | 17 | 19 | 36 48 | ${ }_{11}^{9}$ |  | 11 | 20 | 0 |  |



Table VI.-Slatistics of institutions for secondary inslruction for 1884-'85, \&. - Continued.

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Numil | er | stu | den |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Nume. | Location. |  | Date of organization. | Principal. |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ज゙ } \\ & \text { Hin } \end{aligned}$ | 而 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | c | ' 7 | 8 | ¢ | 11. | 11 | 12 | 13 | $1{ }^{1}$ | 1.5 | 16 | 17 | 18 |
| 1433 | Livingston Acadomy . | Livingston, Tox |  |  | D. C. Peacock |  | 2 | 1 | 80 |  | 42 |  | 6 |  |  |  | 3 |  |
| 1434 | Bishop College..................... | Marshall, Tox . | 1885 | 1881 | Rev. S. W. Culver, A. m., president. | Baptist. | 3 | 4 |  |  |  |  | 14 | 2 |  |  |  |  |
| 1435 | Wiley University................ | Marshall, Tex | 1883 | 1873 | Rev. N. D. Clifford, B. A., president. | M.E.... | 3 | 3 | 182 | 95 | 87 | 164 | 17 |  | 14 |  |  |  |
| 1436 | Sumimer Hill Solect School | Omen, Tox | 1881 | 1878 | A. W. Orr .................. | Non-sect | 3 | 3 | 129 | 76 | 53 | 42 | 23 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 5 |  |
| 1437 | Hubbard College | Overton, Tex | 1880 | 1880 | Heard \& Roberts ............ | Union - | 2 |  |  |  | 65 | 130 | 20 | 30 |  |  |  |  |
| 1438 | Plano Institute. . | Plano, Tex..... | 1885 | 1882 | W. F. Mister and T. G. Harris. | Non-sect | 3 | 4 | 237 | 109 | 128 | .... | 30 | 8 |  |  |  |  |
| 1439 | English-German Academı**..... | Rockdale, Tox | 0 | 1881 | A. Berlinger ................. | Non-sect | 1 |  | 27 | 15 | 12 | 27 |  | 23 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 1440 | Rusk Masonic Institute ${ }^{\text {a }}$ A....... | Rusk, Tex $\qquad$ |  |  | John Joss | Nou-sect | 1 | 2 | 100 | 60 | 40 | 56 | 8 | ${ }_{6} 0$ | 3 | 4 | 2 | 0 |
| 1441 | Alamo German-English School* | San Antonio, Tex San Autouio, Tex | 1860 | 1874 | J. W. Schuwirth <br> William Barbeck | Non-sect | 3 | 3 | 189 | (31 | 30 76 | 6t |  | 189 |  |  |  |  |
| 1443 | St. Mary's Mall ......... | San Autonio, Tox | 180 |  | Miss Philppa G. Stovenson. | 1. E ${ }^{\text {a }}$. | 1 | 11 | 87 | 0 | 87 |  | 15 | 12 |  |  |  |  |
| 1444 | St. Mary's Institute* | San Autonio, Tex | 0 | 1852 | Brother Feith .............. | R. C.... | 14 | 0 | 450 | 450 | 0 | 450 | 0 | 165 |  |  |  |  |
| 1445 | Ursuline Conrent*. | San Antonio, Tox | 1881 | 1851 | Sister St. Isabel, superior... | 1. C. ${ }^{\text {c }}$ |  | 17 | 250 |  | 250 | 250 | 100 | 100 |  |  |  |  |
| 1446 | San Saba Collcgo | San Saba, Tex | 1885 | 1882 | W. J. Spillman, A. M........ | M. E. So. | 3 | 2 |  |  | 115) | .... |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1447 | North Texas Vemale College .... | Sherman, Toz. | 1877 | 1879 | Judge I. M. Oning, A. M..... | Nou-sect | 3 | 6 | 145 | $\cdots$ | 1145 |  | 12 | 13 |  |  |  |  |
| 1448 | Sherman Institute ................ | Sherman, Tox | 1879 | 1879 | J. G. Nash, A. M., and J. A. Ivey, A. M. | Non-scet | 1 | 8 | 101 |  | 61) |  | 12 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1449 | Central Colloge................. | Sulphur Springs, | 1884 | 1876 | Rev. J. W. Adkisson, A. M . | M. E. So. | 3 4 | 3 | 176 | 89 | 87 | 176 25 | 24 | 30 |  |  |  |  |
| 1450 | St. Joseph's Colloge and Diocosan Seminary.* | Victorio, 'tex |  | 1880 | L. Wyer ..................... | R.C .. | 4 |  | 85 | 85 |  |  | 1 | 30 |  |  |  |  |
| 1451 | Brigham $\triangle$ calemy .............. | Bakersficld, Vt | 1877 | 1879 | Otis S. Johnson. | Non-sect | $\frac{1}{3}$ | 2 | 1113 | 55 55 | 58 63 | 87 82 | 26 35 | 20 |  | 3 |  |  |


| 1453 | Goddard Scmini | Barro，va | 188？ | 1870 | Als |  | 4 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 6 | 2 |
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| 1454 | St．Agnos＇Hall | Boilows Fal |  | 1869 | Miss Jano Hapgoor |  |  | 5 |  |  | 20 | 20 | 10 | 15 |  |  |  |  |
| 14.5 | St．Joseph＇s Collego | Burliuston， |  | 1884 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1456 | Vermont Episcopil | Burlingion， | 1857 1839 | 1860 1835 | Ifenry If．Ross，A．M | P．E．．．．t | 5 | 1 | 70 | 4.5 30 | 40 | 127 | 18 10 10 | 8 3 |  |  |  | 1 |
| 1457 | I）orby A caderny ．．．．．． | Jerby，Vt lissex，Vt | 18.39 | 1839 $b 1854$ | Benjamiz W．Murch L．F．，＇lupper，A．m． | Non－sect | 1 | 3 3 3 | 70 76 | 30 37 | 40 39 | 12 | 10 27 | ？ | 4 80 | 15 | 1 | 0 |
| 1458 | Essox Classical Instifut Now Hamnton Instituti | Fissex， | 18.3 | b1854 | L．F．Tupper，A．M Albert G．（\％ox．A．m | Non－sect | 1 | 1 | 86 | 42 | 44 | $\varepsilon 0$ | 6 | 0 | － | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| 1460 | Orleans İiberal lustitite | （ i lovor， | 1845 | 1845 | D：wwin S．Watermau | Univ．．． | 1 | 2 | 70 | 30 | 40 | 60 | 4 | 0 |  |  |  |  |
| 1461 | Champlain Mall | ILigh gate， | 0 | 1877 | Miss H．Sibyl Swett | P．IE | 2 | 1 | 52 | 28 | 24 | 52 | 12 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1462 | Lamoille C＇ritral Acade | Hydel lark， | 0 | 1857 | R．Wr．Hulbird | Nou－3cet | 1 | 2 | 9.7 | 45 | 50 | 75 | 20 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1463 | Black lis ${ }^{\text {cor Acadomy＊}}$ | Lidllow，Vt | 1834 | 1834 | John L＇ickard，A． 1 | Non－sect | 1 | 4 | 190 | 81 | 109 | 14.3 | 47 | 2 | 20 |  | 2 | 0 |
| 1464 | Lyndost Lostifuto． | 1．yndon Centor， | 1867 | c1870 | Wathr E．İanger， | Union ．． | 5 | 1 | 163 | 90 | 73 | 120 | 19 | 9 |  |  | 0 |  |
| 1465 | McIndoc＇s Falls Academy | MeIndoes Falls， | 185\％ | 1854 | David B．Incko | （ons | 1 | 1 | 41 | 17 | 24 | 33 | 7 | 1 | 6 |  | 1 |  |
| 1466 | Newbury Seminary and Ladies＇ Institute．＊ | Nowbury，Vt | 1833 | 1834 | Rev．S．L．Eastman， | Meth | 2 | 3 | 150 | 100 | 50 | 13 | 20 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1467 | Beeman Acadom | New Haven， | 1869 | 1869 | Cnrtis C．（xove | Non－sect | 1 | 2 | 100 | 53 | 47 | 6.5 | 35 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 |  |
| 1468 | Caledonia County Grammar School．＊ | Pozcham， | 1795 | 1797 | C．A．Bunker， |  | 1 | 4 | 117 | 58 | 59 | 60 | 25 | 0 | 25 |  | 0 |  |
| 1469 | Troy Conference Academy＊．．．． | Poultnoy， | 1834 | 1837 | Rov．Charles H．Dunton，A．M | M | 6 | 6 | 240 | 140 | 100 | 156 | C0 | 24 | 37 | 8 | 7 |  |
| 1470 | Villa Barlow Boardingund Solect School of the Sisters of Notre Dame． | St．Albass， |  | 1870 | Sistor St．Wilfred |  |  | 12 | 290 | 65 | 225 | 225 |  | 0 |  |  |  |  |
| 1471 | St．Johnsl，mry $\Lambda$ cademy | St．Johnsbury | 1842 | 1843 | Charlos If．Putney，III．D | Non－sect | 6 | 8 | 350 | 185 | 165 | 195 | 175 | 40 | 75 | 20 | 20 |  |
| 1472 | Vermont Avadomy | Saxton＇s Rive |  | 1876 | Horace M．Wiliard，A．M | Bagtist． | 3 | 6 | 19.5 | 108 | 87 | 117 | 40 | 43 | 30 | 0 | 5 | 3 |
| 1473 | Groen Monntain Perkins A cadomy | Sonth Woods | 1848 | 1848 | Charles Hial Darling | Univ ．．． | 2 | 2 | 52 | 25 | 27 |  |  |  | 7 |  | 1 |  |
| 1474 | Thetford Academy＊ | Thetford，V | 1819 | 1819 | IS．M．Weld，A．m | Cong | 1 | 2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1475 | Loland and Gray Somin | Townshend，V | 1831 | 1835 | Frank 12．Snandid | 13aptist | 2 | 3 | 62 | 30 | 39 |  |  |  |  | 1 |  |  |
| 1476 | Bell Instiluto．．．．．．．．．．．． | Underhill， |  | 1840 | A．TV．McDowoli | Nou－sect | 1 | 1 | 55 | 30 | 25 | 30 | 18 | 7 | 4 |  |  |  |
| 1477 | Williston Acadomy d | Williston，Vt |  |  | Frederick $\wedge$ ．Carpente | Non－sect | 1 | ， | 32 |  |  | 25 | 4 | 3 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 1478 | School ef then Bhastone Mission | Abbyville，Va | 0 | 1880 | Tev．Johu A．Kantsay | U．P．．． | 1 | 3 | 250 |  |  | 250 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1479 | Abingedou Male Academ | Abingdon，Va | 1823 | 1823 | James 13．Baker | Nou－sect | 2 |  | 50 | 50 |  | 50 | 15 | 10 |  |  |  |  |
| 1480 | Stonewall Jackson Institut | $\Delta$ bingdon，Va | 1863 | 1808 | A lexanclor Q．Holladay | Presb．．． | 2 | 2 | 67 |  | 67 | 67 | 14 | 22 |  |  |  |  |
| 1481 | Clarens Liomo School＊．．．．．．．．．． | Near Alexandria，Va | 95 | 1877 | Miss Virginia Mason． | ${ }^{\text {P }}$＇${ }^{\text {P }}$ | 1 | 5 | 25 | 13 | 25 | $\underline{93}$ | － | 9 |  | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| 1482 | Episcopal High School of Vir－ ginia．＊ | Noar Aloxandrit，Va | 1854 | 1839 | Launcelot M．Blackford，M．A | P．E | 6 |  | 113 | 113 |  | 113 | 90 | 61 |  |  |  |  |
| 1483 | Potomat 4 cademy ．．． | Alexandria， |  | 1869 | Joln S．Blackburn |  |  |  | 54 | 54 |  | 54 | 21 | 12 |  |  | 2 |  |
| 1484 | St．Jolnn＇s Academy | Alexandria， | 0 | 18333 | Richard L．Camo，A． |  | 6 | 5 | 109 | 109 | 0 | 72 | 37 | 3 |  | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| 1485 | St．Mary＇s Academy | Alexandri： |  | 1869 | Sister Snperior |  |  | 5 | 102 |  | 102 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1486 | Mt．Pisgah Academy | Aylctt＇s，Va | 1870 | 1871 | Miss IC．l＇age Robinson，A．M | 3，rptist | 0 | 2 | 15 |  | 15 | 15 | 18 | 12 |  |  |  |  |
| 1487 | Now London Academy | Bedford Spring | 1795 |  | Rov．IS．W．Mosoley，A．M | Non－sect | 3 | 1 | 46 | 34 | 12 | 3.3 | 18 | － |  |  |  |  |
| 1488 | Yeates＇Lower l＇ree Schoole | Belleville，Va | 0 | 1731 | J．A．Williams | Non－soct | 1 | 0 | 37 | 20 | 17 | 37 | 1 | 0 | 0 |  | 0 | 0 |
| 1489 | Yeates＇Upper＇rree Schoole | Belleville，Va | 1803 | 1731 |  | Non－scet |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1490 | Bethel Classical and Military scademy． | Hethel Acadomy | 0 | 1869 | Maj．Albort（ |  |  | 0 | 99 | 99 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1491 | A bingdon District High School $f$ ． | Bickley＇s Mills，V | 0 | 1872 | C．C．Tishor，A．M．．．．．．．．．．．．． |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1492 | Bowling Greon Femalo Sominary＊ | Bowling Greon，V |  | 1866 | Rev．Eiedar H．Rowo nud Mrs．Wm，＇T．Chandler． | Moth．．． |  |  | 93 | 7 | 86 | 00 | 20 | 75 |  |  |  |  |
|  | ＊From Roport of tho Cammission $a$ Discomimued at the close of the $b$ Roorganized in $\$ 876$. <br> c Reorganized in $180^{\circ} 3$. | rof Etucation for 1883－＇84． chool year 1884－＇85． |  |  | a For 22 woeks；this <br> $e$＇The Yeates＇schaol <br> trusteos，aud are <br> $f$ Theso statistics aro | a village are about upported or tho yea |  | dise miles <br> oviva 83－＇8 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { eho } \\ & \text { es } 5 \\ & 25.0 \\ & 84 . \end{aligned}$ |  | they <br> 山e゙口 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { y he } \\ & \text { it. } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Table VI．－Statistics of institutions for secondary instruction for 1881－＇85，fc．－Continuod．

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| Name． | Location． |  |  | Principal． |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ज⿹\zh26灬 } \\ & \stackrel{1}{0} \end{aligned}$ | 号 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 逯 } \\ & \text { d } \\ & \text { ⿷匚⿳ } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 | $\mathfrak{B}$ | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 8 | 8 | 9 | 16 | 1 | 12 | 18 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 |
| Brontsville Sominary | Brentsvillo，Va |  | 1879 | Ezra Bander，A．M．．．．．．． | Non－sect | 1 | 2 | 24 | 13 | 11 | 21 | 2 | 2 |  |  |  | 2 |
| Pantops Academy＊ | Charlottesville，V | 0 | 1877 | Rev．Jdgar Woods，PH．D．， aud Jolun R Gampsor， 4 | Non－sect | 4 |  | 51 | 51 |  | 51 | 42 | 9 | 20 | 4 | 4 | 2 |
| Thenne Institnto | Chase City，Va | － 0 | 1876 | Rev．J．H．Veazey ．．．．．．．．．． | U．P．．．． | 1 | 3 | 241 | 113 | 128 | 241 |  |  | 3 | 5 |  |  |
| Shonandoah Institute | Maston，Va ．．． | 1884 | 1877 | Rov．T．If．Sonedeciker，a．b．． | U．B．．．． | 4 | 2 | 43 | 22 | 21 | 28 | 5 | ${ }^{6}$ | 2 | 4 | 1 | 2 |
| Flik Creek $\Lambda$ cadomy＊ | Elk Creek，Va ．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 0 | 1899 | Ellis W．©．Ward，$\Lambda$ ，m．．．．．． | Meth ．．． | 1 | 2 | 90 | 57 | ${ }^{33}$ | 90 | 5 | 1 | 5 | 3 | 4 | 0 |
| Cordonsvillo Femalo Collogo | Gordonsvillo，Va．．．．．．．．．． | 0 | 1878 | dmnes Dinwiddro ．．．．．．．．．．． | Nui－sect | 1 | 5 | 74 | 8 | 66 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mornton Sominary ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | horndon，Va． |  | 1876 | Mrs．M．M．Castleman．．．．．．． | P．E．．．． |  | 4 | 39 | 0 | 30 | 50 | 7 | 19 |  |  |  |  |
| Locust Pato Neademy ．．．．．．．．．．．． | Locust Dals，${ }^{\text {Louisa C．II，}}$ | 1870 | 1870 | Johar Mart．．．．．． | Non－sect Non－sect | 4 | 0 | 66 38 | 60 0 | ${ }_{38}^{0}$ | 50 | 42 | 19 | 12 | 0 |  |  |
| Louisa Homo School ．．． | Louisar C．H．，Va |  | 1882 | Mrs．Joseph 1，Winston． | Non－sect |  | 3 | 44 | 8 | 30 | $44^{4}$ | 19 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Slienandoah Normal Colloge | Middletown， Va |  | 1883 | G．W．Hoenshel ．．．．．．．．．．． | Nou－sect | 3 | 2 | 132 | 79 | 53 | 132 | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |
| Mt．Welcomo Iligh School． | Mitehell Station，Va |  | 1881 | 1r．W．S．Mall．． | Nonsed | 2 |  | 22 | 22 |  | 22 | 15 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Norfolk Academy．．．．．．．．．． | Norfolk，Va．．．． | 1804 | 1804 | Robert W．Tunstall and James II．Dillard． |  | 3 | ．．． | 109 | 109 |  | 109 | ${ }_{6}$ | 42 |  |  | 4 |  |
| Norfolk Mission Collego－．．．．．．．． | Norfolic， V a． |  | 1883 | Rer．M．Clarke ．．．．．．．．．．．． | U．P | 2. | 6 | 986 | 466 | 520 | 986 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Webstor Sciontific and Literary Institute．＊ | Norfolk，Va |  | 1809 | N．B．Webster，＾．m |  | 3 |  | 54 | 54 |  | 54 | 13 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Academy of the Visitation，Monte Maria．＊ | Richmond，Va．（Graco st．， bet． $22 d$ and 23 d ）． | 1866 | 1860 | Sister M．Justina Provost， superior． | R．C |  | 10 | 75 |  | 75 | 75 |  | 30 |  |  |  |  |
| Martshorn Momorial College．．．．． | Jichnond，Vir．．．．．．．．．．．． | 1884 | 1883 | Rev．Lyman B．Tefft，A．M ．． | Maptist． | 1 | 5 | 70 |  | 70 | 70 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| lichunond Instituto ．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | Richmond，Va ．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 1876 | 1867 | Liev．Chas．II．Coroy，A．M．， | Baptist． | 5 | 1 | 61 | 61 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Rural Malo and Fomalo Seminary＊ | Rural Retreab，Va． | 0 | 1878 | J．is．Greovor | Luther＇n | $\stackrel{2}{2}$ | 2 | 120 | 65 | 55 | 120 | 40 | 10 |  |  |  |  |
| Snffolk Cohegiato Institute＊．．．．． | Suffolk，Va | 1872 | 1872 | 1：J．Kernodlo，A．M | Christ＇ı | 2 | － 2 | 73 | 37 | 30 | $\because 3$ | 15 | 12 |  |  |  |  |



TABLE VI.-Sialistics of institutions for seoondary instruction for 188.1-35, f.c.-Continued.

Table VI.-Statistics of institutions for secondary instruction for 1884-85, g.c.-Continued.

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|  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | , | 10 | 11 | 12 | 18 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 |
| 1598 | The Jones High School. | Salt Lake Cits, Utah |  |  | Marcus E. Jones, A. M ...... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11590 | Rowland Hall ${ }^{\text {St. Mark's School }}$ | Salt Lake City, Utah |  | 1871 | Mrs. Olive C. Beauchamp .. | P.E. ${ }_{\text {P. }}$ | ${ }_{3}^{2}$ | ${ }_{10}^{6}$ | ${ }_{42}^{99}$ | ${ }_{2}^{9} 389$ | ${ }_{233}^{61}$ | S6 | 15 | 15 | 9 |  | 2 |  |
| 1600 | Salt Lake A calcmy | Salt Lake City, Utalt | 1878 | 1878 |  | Cong... |  |  |  | 0110 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1602 | Salt Lake Collegiate I | Sait Lake City, Utah | 0 | 1875 | John McC. Coyver, rH. D. | Presb... |  | 5 | 330 | 0175 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1603 1604 | Salt Lake Semiuary | Salt Lake City, Utalh. | 1871 | 1870 | Rev.Thomas W. Lincoln, A.m. | M. E.... | ${ }_{2}^{2}$ | 5 |  | $6{ }^{6} 135$ | 111 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1604 | Alden Academy*... | Anacortes(Eidalgo Island), Wash. Ter. |  | 1879 |  | Cong ... | 2 | 3 |  |  | 16 | 28 | 8 |  | 4 |  | 0 |  |
| 1605 1606 | Grace Seminary ........ | Centrailia, Wash. Te |  | 1884 | Miss Lizzie Roude | Paptist |  |  |  |  | 12 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1606 1607 | Benj. P. Chaney A cademy. | Cheney, Wash. Ter Colfax, Wash. Ter | ${ }_{1881}^{1881}$ | ${ }_{1878}^{1882}$ | James V. Dow...... | Non-sect |  | - |  |  | 103 |  | 4 | 0 |  | 3 | 0 |  |
| 1608 | Colville Indian Industrial Boarding School for Beys.* | Fort Colville, Wash. Ter. | 108 | 1880 | Rev. A. M. Folehi, s. J. | R.C.... | 4 |  |  | 20 |  | 20 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1609 | Goldendals Acaldiny........... | Goldendale, Wash. T |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1610 \\ & 1611 \end{aligned}$ | Washington Sewinary........... | Huntsrille, Wash. Ter.... | 1880 | ${ }_{1885}^{1880}$ | C. W. Boan, A. M | U. Bresb... |  | 1 |  | 216 | 26 | 37 | 5 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1612 | Steilacoom Noimal $\Delta$ cademy | Steilacoom, Wash. Ter | 1883 | 1882 | Rev. A. ${ }^{\text {d. Burnell, } \mathrm{A}}$ | Cong | 1 | 1 | 6 | 5 | 36 | 61 | 5 |  | 4 | 0 | 1 |  |
| 11614 | Sumnor Acadcmy - .i. ${ }_{\text {Andi }}$ | Sumner, Wash. Ter ........ |  | 1884 | Mrs.'Temuel II. Wells ...... | Pres P.... |  | of |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1615 | Holy Angels' College ............. | Vancouver, Wash. Tor.... |  | 1866 | Rer. Louis do G. Schram, | R.C.. | 3 | 0 | 80 | をo |  | 80 |  |  | \% 8 | 6 |  |  |
| 1016 | St. Paul's School | Walla WValla, Wash. |  | 1872 | Rev. Henry D. Lathrop, D. D. | P. E .... |  | 8 |  |  | 60 |  | 15 | 5 |  |  |  |  |
| 1617 | St. Mary's School* | Laramie Citit, W yo. Ter... | 0 | 1870 | Sistcr A | R.C.... | - | 4 |  | ${ }^{35}$ | 50 |  |  |  |  |  | 2 | $\cdots$ |

Table VI.-Stalistics of instilutions for sccondary instruclion for 1884-85, \&.c.-Continned.

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| 2 | Androws Instituto................ | $\times$ |  | $\times$ | $\times$ |  | 0 |  |  | $\$ 10-30$ $20-40$ | $\$ 5,500$ 6,000 |  |  | \$1, 000 | 40 20 | Aug., 13t Mondey. Angrist 17. |
| 2 | Athons Male Acadomy ............ |  |  |  |  | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10 | $20-40$ 8 | 15,000 | \$0 | \$0 | \$1,4 | 36 | October 1. |
| 4 | Wilcox Malo aud Female | + | $\times$ | + | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |  |  | 40 | 6,000 |  |  | 8500 | 40 | September 14. |
| 5 | Carrolltou Male and Femalo Academy.* | 0 | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | a30 | 4,000 | 0 | 0 | 1,500 | 38 | September 15. |
| 6 | Dadoville Masonic Instituto* .... | 0 | 0 | $\times$ | $\stackrel{x}{x}$ | 0 | $\times$ | 0 |  | b2-4 | 2,500 |  |  | 1,000 | 40 | October 1. |
| 7 | Dadeville Select High School ...... | + | 0 | x $\times$ $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | 0 | 140 | - 38 | 20-45 | $c 1,200$ 2,500 | 500 | 50 | 1,563 | 36 | Septomber 1. |
| 8 | Dadeville Seminary ${ }^{\text {Docatur Malo and Fomalo Semi- }}$ | $\times$ | $x$ | x $\times$ $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | 0 | 140 | 38 | 20-50 | 6,000 | 500 | 5 | 2,080 | 40 | Scptembor 27. |
|  | nary. | 0 | 0 | 0 | $\times$ | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 27, 36 | 2,500 | 0 | 0 |  | 36 | September. |
| 10 | Fayetto County Male and Fomalo Institute. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11 | Snow Hill A cademy ................ Gavlesville High School | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ $\times$ $\times$ | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | -19-38 | 2,500 | 0 | 0 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,000 \\ & 977 \end{aligned}$ | 38 38 | Soptember 15. <br> Oct., 1st Monday |
| 13 | Gaylesville High School | 0 | 0 | ${ }_{0}$ | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | 2,500 | 50 | ${ }^{1} 195$ |  | 0 | 0 |  | 37 | October 1. |
| 14 | South Alabama Fomale Colloge*.. |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | $\stackrel{\times}{ } \times$ | 0 | , | 60 | 2,500 | 0 | 0 |  | 40 | September 1. |
| 15 | Grovo Hill Malo and Fomalo School |  |  |  | $\times$ | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |  | $c 500$ | 0 | 0 | 300 | 35 | Septembor 7. |
| 16 | Travis Acadomy............ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 20-30 | $\begin{array}{r}500 \\ 1500 \\ \hline\end{array}$ |  | 0 |  | 48 | September 22. |
| 17 | Helena Collogiato Instituto. | $\times$ | $\times$ | + | $\begin{array}{r}0 \\ \times \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 0 | 0 | 75 | ${ }_{30}^{0}$ | 20 0 | 2,500 | 0 | $e 50$ | 0 | 40 | September Monday. |
| 18 | Lowory's Industrial Academy ${ }^{*}$ - ${ }^{\text {a }}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 30-48 |  |  |  | 667 | 20 | September 1. |
| 20 | La Fayotto Malo and Female High School.* | 0 | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | 0 |  |  | 20-40 | 2,000 |  |  | 2,000 | 40 | Sept., 1st Monday. |
| 21 | Cedar Grovo Acadomy ${ }^{*}$......... | 0 |  | 0 |  |  |  |  |  | 30-50 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 22 | German Evangolical Luthoran School. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 10 | 8,000 |  |  | 350 | 43 | September 1 |
| *From Report of tho Commissioner of Education for 1883-'84. <br> a A vorage charco. |  |  |  |  |  |  | $b$ Charge for a month. <br> o Value of grounds and buildings. |  |  |  |  | $d$ Includos board. <br> $e$ Income from salo of mulberry trees and silk-worm egges. |  |  |  |  |




Table VI．－Statistics of institutions for sccondary instruction for 1884－85，\＆．c．－Continued．

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| 2,000 | 40 | September 1. |
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| 600 | 40 | November 12. |
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| 263 | Torest Home Instituto | $\times$ |  | $\times$ | $\times$ |
| 264 | Madison Malo High So |  |  |  |  |
| 265 | Temperance Hill High School* | 0 | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ |
| 206 | Mariotta High School (Malo) * |  |  |  |  |
| 267 | Marshallvillo High School*. |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |
| 268 | Maysville Instituto. |  |  |  |  |
| 269 | Milner IIigh School $c$ |  |  |  |  |
| 270 | Arterberry's Acadomy |  |  |  |  |
| 271 | Mouroe ILighl School. |  |  |  | $\times$ |
| 272 | Montezuma Male and Femalo Institute. |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |
| 273 | Spalding Seminary ................ | 0 | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ |
| 274 | Morganton Acadomy |  |  |  |  |
| 5 | Sibley Institute c... |  |  |  |  |
| 276 | Monntvillo $\Lambda$ cademy | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 277 | Mt. Zion Seminary | $\times$ |  | $\times$ | $\times$ |
| 278 | Newnan Malo Sominary | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 270 | Georgia School of Language, Science, and Art. | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |
| 280 | Erinkloy Academy * |  | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ |
| 281 | Norwood Acadomy |  |  | $\times$ | $\times$ |
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| 1. | Honston Male and Vomalo Colloge |  | $\times$ |  | $\times$ |
| 285 | Pine Log Masonic Institute ${ }^{\text {c }}$. |  |  |  |  |
| 28 | Powder Springs High School |  | $\times$ | 0 | 0 |
| $37$ | Powelton Male and Fomale School | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 88 | Putnam ITigh School |  |  |  |  |
| 289 | Rabun Gap Instituto $h$ |  |  |  |  |
| 290 | Reynolds Male and Female Institute.* |  |  |  | $\times$ |
| 291 | Reynoldsvillo Academy | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 2 | Mt. Vernon Institute** |  |  |  | $\times$ |
| 293 | North Geargia Normal Collog | 0 | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ |
| 4 | Rome Academy*.. |  |  |  |  |
| 295 | Alex. Stephens Somi |  |  |  |  |
| 296 | Roswell Acadomy* | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |
| 297 | Rutledge High School ${ }^{\text {d }}$ | 0 |  |  |  |
| 298 | Sandorsville High School |  |  |  |  |
| 299 | Beach Instituto |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |
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| 849 | Somerville Seminary ... | 0 | $x$ $\times$ $\times$ | 0 $\times$ | $\times$ |  |  | 200 |  | 32-100 | *12, 200 |  |  | 1,300 | 40 | September 14. |
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| 854 | Albany Academy. | 0 | x | $\times$ | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | 1,256 | 0 | 20-88 | 96, 337 | 5,634 | f235 | 16,000 | 40 | Sept., 2d Monday. |
| 855 | Albany Female A cademy | $\times$ | $\times$ | $x$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |  |  | 24-96 |  |  |  |  | 39 | Srptember 16 |
| 856 | St. Elizabeth's A cademy* |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |  |  | 300 | 26 | 150 | 30, 000 |  |  | 10, 050 | 40 | Sept., lst Monday. |
| 857 | Ainenia Seminary .... | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $x$ | $x$ | $\times$ | 2,300 |  | 21-50 | 26, 000 |  |  |  | 39 | Suptember 15. |
| 858 | Amsterdam A cademy and Ladies' Seminary. | 0 | $\times$ | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 500 | 0 | 47 | 36,650 | 0 | 0 | 2,316 | 30 | September 4. |
| 859 | Ives Seminary*. ..................... | $\times$ | $\times$ | $x$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $x$ | 584 | 80 | 27 | 33, 000 | 5,800 | 300 | 2,270 | 39 | Augnst 25. |
| 860 | Areyle Academy |  |  |  |  | 0 | $\times$ | 956 |  | 20-30 | 3,75) |  |  | 810 | 40 | Septomber 1. |
| 861 | (Jayuga Lake Military Acadony* | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 3,600 |  | c350 | 50,000 |  |  |  | 40 | September 10. |
| 862 | Park Place School for Young Ladies. |  |  | $x$ | $\times$ | 0 |  | d200 |  | 30 | 10,000 |  |  | 1,800 | 40 | September 11. |
| 863 | Bedford Acarlemy |  | $x$ |  | $x$ | $\times$ | $x$ | 0 | 0 | 28, 40 | 4,500 | 0 | 0 | 800 | 40 | September 7. |
| 864 | Union Academy of Bel |  |  | $x$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $x$ | 1, 411 | 9 | 36 | 24, 249 | 27, 000 | 1,600 | 1,754 | 39 | September 1. |
| 865 | Binghamton Institute. |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | $\times$ | 270 |  | b32 |  |  |  | 700 | 40 | Sept., 1st Monday. |
| 860 | Bridgehampton Literary and Commereial Iustitnte.* | 0 | 0 | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 80 | 0 | 30 | 3,670 |  |  | 718 | 36 | July 2. |
| 867 | Adelphi Academy* - ................ | $x$ | $\times$ | 0 | 0 | $x$ | $x$ | 2, 000 | 390 | 40-160 | 200, 000 | 0 | 0 | 68, 187 | 40 | September 10. |
| 888 | Christiansen Insfitute | $\times$ |  | $\times$ | $\times$ |  |  |  |  | 32-100 |  |  |  |  | 40 | Septembor. |
| 869 | College ( rammar School* | 0 |  | 0 | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | 500 |  | 60-120 |  |  |  |  | 40 | september. |
| 870 | Euglish, German, and French School for Young Ladies and Children. | $\times$ | $\times$ | $x$ | 0 | 0 | $x$ |  |  | 64-150 | 35, 000 |  |  |  | 40 | October 1. |
| 871 | Female Institute of the Visitation. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 872 | French-American School |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 |  |  |  | 40-100 | *15, 000 |  |  |  | 40 | September 14. |
| 673 | Friends' School |  | $\times$ |  |  |  |  |  |  | 40-60 |  |  |  |  |  | September 15. |
| 874 | Prospect Park Collogiate School for Young Itadies. |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |  | x |  |  | b125 | 20,000 |  |  | 4,020 | 40 | Scptewbor 16. |
| 875 | Prospect Park Institu |  | $\times$ | 0 | 0 | 0 | $x$ |  |  | 60-120 |  |  |  | 1,611 | 38 | September 15. |
| 876 | Heathcoto Sclool.. | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 40-150 | 15, 000 | 0 | 0 | 5, 000 | 40 | Sept., 1st Monday. |
| 877 | Tho Hoflmau School* |  | $\times$ | $\times$ |  | $\times$ | 0 |  |  | 40-90 |  |  |  | 3, 180 | 40 | September 10. |
| 878 | Holy Angels' A cadem | x |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 708 | 108 | 150 | 100, 000 | 0 | 0 | 12, 952 | 40 | Sept. 1st Monday. |
| 879 | St. Joseph's Colloge |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Scptember 1. |
| 880 | Fort Hill School | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | d1,500 | 20 | 75 | 16, 000 | 0 | 0 | 6, 281 |  | September 17. |
| 881 | Canisteo A cadomy |  |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 425 |  | 24 | 17,500 |  |  | 2,450 | 39 | Suptomber 2. |
| 882 | D:ew Seminary and Femalo College. | $\times$ | $\times$ | $x$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | x | 3,000 | .- | c250, 300 | 40,000 |  |  | ............. | 38 | September 9. |
| 883 | Chappaqua Mountain Institute*.. | $\times$ |  | 0 | $\times$ | $x$ | $\times$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 884 | Cherry Valloy $A$ cademy* | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 |  | 9-25 | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | 760 | 40 | October 1. |
| 885 | Cincinnatus Acmulemy | 0 | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | $\times$ | 500 |  | 16\% ${ }^{2}$-24 | 5,000 |  |  | 981 |  | July 1. |
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| 1221 | Corsica Classical and Normal lu－ stitute． |  | ＋ |  | $\times$ | 0 | 0 | 142 | 59 | \＄20， 21 |  |  |  | \＄350 |  |  |
| ${ }_{1223}^{122}$ |  |  | $\times$ | ${ }^{\times}$ | ${ }_{0}$ | 0 $\times$ $\times$ | 0 $\times$ | 400 | 100 | （ $\begin{array}{r}20-32 \\ a 24-30\end{array}$ |  |  |  | 800 600 | 40 43 | Sept，1st．Monday． |
| 1224 | Chester Valley Academy | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |  | $\times$ <br> $\times$ <br> $\times$ | － 650 | 130 | b200－260 | \＄25， 000 | \＄10，000 | \＄600 | 600 6,000 |  | Soptember 1. September 9. |
| 1225 | Doylestown Seminary ．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 0 | $\stackrel{ }{\times}$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | ＋ | 410 | 0 | －40－60 | 12， 000 |  | 0 | 4， 000 | 38 | Sept．， 2 d week |
| 1226 | Clderaridgo Classical aud Nomal Academy． |  |  | $\times$ |  |  |  | 1，009 |  | 22， 32 | c3， 000 |  |  | （i6） | 40 | Sopr．，lat Monday． |
| 1227 | Erio Academy | 0 | $\times$ |  |  |  | $\times$ |  |  | 15－30 | 50， 000 | 18，000 | 1， 100 | 2，949 |  |  |
| 1 128 | St．Benodict＇s A cadeu |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |  | 0 | 430 |  |  | 4， 000 |  |  | 4，090 | 42 | Soptember： |
| ${ }_{1} 129$ | Keystone Academy | $\times$ |  | $\times$ | ${ }^{\times}$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 2， 200 | 200 | 30 | 50，000 |  |  |  | 40 | August 25. |
| 1231 | Frionds＇School． |  | $x$ | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |  | 25－50 |  |  |  | 1，404 | 40 | Soptember 14. |
| 1232 | Greenshnrg Semimary | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | 0 | 1，200 | 0 | 40 | 25，000 | 0 | 0 | 4，000 | 40 | Sept．，1st Wedn＇y． |
| 1233 | Abington Friends＇Scho | $\times$ | $\times$ |  |  | 0 |  | 24 |  | a12 | ＊50， 000 |  | 1，000 | ：312 | 44 | Septomber 1. |
| 1234 | Eelectle Institute＊ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\stackrel{x}{x}$ | $\times$ | 0 | $\stackrel{\times}{0}$ | 150 | 0 | 20－50 | 30， 000 |  |  | 1，200 | 40 | September 1. |
| 1236 |  |  | x <br> $\times$ <br> $\times$ | ${ }_{0}^{\times}$ | 0 | $\stackrel{\times}{0}$ | 0 | 100 |  | $d 30$ $40-60$ |  |  |  | 1， 100 | 40 | September－ |
| 1297 | Martin Acallemy |  | $\times$ |  |  | $\times$ | $\stackrel{\times}{\times}$ |  |  | 4－19！ | 3，000 | 15， 000 | 600 | 1,005 <br> 964 | 30 | Sept．，1st Monday． Septomber 14. |
| 1238 |  | $\times$ | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  | 0 | 12－15 | 6， 000 |  |  | ， 250 | 20 | October． |
| 1239 | Buckingham＇＇riouds＇School＊ |  |  |  |  |  |  | 212 | 11 |  |  |  |  |  | 35 | Kept．，1st Monday－ |
| 1241 | Lindea Mall Scminary |  | ＋ | $\times$ | $x$ | $\stackrel{\times}{\times}$ | $\times$ | 3，600 | 100 | 2250 | 6，500 | 4，400 | 220 | 700 | 40 | Soptrinber 1 ． |
| 1242 | London Giove Friends＇Sckool．．．． |  |  |  |  | 0 | 0 |  |  | 24 | ＊2， 000 |  |  |  | 32 | Scpt．，2l week． |
| 1243 | St．Aloyshas Acarlomy＊ |  |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | $\times$ | 700 |  | b200 |  |  |  |  | 40 | Sicptember 1. |
| 1241 | Stone Valley A cademy ．．．．．．．．．．．． | 0 | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | $\times$ | 38 |  | 233 |  | 0 | 0 |  | 39 | Neptember 1. |
| 1340 | St．Joneph＇s Acadony for Young Ladies． | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | x |  |  |  |  | b150 |  |  |  |  | 40 | Sept．，1st Mouday． |

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|  | Juniata Collegiate Institute and Indian Training School. |  |
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| 1247 | Swithin C. Shortlidge's Media seadomy for Boys.* | x |
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| 1249 | Westorn Pemsylvania Classieal and Scientifio Instituto. | $\times$ |
| 1250 | Laird Institnto | 0 |
| 1251 | Nazareth Hall | 0 |
| 1252 | Union Seminary | $\times$ |
| 1253 | Bloomfteld Academ |  |
| 1254 | MeElwain Instituto ${ }^{*}$ | 0 |
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| 1264 | Aldino Instituto* | $\times$ |
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| 1263 | Classieal Instituto .-.---........... | 0 |
| 1269 | Friends' Central High School (boys' deprartment). | $\times$ |
| 1270 | Frionds' Central School (girls' dopartivent). |  |
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| 1272 | Girard Colloge for Orphans**.... | $\times$ |
| 1273 | L. V. Smith's School for Young Ladies and Children.* $h$ |  |
| 1274 | Mt. St. Joseph Acaderny | $\times$ |
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| 1490 | Bothel Clessical and Military Academy. | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | 1,500 | 50 | 60 | 925,000 |  |  | \$5,000 | 38 | September 17. |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1491 \\ & 1492 \end{aligned}$ | Abingdon District Migh School $b$.- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1,200 |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1493 \\ & 1493 \end{aligned}$ | Bowling Green Femalo Seminary*- | x $\times$ - | $\times$ | $\times$ <br> $\times$ <br> $\times$ | $\stackrel{x}{\times}$ | 0 | $\times$ | 125 |  | $30-100$ $36-40$ | 8, ${ }^{\text {1,000 }}$ |  |  | 2,000 | 36 | Sept., 1st, Wedn'y. |
| 1494 | Pantops Acadeny**................... | - | $\times$ | $\times$ | + | 0 | $\times$ | 2,000 | 50 |  | 25,000 2500 |  |  |  | 40 | Sept., $2 d$ Mouday. |
| 1495 | Thyno Institute |  | $\times$ | $\times$ |  | 0 | 0 | ${ }^{2} 300$ | 125 | 0 | -6, 000 |  |  |  | 36 | Sept., 1st Monday. |
| 1496 | Shenandoah Institut |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 400 | 18 | 121-291 | 7, 500 | \$0 |  |  | 39 | Soptember 8. |
| 1498 | Gordonsvil!o Femalo Co | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 18 | 1,000 | 0 |  | 9, 000 | 36 | September. |
| 1499 | Herndon Seminary. |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |  |  |  |  | 15-30 | 10,000 |  |  | 800 |  | September. Soptember 15. |
| 1500 | Locust Dolo Acaderny | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  | 8, 000 | 0 |  | 80 | 36 | Septrmber 15. |
| 1501 | Louisa Female Semimat |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |  |  |  |  | 18 | 5, 000 |  |  |  | 31 | September. |
| 1503 | Lonisa, Home school | $\times$ |  | $\times$ $\times$ $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 $\times$ |  |  | 20-50 | 5,000 | 0 |  | 1,660 | 40 | Sept., 1st Monday. |
| 1504 | Mt. Wr-leome Iligh School... |  |  |  |  |  | $\times$ | 300 | ... | d200 |  |  |  | 1,600 825 | 36 | Scptembrr 1. |
| 150.5 | Norfolle Academy ... .-......... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |  | 40-90 |  |  |  |  | 40 | Sept, last Wedn'y. |
| 1506 1507 | Nortoik Mission College-.......... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 42 | 27, 000 |  |  | 600 | 36 | Sept., 1st Monday. |
| 1507 | orientine and literary Inst:tuto.* |  |  |  |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | 3,000 |  | c5\% | 10, 000 |  |  |  | 40 | September. |
| 1508 | Acadnmy of the Yiaitation, Monte Maria | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | 0 | 1,567 |  | $d^{2} 20$ | 45, 000 |  |  |  | 42 | Sept., 1st Monday. |
| 1509 |  | 0 | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | $\times$ | 180 |  | 8 | 30, 000 | 0 |  | 393 | 32 | Soptember 30. |
| 1510 |  |  |  |  |  | 0 | 0 | 3, 3300 |  | 5 30 | 30,000 | 55, 000 |  |  | 36 | October 1. |
| 1512 | Sumbis - whewiate lustitnte ${ }^{*}$..... | x | $x$ | + | + |  | $\times$ | 300 |  | 19-49 | 4,000 |  |  |  | 36 39 | October |
| 1513 | E-¢mk Sitany Acaulemy ......... | $\times$ |  | 0 | - | 0 | $\times$ |  |  | $40-70$ | 3,000 |  |  | 1,400 | 30 | Soptember 21. |


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$f$ Free to those studying for the ministry
$g$ Superseded June 25,1885 ，by Sioux Fralls University．



| 4 | Ibrnington F＇emato It | 0 | 0 |  | $\times$ |
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| 1515 | Priacolbdward $\Lambda$ eademy | $\times$ |  |  | $\times$ |
| 1516 | Trinity Inall Fomalo Colleg | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |
| 1517 | Chariestown Malo வeadomy | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1518 | $\Lambda$ catemic department of Storer Collogo． | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |
| 1519 | Tandolph Male Aeademy | 0 | 0 | $\times$ | $x$ |
| 1520 | Morcrantown Fomalo Semi |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |
| 1521 | Shelton Collogo＊ |  |  |  |  |
| 1522 | Sernin Collogiato Instituto |  | x | $\times$ | x |
| 1523 | Albion Academy and Normal In－ stitute．＊ | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |
| 1524 | Evansvillo Seminar |  |  | $x$ | $\times$ |
| ． 1595 | Merrillo Institute＊ |  |  |  |  |
| 1526 | Colloge of tho Mission II |  | X | $\times$ | $\times$ |
| 1527 | Lako Goneva Sominary |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |
| 1528 | St．Regrinia Academy |  | X |  |  |
| 1529 | St．Lawrence College | $\times$ | $\times$ | x | X |
| 1530 | St．Mary＇s C＇atholic Sehool＊ | $x$ | $\times$ | x | $\times$ |
| 1531 | All Saints＇＇＇athedral Schoo | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | 0 |
| 1532 | Concorclia Colloge |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | $x$ |
| 1583 | English，German，and French School． |  | X |  | $\times$ |
| 1534 | Gorman and English $\Lambda$ | $\times$ | $x$ | $x$ | 0 |
| 15.35 | Marquetto Collogo＊ | 0 | 0 | $\times$ |  |
| 1536 | St．Maxy＇s Convorst Da | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | x |
| 1597 | St．Mary＇s Instituto | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |
| 1538 | William Schleif＂s Seloct Sel | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | 0 |
| 1539 | Oeonomowoe Seminary |  |  |  |  |
| 1540 | Collego and University of tho Sacred IIerart．＊ | $\times$ | X | $\times$ | x |
| 1541 | St．Mary＇s Instilute | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |
| 1542 | Tho Homae School． | $\times$ | $x$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |
| 1543 | St．Cathrarino＇s Fensal | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |
| 1544 | Rochester Sieminary | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |
| 1545 | Seminary of St．Francis of Sal |  |  | $\times$ | $\times$ |
| 1516 | Institnto of the Moly Family ．．．．． |  |  | $\times$ | $\times$ |
| 1547 | University of Our Lady of tho Sacred líeart． |  |  | $\times$ | $\times$ |
| 1548 | Carroll（＇ollego Leademy＊ |  |  | $\times$ | $x$ |
| 1549 | Angrstana Collore |  |  | $\times$ | $\times$ |
| 1550 | St．Joseph＇s $\Delta$ cadorny |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |
| 1551 | St．Bernard＇s Ursulino Conve | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |
| 1552 | Dakota Collogiate Institateg | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |
| 1553 | Aeadeiny of the Itoly（＇ross＊．．．．．． | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |
| 1551 | Aeademy of the Sacred Heart of Mary． | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |
| ＊From Report of the Conmissioner of Edncation for 1883－＇84． a＇Tho Yeates＇Schools aro about six miles apart；thoy have tho same buard of trustees，and are smpported by private endow－ |  |  |  |  |  |

Tablef VI．－Statistics of institutions for sccondary instruction for 1884－＇85，\＆．－Continned．

|  | Namo． | Is drawing taight？ |  | Is inusic taught？ |  |  |  | Library． |  |  | Property，income，\＆c． |  |  |  |  | Scholastic year begine－ |
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|  | 且 | 19） | ［26 | 20 | 22 | 883 |  | 29 | 26 | 37 | 25 | 39 | （21） | 818 | ：32 | ：3：3 |
| 1555 | Academy of the Visitation |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 1，000 |  | \＄60－100 |  |  |  |  | 40 | September 15. |
| 1556 | Arlington $\Lambda$ cademy ．．．．．．． | $\times$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 60－100 |  |  |  |  | 40 | Sept．， 21 Monday． |
| 1557 | Boys＇English and Classical IIigh School．＊ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 84 |  |  |  | \＄1， 000 | 40 | Sept．，1st Mouday |
| 1558 | Church School for Young Ladies＊． | $\times$ |  | $\times$ | $\times$ |  |  | 309 |  | 36－C4 |  |  |  |  | 40 | Sept．，last week． |
| 1559 | Eclectic Sominary ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ |  | 0 | $\times$ | 0 | 0 | $32-80$ |  |  | \＄0 |  | 40 | Srpt．，2d week． |
| 1560 | Friends＇Select School | 0 | $\times$ | 0 | 0 | $\times$ | $\stackrel{\times}{ }$ | 400 | 200 | 50－104 | \＄10， 000 |  |  |  | 40 | September 14. |
| 1561 | MoDonald－Ellis Schoo | $\times$ | $\stackrel{\times}{\times}$ | $\stackrel{\times}{\times}$ | $\times$ | 0 $\times$ $\times$ | $\times$ | $\begin{array}{r}800 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 300 | 60－100 | 30， 000 |  | 0 | 8，000 | 37 | Sept．，3d Wedn＇y． |
| 1562 | Mt．Vernon Seminary |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 1，000 |  | 100 |  |  |  |  | 36 | Soptember 30. |
| 1563 | The Norwood Female Institute＊ |  | － | 0 | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | 1， 000 |  | 100 |  |  |  |  | 36 40 | Soptember 26. |
| 1564 | Rittenhouse Academy | 0 | 0 | ＋ $\times$ $\times$ | $\times$ $\times$ $\times$ | 0 0 | $\times$ $\times$ $\times$ |  |  | 100 $12-43$ | 5， 250 |  |  | 2，350 | 40 | Sept，3i Monday． |
| 1566 | St．John＇s Collegiate Institute． | $\times$ | $\times$ |  |  | $\times$ | ＋ | 3，500 | ．．．－ | 55 | 100， 000 |  |  | 8，000 | 40 | Sept．，1st Monday． |
| 1567 | Washington Collogiato Institute．． | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 200 |  | 40－80 |  |  |  |  | 28 | Septcmber 23. |
| 1568 | Waverleg Seminary | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |  |  | 500 |  | 40－80 |  |  |  |  |  | September 24. |
| 1569 | West Emul Seminary |  |  |  | $\times$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 40 | Sopt．， 2 d Monday． |
| 1570 | Lewis Collegiate Instituto | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | 0 | 1，000 |  | 30－45 | 20， 000 |  | 0 | 1， 100 | 40 | September9． |
| 1571 | Armstrong Orphan School |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 40 | Sept．，1st Mondiay． |
| 1572 | Harroll Infernational Instituto |  |  | $\times$ | $\times$ |  |  |  |  | 20 | 15， 000 |  |  |  | 40 | Scpt．，1st Monday． |
| 1573 | Indian University |  |  | $\times$ | $\times$ |  |  | 500 | 200 | 18 | 25， 000 |  |  | 372 | 36 | Scptember 7. |
| 157.4 | Spencer Academy－．．．．．．．．．． |  |  | $\times$ |  | 0 | 0 | 500 | 200 |  | 18，000 |  |  |  | 42 | Sent．，1st Monday． |
| 1575 | New Itopo Femalo Seminary a |  |  |  |  |  |  | 300 |  |  | 16，000 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1576 | Cherokee Fomale Scminary＊．．．．．． | $\times$ | $\stackrel{\times}{+}$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | $\times$ | 600 1,000 |  | 0 | 100， 000 |  |  | 0 | 36 | Sept．，1st Monday． |
| 1577 1578 | Chorokeo National Male Sominary |  | $\times$ $\times$ $\times$ |  |  |  | $\stackrel{\times}{0}$ | 1,000 200 | 100 | 14－22 | 150,000 15,000 |  |  | 1，400 | 36 40 | Sept．，1st Mouday． |
| 1579 | Wheeloek Sominary． | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ $\times$ $\times$ | $\times$ $\times$ $\times$ | 0 |  | 700 |  | 14－22 | 10， 500 |  |  | 1，460 | 40 | September 2. |
| 1580 | St．Nicholes Acadomy＊ |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |  |  | 100 | 20 |  |  |  |  |  | 40 | September 1. |
| 1581 | Lis V Vegaa Acaderay |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | $\times$ | 25 |  | 15－30 | 15， 000 |  |  | 1，500 | 688는 | Augast 31. |


| Las Vogas Colloge <br> Las Vogas Fomalo Sominary a | $x$ | $x$ | $x$ |  |  | $x$ | 3,500 | 120 | 30 | 9,000 |  |  |  | 40 | Septomber 15. |
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| Tho Albuquerque $\Lambda$ eademy ${ }^{*}$. | $\times$ | $\times$ | $x$ | $\times$ | 0 | $\times$ | 90 | 12 | 25 | 8,000 | 0 | 0 | 2, 260 | 36 | Sept., 1st Monday. |
| Academy of Onr Lady of Ligh |  | $\times$ | $x$ | $x$ |  |  |  |  | b:00 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Chrlatian Brothors' College. | 0 | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | 1,350 | 50 | 20-30 | 15, 000 | 0 | 0 |  | 40 | Scpt., 1st Monday. |
| Santa ló 1 cadomy* - | 0 |  | 0 |  | 0 | 0 | 100 | 75 | 30 | 3,000 | 0 |  | 1,200 | 40 | Septamber. |
| Willinrd Academy* |  |  |  |  |  |  | 75 |  |  | 5,040 |  |  |  | 38 | Suptmber 1. |
| Hooper Freo Sohool |  |  |  |  |  |  | 75 | 40 | 0 | 2,600 |  |  |  | 40 | September 1. |
| Brigham Young Colleg |  |  | $\times$ | $\times$ |  |  |  |  | 18-36 |  |  |  |  | 36 | Septorber |
| Cacho Vnlley Sominary |  |  |  |  |  |  | 500 |  | 10-30 | 6, 500 |  |  | 100 | 40 | Sept, 1st Monday. |
| Walnsateh $\Lambda$ eademy .. |  |  |  |  |  |  | 0 |  | 3-6 | c3, 200 |  |  | 100 | 38 | Septembor 1. |
| Ogden $\Lambda$ cademy* |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 5-10 | [5,000 |  |  | 250 | 40 | Sept., 1st Monday. |
| School ol' tho Good Shephord |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 12,200 |  |  |  | 49 | Sept., 1st Monday. |
| Prark City Seminary. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 9 | 1,910 |  |  | 200 | $: 6$ | Jan., 1st Monday. |
| Brighan Young Academy | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |  |  | 40 |  |  |  | 200 | 40 | Angrist 10. |
| Provo Seminary .... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 8,12 | 3, 000 |  |  | 185 | 40 | Scpit., 1at Mronday. |
| The Jones High Schoor |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 20-33 |  |  |  |  |  | Sept., |
| Rovenud Itall. | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | $\times$ | 700 |  | 40-48 | 16,000 |  |  | 6, 369 | 40 | Sept., lst Wedn'y. |
| St. Mark's School | $\times$ | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | $\times$ | 1,317 | 119 | 20-36 | 24,000 | 500 | 40 | 1,250 | 40 | Sopt., 1st Monday. |
| Salt Iake 1 cademy |  |  |  |  |  |  | 450 | 10 | 25, 32 | 45,250 |  |  | 3,900 | 38 | Sept., 1st Monday. |
| Salt Lake Collogiato In |  |  |  |  |  |  | 200 | 0 | 20-40 | - 15,200 |  |  | 3,000 | 40 | September 1. |
| Salt Lake Seminary |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 20-40 | c75, 000 |  |  | 1, 1,0 | 49 |  |
| Alden Acadomy* .. | $\times$ |  | $\times$ | $\stackrel{ }{ }$ | 0 | 0 | 150 | 10 | 24 | 600 | 0 | 0 | 295 | 36 | Scpt., 2d Wedn'y. |
| Graco Seminary |  | 0 |  | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |  |  | d1,200 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Bonj. P. Chenoy $\Lambda$ cadom |  | $\times$ |  |  | 0 | $\times$ | 300 | 5 | $e 24$ | 7,000 | 1,000 | 100 | 3,000 | 36 | September 1. |
| Colliax 4 cadomy | 0 | $x$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | 0 | 50 | 43 | 30 | 2,000 | 0 | 0 | 1,750 | 36 | Scptember 7. |
| Colville Indian Industrial Boardlng School for Boys.* |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 40 | September 1. |
| Goldendale Academy.. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Washiugton Seminary | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\mathrm{f}^{7}$ | 3, 000 | 9,000 | 9 | 493 | 36 | Septomber 16. |
| Chehalis Valley Acadomy | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | 0 |  | 0 | 24 | 4,000 |  | 0 |  |  | Sopt., 2d Vedn'y. |
| Stollacoom Normul Academy |  |  |  |  |  |  | 800 |  | 27 | 1,200 |  |  |  | 36 |  |
| Sumner Aculemy |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Annie Wright Semina |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | - |  |  | 200 | 200 | 20-50 |  | 50,000 | 3,000 | 4,000 | 40 | Sopt., 1st Tlinrs. |
| Holy Angels' College | 0 | $\times$ | $\stackrel{\times}{x}$ |  | 0 | 0 | 1,000 | 35 | 15-30 | 100, 000 | 0 | 0 | 750 | 43 | September 1. |
| St. Piul't School. | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ |  |  | $\times$ | 1, 000 | 50 | 20-50 | 12, 000 | 0 | 0 |  | 40 | September 10. |
| St. Mary's School ${ }^{\text {c }}$ |  |  | $\times$ |  | 0 | 0 |  |  | 11 |  |  |  |  |  | Sept., 1st Monday. |
| From Report of the Commissioner of Education for 1883-'84. $a$ These statisties are for the yoar 1883-'81. <br> $b$ Inchudes board. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | c Value of gromnds and buildings. d Value of grounds. |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { verag } \\ & \text { harge } \end{aligned}$ | charge. or a term. |

[^98]TABLE VI.-List of institutions for secondary instruction from which no information has been received.

| N | Locatio | Nam | Location |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Male High School <br> Austin Institate. <br> Forest City School. <br> Harrison Ácademy <br> Edward Smith College. <br> Newport Academy <br> Prairie Grove Academy <br> St. Mary's Hall <br> Convent of Mary Immaculato <br> Napa Ladies' Seminary. <br> Sacramento Home School.... | Dadeville, Ala. <br> Austin, Ark. <br> Forest City, Ark. <br> Harrison, urk. <br> Littlo Rock, Ark. <br> Newport, Ark. <br> Prairie Grove, Ark. <br> Benicia, Cal. <br> Gilroy, Cal. <br> Napa, Cal. <br> Sacramento, Cal. <br> (HI st., bet. 13th and 14 th$)$. | St. Joseph's Academy Pettengill Scminary Spicewood Graded School | Galesbarg, 111. Peoria, Ill. |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Bager's Corn |
|  |  | St Joseph's Academy |  |
|  |  |  | Evansville, Ind. <br> Fort Wajue, Ind. |
|  |  | St. Joseph's Academy <br> St. Augustine's School |  |
|  |  | The Hadley and Roberts Academy. | Indianapolis, Ind. (410 N. Pennsylvania st.). |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Indianapolis A cademy St. Ignatius Academy Academy of Our Lady of Angels. | Indianapolis, Ind. La Fayette, Ind. Madison, Ind. |
|  |  |  |  |
| Sacramento Semi | Sacramento, Cal. <br> San Francisco, Cal. (1534 Missionst.). Denver, Colo. | Blue River Academy <br> St. Paul's Academy. <br> St. Paul's Grammar School .. | Salem, Ind. <br> Valparaiso, Ind. <br> Valparaiso, Ind. |
|  |  |  |  |
| St. Mary's Academy of the Sisters of Loretto. |  | St. Simon's A cademy .........St. Mary's Academy . . | Washington, Ind. Acklay, Iowa. |
|  | Denver, Colo. |  |  |
|  | Bridgeport, Conn. Greenwich, Conn. Hartford, Conn. Lyme, Conn. | Blairstown Academy ......... | Blairstown, Iowa. |
| reenwich Academy |  | St. Francis Academy for Young Ladies. | Council Bluffs, |
| minary of Mt. St. Jose |  |  |  |
| Mrs. Robert II. Griswold School |  | Preparatory and Normal School. | Io wa City, Iowa. |
| oung La | Middletown, Conn. Stamford, Conn. Stratford, Conn. Stratford, Conn. | Howe's Academy and Teachers' Instituto. | rt Pleasant, Iowa |
| tts Military |  |  |  |
| nglish and Classical Sch |  | German Evangelical Lath. eran School. <br> Ainsworth Grammar and High School. <br> Wilton Academy | Sherrill's Mount, Iowa. <br> West Union, Iowa. |
| Ladies. |  |  |  |
|  | Faulkland, Del. <br> Laurel, Del. <br> Milford, Del. <br> Wilmington, Del. <br> Milton, Fla. |  |  |
| aurcl Select |  |  | Wilton Junction, |
|  |  |  |  |
| unby Academy |  | Wluton \#irh | arboursvi |
| nta Rosa Academy |  | Elkton High School .......... |  |
| cademy of the Sacre dairsville Hioh Sch | Pa'atka, Fla. Adairsville, Ga. Albany, Ga. Augnsta, Ga. Bartow Iron Works, Ga. | Eminence Male and Female academy. | minence, Ky. |
| ys' High School |  | St. Aloysius Academy ....... | Frankfort, Ky. <br> Frankfort, Ky. <br> Harrisburg, Ky. <br> Hodgenville, Ky. |
| Summerville Aca |  |  |  |
| Union Academy <br> Tackson Academy |  | Harrisbarg High Sck |  |
|  |  | Hodgenville Seminary....... <br> Christian College |  |
| - | Belleview, Ga. Blackshear, Ga. Calhoun, Ga. Calhoun, Ga. Cave Spring, Ga. | High School ....................... | Larue, Ky. |
| Calhoun Academy |  | Loretto Academy <br> Marion Academy ................. |  |
| Mirs. Field's sielec |  |  | Marion, K. v . Mayfield, Ky. Now Castle, Ky. |
| Cave Spring Female nary of Hearn School. |  | Mayfield Seminary ........... Henry Male and Female Col- |  |
| earn Manual La | Cave Spring, Ga. Cedartown, Ga. Columbus, Ga. Decatur, Ga. Forsyth, Ga. | loge. | aris, Ky. |
| edartown High Scl |  |  |  |
| t. Joseph's Academ |  |  |  |
|  |  | Feliciana Female Collegiate Institute. | Bayou Sara, La. (W. Feliciana parish). |
| Forsyth Male and Female Institute. |  |  |  |
| Fort Valley Female nary. | Fort Valley, Ga. | St. Katharine's Hall . . . . . . . . | New Orleans, La. (234 Jackson st.). New Orleans, La. (Orleans st.). Opelousas, La. |
| Grecnsbo | Greensborough, Ga. <br> Hawkinsville, Ga. <br> Jasper, Ga. <br> Jeffersonville, Ga. <br> Monroe, Ga. | Mary's Academy |  |
| kiper |  | St. Joseph's Day and Boarding Academy for Young Ladics of Color. |  |
| asper Institute |  |  |  |
| uburn Institu |  |  | New Orleans, La. (Orleans st.). Opelousas, La. |
| Johnston Male Institnte. |  | Miss Sargent's Boarding and |  |
| Stonewall Sch | Morven, Ga. Newnan, Ga. Newnan, Ga. | Entaw Place School .......... | Baltimore, Míd. (1338 Eutaw place). |
| ewnan Semip |  |  |  |
| Southern In |  | Fran | altim |
| Female |  | Select School for Girls and Boys. <br> Southern Home School |  |
| Mercer High Sc | Owensbyville, Ga. <br> Penfield, Ga. <br> Philomath, Ga. <br> Pistol, Ga. <br> Quitman, Ga. <br> Rock Mart, Ga. <br> Rome, Ga. <br> Whitesburg, Ga. <br> Zebulon, Ga. <br> Relleville, Ill. |  | Baltimore, Md. 248 <br> N. Carey st.). <br> Baltimoré, Md. (197 <br> N. Charles st.). <br> Catonsville, Md. |
| Philomath Institu |  |  |  |
| Fillis Insti |  |  |  |
| aitman Aca |  | Overlea, Home School for Young Gentlemen. <br> Easton Friends' School |  |
| ock Mart |  |  |  |
| Rome Male High Sc |  |  |  |
| bitesburg Acadomy |  | Eliton Academy ............ | Easton, Md. <br> Elkton, Md. <br> Near Emmitts. <br> burg, Md. |
| Excelsior 4 cadem |  |  |  |
| sastitute of the Conception. |  | St. John's Literary Institute. <br> St. Mary's Female Seminary. | Frederick, Md. <br> St. Mary's City, , Md. <br> Waverly, Md. <br> Belmont, Mass. |
| S. Loring's | Chicago, III. |  |  |
| Young Ladies aren. |  |  |  |
|  | Priendsvillo, 111. | Tamily School for Young Ladies. |  |
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Table VI.-List of institutions for secondary instruction, \&c.-Continued.

| Name. | Location. | Name. | Location. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Manning Higb School <br> New Salem Academy <br> Eliot School | Ipswich, Mass. New Salem, Mass. Nowton Mass. (Nowantum). | Miss Chisholm's School for Girls. <br> Miss Jaudon's Boarding and | New York, N. <br> (718) <br> New Sork |
| Family and Day School for Young Ladies. | Springfield, Mass. | Day School. | (348 |
| St. Joseph's A cademy. ...... | M | Misses Perrin's Young La- | New York, N. Y. |
| St. Andrew's Academ | S |  | Y |
| M. V. Rork's School | Sherwood, Mic | St. Vincent's F |  |
| St. Boniface A caderuy <br> St. Paul Home School | Hastings, Minn. <br> St. Paul, Minn. (36 Iglehart st.). | School for Toung Ladies and Children. | (P. O., Riverdale). <br> New York, N. Y. <br> ( 54 E. 2 tst st.). |
| Colambas District High School. | Chester, Miss. | Suburban Seminary. | New York, N. Y. (Boston ave and |
| Corinth Female College...... | Corinth, Miss. |  | 167th st.) |
|  | rrstal Springs, Miss. McComb, Miss. |  | New York <br> (2132 Se |
| Moss Point A oademy | Moss Point, Mis | Nazareth Academ | och |
| Okolona Male A cademy | Okolona, Miss. | Irring Instita | Tarrstown, N. T . |
| Pontotoc Male Academy.. |  | Unadila |  |
| Chamberlain Hunt $\Delta$ cadem | Port Gibson, Miss. | West Chester | West |
| Stonewall Female Coll |  |  |  |
| ference of Missouri |  |  |  |
| Oak Ridge High School | , |  | Wy |
| St. Paul's College | alms | School for Young Ladies and | Yo |
| Loomis Select School |  | Brevard Classical |  |
| St. Mary Magdalen S |  | Cary High Schoo |  |
| Brackett Academy | Greenland, | Denver Seminar | ea |
| Lancaster A cademy | Lancaster, N. H. | Union High Scho | as |
| Classical |  | g | alli |
| Home School for Young Ladies. | Bellerille, N | Fremont Institate Woodland A cadem |  |
| Misses Hayward's English | Elizabeth | Greenville A cade |  |
| and French School for Young Ladies. |  | Miss Savaders' Female School Haysville Academy | Greenville, N. C. <br> Harsrill N C |
| St. Agnes' Hall | H | Highland A cademy |  |
| Young Ladies' | Hoboker | Fairfield High Sch | illsbo |
|  | Bloomfie | D |  |
| Waynflete Parsonage School. |  | Pittsborough Scientific A cad. | Pittsboroug |
| Miss Sterenson's French and English Boarding School for Young Ladies and Lit- | Morristown, | emy. <br> Misses Welfare's Private Scbool. | Salem, N. |
| St. Vie Gircent |  | Franklin Academy Warrenton Female Institute. |  |
| Johns |  | Whiteville High |  |
| Passaic Falls Institute | Paterson, N. J. (cor. Market and | Winston Male Academy Ada College | Winston, |
| North Plainfield Sem | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Church sts.). } \\ & \text { Plainfield, } \\ & \text { (bos 341). } \end{aligned}$ | Mit. St. Vincent's Academy .- Goshen Seminary ............ | Cincinnati, Ohio (Cedar Grove). |
| Seminary at Ringoe | Ringoes. N | Steubenville Sem | Steabenrille, Ohi |
| Salem Friends' School | Salem, I | Notre Dame Acade |  |
| Ciristian Brothers' Academy. <br> Alfred University (academic | Albany, N. I. <br> Alfred, N. Y. | Fairriew Academy ........... | Brod headsville Pa. |
| department). <br> Genesee Valles | Bel | Trach's Academy and Commercial School. | Easton, Pa . |
| Brooklyn Hill Collegiate Institute. | Brooklyn, ․ Y. (350 Washington | Hollidaysburg YoungLadies' Seminary. | Hollidaysburg, Pa |
|  |  | Private 4 cade |  |
|  | anandaigua $\Gamma$. | Greenroo Acaden |  |
| Aurora A cademy | East Aurora, ${ }^{\text {N. }}$ I. |  |  |
| Rural Seminary | East Pembroke, N. | Newville Academy........... | Newville, Pa. <br> Fhiladelphia, Pa . |
| linton Liberal |  | You |  |
| osken Institu |  | Friends' School | hila |
|  |  |  |  |
| nesee |  | go | hiladelphia, Pa. ( 1415 Locust st.). |
| Miss Mackie's | Newburg, $\mathrm{N} . \mathrm{I}$ | School for Yoang L | (iladelphia Pa. |
| lies and Children. |  | ng Ladies' Academe and |  |
| Siss Ballow's English and | N | Select School for Child | ( |
| rrench School for Young Ladies. |  | Airy View Academy <br> Selwyn Hall | Port Rojal, Pa. <br> Reading, Pa. |

## List of institutions for secondary instruction, \&.c.-Continued.

| Nam | Lo | Na | Lo |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Scranton, Pa. <br> Sewickley, Pa. <br> Sharon Hill, Pa | Greenville Graded School Sabine Valley University Alexander Institute Paris School | Greenville, Tex. Hemphill, Tex. Filgore, Tex. Paris, Tex. |
|  |  |  |  |
| cademy of the Holy |  |  |  |
| rs |  |  |  |
| Home School for Girls |  |  | San Antonio, Tex. San Marcos, Tex. Savoy, Tex. |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { West Pliladel- } \\ & \text { phia, Pa. ( } 3511 \\ & \text { Hamilton st.). } \end{aligned}$ | High School for Young Ladies Coronal Institute Saroy College |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| Lucretia M. B. Mitchell's School for Girls. <br> Island High School ........... | West Philadclphia, Pa . New Shorcham, R. I. (Block Island). Providence, R. I. | Convent of Notre Dame..... | t. Johnsbury, Vt. <br> Vest Brattloboro', |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | bin |
| Female Acadomy of the Sacred Heart. <br> Friends'Netr England Boarding Schonl. <br> La Salle Academy |  |  |  |
|  | Providence, R.I. | Villanova Academy | Va. <br> Lewinsville, Va. |
|  |  |  |  |
| St. Mary's Young Ladies' <br> scminary. <br> Gowensville Seminary <br> Ashland Institate | ovidence, R.I. | Fairfas Hall <br> St. Mary's Academy. Academy of the Visitation... | Winchester, Va. Charleston, W. Va. |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Gowensrille, S. C. Ashland City, Tenn. <br> Camden, Tenn. Clevcland, Tenn. Clifton, Tean. <br> Docaturville, Tenn. |  | Parkersburg, W. Va. <br> Wheeling, W. Va. |
|  |  | Wheeling Female Academy.. |  |
| Camden Academy. Cleveland Masonic Institute Clifton Masonic Acadcmy ... Decaturville Academy- |  |  |  |
|  |  | Fex Lake Seminary (Academv). |  |
|  |  |  | Merrill, Wis <br> Watcrtown, Wis Spucarfish, Dak. Washington, D. |
|  |  | School (W. H. Pearce). |  |
| Flag Pond Seminary <br> Taylor Institute <br> Martin Academy | Tenn. <br> Flag Pond, Tenn. <br> Jackson, Tenn. | Lutheran' Ladies' Seminary.- |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Jonosborough, Tenn. | Misses Blair an |  |
| Cumberland University School for Girls. <br> Greenwood Seminary <br> Lynchburg Normal. <br> New Male and Femalo Institute. <br> Mason Hich School | Lebanon, Tenn. <br> Lebanon, Tenn. Lsnchburg, Tenn. Lynchlurg, 'Tenn. | Emerson Institute | Washington, D. C. (1308 H st.). <br> Washington, D.C. |
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|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Washington, D. C. ( 1530 I st.). |
|  | Mason, Tenn. <br> Mont Eagle, Tenn. | Academy of the Visitation... |  |
| airmouni... |  |  | West Washington, |
| t. Pleasant Mal male Acadcmy. | Mt. Plea Tenn. | Collegiato Institute for Young Ladies. | D. C. (35th st.). West Washington, |
| reenville Distri | Rheator |  | Test Washington, <br> D. C. (3100 N st. |
| ardin Collcge | Savanam, |  |  |
| ourse semina | Sparta, | West Washington School for Girls. | West |
| University of We |  |  |  |
| Woodbury College <br> Austin College. <br> West Tcxas Confcrence Sem. inary. <br> East Mound Academy | Woodbury, Tenn. <br> Austin, Tex. <br> Austin, Tex. |  |  |
|  |  | St. Vincent's A cademy........ Acadcmy of the Visitation... | Helena, Mont. <br> Las Cruces, N. Mex. |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Corsicana, Tex. | St. John's School. sacred Heart Academy ....... <br> St. Mary's Academy | Logan, Utah. <br> Ogden, Utah. <br> Salt Lake City, <br> Uteh. |
| Academy of theSacred of Mary. |  |  |  |
| dd City | Gay Hill, Tex. Goliad, Tex. | University of Utah.......... |  |
| - |  |  | Salt Laike City,Utah. |
| Jones' Male and F'emale Institate. |  |  |  |

Table Vi.-Memoranda.

| Name. | Iocation. | Remaris. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Richarùson's Scloct School | Mouile, 4 | Closed. |
| Tallatiega Male High School (William | Talladega | Closed; Talladcya Male School (Prof. |
| Park High Schoo | Tuskegee, | ged to Alabama High |
| Litton Springs College | Geyser Springs, Ca | $s$ |
| Napa Collegiate Institu | Napa City | changed to Napa College in |
| Golden Hill Institute and Family Loard̉. ing School. <br> Gildersleeve ITigh School. <br> Eyglish and Classical School $\qquad$ | Bridgenort, Cor | Discontinued. |
|  | Portlan | Post |
|  | Windsor Locks | Closed; former principal is in charge of the Robbins School, Norfolk, Conn. |
| Florida Military Institute | Jacksonville, Fla | Ceased to exist. |
| Mnlberry Grore Academ |  | Suspendcd. |
| Atlanta Baptist Female Seminary Methodist College for Young Lad | Atlanta, G Gainesrill | Name changed to Spelman Seminary. See Table VIII. |
| High School | Greshamvil | See Greshamville Acacemy; identi- |
| St. Mrary's Institute . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | MrLemore, | See St. Mary's Institute, Cedar |
| arietta Institu |  | Not in existence. |
| Monroe Male and | Monroe | Closed. |
| New Hope A cademy | New Hope, | Not in existence. |
| Idle Wild A cadem | Powy Cris | Closed. |
| Bethel A cademy | \%est Point, Ga........ | Not in existenc |
| Ascension School ......................... | Chicago, Ill. (418 La Salle are.). | Closed ; Miss Holmes is now assistant principal of Girls' Higher School, 487 La Salle are. |
| German High School | Chicago | Not found. |
| Chicago Ladies' Seminary | Chicago, Ill | Changed to |
| Heimstreet's Classical Ins | Chicago | Closed. |
| German Lutheran School |  | See Erangel.-Lath. Dreieinigkeits |
| airfeld Collegiate Institate .......... | Fairfield, |  |
| McDonough Normal, Scientific and Commercial Collere. | Macomb | Name changed to Macomb Normal College. |
| Practical Seminary of the Missouri Synod. | Springfield, Il | Not found. |
| Montezuma Collegiate and Normal Institute. | Montezama, In | Closed. |
| Lenox Colle | Fiopkinton | See Table IX. |
| Rirerside Instituto | Lrons, Iov | Close |
| Swedish Lutheran C | Madrid, Io | This college has been proposed, but |
| College of Emporia <br> Lincoln College. | Emporia, Kan | Transferred to Table I |
|  | L | See Kansas Christian College; iden- |
| Colambus College . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | Columbus, KT. | Closed. |
|  | L2 | Absorbed in the Garrard Female College, which is reported in Table VIII. |
| Garrard Female College ................. Louisville Collegiate Institute | Lancaster, $\mathrm{K} y$ | See Table VIII. |
|  | Louisville, Ky......... | Closed; former principal is now in charge of Lonisville Female Collego (Table VIII). |
| La Têche Seminary | La Têcke, I | Name changed to Gilbert Seminary, and post-oimce is now Baldwin. |
| Scharlkill Seminary Dar and Boarding School for Young <br> Ladies and Children. <br> Institute of Languages | Hagerstornn, 1 | No such institution here. |
|  | Boston, Mass. (West Chester park). | Not found. |
|  | Boston, Mass. (Hotel Pellam) | Remored; not found |
| Felician Sisters' Se |  | Elementary in grade |
| The Misses Bacon's School for Young Ladies and Children. | Grand Rapids, | Closed. |
|  | Paw Paw, Mich | Closed. |
| Oak Park Seminary <br> East Mississippi Female College........ | Meridian, Mriss | Transferred to Table VIII. |
| Shoenberger Hall ....................... | Nebraska City, Nebr | Closed |
|  | Fork, Jebr | Superseded bs the Methodist Episco. pal College of Nebraska (see Table IX). |
| Hampstead High School................. <br> Pittsfield Academy | Hampstead, $1 . \mathrm{H}$ | A pablic high school. |
|  | Pittsield, ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | Superseded by a public high school. |
| Prirate School (Miss E. M. Hancock) <br> Blair Presbjterial Academy............. |  |  |
| German, English, and French Academs: | Hoboken, N. J. (272 | Not found. |
|  |  | Closed. |

## Table VI.-Memoranda-Continued.

| Name. | Location. | Remarks. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Chêneviere Instituto. . | Bronklyn. N. Y | Name changed to French-Americ |
| Lafayette Academ | Brooklyn, N. Y | Closed. |
| Buffico Practical School ............... |  | Closed. |
| Cornwall Collegiate School for Young Ladies. | Cornwall-on-the-Hudson, N. Y. | Closed; principal removed to Brooklyn, in charge of Prospect Park |
| Falley Seminary.. | Fulton | Closed for nearly two years on ac. count of the prolonged illness of the principal. |
| Liberty Normal Insti |  | Apparently no longer in existence. |
| Franklin Academy | Malone | Now a part of the public school sys. tem of the town of Malone. |
| Mrs. Ambrose J. Erwin's School ........ | New Dorp (S. T.), N. Y. | Closed. |
| M'llo M. D. Tardivel's Institute for Young Ladies. | New York, N. $\mathbf{Y}$ | Principal deceased. |
| Murray Hill Institute.................. | New York, N. Y | Absorbed in Holladay and Fuller's |
| New Iork Military Academy | New York, N. Y. (Fort Washington). | Closed. |
| Chili Seminary | North Chili, N. Y...... | Name changed to "The A. M. Chesbroarh Sominary" |
| Pawling Seminar | Pawling, N. Y |  |
| Pellam Institut | Poughkeepsie, N | Not found. |
| Miss Cruttenden's English and French Boarding and Day School for Young Ladies. | Rochester, N. Y ....... | Superseded by Rochester Seminary for Young Ladies. |
| Edgewater Institute | Stapleton (S. I.), N. Y.. | Closed. |
| Syracuse Classical Sch | Spracuse, N. Y | Indefinitely suspended. |
| Whitestown Seminary | Whitestown, N. | Closed. |
| Catawba High and Norm | Catarba, N | Name changed to Catawba College. |
| J. L. Tomlinson's School | Winston, | J. L. Tomlinson is superintendent of the Winston public graded schools. |
| Friends' Boarding Schoo | Barnesville, Oh | See Olney School; identical. |
| Green Spring Academy | Green Spring, Ohio .... | See Table VII; this academy is preparatory to Western Reserve University at Cleveland, Ohio. |
| Hartford A cademic Instit | Hartford, Ohio | Changed to Hartford High School. |
| Hopedale Normal Colle | Hopedale, Ohio | See Table LX. |
| Starr's Institut | Seven Mile, Ohio | Closed. |
| Smithville Normal College.............. | Smithville, Ohio | Removed, June, 1885, to Wadsworth, Ohio, and will be opened there in August, 1885, with name of Wadsworth Normal School. |
| Dague's Collegiate Institute | Wadsworth, Ohio | Closed; principal is now in charge |
| Grace Church Parish Sch | Astoria, Oreg | Closed. |
| Sheridan Acaiemy. | Sheridan, | The only school taught here is a public school supported entirely by taxation; the academy failed. |
| Friends' Graded Schoo | Germantow | Not found. |
| Glade Acarlemy...... | Glade, Pa.. | Closed. Co Grove City College. |
| Pine Grove Normal Academy | Grove City, P | Changed to Grove City College; transferred to Table IX. |
| Newport Academy | Newport, Pa. | Closed. |
| Episcopal Academy | Philadelphia, | See Academy of the Protestant Episcopal Church; identical. |
| Supplee Institute for Young Ladie | Philadelphia, Pa. (1713 | Removed. Not found. |
| West Chestnut Street Boys' Prepara- tory School. | Philadelphia, Pa....... | Closed. |
| Brainerd lnstitute. | Chester, S. C. | Report of this institute is given in |
| Milligan College | Cave Spring, Tenn | Name of post-office change |
| La Grange Female School | La Grange, Tenn | See report of La Grang |
| Young Ladies' School | Memphis, Tenn . | See Clara Conway Institute ; identi- |
| Reurhlin Female Seminary | Morristown, Tenn | Discontinued; Morristown Female |
| Seminary for Young Ladies. | Mossy Creek, Tenn... | Chartered in June, 1885, as Baptist |
| Eclectic and Normal Institut |  | See Eclectic Normal Institute (Table III). |
| Holston Seminary. | New Market, Tenn .. | Suspended; may be reopened in 1886 or may be united to New Market A cademy. |
| Conicginte Institute...................... | Shelbyville, Tenn...... | Buildings of this institute were bought by the citizens of Shelby. ville and the name changed to Shelbyville Female College (see Table VII). |

Table Vi.-Memoranila - Continued.

| Name. | Location. | Remarks. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Calrert High School | Calvert, To | A public high school. |
| Walcott Institute.. | lloney Grove, | Closed. ${ }^{\text {cuspend }}$ durina the greater part |
| East Texas Academ | Leesburg, Tex | Suspeniled during tho greater part of the rear 18k4-85, and thoagh since revived, it is proposed to merge it in the pablic school system of the State. |
| Aiken Institute | Paris, Tex | No longer in existence; superseded |
| Mexia Polstechnic Institute. | Mexia, Tex | Superseded by the Mexia public schools. |
| Barre A cadem | Barre, Tt | Discontinued in June, 1885. |
| Stanley Hall | New Market. | Closed. |
| French Creel Institate | French Creek, W. Va.. | Closed as an academy Jols, 1884. |
| Janesrille English Acad | Janesrille, W is ........ | Not operated as a separate institution; see report of Silsbee Com mercial College (Table IV). |
| Gymnasinm of the Missouri Srnod | Milwankee, Tis ..... $\}$ | These schools cannot be found by the |
| Progrmnasium of the Missouri Synod. | Milwaukee, Wis ..... ${ }^{\text {S }}$ | Milwankee city post-office. |
| Lutheran High School................. | Wittenverg, Wis | Changed into an orphans' home. |
| French and English Family and Day School. | Washington, D.C.(1305 | See McDonald-Ellis School; identical. |
| Young Ladies' Seminary ............... | Washington, D. C. 1730 | Not in existence. |
| Indian Unirersity | Tahlequah, Ind. Ter | Remored to Maskogee, Ind. Te |
| Tooele Seminary | Tooel | Only the primary department of Salt Lake Seminary. |
| Chehalis Falley Acade | Chehalis, Wash. Ter... | Post-office is now Montesano. |

Table VII.-Statistics of preparatory schools, including schools for sccondary instruction having preparatory departmonts, for 1884-85; from replies to inquirics by the United States Bureau of Education.

|  | Name. | Location. |  |  | Principal. |  |  |  |  |  |  | nts. |  |  | 若 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | (3) | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1 \\ & 2 \\ & 3 \\ & 4 \\ & 5 \end{aligned}$ | California Military Academy Oakland High School ........... Red Bluff $\Delta$ cademy........ | Tuscaloosa, Ala Napa, Cal Oakland, Cal Oakland, Cal Red Bluff. Cal | 0 | $\begin{array}{\|l\|l\|} 1877 \\ 1873 \\ 1865 \\ 1869 \\ 1879 \end{array}$ | Prof. W. I. Verner, M. A C. M. Walker Jol. William H. O'Brien E. S. Gans, A. B., And I. S. Craw- | $\left\|\begin{array}{l} \text { Non-sect. } \\ \text { Non-sect. } \\ \text { Non-sect. } \\ \text { Non-sect. } \end{array}\right\|$ | $\begin{array}{r}1 \\ 5 \\ 9 \\ 10 \\ 4 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | - 2 18 15 5 |  | 60 <br> 20 <br> 300 <br> 90 | 8 <br> 6 <br> 11 <br> 14 | 10 1 12 | ${ }_{1}^{2}$ |  | 3 3 3 3 | 36 40 40 42 38 |
|  | St. Holena Academy............. Presbyterian College of the | St. Felena, Cal......... Del Norte, Colo...... | ${ }_{1883}^{1882}$ | 1882 | Rev. Lowell L. Rogers, A.m... | Non-sect. <br> Presb.... | 5 |  | ${ }_{\text {(34) }} 12$ | 54 | 8 | 3 | 5 |  | 3 | ${ }^{40}$ |
|  | Southwest. <br> Jarvis Hall* | Denver, Colo ..... |  |  | Very Rev. H. Martyn Hart, warden. | P. | 6 |  | 5 | 30 | 7 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 36 |
| 9 | Longmont College. | Longmont, Colo. | 1884 | 1885 | - Joseph İ.................... | Presb.... | 17 |  |  |  |  |  | 5 | 55 |  |  |
| 11 | Wilson Grammar School....... | Middlotown, Conn .... |  | 1884 | E. H. Wilson, A. M............... | Cong ... |  | 15 |  | 5 | 10 | 1 |  |  |  | 39 |
| ${ }_{13}^{72}$ | Hopking Grammar School* | Now Haven, Conn.... Norwich, Conn ..... | 1060 <br> 1854 | ${ }_{1856}^{1664}$ | William Lec Cushing, rector.: | Non-sect. | $\stackrel{4}{8}$ |  |  |  | 10 | 14 | 4 | 6 |  |  |
| 14 | Connecticut Literary Institution | Suffield, Conn. | 1833 | 1833 | Martin II. Smitb, 1 . m.......... | Non-scet. | 9 |  |  |  | (b) | 硡 |  |  |  |  |
| 15 | Woodstock A cademy - ${ }^{\text {a }}$. | Woodstock, Conn..... | 1802 | ${ }^{1882}$ | Georgo D. Lord.............. | Cong .... | ${ }_{4}^{3}$ | ${ }_{10}^{2}$ | 10 | 35 100 | ${ }_{12}$ | ${ }_{8}^{2}$ | $\stackrel{0}{2}$ | 5 | 4 | ${ }_{38}^{39}$ |
| 16 | Academy of Richmond County. | Augusta, Ga | 1783 | 1783 | George W. Rains, M. D., LL. D., chairman. |  |  |  |  |  | 12 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 17 | South Gcorgia Male and Female | Dawson, Ga | 1882 | 1881 | M. A. McNulty, A. M., pres'tc . | Non-sect. | 10 |  |  |  | 5 |  |  |  |  | 40 |
| 18 | Allen Academy................ | Chicago, III. (1832-1836 |  | 1874 | Ira W. Allen, A. M., LL. D ..... | Non-sect. | 13 | 25 | 23 | 45 | 6 |  |  |  | . |  |
| 19 | Ascension School for Boys d.... | Michican avenue). Chicago, III. (393 La Salle a venue). | 0 | 1883 | Rov. Thos. D. Phillipps, m. A .. |  |  |  | 3 | 13 | 7 | 1 |  |  | 2 | 40 |


Table VII.-Statistics of preparatory schools, inchuding schools for secondary inshuction having preparatory deparlments, for 1884-'85, fe.-Continued.



| 69 | Arms Acade | Sheiburue Falls, Mass. | 1860 | 1880 | Menvey S. Cowell, A. m....... | Non-sect | 7 | 58 | 2 | 123 | 12 |  |  | 0 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 70 | St. Mark's Se | Southborough, Mass.. | 1865 | 1865 | William E. Pcek, A. M., headmaster. | P. H.... | 5 | 58 | 2 |  | 12 | 3 | 1 |  | 6 |
| 71 | Dummer Acadeny | South Byfield, Mass | 1783 | 1763 | John Wright Perkins, A. M., hcad-master. | Nou-sect. | 4 | 20 | 14 | 8 |  | 3 | 4 |  | C |
| 72 | Groylock Instit | South Williamstown, Mass. | 0 | 1842 | Gcorgo F. Mills, A. M. . . . . . . . | on | 7 | 13 | 6 | 36 | 12 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 4 |
| 73 | Springfield Collcgiate Institutet | Springfield, Mass.... |  | 1874 | Clarenco It. Blake, | Non-scet. | 6 | 0 | 0 | 60 | 10 | 0 |  | 5 |  |
| 74 | Edwards I'laco School........... | Stockbridge, Ma |  | 1855 | Fordinand Hoffmam | Non-sect | 2 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 12 | 2 | 2 |  | (a) |
| 75 | Bristol 1 cadomy | Taunton, Mass | 1792 | 1796 | Frederic T. Farusworth, A. M | Non-sect. | 6 | 16 | 2 | 105 | (a) | 3 | 1 | 0 |  |
| 76 | Dana Hall Schoo | Wellosloy, Mass |  | 1880 | Misses Julia $\Lambda$. and Sarah $I$. Eastman. | Non-scet. | 13 | 2 | 10 | 55 | (a) |  | 1 | 0 | 4 |
| 77 | Howa | West Bridgowater, Mass. |  | 1883 | Helen Magill, PII. | sect. | 7 |  |  | c44 | 12 |  |  |  | 7 |
| 78 | WestNewton English and Clas. sical School. | West Newton, Mass.. | 1855 | 1854 | Nathaniel T. Allen | Non-sect. | 12 | 9 | 15 | 63 | 10 | 2 | 8 | 10 | 6-8 |
| 79 | Worcester Acadom | Worcestor, Mass | 1834 | 1834 | Daniel W. Aborcrombic, A. M. - | 13apt | 5 | 45 | 50 |  | 12 | 8 | 1 | 9 | 4 |
| 80 | Michigan Militar | Orchard Jake, Mieli.. | 1877 | 1877 | Col. J. Sumner Rogers, sup't .. | Non-sect. | 7 | 6 | 15 | 91 | 14 | 3 | 1 | 5 | 4 |
| 81 | Baldwin School* | St. Paul, Minn | 1859 |  | Rev. İ. i). Neill, president.... | Prosb.... | 2 |  |  | c45 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 82 | Smith Academ | St. Louis, Mo | 1853 | 1857 | Denham Arnold, | Non-scet. | 20 |  |  |  | 11 | 6 | 3 | 2 | 5 |
| 83 | Austin A cademy | Conterstrafford, N. II | 1830 | 1830 | I. Copp ......... | Non-sect. | 2 | 4 | ${ }^{\circ}$ | 42 |  |  |  |  | 4 |
| 84 | St. Paul's School | Concord, N. II | 1855 | 1856 | Rov. Imenry $\Lambda$. Co | P.E | 20 | 244 | 46 | 0 | 12 | 14 | 5 | 7 | 6 |
| 85 | Phillips Excter | Exeter, N . | 1781 | 1783 | G. A. Wentworth, A. M., aeting principal. d | Non-sect. | 7 | 200 | 30 | 21 | 13 | $51$ | 11 | 6 | 4 |
| 86 | Kimball Union A | Meridon, N. | 1813 | 1815 | D. G. Miller, $\Lambda$. $13 . .$. | Col | 4 | 6 | 0 | 56 | 14 | 3 | 1 | 18 | 3 |
| 87 | McCollon Instit | Mt. Vernon, N | 1850 | 1850 | C. S. Campleell | Com | 3 |  | 10 | 51 | 13 |  |  | 7 | 4 |
| 88 | Colby Acadom | New London, N. H... | 1837 | 1836 | James P. Dixon, A. M., pres't. | laptist .. | 6 | 22 | $e 50$ | 74 | 14 | 3 | 0 | 7 | 4 |
| 89 | Farnum Proparatory | Boverly, N.J........ | 1856 | 1856 | J. Fleteher Street, A. M... ... |  | 6 | 2 | 2 | 156 | 6 | 1 | 0 |  | 4 |
| 90 | Ilair Presbytorial Aca | Blairstown |  | 1848 | J. II. Shumakor, A. | Pre | 7 | 38 | 7 | 51 | 13 | 3 | 1 | 5 | 4 |
| 91 | Peddio Instituto. | Higlitstown, | 1866 | 1868 | Rov. John Greone, A. M., | Bapt | 11 | 15 | 3 | 150 | (a) |  | 1 | 5 |  |
| 92 | Stovens High School | Hoboken, N.J |  | 1870 | Rov. Edward Wall, ^. M....... | Non | 9 | 2 | 64 | 55 | (a) | 1 | 27 | 6 |  |
| 93 | Lawronceville School | Lawroncoville | 1883 | 1883 | Rov. James C. Mackenzio, A. M. III. 1., head-master. | Pre | 10 | 80 | 20 | 10 | 14 | 9 | 2 |  | 4 |
| 94 | Rntgors Colloge Grammar School. | New Brunswick, N. J. | 1770 | 1770 | E. T. Tomlinson, hoad-mastor . |  | 7 | 80 | 40 | 15 |  | 13 |  | 7 | 4 |
| 95 | Penningto | I | 1839 | 1840 | Rev. Thomas Hanlon, D. D., presidont. | M | 14 | 6 | 6 | 143 | 12 | 6 | 6 | 7 | 3 |
| 96 | Brooklyn Lati | Brooklyn, N. Y. (185 Montaguo streot). |  | 1883 | Caskio Harison, m. A., and Elmor E. Phillips, M. A. |  | 6 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 4 |
| 97 | Cazenovia Seminary | Cazenovia, N. Y . | 1825 | 1824 | Rev. Isaac N. Clements, A. M .. | M. | 10 | 40 | 10 | 250 | (a) | 10 | 2 | 15 | 3 |
| 98 | Clavorack Collogo and Hindson River Institute. | Cl | $\{1779\}$ | 1779 | $\left\{\begin{array}{c} \left\{\begin{array}{l} \text { pov. Alonzo Flack, PII. D., } \end{array}\right\} \\ \text { prosidont. } \end{array}\right.$ | N | f35 | $g 40$ | g10 | $g 217$ | (a) | 10 | 6 | 12 | 2,4 |
| 99 | Fort Edward Collegiato Instituto. | F | 1854 | 1854 | Rov. Joseph F. King, D. D., PH. D., presidont. | M | 12 | 30 | 20 | 140 | 13 | 6 | 2 |  | 3 |
| 100 | Colgato Acaden | Hamilto | 1853 | 1832 | Jamos W. Ford, A. M., PiI. |  |  | 100 | 20 | 45 |  |  |  | 3 |  |
| 101 | Cook $\Lambda$ cadomy* | Havana, N. Y | 1872 | 1873 | Slbort C. Hill, A. M . | Baptist | 8 |  |  | 45 |  | ${ }^{2}$ | 3 | 3 | 4 |
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$c$ In connection with Knox College.
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agement of the trustees of Illinois Collego; its sta-
tistics are reported with that cellege in Table IX.
$g$ Free to thoso who intend to enter Wartburg Seminary.
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* From Report of the Commissioner of Education for 1883-'81. $c$ Board and tuition.
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| Name. | Location. | Name. | Location. |
| Berkelev Gymnasium | Berkeley, Cal. | Cottage Hill School | Poughkcepsic, N. Y. |
| Yale School ........... | Chieago, Ill. | Tairviow Instituto .............................................. | Saratoga Springs, N. Y. |
| Fort Wayno College - . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | Fort Wayne, Ind. | Viroiin - . . . . . . . - . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | Sing Sing, N. Y. |
| English High School ................................................... | Boston, Mass. | Do Veaux College ........................................... | Suspension Bridge, N. Y. |
| Private Classical School ....................................... | Loston, Mass. (20 Woylston. place). | Collegiate Preparatory School for Young Gentlemen. The Iill Sehool | Dayton, Ohio. <br> Pottstown, Pa. |
| Adams Academy-.......................................... | Quincy, Mass. | Prcparatory School .......................................... | Bristol, R. I. |
| Pratt's English and Classical School for Boys......... | Shelburne Falls, Mass. | Greenwich Academy | East Gremwich, R.I. |
| Burlington Military College................................. | Eurlington, N.J. | State Military Academy | Charleston, S. C. |
| Mr. Kinne's School............................................ | Ithaca, N. Y. | Greenwood........................ | Greenwood Dcpot, Va. |
| Kindorhook Academy ......................................... | Kinderhook, N. Y. | Norwood High School and College | Norwood, Va. |
| Univcrsity Grammar' School ......c.i..................... | Now York, N. Y. ( 1481 Broadway). | Hanover Academy <br> University of New Mexico | Taylorsville, Va. Santa Fé, N. Mex. |

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Table VII.-Memoranda.

|  | Location. | Remarls. |
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| Collegiate and Commercial Institute | New Haven, Conn | Principal deceased and school closed. |
| Anthon Grammar School | Now York, N. Y | Not found. |
| Charlier Instituto | New York, N. Y. (Central Park) ...... | Closed. |
| Preparatory Scientific School .-....... | Now York, N. Y. (341 Madison ave.) .. Oxford, Ohio..................... | Closed. <br> Closed. This school has been held in the buildines of the Miami |
| Miami Classical and Scientific Training | Oxford, Ohio............................ | Closed. This school has been held in the buildings of the Miami University, which, after several jcars' suspension, will reopen in September, 1885. |
| Wrest Philadelphia Latin School | Philadelphia, Pa. | See Georgo F. Martin's School for Bors; identical. |
| Wilkes Barre Acadomy .. | Wilkes Barre, Pa | Name changed to Harry Hillman Academy. |
| Racino Academy. | Racine, W is | Closed. |


Table VIII.-Statistics of institutions for the superior instruction of women for 1884-85, fe. -Continued.


|  | St. | M | 1867 | 1857 | Sister M. Emerontiana, superior. |  |  |  | 5 |  |  |  |  |  | C0 |  |
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| 43 | Mt. Carroll Seminary | Mt. Carroll, Ill. | 1852 | 1853 | Mrs. Frances $\Lambda$. Wood Shimer | Non-scet. | 13 | 2 | 11 |  |  |  |  | 3 | 175 |  |
| 44 | Rockford Seminary* | Rockford, | 1817 | 1849 | Miss Ann |  | 15 | 2 | 13 | 7 | 51 | 35 |  | 1 | d203 | 3 |
| 45 | DePauw College for Young Women. | New Albany | f1852 | 1852 | Rov. F. A. Friedley, |  | 8 | 2 | 6 | 4 | 32 | 03 | $16$ | 1 | 102 |  |
| 46 | Immaenlate Conception Academy. | Davenport, | 1869 | 1859 | Sister Mary | C | 17 |  | 17 |  | 134 | 58 | 37 |  | 228 |  |
| 4 | Callanan Collego................. | Des Moines, | 1880 | 1879 | Rev. C. R. Pomeroy, D. D...... | Non-seet. | 15 | 3 | 12 | 1 | 47 | 44 | 46 |  | 137 |  |
| 48 | Colloge of the Sisters of Bethany | Topeka, Ka | g1861 | 1862 | Rt. Rev. Thomas II. Vail, D. D., LL. D. | P. E . . . . | $\because 8$ | 4 | 24 | 17 | 115 | 72 | 36 |  | 223 |  |
| 49 | Clinton Col | Clin | 1874 | 1874 | Miss 4 manta | Bap | 9 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 150 | 110 | 0 | 0 | 260 | 1 |
| 50 | Caldwell Fem | Danvilo, | 1877 | 1861 | Rev. John Montg | Pres | 8 | 1 | 7 | 2 | 49 | 31 | 5 |  | 8.5 | 0 |
| 51 | Tranklin Female College | Tranklin, | 1868 | 1869 | Horace IH. Epen. | Non-soct. | 7 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 20 | 7 | 30 | 5 | 678 | 0 |
| 52 | G ${ }^{\text {corgetown Female Seminary }- \text { - }}$ | Georgetown, | 1889 | 1846 | J. J. Incker, | Buptist .. | 10 | 3 | 7 | 2 | 30 | 75 |  |  | 105 |  |
| 53 | Liberty Female Collego.......... | Glasgow, Ky | 1873 | 1875 | E. W. Elrod | Eajtist .. | 7 | 1 | 6 | 2 | 75 | 35 |  |  | 1:0 |  |
| 54 | 1)aughters College.. | Harrodsbarg, | 1816 | 1856 | John Ang. Wil | Nourseet. | 12 | 4 | 8 |  |  | 150 |  |  | 159 | 1 |
| 55 | Pothel Female ${ }^{\text {d }}$ | Hopkinsville, | 1853 | 1854 | J. W. IRist, A. M | Baptist | 8 | 2 | 6 |  | 25 | C0 | 5 |  | 90 | 12 |
| 56 | Garard Female College | Lancaster, Ky | 1881 | 1884 | İev. Morris Evi | Non sect. | 12 | $\stackrel{2}{7}$ | 10 |  |  |  |  |  | 180 |  |
| 7 | Iramilton Female Colloge | Loxington, | 1870 | 1870 | J. T. Patterson | Christian | 15 | 7 | 8 |  |  |  |  |  | 207 |  |
| 8 | St. Catharine's E'omalo Acadomy | Lexington, | 0 | 1831 | Sister Superior | IR. ${ }^{\text {d }}$ |  |  |  | 10 | 60 |  |  |  | 80 |  |
| 59 | Sayre Fenale Institute........... | Koxington, | 1850 | 1854 | II. B. McCletlan | Presi | 15 | ${ }^{2}$ | 11 | 3 | 50 | 143 | 15 |  | 20.8 | 2 |
| ¢0 | Lonisvillo Female Colle | Lonisville, | 188.4 | h1884 | Thomas 1). Davidson | Presh) | 7 | 2 | 5 |  |  |  |  |  | 50 | 0 |
| 61 | Mill saturg Femalo Coll | Millersbarg | 1856 | 1852 | Rev. Cadesman Pop | M. E. So.. | 11 | 2 | 9 | 2 | 72 | 79 |  |  | 151 |  |
| 2 | ML. Sterling Female Colle | Mt. Storling, | 1876 | 1869 | Rev. Josoph 'I. I | Non-soct. | 6 | 1 | 5 | 2 | 75 | 92 |  |  | 167 |  |
| 63 | Jossamino Fomalo Instituto | Nicholasvillo, | 1852 | 1854 | Miss Martla If | Non-sect. | 6 |  | 6 | 1 | 33 | 74 |  |  | 107 |  |
|  | Boarbon Ferrule Collego. | Paris, Ky | 1871 | 1817 | Alex. Studers |  | 7 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 3 | . | 2 |  | 85 |  |
| 65 | Kontucky College for Young Lardies.* | Poweo Va | 1874 | 1571 | Rev. Erastus I |  | 6 | 1 | 5 |  | 40 | 30 |  |  | d99 |  |
| 66 | Logan Fernale Colleg | Russellville, Ky ...... | 1867 | 1867 | II. K. Tayl | M. F. So.. | 10 | 2 | 8 | 1 | 21 | 96 | 20 |  | 137 |  |
| 67 | Scienee Hill School | Sholbyville, K | 1880 | 1825 | Rev. W. T | M. F. So.. | 11 | 1 | 10 | 3 | 97 | 45 | 10 |  | 15:3 |  |
| 68 | Stuart's Fouiato Coll | Sholbyville, K | 1849 | 1839 | W IX. Stua | Presb.So | 6 | 1 | 5 | 1 | 50 | 75 |  |  | 125 |  |
|  | Stanford Nomalo Col | Stanford, K | 1868 | 1868 | Alex.s. Pixatom | Non-sect. | 4 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 33 | 32 |  |  | 65 |  |
| 70 | Cedar Bluff Female Collego | Woodburin, | 1866 | 186 | Rev. IB. F. (Cal | Non-sect. | 6 | 1 | 5 |  |  |  |  |  | 74 | 0 |
| 71 | Silliman Femalo Collegiato Institnto. | Clinton, La | 1553 | 1852 | Georgo J. Raıney, A. M........ | Presb.... | 9 | 2 | 7 | 2 | 52 | 79 |  |  | 131 | 30 |
| 72 | Keachi College .................. | Keachi, | 1857 | 1858 | Rov. T. N. Colem |  | 10 | 4 |  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 200 |  |
| 73 | Mansfield Fomalo | Mansficld, | 1855 | 185.5 | Rov. Francis M. Grace, A. M., D. 1. | M. E. So. | 7 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 10 | 70 |  |  | 81 |  |
| 74 | Minden Female College .......... | Mind | 1853 | 1853 | George D. Alexander, A. M .... | Non-sect. | 7 | 2 | 5 | 2 | 37 | 45 |  |  | 82 |  |
| 75 | Mane Wealoyan Seminary and Female Coilere.* | Kent's Hill, | i1821 | 1821 | Rov. Edgar M. Smith, | M. E. . . . | 12 | 7 | 5 |  | 305 | 24 |  |  | 329 | 6 |
| 76 | Baltimoro A cademy of the Visitation. | B | 1838 | 1837 | Mothor Mary Leonard Nealo.. |  |  |  | 25 |  |  |  |  | 9 | 187 |  |
| 77 | Baltinore Female C | Baltiniole, Mfl. (Park placo). | 1849 | 1818 | Nathan Covington Brooks, LL. D. | N | 0 | 4 | 5 |  | 4 | 54 |  |  | 58 | 20 |
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| Wesleyan Femalo | $\times$ | 4 | 40 | $\stackrel{\square}{\square}, 500$ |  | 250 | 45 | 50-70 | 200, ceo | 50,000 | 1, C00 | *22, 0 00 | June 16. |
| College Templo. | $\times$ | 4 | 40 | 5, 000 | 150 | 150 | 20-40 | 50 | 50, 000 |  |  | 3,000 | Junc. |
| Reme Female Co |  | 4 | 40 | 1,600 |  | 200 | 30 | 50 | 15, 00: | 1,560 | 70 |  | Junc |
| Sherter College* | $\times$ | 5 | 40 |  |  | 180 | 40 | ${ }_{6} 6$ | 125, c00 | 40, 000 | 2,400 | 10,000 | June. |
| Young Female Colleg | $\times$ | 5 | 40 |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 175 \\ b 240 \end{array}$ | 30 | 50 |  |  |  |  | Trme 21 |
| Seminary of the Saered |  |  | 42 | 2,050 |  | $b 240$ |  |  | d102,500 |  |  | e21, 581 | Jume. |
| Knox Seminary. |  | 4 | 37 |  |  | 130 |  | 45 |  | (f) | (f) |  |  |
| Almira College |  | 4 | 40 | 1,500 | 500 | 135 | 30 | 45 | 40, 0 c0 |  |  | $b^{\text {¢ }}$, 4:38 | Tune 16. |
| Highland Colloge for W | $\times$ | 4 | 40 |  |  | 300 | 40 | 60-100 | 50, 000 |  |  | 20, 0 (10 | Jın: 17. |
| Illinois Fenale Collego | $\times$ | 4 | 40 | 1,000 |  | 190 | 40 | 40 | 100, 000 |  |  | 3600 | June 1. |
| Jacksonville Female A |  | 4 | 40 |  |  | b260 | 40 | 50 | 40, 000 |  |  |  | June 2. |
| St. Mary's School | $\times$ | 4 | 40 | 719 |  | $b 360$ | 20 | 40 | g100, 600 |  |  |  | June 16. |
| Ferry Liall, Lake Forest | 0 | 4 | 37 | 560 | 60 | 300 | 40 | 60 | 73, 500 |  |  | 779 | June 2 \% |
| Chicago Femalo College | $\times$ | 4 | 36 |  |  | $l \geq 50$ |  | 50 | * 10,000 |  |  | * 617 , 560 | June 9. |
| St. Angela's A cademy* |  | ${ }^{5}$ | 44 |  |  | 150 | 10 | 20 | 6,000 |  |  |  | Jun |
| Mt. Carroll Seminary | $\times$ | 5 | 37 | 3,000 | 100 |  |  |  | 100, 000 |  |  |  | June 9. |
| Rockford Seminary* | $\times$ | 4 | 38 | 4,000 | 100 | 16.5 | 29 | 37 | 125, 600 | 16, 000 | 1,280 | 19, 192 | Jupe |
| DePauw College for Young Wo | $\times$ | 4 | 40 | ${ }_{1}^{609}$ |  | 220 | 36 | 41 | 50,000 |  |  | 2,803 | J:130 9 |
| Immaeulate Conception Academy | $\times$ |  | 43 | 1,927 | 27 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Sunc 21. |
| Callanan College | $\times$ | 4 | 36 |  |  | 180 | 24 | 36 | 50,000 |  |  |  | June 10. |
| Cellege of the Sisters of Bethany | $\times$ | 3 | 36 |  |  | b250-400 | 21-33 | 36-42 | 300,000 |  | 0 |  | June 9. |
| Clinton College.. | $\times$ | 4 | 40 | 2,000 | 400 | 100 | 35 | 40 | 40,000 | 0 | 0 | 4,820 | June 3. |
| Caluwoll Female College | $\times$ | 4 | 38 | 500 |  | 160 | 40 | 50 | 25,000 | 0 | 0 |  | Jıne 2. |
| Frankliu Femate Colloge | $\times$ | 4 | 40 | 200 |  | 120 | 30 | 40 | ${ }_{2}^{22,} 000$ | 0 | 0 | 2, 250 | June. |
| Georgotown Feunale Semi | $\times$ | 4 | 40 | 300 |  | 175 | 30 | 40, 60 | 25,000 |  |  |  | June 9. |
| Liberty Femalu College | $\times$ | 4 | 40 | 500 | 100 | 130 | 30 | 40 | 20, 000 |  |  | 3, 500 | Junc. |
| Daughters Collego | $\times$ |  | 40 | 3, 500 |  | 6260 |  |  | 40, 000 |  |  |  | Mas 29. |
| Bethel Female College. Garrard Female Colleg | $\times$ | 4,6 | 40 | 300 |  | 150 | 50 | 50 | 30,000 |  |  | 5, cco | Juve 6. |
| Carrard Female College |  |  | 38 | 1,800 |  | 160 | 40 | 50 | 12,000 |  |  |  | Juno 1. |
| Iramilten Female College |  | 4 | 40 |  |  | 200 | 15-223 | 30 |  |  |  |  | Jwne 8. |
| St. Catharine's Fomale A Sayre Female Institute. |  |  |  | 500 | 50 | 6250 |  |  |  |  |  |  | June. |
| Sayre Female Institute Louisville Female Celle | + | 4 | 40 |  | 25 | 280 | , 65 | 60 80 | 100, 20 000 | 5,000 | -, 20 |  | June 1. |
| Millersburg Fomalo Colloge | $\times$ | 4 | 40 | 400 | 25 | 160 | 40 | 50 | *30, 000 |  |  | 5,800 | June 8. |
| Mt. Sterling Female College* | $\times$ |  | 40 |  |  | 150 | 10 | 20, 25 | 10, 000 |  |  | 4,000 | Junn 13 |
| Jessamine Female Institute | $\times$ | 4 | 40 | 200 | 80 | 200 | 25 | 50 | 7,000 |  |  | 3,039 | Jnat 10. |
| Beurben Female Cellege | $\times$ | 5 | 40 | 200 |  | 200 | 15 | 50 | 4,000 |  |  | 3,000 | June. |
| Kentucky College for You | $\times$ | 4 | 40 | 1,000 | 20 | 160 | 40 | 50 | 20, 000 |  |  | 3,000 | June 4. |
| Logan Female College | $\times$ | 4 | 40 | 700 | 250 | 150 | ${ }_{45}{ }^{2}$ | $421-523$ | 35, 000 |  |  | 6,000 | Junc 2. |
| Seience Hill School | $\times$ | 4 | 39 | 2, 060 |  | 200 | 45 | 60 | 25, 000 |  |  | b17, 000 | June 2. |
| Stuart's Female College | $\times$ | 4 | 40 | 500 |  | 160 |  | 42, 50 | 10, 000 |  |  | 3,0i0 | June 7. |
| Stanford Female College | $\stackrel{\times}{\times}$ | 4 | 40 | 200 1,000 |  | 160 | 25-40 |  | 12, 000 |  |  |  | June 25. |
| Cedar Bluff Female Coll | $\times$ | . 4 | 40 | 1,000 800 | 100 | 180 | 30 | 40 50 | 20,000 40,000 | 20,000 | 1,600 | $\begin{array}{r} 10,000 \\ 4,500 \end{array}$ | むune 4. <br> June 17 |
| Keachi Colloge ......... | $\times$ |  | 40 |  |  | 200 |  | 50 |  |  |  |  | June 11. |
| Mansifield Female College | $\times$ | 4 | 38 | 300 |  | 120 | 20 | 40,50 | 40,000 | 0 | 0 | 2,000 | June 10. |
| Minden Female Collego... | $\times$ | 4 | 40 | 625 | 200 | 190 | 40 | 50 | 20, 060 |  |  | 4,480 | $J$ une. |
| * From liciort of the Commiasioner of Education for 1883-'84. |  | it |  |  |  | $\mathrm{rec}$ | $\mathrm{d} \text { Sep }$ | $\text { ber, } 18 \varepsilon 5 \text {. }$ |  | report | Kiox |  | lo IX) |

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TABLE VIII.-Statistics of institutions for the superior instruction of women for 1824-35, \&o.-Coutinued.







[^99]Note. $-\times$ indicates an affirmative answer ; 0 signifies no or none ; .... indicates no answer.





Table VIII.-Statistics of institutions for the supcrior instruction of women for 1884-'85, f.c.-Continued.

|  | , | $\begin{aligned} & \text { o } \\ & 0: 3 \\ & \text { B } \end{aligned}$ | $\left\lvert\, \begin{aligned} & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \end{aligned}\right.$ | Libra | ary. |  | Cost of- |  |  | perts, | come, |  |  |
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|  | 2 Namo. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | ost२onposd rupuy ourovi |  | Date of next commencement. |
|  | $\underline{1}$ | 13 | 19 | 20 | 91 | $\mathfrak{2}$ | 28 | 24 | 25 | 186 | 2\% | 23 | 29 |
| 219 | Wesleyan Female Institute.. |  | 40 |  |  | \$160 |  | \$50 | \$35, 000 |  | . |  | June 8. |
|  | Fauquior Instituto * ......... |  | 38 |  |  | 250 |  |  | 20, 000 |  |  |  | Jun 8. |
| 222 | Episcopal Femalo Instituto. Valley Femalo College | 4 | 40 | 500 800 | 0 | a240-300 | \$30 | 40-50 | 12,500 | \$0 | \$0 | \$2,500 | June 18. |
| 223 | I'arkersburg Femalo Sominary | 2 | 40 | 800 |  | 160 200 | 30 <br> 30 | 40 40 | 20,000 |  | \$ | 1,630 | June 16. |
| 224 | Wheeling Femalo Collogo..... | 4 | 40 | 350 | 100 | 250 | 30 | 50 | 25, 000 | 0 | 0 |  |  |
| ${ }_{29}^{225}$ | Wisconsin Female College | 4 | 38 | 1,200 | 170 | 122 | 28 | 28 | 25, 000 | 9,000 | 670 | 1,400 | June. |
|  | Milwaukoo College St. Clara $A$ cademy | 4 | 40 | 3, 136 | 136 25 | 240 | 50 | 60 | 50,000 | ${ }_{5} 0$ | 0 | 13, 614 | June 14. |
|  | St. Clara Acallomy * ... | 4 | 46 | ${ }_{2} 995$ | 25 | $\underset{\square}{43 \times-a^{2}}$ |  | 将 |  |  |  |  | Junc. |

## Table Vili.-Memoranda.

| Name. | Location. | Remarks. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Tesleyan Female Collego | Wilnuingtnn, Del | Closed. |
| Botrling Greeu Female Collego | Bowling Green, K5 | Nolong |
| Christ Chnreh Seminary | Lexington, Kr | Closell. |
| Coburn Classical Institute | Waterville, Mo | No department for tho superior instraction of women; statistics giren in Table VII. |
| Barkittsrille Female Seminary | Burkittsrille. Md | Closed. |
| Maplerrooll Institute for Young Ladies | Pittsfeld. Mass. | Closed. |
| Foung Ladies: Seminary and Collegiato Institnte. | Montoe. Mich | No longer in existence. |
| Cook's Collegiate Institate | Poughteepsie, N. T | Name changed to Lsndon Hall |
| French Protestant School............... | Germantown, Pa | Miss Clement has retiren, and Miss Ada M. Smith and Mrs. T. B. Richards are her successors; the name of the school has been changed to Walnat Lane School and Wellesley Preparatory (8ee Table VLI. |
| Athens Female Seminary | Athens, Tenn.......... | School closed and property for sale |
| Rogersrille Female College | Rogersville, Tenn ..... | Name changed to Ssnodical Female |
| Andrew Female College | Huntsrille, Tex | Closed; buildings nsed by publi |
| Hollins Institnte | Botetourt Springs, Fa . | Name of post-office changed to Hollins. |

Table VIII.-List of institutions for the superior instruction of women from which no information has been receired.

| Name. | Location. | Name. | Location. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Florence Syncdical Female College. | Florence, Ala | Academy of the Sacred Heart. | New Tork, N. Y. $(49 \mathrm{~W}$ 1ith st.). |
| School for Girls. | Farmington, Conn | English, French, and Ger- |  |
| Hartford Female Seminary | Hartface, Conn ... |  |  |
| Yonng Ladies' Semi | Windsor, Conn.... | Madame Roch's School ....... | Nerr York, ${ }^{\text {Nat. }} \mathrm{Y}$. |
| Nassau College for Young Ladies. | Fernandina, Fla |  | (713, Madison |
| Hamilton Female College.... | Hamilton, Ga | School and Cla | New York, N. Y. |
| Lumpkin Masonic Female College. | Lnmpkin, Ga | Pongh\%ecpsie Female dcad- | ( 46 E. 58th st.). Poughkeepsie, |
| St. Mary's Academic Institute. | St. Mary's, Ga | emy. Statesville Female Colleg | $\begin{aligned} & \text { N. Y. } \\ & \text { Statesville, N. } \mathrm{C} \end{aligned}$ |
| St. Agatha's Seminary. | Iowa City, Iowa | A cadem of Notre Dame | Philadelphia, Pa. |
| 3irt. Pleasant Female Seminary. | Mit. Pleasant,Iowa. | Chegary Institute | Philadelphia, Pa. (1527 Spruce st.). |
| St. Catlbarine's Hall . . Notre Dame Academy | Aug | Mrs. Goodrin Watson's.English. French, and German | Philadel phia, Pa . (4111 Wainntst.). |
| Columbus Female Institnte | Columbus, Mis | Pennsrlvania Female College. | Pittsburg, Pa. |
| Meridian Female Colle | Meridian, Miss | Cottare Hill Colle | Tork, Pa |
| Female Coullege ............. | Sardis, Miss, ...... | Branan Female Institu | Bryan, Te |
| Academy of the Visitat | St. Louis, 31 | Sonle College | Chapel Hill, Tex. |
| Bordentown Female Colle | Burdentown, N . J. | Goliad Colle | Goliad. T |
| Athenæum Scminary | Prootly | Albemarl | Charlottesville, Va. |
| St. Clare s Acalemy. | Loctipurt, N. Y. | Kempcr Hall | Kenosha, Wis. |

TABLE 1X.-Statistica of unicersitics and colleges for 188t-'85̈ from replies to inquiries by the Cuited States Bitreat of Eaturalion.

|  | Namo. | Location. |  | Date of organization. |  | Presidont. | Preparatory departinent. |  |  |  |  | Number of strdents unclassi- |
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|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Students. |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { जूँ } \\ & \text { जू̈ } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1 | ¢ | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | ${ }^{4}$ | 10 | 且 | 80 |
| 1 | Southeru University | Greonsborough, Ala | 1856 | 18:5 | M. E. South.. | Rev. A. S. Andrews, A. M., D. D |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2 | Howard College | Marion, Al: | 184:3 | 1842 | Baptist...... | James T. Murfee LI. D.. |  |  | 0 | 10 | 5 |  |
| 3 | Spring Hill Collerso a... | Near Mobilo, Ala | 18.36 | $18: 30$ | 1R.C..... | Rev. David McKiniry, s. J .... |  | 6145 |  |  |  |  |
| 4 | Unirorsity of Alabama Arkansas Collego...... | Tuscaloosa, 1 la. Batesvillo, 1 rk. | 1820 1872 | 1831 | Non-sect...... | Barwoll Boykin Lowis, L.L. D..... Rev. Isanc J. Long, D, D | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 6 | Cane Hill Colde ${ }^{\text {a }}{ }^{\text {e }}$. | Boousborongh, Ark | 1852 | 18.52 | Cumb. Pres.. | Rev. F. R. Earle, A. M, D. D | c 3 |  | 50 |  |  |  |
| 7 | Arkansas Industrial University | Favetevilio, Ark.. | 1871 | 1871 | Non-sect... | Col (icorge M. Edgar | C | d151 | d90 |  |  | 22 |
| 8 | Little Rock University | Littlo Rock, 4 rk | 1883 | 1882 | M. L. | Riov. Edward S. Lewis, A. m |  | 48 | 24 | 20 | 32 | 20 |
| 10 | Philander Smith Collego | Littlo Rock, 1 Ark ........... | 1883 | ${ }_{1867}^{187}$ | M. P | Rev. 'Thomas Mason, A. M ......... | 2 | 109 | 107 | 53 | 141 |  |
| 11 | College of St. Augustino. | Borkeley, Cal ..................... | 1868 | 1867 1869 | Non-soct.... | Rt. Rev. Jolm II. D. Winghold, <br> r. 1., LL, D . <br> William 'I'. Reid, A. M $\qquad$ | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |
| 12 | Pierco Chiristian Collego* | Colloge City, Cal ............. | 1874 | 1874 | Christian . |  | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 13 | st. Vincent's Colloge . . | Los Angeles, Cal.............. | 1869 | 1867 | R. ${ }^{\text {c }}$. | Rev. A.J. Mejer, ¢. m | ${ }^{6}$ | 104 |  | 25 | 30 | 49 |
| 14 | University of Southorn California. | Los Angeles, Cal.............. | 1880 | 1380 | M. $\mathrm{E}^{\text {d }}$ | Rov. M. Mr. liovard, $\Lambda$. m. | 3 | 49 |  | 10 | 35 | 31 |
| 15 | St. Ignatius Collego ................ | San Franciseo, Cal. (cor. Hayesst.and V:an Nessav.) | 1859 | 185.7 | R. C | Rov. Josopli Sasia, s. J .- | 8 | 610 | , |  |  |  |
| 16 17 | St. Mary's College* -........... | San liruncisco, Cal.......... | 1872 | 1863 | R. C | Rov. Brother Bottelin. |  | 109 |  | 27 | 32 |  |
| 18 | University of the Pacitic | Santanct Clara, Cal ............... | 18.22 1853 | 1853 | M. L. C | Rev. (. ©. Stration, A. Mr, D. ${ }^{\text {d }}$ | 6 | 126 |  | 23 | c179 |  |
| 19 | Pacific Mreshodist Collogo. | Santa Rosa, Cal | 1862 | 1861 | M. E.Sonth.. |  |  | 26 | 9 | 8 | 27 |  |
| 20 | Hesperian College . | Woodland, Cal | 1869 | 1861 | Christian | A. M. Eiston, A . $\mathrm{is}^{\text {a }}$ | 1 |  | 35 | 12 | 40 |  |
| 21 | University of Colerado | Bondler, Colo | 1875 | 1877 | Non-scet. | Josoph A. Sowall, M. D., LL. I |  |  |  | 11 | 10 | 30 |
| 22 | Colorado College. | Colorado Springs, Colo..... | 1874 | 1874 | Non-scet | (ieorge II. P'ursons, secretary |  | 24 | 7 | $f^{\prime 2} 2$ | 5 | 4 |
| 23 | University of Donvor*................. | Denver, Colo................ | 1864 | 1880 | M. E. | Rov. David II. Moore, A. M., D. D., | 7 | 50 | 45 | 32 | 25 | 38 |
| 24 | Trinity Collugo* | Harlford, Conn . ............ | 1024 | 1820 | P.E....... | Lev. George Williamson Smith, | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |


Table IX.-Stalistics of universitics and colleges for 1884-8天, f.c.-Continucd.



Table 1X.-Statisties of universitics and colleges for 1884-35, fe.-Continued.




| 145 | Beston University (College of Liberal $\Delta \mathrm{rts})$. | Poston, Mass |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 146 | Tarvard Collego. | Cambridse, Mass . . . |
| 147 | 'Inf'ts Collerre | Colloge Hill, Mass .. |
| 148 | Williams Colloge | Willitmstown, Mass. |
| 149 | College of the Holy Cross* | Worcester, Mass.... |
| 150 | Sdrian College* | Adrian, Mich |
| 151 | Albion Collogo | Albion, Mielr |
| 152 | University of Michigan | Ann Arbor, Mich |
| 153 | Battle Crcels Collego f | Battle Croek, Mich |
| 154 | IIillsdale College | Hillstale, Mieh |
| 15.5 | Hope Collego | Holland, Mich |
| 156 | Kalamazeo Coll | Kalamazoo, Mic |
| 157 | Olivet College | Olivet, Mich |
| 158 | St. John's Universityf | Collorsville, Minn |
| 159 | Manlino University. | Manline, Minn |
| 160 | Augsburg Seminary, Groek department. | Minneapolis, Minn... |
| 161 | University of Minnesota | Minnoapolis, Minn... |
| 163 | Carloton Collego | Northfiold, Minn..... |
| 163 | Mississippi Collog | Clinton, Miss ........ |
| 164 | Iust University .- | Iolly Springs, Miss. |
| 163 | University of Mississip | Oxford, Miss . . . . . . . . |
| 163 | Sonthwest Baptist Colle | Jolivar, Mo |
| 167 | Christian University | Canton, Mo |
| 168 | St. Vincent's Collere | Cape Cirardean, Mo. |
| 169 | University of the State of Missonri*. | Columbia, Mo |
| 170 | Grand River | Edinburg, M |
| 171 | Contral Colloge | Fiayetto, Mo |
| 17) | Westminstor Collog | Falton, Mo |
| 173 | Pritchott School Insti | Glascow, Me |
| 174 | Int Grange Collog | La Grancre, Mo....... |
| 175 | Willia:n Jewell College | Liberty Mo........... |
| 176 | Morrisville College | Morrisville, Mo |
| 177 | Iaynesville School Instituto m | P'aynesville, Mo....... |
| 178 | St. Lonis University | St. Louis, Mo ......... |
| 179 | Washiugton University | St. Louis, Mo .......-. |
| 18 v | Sodalia Univorsity* | Sedalia, Mo ............ |
| 181 | Drury Collego | Springfiold, Mo .-.... |
| 189 | Stowartsvillo Colloge | Stewartsville. Mo |
| 183 | Central Wesleyan Collogo | Warrenton, Mo ...... |

* Irom Report of the Commissioner of Education for 1883-'84.
$a$ 'Lhis institution is for the training of teachers and preaeliers for the colored race, and its statistics will hereafter be $\checkmark$ Tobal for all departments.

[^100]Table IX.-Statistics of unitersilies and colleges for 1884-35, \&c-Continued.
Note.-For statistics of the professional schools or departments connected with any of these institutions, reference is made to the appropriate tables.


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*Trom Report of tho Commissionor of Shacation for dir reparing for philogophican courso. $i$ For all departments. $f$ Ses roport of Orogon Stnto Agricultural Colloge (Tablo $k$ Dato of chartor and organization of Jefterson Collego ; $g$ Inchides pupils in all dopartments except the collo- $\quad 1800$, and tho two institntions were united in 1805. $h$ Includes normal students.

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Villanova, Pa... Washington, Pa
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Includes students proparing for philosophical courso.
Table IX.-Statistics of univcrsitics and colleges for 1884-'85, §c.-Continued.

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Table IX．－Stulistics of universities and colleges for 1884－＇85，sc．－Continued．

|  |  | Collegiato dopartment． |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | No．of weeks in scholastic year． |
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|  |  | Corps of instruction． |  |  |  |  | Students in classical courso． |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Students in scientific courso． |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Name． |  |  | $\left.\right\|_{0}$ |  |  | Fresh－ man． |  | Sopho－ more． |  | Junior． |  | Sonior． |  | Fresh－ man． |  | Sopho－ more． |  | Junior． |  | Senior． |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  | 1 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 93 | 24 | 25 | 126 | \＄9 | から | ว9 | 30 | 31 | 38 | B3 | 34 | ：35 | 36 | 37 | ：88 | 39 |
|  | Tabor Collego．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 10 | 9 | 1 | 0 | 64 | 1 | 12 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 3 |  | 4 |  | 2 | 8 | 6 |  | 8 | $a 7$ | 0 | 0 |  | 38 |
| $\stackrel{96}{97}$ | Western College＊．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 10 7 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 49 | 4 | 2 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 10 | 2 | 2 | 1 | ${ }_{2}^{8}$ | 1 | 1 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 48 |
|  | St．Benedict＇s College | 7 6 | 7 6 |  |  | ${ }^{26}$ | 4 |  | 6 | ， | 4 | 1 | 5 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 7 |  | 1 | 4 | 42 |
| 98 | Baker University．： | 6 | 6 |  |  | 123 27 | 10 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 7 |  | 30 | 19 | 8 | 9 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 16 | 5 |  |  | 4 | 38 |
| 100 | Highland University | 5 | 5 |  | b3 | 8 |  | 2 | 2 |  |  |  | 3 | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 0 | 0 | 0 |  | 39 40 |
| 101 | University of Kansas | 16 | 16 |  | ． | 180 | 22 | 10 | 9 | 12 | 6 | 1i | 9 | 2 | 29 |  | 16 | 1 | 6 | 2 | 6 | 2 | 16 | 21 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 40 40 |
| 102 | Lane University ．．． | 4 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 24 |  |  |  | 1 | － |  |  | ．．．． | 10 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 3 |  |  | 0 | 0 |  | 4 | $\stackrel{40}{39}$ |
| 103 | Ottawa University． St．Mary＇s College． | 5 | 5 16 |  |  | 205 | 30 | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1 |  | ．．． | 30 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 4 | 38 |
| 105 | Washburn College |  | 11 | 1 | 0 | ${ }_{26} 20$ | 0 0 | ．．． | 4 | $\cdots$ | 1 | ．－． | 25 2 | $\cdots$ | ${ }_{2}^{10}$ | $\stackrel{\square}{0}$ | 18 1 |  | 30 | ．－． | 10 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | ${ }_{36}^{42}$ |
| 105 | St．Josoph＇s Colleg |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 0 | 4 | 36 42 |
| 107 | Berea College．． | 7 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 29 | 2 |  | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | C | 7 | 6 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |  | ． | 73 | 4 | 36 |
| 108 | Ogden Collogo ．．． | 4 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 85 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 4 | 40 |
| 110 | Cminenco Colloge ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | ${ }_{10}^{9}$ | 9 | 0 | 1 | r95 | 25 | 0 | 15 |  | 18 |  | 11 |  | 16 | 0 | 6 |  | 3 |  | 0 |  |  | 1 | 0 | 20 |  | 40 |
| 111 | Kentucky Military Institute＊ | 9 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 112 | c 46 | －－ |  |  | 10 |  | 6 |  |  |  |  |  | 6 |  | 13 |  | 18 | 13 | 0 | 0 | （d） | 40 |
| 112 | Gcorgetown College | 6 | 6 |  | 1 | 120 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 5 |  |  | （d） | 40 |
| 113 | South Kentucky Colleg． | c11 |  |  |  | e168 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 8 |  |  | 4， 4 | 40 |
| 114 | Kentucky Univorsity． | 10 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 147 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 40 40 |
| 115 | Kentacky Wesleyan Collogo．．．．．．．．．．．． | 5 | 5 | 0 |  | 107 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 38 |
| 116 | Kentucky Classical and Lusiness Col－ loge．＊ | 4 | 4 |  |  | 65 | f25 | f28 | $f 8$ | $f 4$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 40 |
| 117 | Central University | 5 | 9 | ， | 1 | 100 | 20 |  | 10 |  | 8 |  | 4 |  | 18 |  | 16 |  | 13 |  | 7 |  | 2 | 2 |  | 30 | 4 |  |
| 118 | Bethel Colle | 5 | 5 | 0 | 3 | 84 | 20 |  | 15 |  | 10 |  | 6 |  | 13 |  | 10 |  | 4 |  | 6 |  |  | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 40 |




Note．－For statistics of the professional schools or departments connected with any of these institutions，reference is made to the appropriate tables．

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| 360 | National Deaf－Mute College | 9 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 25 | 8 |  | 5 | ．．． | 7 | ．．． | 5 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 0 | 0 |  |  | 5 | 36 |
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| 363 | Collego of Montana．．． | 10 | 6 7 | 4 |  |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 2 |  |  |  |  | 17 |  |  | 2 | 4 | 40 |
| 364 | University of Washington Territory ．． | 13 | 13 | 0 | 0 | ${ }^{6}$ |  |  | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 0 |  | 0 | 4 | 40 |
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| 117 | Centraf University ................ | 65 | 23-4 | 7,000 | 2, 000 | 3, 000 |  | 120, 000 | 100, 000 | 6, 000 | 6,000 |  | , 000 |  |
| 118 | Bethel Collogo... | 55 | $3{ }^{3}$ | 3,000 | 500 | 40 30 | 1,000 | 65, 000 | 75, 000 | 4,000 | 3,900 18,000 | 0 | 0 |  |
| 119 | St. Mary's College | h180 | 5 | 2,000 | 3,500 |  | 50 | 300,000 | 318, 313 | 14, 505 | 18, 0 | 10,000 | 0 | July |
| 120 | Lonisiana State University and Agricnltural and Mechanieal College.* | 0 | 4.65 | 17,000 8,000 | 3,500 | 50 | 400 | 300,000 50,000 | 318, 318 | 14, | 21,000 | 0 |  | July |
| 121 | St. Charles College................... | 50 | 4.65 | 8,000 2,000 |  | 50 | 400 | 50,000 80,000 |  |  | 21,000 | 0 |  | June. |
| 122 | Contonary College of Lonisiana .- | 40, 60 |  | 2,000 |  |  |  | 80,000 |  |  |  | 0 | 0 | Juno. |
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| 124 | Leland University $i$................. | 8 | 13. | 1,000 |  |  |  | 100,000 | 125, 000 | 5,000 | 1,500 |  |  | 16. |
| 125 | Now Orleans Univorsity ........... | $j 9$ | $2 \frac{1}{3}$ | 4, 500 | 500 | 4,000 |  | 20, 000 | 0 |  |  |  | 0 | Tune 16. |
| 126 | Southern University | 8 |  | 100 600 | 150 | 60 |  | 60, 000 | 0 |  | 2,100 | 0 | 2,000 | 23. |
| 127 | Straight Univorsity | 8 | 3 | [ $\begin{array}{r}600 \\ 000\end{array}$ | 4,000 | 6,000 |  | 77,000 | 950, 000 | 70,000 | 8,000 | 0 | 2,000 | 17. |
| 128 | Thlano University of Louisiana... | 50 7300 |  | l20, 0 co 5,000 | 4,000 | 5,000 |  | 40,000 | 350,000 | 70,000 | 8,000 | 0 |  | 17. |
| 129 | Jefierson Colloge (St. Mary's) .... | h300 |  | 5, 000 | 1,000 |  | 1,200 | 40,000 | 341,535 | 18, 008 | 11,919 | 0 | 45, 69)1 | June 24. |
| 130 | Bowdoin College | 75 | 2, ${ }^{2}-3 \frac{1}{2}$ |  |  |  | -1, 600 | 150,000 | 153,000 | 10,500 | 11,919 4,000 |  | 24,000 |  |
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| 132 | Colby University | - 45 | ${ }_{5}^{2}$ | $19,368$ $6,000$ | 9,000 | $\begin{array}{r}427 \\ 50 \\ \hline\end{array}$ |  | b120,000 | 327, 0 | 10, 0 | 4,000 | 8,200 | 6, | 11108 \%2. |
| 133 | St. John's College ....... | $40-90$ 100 | 5 | $\begin{array}{r} 6,000 \\ 26,000 \end{array}$ |  | 5, 000 |  | 631, 630 | $3,000,000$ | 220,777 | 12,720 | 0 |  | June. |
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| 135 | Loyela College ${ }^{+}$ | 60 |  | $\begin{array}{r} 12,000 \\ 9,000 \end{array}$ |  |  |  | 100,000 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| 137 | Rock Hill Colloge | $\begin{array}{r}60 \\ \hline 180\end{array}$ | 5 | 6,300 | 1,000 |  | 2,800 800 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| 139 | Mt. St. Mary's College | h300 |  | 10,000 3,000 | 1,800 | 150 | 1,500 | 150,000 15,600 |  |  | 2,746 | 800 |  | June 30. |
| 140 | Trederick Collogo | 25-60 |  | 000 |  |  |  | *50, 000 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 141 | Now Windsor College and Windser Femalo Collogo. | 45 | 41 |  | 200 |  |  | *50,000 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 142 | Weatern Maryland Colloge ....... | 35, 60 | $4 \frac{1}{2}$ | 4,000 |  |  | 1,500 |  | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 143 | Amherst Collego | 100 | 3-6 | 39,331 |  | 2, 280 | 5,855 | 486,000 300,000 | 700, 000 | 40,000 |  | 0 | $180,000$ $60,000$ | $\text { June } 21 .$ |
| 144 | Boston Collego | 60 |  | 12,000 | 2, 000 |  |  | 300, 000 | 0 | 30,000 | 10,000 030,000 | 0 | $\begin{array}{r} 60,000 \\ 110,000 \end{array}$ | $\text { Juno } 2 .$ |
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| 146 | Harvard Colleg | 150 | 33-84 | 220,300 | 220,300 | , 800 | 225,000 |  | , 803, 938 | 7037, 865 | ᄃ'377 |  |  |  |
| 147 | 'Tufts Collego. | 100 | $3 \frac{1}{2}-4 \frac{1}{2}$ | 20, 104 | 9, 000 |  | $\cdots$ | 500,000 400,000 | 700,000 $r 510,000$ | 40,000 $r 31,680$ | 7, 377 31,300 |  | 26,000 120,000 |  |
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| 149 | College of the Holy Cross* | 60 $\alpha 27$ |  |  |  |  |  | 125, 000 | 80,000 | $5,000$ | 0,1,500 |  |  | June 25. |
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| 195 | Alfred Univorsity ${ }^{\text {t }}$.-.............. | 36 |
| 196 | St. Bonaventiro's Collogo . . . . . . . | $g 200$ |
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| 201 | St. John's Colloge* . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 60 |
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| Namo. | Location. | Temarks. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| St. John's Collego of Arkanaras | Tittle Tock, Ark . | Closed. |
| Univorsity of tho Pacific ....... | Santa Clara, Cal... | Post-offico adtreas is now San José. |
| Abingdon Collego. | Alincrlon, 111.... | 'These colleges "have nuited, and the consolidated schcol is rinniu* vith great'mecess at Eureka." |
| Mnroka College Morris Collo | Enrceka, Ill $.1 . .$. Mt. Morris, I!... | Transferred to Table VI. |
| Illinois Industrial Univorsity | Urbana, Ili | Nam : changerl to University of Illinois. |
| St. John's Collego............. | Collegeville, Minn | Namo changed loy act of tle legislaturo of 1883 to St. John's University. |
| St. Joseph's Collogo | Buitalo, N. Y ..... | 'Tıansferved to 'rable VI. |
| St. Tonis College. | Now York, N. Y... | Tramsferred to Tablo VI. |
| Tichmond Collego . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | Richmond, Ohio ... | Information received carly in tho year 1885 to the effect that school was not held nt Richmond College during the school year 188'3-'84, aud no information has since beed received for 1854-8. ${ }^{-1}$. |
| Mosheim Institute. Add Ran Collego . | Mosheim, 'Temm .... | Tr:msforred to Tablo VII. <br> Sold to the Texas Orphan Home and School. |
| Presbyterian University of Sonthern Dakota.. | East Pierro, Dikk.. | Name changed to Pierro University. |

'TABLE 1X.-Unicersilies aud collcges from witich no information has bcen received.

| Name. | Location. | Namo. | Location. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Mlackburn University | Carlinville, Ill. | College of the Christain Brothers | St. Lonis, Mo. |
| St. Bonaventure's Colleg | Terio Mante, Ind. | Seton Hall College . . . . . . . . . . . | Sonth Orango, N.J. |
| Cecilian College ...................................................... | Cecilian, Ky. | Franklin Colloge | New Athens, Ohio. |
| Mirray Male and Femalo Instituto and West Kentucky Normal School. | Murray, Ky. | Bluo Mountain Universit y St. Joseph's Colloge ...... | La Ciando, Oreg. Philate!phia, Ia. |
| Coneord College . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | New Liberty, Ky. | Winchester Normal | Vinch"ster, Tenn. |
| Baltimore City Collego........................................................... | Baltimore, Md. | Waco University |  |
| Grand Traverse Colloge . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | Benzoni:1, Mich. | West Virginia Colleso | Flemington, W.Va. |
| Lewis Colloge . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .-................................ | Glasgow, Mo. |  |  |

Table X. -Part 1.-Statistics of schools of science (mining, ongineering, agriculture, manual training, fo.), endowed with the national land grant, for


| 13 | University | Urbana, Ill. (P. O. Champaign). | 1867 | 1868 | Selim II. Peabody, PIt. D., Ll. D., regent. |  |  |  | 25 |  | 217 | 70 | 17 | 44 | 12 | 41 | 8 | 42 | 13 | 23 | 6 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 14 | Purdne Universit | La l'ayette, In | 1872 | 1874 | James H. Smart, A.3., LL, 1 | 2 | 62 | 53 | 9 |  | 85 | 24 | 13 | 15 | 5 | 8 | 5 | 10 | 5 | 33 | 3 |
| 15 | Iowa Agricultura | Aines, Iow | 1869 | 1869 | S. A. Knapp, |  |  |  | 20 |  | 231 | 79 | 11 | 58 | 8 | 29 | 14 | 26 | 6 | 18 | 3 |
| 16 | Kansas State $\Delta$ gricultural College | Manhattan, Kans. | 1863 | 1863 | Georgo T. Fairchild, A. M.. |  |  |  | 17 |  | 334 | 199 | 72 | 43 | 28 | 24 | 12 | 11 | 5 | , | 5 |
| 17 | Agricultural and Mechanical ColIogo of Kentucky.* | Lexington, Ky.... | d1865 | d1866 | James K. Patterson, III. D., F. R. II. S., F. S. A. |  | 64 | 6 | 11 |  | 143 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 18 | Louisiana Stato Úniversity and) $\Delta$ grieultural and Mechanical College.* | Baton Rouge, La $\{$ | 1853 | $\begin{aligned} & 1860 \\ & 1874 \end{aligned}$ | $\left\{\begin{array}{c} \text { Col. James W. Nichel- } \\ \text { son, A. m. } \end{array}\right.$ |  | 53 |  | 4 | 0 | 40 | 17 |  | 15 |  |  |  | 8 |  | 0 | 1 |
| 19 | Maine State College of $\Lambda$ gricultnre and the Meclunic Arts. | Oreno, Me | 1865 | 1868 | M. C. Fernald, A. m., PII.D |  |  |  | 9 |  | 84 | 24 | 2 | 23 | 1 | 16 | 1 | 17 | 0 | 7 | 2 |
| 20 | Maryland A gricultnral Colloge.. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Agricnltural Col- } \\ & \text { loge, Md. } \end{aligned}$ | 1856 | 1859 | Au |  | 10 |  | 5 | 0 | 35 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 2 | 1 |
| 21 | Uniter S | Anuapolis, Md.... | 0 | 1845 | Capt. Francis M. Ramsay, <br> U. B. N., smporintendent. | 0 | 0 | 0 | 60 | 0 | 243 | 93 | 0 | 81 | 0 | 30 | 0 | 39 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 22 | Massachasetts Agricnltural College. | Ninherst, Mas | 1863 | 1867 | James C. Groonough, M. A. |  |  |  | 10 | 3 | 98 | 31 |  | 24 |  | 31 |  | 12 |  | 0 | 9 |
| 23 | Massachusetts Tastituto of Technology. | Boston, Mass | 1861 | 1865 | Francis A. Walker, II. D., LL. I). |  | $e 66$ | 0 | 61 | 5 | 368 | 191 | 2 | 85 | 0 | 59 | 1 | $\Omega 9$ | 1 | 211 | 3 |
| 24 | Michigan Stato $\Lambda$ grienltural Collego. | Agricnltural Colloge, Mich. | 1855 | 1857 | Edwin Willits, M. A . . . . . . |  |  | 0 | 15 |  | 150 | 63 | 2 | 26 | 1 | 26 |  | 32 |  | 19 | 7 |
| 25 | College of Agrienlture and Mechanic Arts, University of Minnesota. | Miunoapolls, Minn. | 1868 | 1867 | C |  | (c) | (a) | (a) | (a) | (a) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | (a) | (a) |
| 26 | Agricultural and Mechanical College of the State of Mississippi. | Agricultnral Colloge, Miss. | 1878 | 1880 | n. Ste | 6 | 234 | 0 | 13 |  | 178 | 84 | 0 | 61 | 0 | 20 |  | 13 |  | 22 | 9 |
| 27 | Alcorn A rivicnltural and Mechanical Colloge. | Rodnoy, Miss . . . . | 1871 | 1872 | Jo |  | 133 | 15 | 5 |  | 63 | 41 | 1 | 8 | 1 | 9 | 0 | 3 | 0 |  |  |
| 28 | Missouri $\Lambda$ gricnltnral and Mochanical Collego, University of Missontl.* | Colu | 1870 | 1870 | Samael S. Laws, A. M., M. <br> D., LI.D., prosidont; J.W. Sanborn, B. s., clean. | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 6 | 3 |  | 3 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 29 | Missouri School of Minos and Metallurgy, University of Missouri. | I | 1870 | 1871 | Sammol S. Latws, A. M., M. n., LIL. D., prosident; Chas. E. Wait, C.E., M. E., director. |  | 35 | 17 | 4 | 0 | 20 | 8 |  | 8 |  | 4 |  |  |  |  | 0 |
| 30 | Industrial Colloge of the Univorsity of Nebraska. ${ }^{*}$ | Lincol | 1869 | 1871 | Irving J. Manatt, PII. D., chancellor. |  |  | 0 | 5 | 0 | 13 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 31 | University of Novada | Elko, Nev |  | 1874 |  |  | (a) | (a) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 32 | New Hampshire Colloge of $\Lambda$ griculture and tho Mechanic $\Lambda$ rts.* | Hanover, | 1866 | 1866 | Georgo W. Nesmith, LL. D. |  |  |  | 8 |  | 28 | 2 |  | 8 |  | 7 |  | 11 |  |  |  |
| 33 | Ieutgora Scientific School (Rutgors College). | Now Brunswick, N.J. |  | 1865 | Morrill Edwards Gates, PII. D , LIL. I). |  |  |  | $a 1$ | 0 | 50 | 14 |  | 15 |  | 12 |  | 9 |  | 6 | (a) |
| 34 | Colloges of Engincering, $A$ gricult. nro, Arehitectnre. Mechanic Aris, \&e. (Cornoll Univorsity). | Ithaca, N. Y ..... | 1865 | 1868 | Hon. Andrew Dickson White, LI. D. $f$ |  | 0 | 0 | (a) | (a) | (a) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | ) | (a) |
|  | * From Irepert of tho Commissione 1883-'84. <br> a Reported with classical dopartmen <br> $b$ Engineoring students only. | f Education for (soo Table IX). | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Ros } \\ & \Lambda s \end{aligned}$ | od; <br> depa <br> roo | ncceodod by $\Lambda$ lox. Q. Ioll mont of Kentucky Unive anized ln 1880. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { lay, } \\ & \text { ity } \end{aligned}$ | A. M. rech | art |  | ince |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Table X．－Part 1．－Statistics of schools of science（mining，engincoring，fe．）endowed with the national land grant，for 1884－85，\＆．c．－Continued．

|  | Name． | Location． |  |  | President． | Proparatory dopartment． |  |  | Sciontific department． |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | ta． |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { orps } \\ & \text { setruc. } \end{aligned}$ ion. |  |  |  |  | Stu | lent |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \dot{\text { on }} \\ & \text { o } \\ & \text { 명 } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  | ond <br> ar． |  |  | $\left\lvert\, \begin{array}{r} \text { Fou } \\ \text { yoa } \end{array}\right.$ |  |  | $\left\lvert\, \begin{array}{\|l} \stackrel{\rightharpoonup}{g} \\ \stackrel{y y y}{c} \end{array}\right.$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 烒 | 言 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 足 } \\ & \text { 品 } \\ & \text { En } \end{aligned}$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 昫菏 } \\ & \text { 馬 } \\ & \text { से } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 号 } \\ & \text { 品 } \end{aligned}$ |  | 荡 |  | 品 |  | 坒 |  |  |  |
|  | 1 | ๕ | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | 16 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 14 | 10 | $1{ }^{19}$ | 20 | 21 |
| 35 | United States Military Academy． | West Point，N．Y． |  | 1802 | Col．Wealey Merritt，Bvt． <br> Maj．Gen．，U．B．A．，Bu－ |  |  |  | 51 | 0 | 310 | 99 | $\ldots$ | 66 |  | 67 |  | 78 |  |  |  |
| 26 | $\Lambda$ gricultural and Mechanical Col－ lego，University of North Caro－ lina． | Chapel Hill，N．C ． | 1789 | 1875 | Hon．Kemp P．Battle，LL．D | 0 | 0 | 0 | （a） | ．．．．．． | （a） | ．．．．．．．． |  |  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  | ．．．． | （a） | （a） |
| 37 | Olio State University ．．．．．．．．．．．． | Columbus，Ohio．．． | 1870 | 1873 | William H．Scott．．．．．．．．．．． |  | 688 | 65 | 20 | 0 | 89 | 34 | 3 | 31 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 10 |  |  | （a） |
| 38 | State Agricultural Collego ．．．．．．． | Corvallis，Oreg， | 1854 | 1872 | B．L．Arnold，A．M．．．．．．．．．． |  | 25 | 15 17 | 5 |  | 108 43 | 18 |  |  |  |  |  |  | i |  |  |
| 40 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 2 | 3 | 0 | 8 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 9 | 2 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 41 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | （a） | （a） |
| 42 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | － 0 | 0 |
| 43 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | a4 |
| 44 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 0 | 25 | 0 | 11 | 0 |  |  |  | 1 |
| 45 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | （a） | （a） |
| 46 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 24 | ．．． | 12 | ．．．． | 5 |  | 8 | 12 |




Table X．－Part 1．－Statistics of schools of science（mining，engineering，f．c．）endowed with the national land grant，for 1884－＇85，fe．－Continued．

|  |  |  | $\stackrel{\dot{\infty}}{\stackrel{\rightharpoonup}{a}}$ | $4$ | 告 |  |  | Librar |  |  |  | Proper | y，income | \＆e． |  |  |
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|  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { ⿷匚⿳⿻コ一冖巾: } \\ \text { 镸 } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { w } \\ & \text { تِ } \\ & \text { In } \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 00 \\ & \text { Ho } \\ & \text { \% } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { g } \\ & \text { 怱 } \end{aligned}$ | Gene | ral libr |  | $\begin{aligned} & \stackrel{\rightharpoonup}{\circ} \\ & \stackrel{0}{0} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ion } \\ & \text { 感 } \end{aligned}$ | 号 | $\stackrel{\circ}{3}$ | 䔍 | 范。 | $\begin{aligned} & \stackrel{\rightharpoonup}{\ddot{D}} \\ & \stackrel{B}{2} \end{aligned}$ |
|  | Name． | $\begin{aligned} & \text { III } \\ & \text { ode } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0 \\ & \text { © } \\ & \text { む } \\ & \dot{4} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 号 } \\ & \text { 云宫 } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { g } \\ & \text {. } \\ & \text {. } \end{aligned}$ |  | 安 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { \$ } \\ & \text { ! } \\ & \text { In } \end{aligned}$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { \#ٌ } \\ & \text { 号 } \\ & \text { me } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { \& } \\ & \stackrel{y}{0} \\ & \text { O} \end{aligned}$ | 茄 |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\stackrel{\otimes}{巳}$ | E. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { on } \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 哭 } \\ & \text { 8 } \end{aligned}$ | 8. | 号 | $\stackrel{\circ}{g}$ | 造 | 目管 | 感 | 范 | gig | 年呂 | きis | ¢ |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \mathbb{W} \\ & \stackrel{W}{\delta} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Ho } \\ & \text { + } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & { }_{n}^{2} \\ & H \end{aligned}$ | $\stackrel{\Phi}{\underset{\delta}{\delta}}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 500 \\ & \text { ज5 } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \circ \\ & 4 \\ & \hline \text { 4 } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ๙ू } \\ & \text { 世్ర } \end{aligned}$ | . |  |  | 叁 |  | $\underset{\sim}{4}$ | H్u | $\begin{aligned} & \stackrel{\rightharpoonup}{*} \\ & \stackrel{\rightharpoonup}{\theta} \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { む. } \\ & \text { 靣 } \\ & \text { 劳 } \end{aligned}$ |  | Number | $\begin{aligned} & \text { W } \\ & \text { 品 } \\ & \text { 号 } \end{aligned}$ | 寻 |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 呂 } \\ & \text { 品 } \\ & \text { ² } \end{aligned}$ |  | 彦 号 |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 苛 } \\ & \text { 品 } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { O} \\ & \text { 弟 } \\ & \text { Han } \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { \% } \\ & \text { ષ́ } \\ & \text { ค̈ } \end{aligned}$ |
|  | 1 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | $3 \mathfrak{}$ | 33 | 34 | 35 | 36 |
| 41 | South Carolina College of A griculture and the Mechanic Arts（University of South |  | a5 | 4 | 40 | \＄0 | a27，000 | a2， 000 | $a 100$ | $a 1000$ | $a \$ 317,600$ | $a \$ 95,500$ | $\alpha \$ 5,700$ | \＄0 | $a \$ 17,500$ | June 23. |
|  | Carolina）． <br> Claflin University and South Carolina |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 42 | Clafin University and South Carolina Agricultural College and Mechanics＇ Institate． | 0 | 0 | 4 | 33 | 3 | （b） |  |  | （b） | 12，000 | ＊95， 750 | 5， 800 | 0 |  | June 2. |
| 43 | University of Tennessee（Tennessee A gri－ cultural College）． |  | 63） | 4 | 40 | c40 | （b） | （b） | （b） | （b） | （b） | 6405， 000 | b24， 410 | （b） | $\cdots \cdots \cdots$ | June 9. |
| 44 | State Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas． | 0 |  | 3 | 39 | 0 | 1，200 | 500 | 30 | 200 | 250， 000 | 209， 000 | 14，280 | 0 | 20，000 | June 1. |
| 45 | University of Vermont and State Agricult－ ural College． | ．．． | （b） | 4 | 38 | 45 | （b） |  |  |  | （b） | （b） | d8， 130 | （b） | ．．．．．．．．．． | June． |
| 46 | Virginia Agricultural and Mechanical Col－ lege． | ＊200 |  | 4 | 42 | 0 | 2，000 | 500 | 0 | 0 | 150， 000 | 350， 000 | 21，000 | 0 | 0 | July 1. |
| 47 | Hampton Normal and Agricnltaral Insti－ tate． | ．．．．． | 659 | 3 | 40 | e70 | 3， 562 | ．．．．．．．． | 562 | 0 | 400，000 | $f 09,959$ | 5，022 | 25，540 | g10， 329 | May 20. |
| 48 | Agricaltural department of West Virginia |  |  |  | 40 | 0 | （b） |  |  |  | （b） | （b） | （b） | （b） | （b） | June 11. |
| 49 | University． College of Arts，University of Wisconsin ．． |  | $b 10$ | 4 | 38 | 0 | （b） |  | （b） |  | （b） | （b） | （b） | （b） | （b） | June 23. |

＊From Report of the Commissioner of Education for cFree to State students．for oniversity fund $\quad f$ Does not include amount arising from sale of Congree－ IX．$\quad g$ Income from land grant
a Reported with classical department（see Table IX）．

STATISTICAL TABLES．

Table X．－Part 2．－Statistics of schools and of collegiate departments of science（mining，enginecring，agriculture，manual training，fe．）not endowed with the national land grant，for 1884－＇85；from replies to inquiries by the United States Burcau of Educalion．

| 1 |  |  |  |  |  | Pre | para | tory ent． |  |  |  |  | ienti | fic | epar | tmen |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | don |  | $\xrightarrow{\text { Of in }}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { rpp } \\ & \text { struc- } \end{aligned}$ on. |  |  |  |  | Stu | lent |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Name． | Location． | $\stackrel{4}{1}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { dig } \\ & \text { g } \end{aligned}$ | President． |  |  |  | 苞 |  |  | $\underset{\text { yea }}{\text { Fir }}$ |  | $\underset{y}{\text { Scc }}$ | ond ar. |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ird } \\ & \text { ar. } \end{aligned}$ | $\underset{\mathrm{y}}{\mathrm{F}}$ | rth | 志 | 9 <br> 5 <br> 5 |
|  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Ö } \\ & \text { ( } \\ & \text { \& } \\ & \text { ค̈ } \end{aligned}$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { H. } \\ & \text { 者 } \\ & \text { H } \end{aligned}$ | ज⿹\zh26灬ゴ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \stackrel{\oplus}{\text { g }} \\ & \text { • } \end{aligned}$ |  | $\stackrel{\oplus}{\stackrel{9}{5}}$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & \text { B } \\ & z \\ & 4 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 15 | 19 | 20 | 21 |
|  | A．－Schools of mining，enai－ neering，agriculture，ec． |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 | School of Practical Civil，Mining， and Mechanical Engineering， Surveying，and Drawing． | San Francisco，Cal． | ．．．． | 1862 | A．van der Naillen ．．．．．．．．． | 2 | 26 | 8 |  |  | 48 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 20 | $\ldots$ |
| 2 | Chaffey College of Agriculture （University of Southern Cali－ fornia）． | Ontario，Cal．．．．．．． |  | 1885 | W．F．Wheeler |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\ldots$ | ． | ．．．． |  | ．．．． |  |  |  |  |
| 3 | Department of Science（Colorado College）． | Colorado Springs， Colo． |  |  | Geo．H．Parsons，secretary |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 15 |  |
| 4 | State School of Mines＊．．．．．．．．．．． | Golden，Colo | 1874 | 1874 | Regis Chauvenet ．．．．．．．．．．． |  |  |  | 7 |  | 17 |  | $\theta$ |  |  | 3 |  | 2 |  | 27 | 0 |
| 5 | Storrs Agricultural School．．．．．．．． | Mansfleld，Conn ．． | 1881 | 1881 | B．F．Koons，PH．B．，M．A．， principal． |  |  |  | 3 |  | 38 | 11 |  | 27 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 2 |
| 6 | Atlanta University $a . . . . . . . . . . .$. | Atlanta，Ga |  |  | Thomas N．Chase，acting president． |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 7 | Rose Polytechnic Institute＊．．．．．． | Terre Haute，Ind． | 1874 | 1883 | Clarence A．$^{\text {．Waldo，A．M．，}}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 45 | 16 | ．．．． | 26 | ．．．． | 3 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 8 | Technical dcpartment，St．John＇s College． | Annapolis，Md．．．． |  | 1883 | vice－president． <br> Wm．H．Hopkins，A．M．， acting president． |  |  |  | $\cdots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\ldots$ |

Table X.—Part 2.-Statistics of schools and of collegiate departments of science (mining, engineering, fo.) not endowed, fo.-Continued.

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| 18 | Thayer School of Civil Engineer． ing（Dartmonth College）． | － |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 19 | Stevons Institute of＇Iechnology ．－ | Hoboken，N．J ．．． | 1870 |
| 20 | John C．Green School of Science （College of New Jersey）．＊ | Priuceton，N．J ．． | 1746 |
| 21 | Cooper Ünion Free Night Schools of Science and Art．＊ | Now York，N．Y ．． | 1857 |
| 22 | Hebmw Technical Instituto．．．． | New York，N．Y． <br> （129 Crosby st．）． | 1884 |
| 23 | School of Mines of Columbia Col． lege． | Now York，N．Y ．． | 1754 |
| 24 | Scientific Department，Univor－ sity of the City of New York． | Now York，N．V ．． | 1830 |
| 25 | School of Civil Engineering of Union Colloge． | Schenectady，N． Y． | 1795 |
| 26 | Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute． | Troy，N．Y．．．．．．．． | 1826 |
| 27 | Industrial and Art Sohool of the Ohio Mechanies＇Iustitute． | Cincinnati，Ohio ．． |  |
| 28 | Case School of Applied Seionce＊．． | Cleveland，Ohio ．． | 1880 |
| 29 | School of Engineering and Cbom－ istry（Western University of Peunsylvauia）． | Alloghony，Pa．．．． |  |
| 30 | Industrial School for Miners and Mechanics． | Drifton，Pa．．．．．．． |  |
| 31 | Pardee Seiontific Department of Lafayette College． | Easton，Pa．．．．．．．． | 1826 |
| 32 | Trauklin Institute | Philadelphia， $\mathbf{P a}$ | 1824 |
| 83 | Spring Garden Institute | Philadelphia，Pa．． | 1851 |
| 84 | Towne Sciontifio School，Univer－ sity of Pennsylvania． | Philadelphia，Pa．． | 1755 |
| 85 | W agner Free Institute of Science． | Philalelphia，Pa．． | 1855 |
| 86 | Scbools of Civil and Mechanical Engineoring，Mining．and Met－ allurgy（Lohigh University）． | South Bothlohem， Pa． | 1866 |
| 37 | Scienee department（Swarthmore College）． | Swartlimore，Pa ．． | 1864 |

Table X.-Pant 2.-Statistics of schools and of collegiale departments of science (mining, engineering, fo.) not endowed, fo.-Continued.



* From Report of the Cominissioner of Edncation for 1883-'84.
$a$ Reported with classical dopartment (see Table IX).
$b$ Theso statistics aro from a retmm made a fow days after the opening of the school, October 22, 1885.
$c$ Includes some prinary aud internctiate stadents.




e An estimate of tho original endowment of the school.
$f$ 'She plaso of this college is suppliert by the Massachusets.s $\Lambda$ gricitltural Colloge at Amhorst. Each
successfinl candidute is allowed, om entering tho smecessfin candidute is allowed, on entering tho
colloge, to matricmlato also in Boston University, and at gradiation may receive his dogree at tho
hands of the university, with n diploma entitiog hamds of tho univorsity, with $n$ diploma entition

O depmetiment for elective gridunto study only. not excepding oight at any one time, of the annual
valne of $\$ 150$ each, for graduates of the State nor-
mul schools.

| 20 | John C. Green School of Scienco (College of Now Jersey).* |
| :---: | :---: |
| 21 | Cooper (Jniont Froo Night Schools of Scionce and Art* |
| 22 | Hebrow 'Technical Institute |
| 23 | School of' Minos of Colimubia Colleg |
| 24 | Scientifle Dopartmont, University of tho City of New York. |
|  | School of Civil Enginecring of Union Collog |
| 26 | Ronssolaer Polytechnio Institnito |
| 27 | Indinatrial and Art Scbool of the Ohio Mochanics' Institute. |
| 28 | Citse Sehool of Applied Scie |
| 29 | School of Engineoring and Chomistry (Western University of P'ennsylvania). |
| 0 | Industrial School for Miners nnd Moclianle |
| 31 | Pardee S'clentifle Dopartment of Lafayetto |
| 39 | Franklin Instituto |
| 33 | Spring Garden Ius |
| 34 | Towne Scientifie School, University of Ponnsylvania* |
| 35 | Wagner Eree Instituto of Science |
| 36 | Schools of Civil aud Mechanical Engineoringr, Mining, and Metallirgy (Leehigh University). |
| 7 | Science department, (Swarthmore Colloge) |
| 38 | Norwich Univorsity |
| 89 | School of Civil and Military Engineoring (Washington mad Leeo Tniversity).* |
| 40 | Virginin Militay Instlinte |
| 41 | New Markot Polytechnio Inatitute |
| 42 | Sciontific departmont, Unirersity of V |
| 43 | Agricultural Collogo. |
|  | B. - Manual training scliools. |
| 44 | University of Donvor Manual 'Trainimg School |
| 45 | Clicago Mannal 'Training School |
| 46 | Mamal 'I'ratuing Sehool of 'T'ulano Univorsity |
| 47 | Boltinoro Manual 'Lraining School |

* From Report of the Commissioner of Education for
a Reported with classical dopartment (soo Tablo IX).
$b$ Atlanta University, ulthongh not fonnded under it nct of Congress entablishing agricnltaral colloges,
recoives anamual apprapriation of $\$ 8,000$ from tho reconves an animal appropriation of 88,000 froni tho tled "An net equitably to ndjust tho daims of the colTho nniversity is bonnd to roceive, froe of charge for a Freo to residonts of Vigo County, Indiana.
Table X.-Part 2.-Statistics of schools and of collegiate departments of science (mining, engineoring, fe.) not cndowad, fe.-Continued.


STATISTICAL TABLES.

Table XI.-Statistics of schools of theology for 1884-'85; from replies to inquiries by the United States Burean of Education.

Table XI.-Statistics of schools of theology for 1884-'85, f'c.--Continued.

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Cor | of in tion. | truc. |
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|  | Namo. | Iocation. |  |  |  | President. |  |  |  |
|  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
| 23 | Theological departmont of Tıombard University .. | Galesburg, 11 |  | 1881 | Unirersalist. | Tev. N. White, PI | 6 | 1 |  |
| 24 | Theological department of McKendrce College ... | Lebanon, Ill | 1834 |  | Meth. Episcopal. | Rov. William H.Swahlen, A. M., III. D.. | 1 | 0 |  |
| 25 | Wartburg Seminary ...... ................-. .-. | Mendota, Ill. | 1875 | 1853 | Evan. Lutheran. | Rev. S. Fritschel, D. D ................... | 4 |  |  |
| 26 | Baptist Union Theological Seminary | Morcran Park, Ill | 1864 | 1867 | Baptist...... | Rev. George WV. Northrup, D. D., L. D |  |  |  |
| 27 | Union Biblical Institrito .-. | Napervillo, Ill |  |  | Evan. Associat'u | Bishop J.J. Esher...................... | 3 |  |  |
| 28 | Augustana Thcological Seminar | Rock Island, Ill | 1865 | 1863 | Evan. Lutheran. | Rov. Tuvey N. Hasselquist, D. D....... | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| 29 | Concordia Sominary ............. | Springficka, Ill. | 1879 | 1874 | Lutheran ....... | Prof. A. Craemor ................ | 4 |  | 0 |
| 30 | Theological department of Shurtleff Colloge | Upper Alton, Il | 1835 | 1827 | Baptist ......... | Rev. A. A. Keudrick, D. D | 3 |  |  |
| 31 | Wheaton Theological Sominary .--................. | Wheaton, 111. | 1880 | 1881 | Wes. Methodist. | Leminel N. Stratton..... | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| 32 | School of Theology of Delauw University ........ | Grecncastlo, In | 1837 | 1837 | Meth. Episcopal. | Rev.S. L. Bowman, A. M., s. T. D., dean. | 5 |  | 0 |
| 83 | Berean dopartment of Union Christian Collcgo *- | Mcrom, Ind..... |  | 1879 | Christian ..-... | Rev. Elisha MudgG..................... | 8 | 2 | 4 |
| 34 | St. Meinrad's Ecclesiastical Seminary* ............ | St. Moinrad, Ind | 0 | 1860 | Roman Catholic. | Rt. Rov. Fintan Mundwiler, O. s. B., abbot. | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| 35 | Norwegian Augustana Seminary ....-............. | Beloit, Iowa |  | 1874 | Luthoran | Rev. David Lysnos, senior prefessor ... | 1 | 1 |  |
| 30 | Thcological departmont of Griswold College* .... | Davenport. Iowa | 1859 | 1860 | Prot. Episcopal | Rt. Rov. William Stevens Pcrry, D. D., LL. D. | 3 |  | 3 |
| 37 | Gorman Prcsbyterian Theelogical Schoel of the Northwest.* | Duluque, Iow: | 1871 | 1856 | Presbyterian ...- | LL. D. <br> Rev. Ambrose C. Smitlı, presidont board of directors. | 3 |  | 2 |
| 38 |  | Mt. Pleasant, Iow | 1873 | 1873 | Gor. M. Epis ... | Rev. William Balcke, A. M . . . . . . . . . . . . | 3 |  |  |
| 39 | Biblo dopartnient of Oskaloosa Collego............. | Oskaloosa, Iowa | 1857 | 1872 | Christian ...... | R. II. Johnson, A. M . . . . . | 1 |  |  |
| 40 | Danville Thoological Seminary $a$.................... | Danville, Ky. | 1854 | 18:53 | Presbytorian ... | R. A. Johnstone, secretary | 1 |  |  |
| 41 | Collcge of the Bible .-...-...-.......................... | Loxington, Ky | 1865 | 1865 | Christian ....... | Robort, Graham, A. M ... | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| 42 | Proston Park Theological Seminary* .-............. | Lonisville, Ky |  | 1870 | Roman Catholic. | Very Rev. George McCloskey . . . . . - . - . | 2 |  | 0 |
| 43 | Sonthern Baptist Theological Scminary .-.......... | Lunisvillo, Ky | 1876 | 1859 | Baptist ........ | Rov. Jamos I'. Boyce, D. D., Lh. D ........ | 6 | 0 | 1 |
| 44 | 'Theological departmont of State University...... | Lonisvillo, K y | 1865 | 1879 | Baptist .-....... | Rev. William J. Simmons, D. D .......... | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 45 | Crilbert Maven Scliool of The Togy (New Orleans University). | New Orleans, La | 1873 | 1866 | Meth. Episcopal | Almon F. Hoyt, acting president ...... | 2 | 6 | 0 |
| 46 | Theological demartment of Leland University.... | New Orlcans, La |  |  | Baptist |  | 3 |  |  |
| 47 | 'Theological department of Straight University* | New Orloans, La | 1869 | 1870 | Congregational - | Rev. Walter S. Aloxander, D, D ......... | 1 |  | 0 |
| 48 | Bangor Theologieal Seminary* ...................... | Bangor, Me | 1814 | 1816 | Congregational. | Rev. Levi I. l'aino, D. D... | 5 |  | 4 |
| 49. | Bates Collego Theologieal School | Lowiston, Mo |  | 1870 | Freo Baptist.... | Rev. O. B. Cheney, D. D...................... | 4 | 0 |  |




| Centenary Biblical Institute. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | Baltimore, Md. (cor, Fulton street und Eflmonson avemits). | 1867 | 1872 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Theolonical Seminary of St. Sulpice and St. Mary's University. | Baltímore, Md... | 1800 | 1791 | Roman Catholic. | Very Rev. A. Magnien, s. s., v. v....... |
|  | Kmmittsbnr | 1828 | 1808 | Roman Cathollo. |  |
| Scholasticate of the Congregation of tho Most Moly Iedcemer, Mt. St. (Jlemont. | Ilchostor, M |  | 1868 | Roman Catholic. |  |
|  |  | 1881 | 1882 | Methorlint Prot. | R |
|  | Audover, Mas | 1807 | 1808 | Congregational |  |
| 13oston University School of | Poston, Mass | 1869 | 1847 | Meth. Eplscopal | William IF. Warren, 8. T. D. |
| Divinity School of II | Cambridge, M | 1650 | 1819 | Non-scet......... | C. W. Eliot, ll. D., presidont; Rov. C. C. Everett, D. D., dean. |
|  | Cambria | 1867 | 1867 | Prot. Tpiscopal. | Rov. (reorgoZabriskio Gray, D. D., doan |
| Tufts Collego Divinlty |  | 1852 | 1869 | Universal | İev. H. H. Copen. D. D |
| Newton 'T'heolovical | Nowton Contr | 1826 | 1825 | Baptist | Rev. Alvali Ilovoy, ). |
| Now Chmreh 'Theological Schoo | Waltham, Ma | 0 | 1866 | Now Chmre | Rev. John Worcesto |
| School of Theology ( A drian Colla | Adrian, Mleh | 1859 | 1878 | Mothodist Pr | Rev. G. B. Me ${ }^{\text {Slroy, I. D., Phi. In, dean. }}$ |
| Theological department of IIfls |  | 1855 | 1873 | Freo Baptist | Rev. Ransom ! Mnn, J. J |
| 'I'boological departmont of Hop | Holland, |  | 1867 | İvformed ©. A. | Resv. Charles sicott, D. D., president of Hope College. |
| St. John's Unive | Collag | c 1857 | c 1857 | Toman Catholio. | Rt. Rov, Alexius Edelbrock, O. 8. נ.... |
| Seabury Divinlt | Fariba | 1860 | 1860 | Trot. Episcopal | Rt. Rov. Memry B. Whipplo, D. D. |
| Angsburg Sominary | Minneapolls | 1874 | 1869 | Lutheran | Prof. Georg Svord |
| Red Wing Norwegian Evaugelical Luthoran Sominary. | Red Wing, | 1879 | 1879 | Lintheran | A. Wecnaas |
| Tackson Collego |  | 0 | 1877 | Baptist ......... | Rev. C. Ay |
| St. Vincent's Colloge and 'Theological Sominary.. | Capo Girar | 1843 | 1844 | Roman Catholic. | Rov. P. McInala, C. M. |
| Jeromiah Vardeman School of 'Theology in William Jowell College. | Liborty, Mo | 1849 | 1868 | Baptist .......... | İUv. W. IR. |
| Evangelical 'r'heological Semin |  | 1850 | 1850 | Ger. Evv. Synod.. | Rov. Louis Inue |
| Ooncordia College (Sominary) | St. Lonis, Mo | 1853 | 1839 | Jiv. Lintheran . . . | Rov. C. F. WV. Walth |
| Theological dopartment of Contral Wosloyan Colloge. | Warrenton, | 1864 | 1804 | Moth. Episcopal | Ror. H. A. Koclr, D. D |
| Gorman Congregational Theological Sen | C | 1882 | 1878 | Congregational. | Rov. Willinm Siiess, cha |
| 'Theological Institute* | Santeo 4 gen |  |  | Congregrational. | Alfred 1. Ricgen, principal |
| (iorman 'I'hoological Seho | 13loonfiold, | 1871 | 1869 | Presbyterian ... | Rov. (Bharles Li. Knox, 1). $)$ |
| Drew Theological Sominary* | Malinon, N. J | 1867 | 1887 | Meth. Episeopal | Rov. Henry A. Inntit, 1), D............... |
| Theological Seminary of the leformed (Duteh) Chmrel in Amerlas. | Now Ibrunswi | 0 | 1785 | Ieformed Dutch | Kev. Samucl M. Woolbridge, D. I)., LW. J., dean. |
| 'Theological Sominary of tho Irosby torian Chur | T | 1822 | 1812 | Presbyterian ... | Iiev. Win. Henry Green, D. D., LL. D., senlor professor. |
| Diocesth |  | 0 | 1856 | . | Vory Liov. William L. Salt, A. M., dlreetor. |
| t. Bonav | Allogany | 1875 | 1859 | oman Catholic. | Very Rev. Fr. Theop. Pospisilik, O. s. F. |
| ron Report of tho Commissioner of Edncation for 1883-' 0 | $b$ Partially ondowed c 'This department, |  |  |  |  |
| 'his report is for tho year onding April 16, 1884, at | reopenod in Iocen | er, | , | vas makt tho | in 18 |
| which timo tho seminary way in a stato of partial entspersion. | Westorn Seminary $\Delta$ morlea in June, 188 | $o f^{\prime} t$ $85 .$ | İef | mod Clurch in | $f$ In councetion with normal achool. g $\boldsymbol{\Delta}$ ssist cal by collego professors. |



As St. John's Seminary; becane St. John's Unirersity
in 1883 .
In connection with normal achool. a Assisted by collero professors. reopened in Docember, 1884 , and was made tho
Western Seminary of the Lieformed Cluarch in Amorlea in June, 1885.
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Table XI.—Statistics of schools of theology for 1884-'85, \&.c.-Continued.

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|  | Namo. | Location. |  |  |  | President. |  |  |  |
|  | 1 | æ | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
| 83 | Auburn Theological Seminary. | Auburn, N. Y.............. | 1820 | 1821 | Presbyterian ... |  | 6 |  |  |
| 84 | Canton Theological School. | Canton, N. |  | 1858 |  | professor. <br> Rev. Isaac Morgan Atwood, v. D.... | 3 | 1 |  |
| 85 | Hamilton Theological Seminary | Hamilton, N. $\mathbf{Y}$. | 1819 | 1820 | Baptist.. | Rev. Ebenczer Dodge, D. D., LL. D ........ | 5 | 1 | 3 |
| 86 | Hartwick Seminary, theological department...... | Hartwick Seminary, N. Y. | 1816 | 1815 | Lutheran ......... | Rev. James Pitcher, A. M., principal.... | 3 | 1 |  |
| 87 | General Theological Seminary of the Protcstant Episcopal Church. | New York, N. Y........... | 1822 | 1820 | Prot. Episcopal. | Rev. Eugene Aug. Hoffman, D. D., dean. | 6 | 6 |  |
| ${ }_{1} 8$ | Union Theological Seminary* ..................... | New York, N. Y. $(1200$ Park ave.). | 1839 | 1836 | Presbjterian ... | Rev. I. D. Hitchcock, D. D., LL. D...... | 7 |  | 6 |
| 83 | Rochcster Theological Seminar | Roclucster, N. Y........... | 1850. | 1851 | Baptist |  | 10 |  |  |
| 90 | Christian Biblical Instituto*. | Standfordville, $\mathrm{N} . \mathrm{Y}$...... | 1870 | 1870 | Christian | Rev.J.B. Weston, A. M., D. D | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 91 | Seminary of Our Lady of Angels | Suspension Bridge, N. Y . | 1883 | 1856 | Roman Catholic. | Very Rev. P. V. Kavanagh, | $\stackrel{3}{6}$ | 4 |  |
| 92 | St. Joseph's Provincial Seminary. | Troy, N. Y |  | 1864 | Roman Catholic. | Very Rev. Hi. Gabriels, D. ${ }^{\text {d }}$ | 7 |  |  |
| ${ }_{94}^{93}$ | Theological department of Biddle Uni versity... | Charlotte, N. | 1877 | 1868 | Presbyterian... | Rev. Willixm A. Hollidav, D. D........... | 2 |  |  |
| 95 | Theological department of St. Augustine's Normal | Conover, N. N . ${ }^{\text {Cob }}$ | 1881 | 1876 | Lutheran ....... | Rev. Polycarp Cyprian Henkel, D. D... Rev. Robert B. Sutton, D. D., principal.. | 5 | i |  |
| ${ }^{4}$ | School. |  |  |  | Prot. Episcopal. | . |  | 1 | 1 |
| ${ }_{97}^{96}$ | Theological department of Shaw University. | Raleigh, N. O | 1874 | 1865 | Baptist......... | Rev. H. M. Tupper, A. м |  |  |  |
| 97 | Theological department of Zion Wesley College.. | Salisbury, N. C |  |  | Af. Meth. Epis. | Rev. Joseph C. Price, A. M .............. | 4 |  |  |
| 98 | Theological department of Trinity College* | Trinity, N. C | 1852 | 1852 | Meth. Epis. So .. | Rev. Marquis L. Wood, D. | 1 |  |  |
| ${ }_{k} 9$ | Theological department of German Wallace Collece. | Berea, Ohio. | 1864 | 1864 | Meth. Episcopal | Rev. William Nast, D. D . | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| 100 | St. Charles Borromeo Theological Seminary ...... | Carthagena, Ohio |  | 1864 | Roman Catholic. | Rev. Theopistus Wittmer, c. PP. B., di- | $a 19$ |  |  |
| 101 | Lane Theological Seminary | Cincinnati, Ohio | 1829 | 1832 | Presbyterian ... | rector. R Rov. John De Witt, D. D., chairman of | 6 | 0 | 5 |
| 102 | St. Mary's Thcological Semin | ela |  |  |  | faculty. |  |  |  |
| 113 | German Lutheran Saminary- |  | 1830 | 1830 | Ev. Lutheran... | Rev. M. A. Moes. | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| 104 | Union Biblical Seminary | Dayton, Ohio | 1871 | 1871 | U. ${ }_{\text {B }}$. in Christ.. | Rev. George A. Funk | 4 |  | 0 |

Table XI:-Statistics of schools of theology for 1884-'85, \&o.-Continued.

|  | Name. | Location. |  |  |  | Prosident. | Corps of instruetion. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
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|  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | $y$ | 8 | 9 |
| 136 | Theological department of Contral Tennessee | Nashville, Tenn | 1866 | 1866 | Meth. Episcopal | Rer. John Braden, D. D | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| 137 | Theological department of Roger Williams Uni- | Nashvillo, Tenn ........... | 1883 | 1865 | Baptist......... | Rev. D. W. Phillips, D. D ................ | 2 |  | 0 |
| 138 | Theological department of Vanderbilt University- | Nashville, Tenn | 1872 | 1875 | Meth. Epis. So .. | Landon C. Garlaid, A. M., LL. D., chan- | 5 | 1 | 4 |
| 139 | Theological department, University of the South. | Sewanee, Tenn | 1856 | 1876 | Prot. Episcopal. | ${ }_{\text {Rev. Telfair Hodmson, D. D., vice-chat- }}^{\text {collor }}$ | 3 | 3 |  |
| 140 | Theological dopartment of Baylor University*.... | Independence, Tex | 1845 | 1866 | Baptist. | Rev. William Carey Crane, D. D., LL. D.. | 2 | 10 |  |
| 141 | Theological department of Bishop College........ | Marshall, Tex ..... | 1885 | 1881 | Baptist | Rov. S. W. Culver, A. H............... | 6 | 10 |  |
| 142 | Union Theological Seminary........................ | Hampden Sidnoy College, Va. | 1867 | 1824 | Presbyterian ... | Rov. B. M. Smith, D. D., LL. D., librarian. | 5 | 0 | 5 |
| 143 | Richmond Instituto...-............................ | Richmond, Va ............. | 1876 | 1867 | Baptist......... | Rev. Charles II. Corey, A. M., D. D | 5 |  | 2 |
| 144 | Protestant Episcopal Theological Seminary of Virginia. | Theological Seminary, Va. | 1854 | 1823 | Prot. Episcopal. | Rev. Joseph Packard, D. D., dean....... | 6 | 1 |  |
| 145 | Mission IIouso. | Franklin, Wis | 1868 | 1862 | Reformed....... | Rev. H. A. Muehlmcier, D. D | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| 146 | Luther Sominary | Madison, Wis |  | 1876 | Ev. Lutheran... | Rev. F. A. Schmidt | 3 |  |  |
| 147 | Lutheran Theological Scminary of the Synod of Wisconsin. | Milwaukce, Wis | 1867 | 1878 | Ev. Lutheran... | Rev. $\Delta$ d. Hoenccko. | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| 148 | Nashotah Honse ${ }^{*}$...........-................... | Nashotab, Wis | 1847 | 1845 | Prot. Episcopal. | Rer. arel D. Colo, D. D $^{\text {d }}$ | 4 | 3 | 1 |
| 149 | Sominary of St. Francis of Sales* ......... | St. Francis, Wis | 0 | 1856 | Roman Catholic. | Very Rev. 1. Zoininger................... | 12 |  |  |
| 150 | Theological department of IIoward University ... | Washington, D. C | 1867 | 1870 | Non-sectarian .. | Rev. William W. Patton, D. D., LL. D.... | 4 | 0 | 1 |
| 151 |  | Washington, D. ${ }^{\text {M }}$ |  | 1865 | Baptist.......... | Rev. G. M. P. King, A. M | 2 |  |  |
| 152 | Theological department of Iudian University .... | Muskogeo, Ind. T |  |  | Baptist.......... | A. C. Bacone, A. M |  |  |  |

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| 46 | Theological dopartment of Leland Univ |
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| 47 | Theolorienl deparime:at of Straight University* |
| 48 | Bangor Theological feminary* |
| 49 | Bates College 'Theological Sehoo |
| 50 | Centenary Diblical Insti |
| 51 | Theological Seminary of St. Sulpice and St. Mary'b University. |
| 52 | Mt. St. Mary's Ecclesiasticel Scminary |
| 63 | Scholasticate of the Congregation of the Most IIoly Rodeemer, Mt. St. Clemont. |
| 54 | Westminater Theological Somin |
| 55 | Andover 'Theological Seminar |
| 56 | Boston University School of 'Iheolog |
| 57 | Divinity School of Larvard University |
| 58 | Episcopal'Theological School |
| 59 | Tufta College Divinity School |
| 60 | Newton Theological Institutio: |
| 61 | Now Chmreh Theological School* |
| 62 | School of 'Theology ( 1 drian Colloge) |
| 63 | Theological department of Hillsidele Coll |
| 64 | Theological department of Hope College |
| 6.5 | St, Ioln's Unirersity (ecclosiastical comrgo |
| 66 | Scabury Divinity School* |
| 67 | Augabing Sominary |
| 68 | Red Wing Norwegian Evangelical Lather |
| 69 | Jackson Colloge |
| 70 | St. Vincont's Collego and Theolociend Seminar |
| 71 | Jermiah Vardemm school of Theology in William Jowell Collego. |
| 72 | Evangelical Theolñ̌ical Semluary................... |
| 73 | Concordia College (Seminary) |
| 74 | Theologieal department of Central Wesleyan Collogo |
| 75 | German Congromational Theological Sominary |
| 76 | Theological Institnte* |
| 77 | (icman Theological School of Nowat |
| 78 | Wrew Tbeological Saminary* |
| 70 | Theokerical Seminary of the Reformed (Dutch) Church in America. |
| 80 | Theological Seminary of the Presbyterian Chureh |
| 81 | Diocesam Seminary of the Immaenlato Conceptio |
| 82 | St. Bonaventure's Seminazy* |
| 83 | Anbmu Theological Somina |

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| 108 | Heidelberg Theological Sominary | 15 |  | 0 | 8 | 23 | 40 | 2,800 | 1, 200 | 0 | 0 | 25, 000 | 1, 360 | May 0. |
| 109 | Thoological department of Urbana Univorsit | 3 |  |  |  |  | 39 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 110 | Thoological Seminary of Vilberforco Univer | 23 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 111 | United Presbytorian Theological Sominary of Xenia...... | 23 |  | 20 21 | 6 | 3 | 29 26 | 4,000 2,700 | 1,000 200 | 50 | 15,000 25,000 | 75,000 48,100 | 5,600 2,400 | Narch, laвt Wednesday. |
| 112 | Theological Sominary of the Roformod Presbytcrinn Church. | 22 |  | 21 | 7 | 4 | 26 | 2,700 | 200 |  | 25, 000 | 48, C00 | 2,400 |  |
| 113 | Theological Sominary of the United Prosbyterian Church. | 35 | 1 | 35 | 18 | 3 | 28 | 3,100 |  | 100 | 40,000 | 64, 129 | 5,000 | March 31. |
| 114 | Westorn Theological Sominary of the Preabytorian Church. | 60 | 1 | 50 | 28 | 3 | 32 | 20,000 |  |  | 250, 000 | 400, 000 |  | April 24. |
| 115 | Thoological courso in St. Vincont's Collogo. | 16 |  |  | e 5 | 3 | 40 |  |  |  |  |  |  | June 30. |
| 116 | Moraviau Thcological Scminary | 18 | 0 | 0 |  | ${ }^{6}$ | 40 | 5,500 |  | 50 | 9,000 | 60,000 | 3,000 | June. |
| 117 | Theological departmert of Ursinus Collego*.............. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | June $2 j$. |
| 118 | Theological Seminary of the Genoral Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in tho United States. | 35 27 |  | 30 22 | 9 | 3 | 39 | 11,125 10,000 | 950 | 25 | 70,000 25,000 | 91,000 68,000 | 5,400 | Julle, last Tues lay. |
| 119 | Theological Seminary of the Roformed Church in tho United Statos. | 27 | 3 | 22 | 8 | 3 | 30 | 10,000 |  |  | 25,000 | 68,000 | 4, 0¢0 | May 13. |
| 120 | Theological department of Lincoln University* | 20 |  |  |  | 3 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 5, 953 |  |
| 121 | Moadvillo Thoological School | 14 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 38 | 18, 000 | 3,000 |  | 20, 000 | 180, 000 |  | unc. |
| 122 | Philadelphiit Theological Seminary of St. Charlos Borromeo. | 100 |  |  |  |  |  | 15, 600 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 123 | Divinity School of tho Protostant Episcopal Churoh in Philaidelphia.* | 12 |  | 4 |  | 3 | 37 | 8,000 | 300 |  |  |  |  | uno 12. |
| 4 | Theological Sominary of tho Evangolical Luthoran | 63 |  | 54 | 20 | 3 | 40 | 17,000 | 2,500 | 150 | 55, 000 |  |  |  |
|  | Church at l'bilatolphia. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 125 | Missionary Jnstitu | 17 |  |  |  | 3 | 39 | 8,800 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 126 | The Crozer 'Theologi | 48 |  |  |  | 3 | 39 | 8,800 | 1,200 | 150 |  | 351,000 | 22,000 | June, 2d Wed- |
| 127 | Ecclosiastical department of Villanova Monastory and Collogo. |  |  |  |  | 7 | 40 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 128 | Bencdict Instituto |  |  |  |  |  | 34 | 1,500 |  |  | 50, 000 |  |  | $\text { May } 26 .$ |
| 329 | Theological dopartmont of Allon Univorsity $g$............. |  |  |  |  |  | 34 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 130 | Theological Seminary of the Goneral Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States.* | 28 |  |  |  | 3 |  | 23,000 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 131 | Associate Rioformed Theolorical Scminary ............. | 5 |  |  | 1 | 3 |  | $1,000$ |  | $100$ |  |  |  |  |
| 133 | Theological Sominary of tho Sonth (Nowborry Colloge) | 20 |  |  |  |  | $30$ | (c) | (c) | (c) | (c) | (c) | (c) |  |
| 134 | Thoological School of Cumberland Univ | 39 |  |  | 12 | 2 | 40 | 3,000 |  |  | 10,000 | 45, 0.0 | 2,500 | T:Mn 3. |
| 135 | Thoological courso in Fisk University | 0 | 0 | 0 |  | 3 | 36 |  |  |  |  |  |  | May, last |
| 136 | Thoological dopartmont of Central Tonnosseo Colle | 32 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 36 | (c) | (c) |  | 0 | 10, CCO | 0 | Mas 20. |
| 137 | Theological department of Roger Willians Universi | 35 | 0 | 0 |  | 3 | 35 | (c) | (c) | 0 | (c) |  |  | Mid |
| 138 | Thoological dopartment of Vandorbilt Univorsity | 35 | 2 | 3 | 5 | 3 | 36 | 1,500 | 100 | 200 |  |  |  |  |
| 139 | Theological department, Unive | 20 |  | 6 | 5 | 3 | 40 | 15,4 |  |  |  | 26,0 | 1300 | Augnst s . |
| 140 | Theelogical departmont of Baylor University* | 11 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | nuo. |
| * Fr <br> a 12 <br> $b$ N <br> c Re | om Report of tho Conmissioner of Edncation for $1883-184$. ported with aeademical dopartmont (seo Tablo VI). mbor ordained during tho year. perted with classical department (seo Tablo IX). | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Prop } \\ & \text { Tab } \\ & \text { Tumb } \\ & \text { coma } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { lo } \\ & \text { or rais } \\ & \text { ver, } 18 \end{aligned}$ | $1 \text { to }$ | no | $\begin{aligned} & \text { h Cal } \\ & \text { sthoo } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { pital } \\ & \text { od fro } \end{aligned}$ | ivers | $\begin{aligned} & \text { y } \begin{array}{l} \text { seo } \\ \text { to } \mathrm{Do} \end{array} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & f \text { For } \\ & g \text { Fror } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { o bicmu } \\ & \text { the cata } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \text { licriols } \\ & \text { ogne for } 1 \end{aligned}$ | $83-54$ | . |

Table XI.-Statistics of schools of theology for 1884-'85, \&c.-Continued.


Table XI. - List of instilutions from tehich no information has been receired.

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| Franciscan College | Santa Laylara, Cal. |
| Terdeley lirinty Schorl | Middletriwa Coan. |
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| Weodstock Colle ${ }^{\text {e }}$ - | irordstock. Md. |
| lishop Green Associate Mfissioa and 'I | Dry Grove, Miss. |
| ine Larcey Divinity Schorl | Gcuera A. I . |
| St. Andrers's Divibity Schou | Stacuse. N. |
| St. Vincent's Seminary | Puiladelphia, Pa. |

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| Name. | Location. | Remarls |
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| St. Thomas Theolozical Seminary...... 7 heological Institute of Connecticut... | San José, Cal. Hartiord, Conn | Closed. <br> Name cbanged to Hartford Thcological |
| German Tleological Semioary | Chicago, Ill | Seminary. <br> See Cbieago Theolozical Scminary of |
| Srenish. - metrican Ansgari College | Knosville, Ill | the Lathera Closed. |
| St. John's Seminary | St. Joseph, Minn | Name of seminary clanged to St Jolun's University, and post-office changed from St. Josenh to Collegerille. |
| Theolozical School of Westminster Colleze. | Fulion, Mo | No mentlon of this schoof in the catalogue of the colleze for $1884-85$. |
| IIt. st. Mary s Seminary ............... | Cincinnati, Ohio | Closerl temporarily. |
| Theolozical Scminary of the Evangelical Latheraz General Srnod, South. | Salem, Va ....... | Closed. |

Table XII.-Statistics of schools of law for 1884-'85; from replies to inquiries by the United States Burcau of Education


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|  | Name. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 15 | 20 | 21 |
|  | Law School of University of Alabama.. | $1 \frac{1}{2}$ | 38 | \$50 | *50 |  |  |  |  |  | \$000 | June 21. |
| 2 | College of Law, Little Rock University |  | 32 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  | \$0 | \$0 |  | Junc: |
| 3 | Hastings College of the Law (University of California) ............. | ${ }^{3}$ |  | 100, ${ }^{0} 2{ }^{0}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4 |  | ${ }^{3}$ | 35 40 | 100, 125 | 8,000 (b) |  | (b) | (b) | $\underset{(b)}{11,600}$ | (11) | 6, 386 | Jume 24. <br> July. |
| ${ }_{6}$ | Law department of Mercer Unicersity.. | , | 38 | 60 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | July- |
| 7 | Law department of Emory College | 1 | 40 | 60 | (b) |  |  | (b) |  |  |  | June 23. |
| 8 | Bloomington Lav Sebool ( Ilinois Wesleran University)........... | 2 | 40 | $\begin{array}{r}60 \\ 80 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 0 | 0 | 0 |  | 0 |  | 8,100 | June 14. |
| $1{ }^{9}$ | Union College of Law of Chicago and Northwestern Unversitics. | 2 | $\stackrel{36}{39}$ | 21 |  |  |  | (b) | (b) | (b) |  | June 10. |
| 11 | Law department of Mek | 2 | 36 | 60 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Jnue 16. |
| 12 | Law department, DePauv University | 2 | 27 | 50 | *200 |  |  |  |  |  |  | April 7. |
| 13 | Law department. University of Notre Dam | 3 | 40 | c300 | 1,000 | (d) ${ }^{70}$ | 500 |  |  |  | 1,000 | June ${ }^{23}$ |
| 14 | Iowa College of Law (Drake University)* | $\stackrel{2}{2}$ | 39 40 | 50 | (d) ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | (d) |  |  |  |  |  | Jnie 11. |
| 15 | Law department, State Unirersity of Iowa |  | 40 32 3 |  | 3,500 100 |  | 250 |  |  |  | 350 |  |
| 16 17 | Law School, Uriversity of Lavisas..... | 2 | 32 | 75 50 | 100 |  |  |  |  |  |  | May 28. |
| 18 | Law department of Tulane University of Louisiana | $\stackrel{3}{2}$ | 26 | 50 |  |  |  |  | 0 | 0 |  |  |
| 19 | School of Law of the University of Maryland...... | 3 | 36 | 80, 109 | 494 |  | 94 | 7, 000 |  |  | 5,265 | May 28. |
| 20 | Boston University Scliool of Law .....- | 3 | 36 | 100, 125 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | June ${ }^{\text {June. }}$ |
| 21 | Law Schoal of Harvard University | 3 | $\stackrel{37}{36}$ | 150 | 20,100 9,400 |  |  |  | 3, 860 | 11,934 | 22, 110 | June. |
| 22 23 | Law department, Unir ${ }^{\text {degity }}$ of Michich | $\stackrel{2}{2}$ | 36 <br> 39 | c2, | 9,400 |  |  |  |  |  | 400 | Juno 24. |
| 24 | Law department, State University of Missouri. | 2 | 26 | 40 | 77.7 |  |  | (b) | (b) | (b) | 1,966 | March 25. |
| 25 | St. Louis Law School, Washington University | ${ }_{2}^{2}$ | 32 | 80 | 3,000 |  |  |  |  |  |  | July 10. |
| 26 | Albany Law School (Union University)* | 2 | 38 | 130 | 1,159 |  | 53 | 30, 000 |  |  | 560 | May 28. |
| 27 | Law School of Hamiltoa Collnge | 2 |  | 60 | 5,000 |  |  |  |  |  |  | May 27. |
| 28 | Columbia Collego Lavy school* | $\stackrel{2}{2}$ | 34 | 150 | (f) |  |  |  |  |  | 3., 189 |  |






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| 107 108 | Homoopathic Hospital Colloge Hahnomann Medical Colloge of Philadelphia....... | Cleveland, Ohio. <br> Philadelphia, Pa. (105 Filbertst.) | 1849 | 1849 1848 | John C. Sauders, A. M., M. D., dean....... A. M. Thomas, M. D., dean............ | 16 22 | ${ }_{1}^{0}$ | 81 152 | 10 | 30 48 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 109 | Now York Polyclinic | New York, N. Y................. |  | 1883 | John A. Wyeth, m. n., secretary |  |  |  |  |  |
| 110 | New York Post-Graduate Mcdical School and Hospital. | Now York, N. Y................... |  | 1882 | F. R. Sturgis, M. D., secretary............. |  |  |  |  |  |
| 111 | Clevoland Polyclinic and Post-Graduato Medical School. | Cleveland, Ohio.................. |  | 1884 | Reuben A. Vance, M. D., dean............ |  | ) |  |  |  |
| 112 | Philadelphia Polyclinic and College for Graduates in Medicino. | Philadelphia, Pa. (13th and Locust sts.). | ..... | 1882 | R. F. Baer, M. D., dean. . . . . . . . . . . . . |  |  |  |  |  |
| 113 | Post-graduate instruction, medical department, University of P'ennsylvania. <br> II.-Dental. | Philadolphia, Pa................ |  | 1880 | James Tyson, M. D., sccretary.......... |  |  |  | r | ...... |
| 114 | College of Dentistry, University of California .. | San Francisco, Cal.............. |  | 1882 | C. L. Goddard, ^. m., D. D. s., dean . . . . | 27 | 2 | 30 | 1 | 13 |
| 115 | Indiana Dental Colloge | Indianapolis, Ind.. | 1879 | 1879 | Junius E. Cravens, D. D. s., secretary. . | 5 | 1 |  |  | 13 |
| 116 | Dental dopartment, lowa State University ..... | Towa City, Iowa | 1883 | 1882 | J. C. Ingersoll, A. M , D. D. s., dean........ | 1 | ${ }^{3}$ | 37 |  | 16 |
| 1178 | Baltimore ( College of Dental Surgery.............. Dental department of tho University of Mary. | Baltimore, Md ................... | 1839 | 1840 1882 | Richard 13. Winder, M. D., D. D. s., dean... Ferdinaud J. S. Gorcas, A. M., M. D., | 10 21 | 12 | 88 | 36 | 28 36 |
| 118 | Dental department of tho University of Maryland. | Baltimoz̈, Md.................... | 1807 | 1882 | Ferdinaud J. S. Gorgas, A. M., M. D., v. D. s., dean. | 21 | ...... | 74 |  | 36 |
| 120 | Dental School of Harvard University | Boston, Mass | 1868 |  | Thu A. Follett, A. M., M. D., dean |  |  | 62 | 2 | 27 8 |
| 121 | Dental College of the University of Aichigan.... | Ann Arbor, Mich | 1874 | 1874 | Jonathan Tatt, M. D., D. D, ¢., doan. | 8 |  | 83 | 15 | 28 |


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| 18 | Medicas Colloge of Jivan |  |
| 19 | Central Colloge of I'hysicians aud Surgoons. | 2, 3 |
| 20 | Medical College of Indiana . . | 3 |
| 21 | Towa Collega of Physicians and Suracons | 2,3 |
| 22 | Medical dopartsy $u$ it of the State Univorsity of lowa. | 2,3 |
| 23 | Collego of Plyysiciaus aud Sutgeons . . | 3 |
| 24 | Hospital Collogo of Medicino (Central University). | 3 |
| 25 | Kentucky School of Modicino | 3 |
| 26 | Lonisvillo Modical Collog | 3 |
| 27 | Medical departmont of the University of Lonisvillo, | 3 |
| 28 | Medical dopartment of 'Tnlane Unisersity of Louisianas. | 3-6 |
| 20 | Modieal School of Maine (Bowdoin Collego). | 3 |
| 30 | Portland School for Medical Instrnction. $d$ |  |
| 31 | College of Plyysicians and Sil | , |
| 32 | School of Medicine (University of Maryland). | 2, 3 |
| 8 | Woman's Medical College of Baltimoro. | 3 |
| 34 | Colloge of Plysicians and Snrigeons .... | 3 |
| 35 | Harvard Medical School (IIarvard Unlvorsity). | 3,4 |
| 36 | Departmont of Medieino and Surgery <br> (University of Michigan). | 3 |
| 37 | Detroit Medical Colloge | 3 |
| 38 | Michigan Collego of Mod | 3 |
| 39 | Minneapolis Colloge of P'lysicians and Surgeons. | 3 |
| 40 | Minnesotn ITospitul Collogo. . . . . . . . . . . | 3 |
| 41 | Medical School of tho University of tho State of Missonri. | , |
| 42 | Kansas City Medical Collego ............. |  |
| 43 | Medical dopartment of tho University of Kansas City. |  |
| 44 | Northwestern Modical Collogro of St. Joseph. | 3 |
| 45 | St. Joseph Medieal Collegro. . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 2,3 |
| 40 | Missouri Medical Collog | 2 |
| 47 | St. Lonis College of Physicians and Surgeons. | 3 |
| 48 | St, Louis Medical Collego | 3 |
| * From Report of the Commissioner of Education fo 1883-'84. <br> cExamination feo. <br> bSuspended after gradnating its 1884 class. |  |  |

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| $\begin{aligned} & 100 \\ & 100 \\ & 108 \end{aligned}$ | New York Medical College and Hespital for Women. Palto Medical Collego. Homœopathic Ifospital Collego......... delphia. Hahnomann Medical College of Pbila- <br> 4. Post-graduate and polyclinic. |  | $\left.\begin{aligned} & 26 \\ & 22 \\ & 24 \end{aligned} \right\rvert\,$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,000 \\ & 3,5000 \\ & 3, \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 500 \\ \hdashline i, 000 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $i, 000$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \\ & 5 \\ & 5 \\ & 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \\ & 30 \\ & 30 \\ & 30 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 75 \\ 55 \\ 50 . \\ 70,100 \end{array} .$ | $\begin{array}{r} 35,000 \\ 3200,0000 \end{array}$ |  |  | ${ }^{2,910}$ |  |
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| 109 110 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 350 350 |  |  |  |  | ${ }^{\text {June. }}$ June 2. |
|  | (scheor and Hostital |  | 28 |  |  |  | 5 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 28 |  |  |  |  |  | 300 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 300 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 113 | Post-graduato instruction, medical de- |  | 30 |  |  |  | 5 |  |  |  |  |  |  | Mas. |
|  | if.-Dextal. |  |  |  |  | $\therefore$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Colloge of Dontistry, University of Cali- |  | 36 | ${ }^{20}$ | 200 | 0 |  |  | 130 |  | 0 | 0 | 5,225 | December. |
|  | Inornia ${ }_{\text {Indiana }}$ Dontal Colloge |  | 20 |  |  |  | 5 |  | 100 | 1,000 |  |  | 3,542 | March |
| 116 | Dental dopartment, Iowa State Univer- | 2 | 20 |  |  |  |  |  | 35 |  |  |  |  | March |
|  |  |  | 20 |  |  |  | 5 | ${ }_{30}^{30}$ | 100 | -10,000 |  |  |  | March. |
| 118 | Dontal liopartment of the University of |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | *15,000 |  |  |  |  |
| 119 | Mostory Dinatal Collogo -i.i......i..... |  | ${ }_{40}^{38}$ | 200 | 250 | ${ }^{80}$ | ${ }^{\circ}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  | Jnne 30. |
| ${ }_{121}^{120}$ | Dontal Cohologo or thar Univerrsity of | ${ }_{3}^{3}$ | 38 | 300 | 200 | 25 | (b) | 10 | ${ }_{(0)}^{50,150}$ | 15,000 | 0 | 0 | \%,485 | June 30. |
| 122 |  | 3 | 22 |  |  |  | 5 |  | 50 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Hoepital. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Kansas City Dontan Collego* .... | $\stackrel{2}{2}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 12,000 |  |  |  |  |
| 125 126 | Noin York Collaco of Dontistry. | $\stackrel{2}{2}$ | ${ }_{20}^{20}$ | - 0 | 0 |  | 5 5 |  | ${ }_{100}^{100}$ | $\xrightarrow{\substack{\text { ci, } \\ 51,000}}$ | 0 |  | ${ }_{\text {10, }}^{16,118}$ | March 10. |
| 127 | Dopartmento ot Dentistry, University of | 2 |  | *, 000 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ${ }_{122}^{128}$ | Peonnys Yvaiaiailoro of Dental Surgory |  |  | (300) |  |  | 5 |  | 100 100 | ct, 000 | $\bigcirc$ |  | 16,000 | Felsruary 27. |
| ${ }_{130}^{123}$ | Dental lopartment of the University of |  |  |  |  |  | 5 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Dentalacl deparaitment of Vander |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Dental dop |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1,500 |  |  |  |  |

Table XIII.—Statistics of schools of medicine, of dentistry, and of pharmacy for 1884-85, f.c.-Continned.



Table XIV.-Summary of examinations for admission io the United Statcs Military Academy for the year 1884-85.

| States ard Territories. |  | Number accepted. | Number rejccted. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | On what account. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | For deficiency in- |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Ė } \\ & \text { E } \\ & \text { H } \end{aligned}$ | 䔍 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 蔵 } \\ & \text { En } \end{aligned}$ |  |  | - |  |  |  |
| Alabama... | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Arkansas.... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... |  |  |  |  |  | ... |
| Colorado ..... | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Connecticut... | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Delaware.... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Florida... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Georgia .. | 5 9 | 3 6 | $\stackrel{2}{3}$ | 0 |  | 1 | 2 | ${ }_{2}$ | 1 |  |  |
| Indiana. | 6 | 3 | 3 | 0 |  | 1 | 1 |  | 3 |  |  |
| Iowa.... | 5 | 4 | 1 | , | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |
| Kansas... | 4 | 3 | 1 | 0 |  | 1 |  |  | 1 |  |  |
| Kentucky | $\stackrel{2}{2}$ | 0 | 2 2 2 | 0 | ... | 1 | 1 |  | 1 |  |  |
| Maine ... | 2 | 1 |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Maryland | 4 | 2 | 1 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  | 1 | a |
| Massachusetts | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Michigan.. | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Minnesota. | 3 3 | ${ }_{2}^{2}$ | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mississippi | 3 2 2 | $\stackrel{2}{2}$ | 1 | 0 |  | 1 | 1 |  | 1 | 1 |  |
| Nebraska. | 4 | ${ }_{2}$ | 1 | 0 |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Nerada ... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| New Hampshire | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| New Jersey .... New York | 7 | 3 | 3 | 1 |  | 1 |  |  | $\stackrel{2}{2}$ |  |  |
| Nem York.... <br> North Carolina | 21 5 | 13 | 7 2 | 3 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 2 | 1 |  |
| Ohio...... | 11 | 8 | ${ }_{2}$ | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  | 1 |  |  |
| Oregon.... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Pennsylvania. | 7 | 6 | 1 | 0 |  |  | 1 |  | 1 |  |  |
| Rhode Island... | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| South Carolina | 1 | 1 3 | 0 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3 |  |  |  |  |
| Texas ..... | 1 | 1 | ${ }_{0}^{4}$ | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 2 |  |  |
| Vermont | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Virginia.. | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| West Virginia | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Wisconsin..... | 6 | 4 | 1 | 0 |  |  |  |  | 1 |  | 1 |
|  | 0 | 0 | 0 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| District of Columbia | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Idaho ... | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Montana. | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| New Mexico | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Vtah.... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Washington | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Wroming | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |  | 1 |  |  | 1 |  |  |
| Foreign. | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| At large | 5 | 3 | 2 | 0 |  |  | 2 | 1 |  |  |  |
| Total. | 144 | 95 | 42 | 9 | 4 | 12 | 16 | 7 | 22 | 5 | 7 |

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Table XIV.-Summary of cxaminations for admission to the Cuited States Naval Academ! for the year 1884-'85.


## Table XV.-Part 1.-Degrces conferred in 1884-'85 by universities, colleges, scientifo

[The following are the explanations of abbreviations used in Part 1 of this table: L. B., Bachelor of of Science; B. C. E., Bachelor of Civil Engineering; C. E., Civil Engineer; B. Agr., Bachelor of Agri Mining Engineer; D. E., Dynamic Engineer; B. Arch., Bachelor of Architecture; Ph. B., Bachelor of D. B., Bachelor of Divinity; D.D., Doctor of Divinity; M. D., Doctor of Medicine; D. D. S., Dóctor of

Note. -0 shows that no degrees were

$a$ Honorary degree of C. E.
$b$ "Bacholor of engineering."
$c 3$ of these are B. L. L. ("bachelor of Latin letters").
d Includes 1 honorary degree.
e"Master of accounts."
fis of thesa sra B. S. Sum laude, and 7 fro commer.

g"M. S. cum laude."
h"Mistress of science."
$i$ Includes 1 honorary degree and 1 ad cundcm.
$j$ Certificates of graduation.
*Includes 2 LL. MI. and 1 D. C. I.
$i$ in these is "bachelor of chemical scirace."
and other professional schools, and by schools for the supcrior instruction of women.
Letters; A. I., Machelor of Arts; A. M.. Master of Arts; Sc. B3., Bacholor of Science: Sc. M., Master culture; 13. M. F., Bachelor of Mining Engineering; M. E., Mining Engineer; C. \& M. E., Civil and Philosophy ; Plı. D., Noctor of Philosophy ; Mns. B, Bachelor of Mnsic; Mus. Doc., Doctor of Music ; Dental Surgery ; Pb. G., Giraduato in Pharmacy ; LL. B., Bacholor of Laws; LL. D., Doctor of Laws.]
conferrod; .... indicatos none returned.


[^104]81 "bachelor of literature" and 1 "master of literature."
$t$ Of these, 4 are honorary degrees and 11 are theological diplomas.
u Graduates in ladies' coarse.
$v$ "Laureate of arts."

Table XV.-Part 1.-Degrecs conferred in
Note.-C shows that no degrees were

| 1 | Institutions and locations. | All elasses. |  | Letters. |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | All degrees. |  | A. B. |  |  | A. M. |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1 | ® | 3 | 4 | 5 | (1) | 'g | 8 |
| 48 | Lako Forest University, Lake Forest, | 20 | 1 | 7 | 5 |  | 2 |  |
| 49 | McKendree College, Lebanon. Ill | 33 | 4 |  | 6 |  | 5 | 4 |
| 50 | Lincoln University, Lineoln, Ill | 16 |  | $b 1$ | 8 |  |  |  |
| 51 | Monmouth College, Monmouth, Ill | 24 | 1 |  | 17 |  |  |  |
| 52 | Northwestern College, Naperville, I | 12 | 0 | ${ }^{c 3}$ | 2 |  |  |  |
| 54 | Chaddock College, Quincy, Ill... | 19 | 1 |  | 3 |  | 3 |  |
| 55 | Augustana College, Roek Island, I | 33 | 0 |  | 15 |  |  |  |
| 56 | Shurtleif College, Upper Alton, Ill........... | 9 |  |  | 4 |  | 3 |  |
| 57 | University of Illinois, Urbana, Ill. (P. O., Ch | 22 | 0 | 3 |  |  | 2 |  |
| 59 | Wheaton College, Wheaton, Ill. | 11 | . |  | 2 |  | . |  |
| 60 | The Indiana University, Bloomington, | 34 | 2 | 9 | 14 |  | 4 |  |
| 61 | Wabash College, Crawfordsville, Ind | 24 | 3 |  | 14 |  |  | 2 |
| 62 | Franklin College, Franklin, Ind | 7 |  |  | 3 |  | 2 |  |
| 63 | DePauw University, Greeneastle, I | 78 | $\stackrel{2}{2}$ |  | 34 |  | 19 |  |
| 64 | Hanover College, Hanover, Ind... | 18 | 5 |  | 16 |  |  |  |
| 66 | Batler University, Irvington, Ind | 14 | 1 |  | 3 |  | 2 |  |
| 67 | Pardue University, La Fayette, In | 11 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 68 | Union Christian Collogo, Merom, Ind | 6 | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 69 | Moore's Hill College, Moore's Hill, Ind.... | 9 |  |  | 2 |  | 2 |  |
| 70 | University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Ind | 37 | 1 |  | 6 |  | 3 |  |
|  | Earlham College, Richmond, Ind. Ridgeville College, Ridgeville, Ind | 11 | ${ }_{1}^{1}$ |  | 6 |  |  | 1 |
| 73 | Rose Polytechnic Institute, Terre Hante, I | 3 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 74 | Amity College, Collego Springs, Iowa . | 5 |  |  | 1 |  |  |  |
| 75 | Griswold Colleze, Davenport, Iowa. . | 3 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 76 | Norwegian Luther College, Decorah, Iowa | 12 | 1 |  | 12 |  |  | 1 |
| 77 | Drake University, Des Moines, Iowa | 41 |  | i1 | 2 |  |  |  |
| 78 | Parsons College, Fairfiela, Iowa | 10 |  |  | 5 |  |  |  |
| 79 | Upper Iowa University, Fayette, Iowa | 17 | 1 |  | 3 |  | 9 |  |
| 80 81 | Iowa College, Grinnell, Iowa .... | 12 | ${ }_{2}^{0}$ |  | 12 |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 81 \\ & 82 \end{aligned}$ | Lenox College, Hopkinton, Iowa. <br> Simpson Centenary College, Indianola, Iowa | 15 | 2 |  |  |  | 2 | 1 |
| 83 | State University of Iowa, Iowa City, lowa.. | 127 | 5 |  | 13 |  |  | 4 |
| 84 | German College, Mount Pleasant, Iowa | 3 |  |  | 1 |  | 1 |  |
| 85 | Iowa Wesleyan University, Mount Pleasant | 18 | 2 |  | 3 |  | 5 |  |
| 86 | Cornell College, Mount Vernon, Iowa - | 42 | 1 |  | 9 |  | 5 |  |
| 87 | Oskaloosa College, Oskaloosa, Iowa. | 3 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 88 | Penn College, Oskaloosa, Iowa. | 9 | 1 |  | 1 |  |  | 1 |
| 89 | Central University of Iowa, Pella, Iow | 6 | 0 |  | 4 |  |  |  |
| 90 | Tabor College, Tabor, Iowa. | 6 | 1 |  | 2 |  |  | 1 |
| 91 | Western College, Toledo, Iowa | 9 | 2 |  | 6 |  |  |  |
| 92 | St. Bensdict's College, Atchison, Kans | 7 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 93 | Baker University, Bald win City, Kans | 6 |  | 1 | 3 |  |  |  |
| 94 | Highland University, Highland, Kans | 5 | 6 |  | 4 |  | 1 | 2 |
| 95 | University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kans | 28 |  |  | 11 |  | 2 |  |
| 96 97 | Lane University, Lecompton, Kans. | 3 | 2 |  |  |  |  | 1 |
| 97 | Kansas State Agricultural College, Manhat | 15 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 98 | Ottawa University, Ottawa, Kans .... | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 99 100 | St. Mary's College, St. Mary's. Kans | 3 |  |  | 2 |  |  |  |
| 100 | Washburn Colloge, Topeka, Kans. | 5 | 0 | $m 2$ | 1 |  |  |  |
| 101 | St. Joseph's College, Bardstown, Ky | 5 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 102 | Berea College, Berea, Ky | 2 |  |  | 1 |  |  |  |
| 103 | Ogden College, Bowling Green, Ky | 2 | 0 |  |  |  | 2 |  |
| 104 | Centre College, Danville, Ky | 13 | 8 |  | $10$ |  | 3 | 3 |
| 105 | Eminence College, Eminence, Ky | 5 |  |  |  |  |  |  |

a"Master of philosophy."
b" Mistress of liberal arts."
" "Lanreate of English literature."
$d$ These are "B. E. L."
eGraduates in thenlogy
$f$ "Proticient in art."
$G$ Includes 16 eommereial diplomas and 4 certiilcates for telegrapby.
$1 \times 4-85$ by universilies, colleges, f.c.-Continued.
conferred; .... indicates none returned.


[^105]$l$ "Mraster of asconnts."
$m$ Diplomas in ladies' course.
$n 4$ of these are commercinl certifeates.

Table XV.-Part 1.-Degrees conferred in
Note.-0 shows that no degrees were


[^106]$g$ Certificates of honor.
$h$ "Master of accounts."
$i$ "Mistress of polite literature."
$j 6$ of these are "B. A. extra ordinem."
$k 11$ are S. T. B. and 3 certificates of gradaation.
l"Bachelor of agricultural scionce."

1884-'85 by universities, colleges, sc.-Continued.
conferred; .... indicates none returned.

$m$ D. M. D. (doctor of dental mecicine)
$n 2$ of these are A. M. B. (bachelor of mechanic arts) and 1 A. M. M. (master of mechanic arts).
0 Includes 1 M. L.
$p 1$ is honorary degree of "mechanical engineer."
$q 1$ is honorary degree of "master of phar
macr," and the remainder "pharmaceu tical chemist.,
$r$ Includes 2 normal diplomas.
$s$ "Jaster of philosophy."
$t$ Music diplomas.
$u 1$ is a theological certificate.

Note.-0 shoms that no degrees were

|  |  | All | asses. |  |  | tter |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Alld | grees. |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | 室 |  |  |  |
|  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | c | 7 | 8 |
| 154 | Olivet College, Olivet, Mieh | 19 | 0 | 4 | 6 |  | 2 |  |
| 156 | Hamine Unifersity, Hanline, Mimm... | 8 | 1 |  | 6 |  | 2 |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 157 \\ & 150 \end{aligned}$ | Augsburg Seminary, Minneapolis, Miinn | 16 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 159 |  | 22 | 0 | ${ }_{2}^{6}$ | 8 |  | 2 |  |
| 160 | Agricultaral and Mechanical Collego of the State of Missis- <br> sippi, $\Delta$ gricultural Collego, Miss. | 13 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 161 | Mississippi College, Clinton, Miss | 4 | 3 |  |  |  |  | 3 |
| 163 | University of Xississippi, Osiord. Miss. | 16 | 1 |  | 3 | - |  |  |
| 164 | Alcorn Agricultural and Mechanical College, Pcdney, Miss .- | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 166 | Southrest Baptist Co, cre, Bol Mar, | 6 |  |  | 1 |  | 1 |  |
| 167 | St. Tincent's College, Cape Giraricau. .1. --....- | ${ }^{10}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 169 | Gniversity of the state of Missouri, Cotania, | 8 | 1 | 5 | 4 |  | 6 |  |
| 170 | Central College, Fayette, Mo.- | 5 | 1 |  | 2 |  |  |  |
| 171 | Westminster Conlege, Futon, 10 | 7 | 1 |  | 3 |  | 1 |  |
| 173 | Lerris Collere, Glasgow, ho - | ${ }_{8}^{4}$ |  |  | i7 |  |  |  |
| 174 | William Jewell Colleqe, Libertr, Mo | , |  |  | 1 |  |  |  |
| ${ }_{17}^{17}$ | Monrisrille Collegr, Morriscille, Mo |  | 0 |  |  |  | 1 |  |
| 177 | Saint Louis Univezsity, Saint Louis, , | ${ }_{6}$ |  |  | 1 |  | 3 |  |
| ${ }_{17}^{17}$ | Washington Unirersity, Saint Louis, 31 | 11 | 0 |  | ${ }_{2}^{7}$ |  |  |  |
| 180 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1181 | Central Wesloyan Collee, Warrenton, $\mathrm{H}^{\circ}$ | 15 | 0 |  | 2 |  | 3 |  |
| 182 183 | Doane College, Crete, Nebr...... | $\stackrel{3}{3}$ |  | o3 | $\frac{1}{3}$ |  |  | 2 |
| 184 | Creighton Colloge, Omala, Nelr, | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 185 | Methodist Episcopal Colleqo of Mebraska, York, T | ${ }^{6}$ | ${ }^{3}$ | o3 |  | p2 |  |  |
| ${ }_{187}^{186}$ |  | ${ }_{35}^{111}$ | 2. | 6 | 41 |  | 12 | 13 |
|  | St. Benedict's Collego, \owarik, M. I ......... | 2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 189 | Rutgers College, New Brunswick, 1 | 17 | 3 |  | 9 |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 190 \\ & 191 \end{aligned}$ | College of Mev Jerser, Princeton, | ${ }_{18}^{138}$ | 9 |  | 94 |  | 11 | 1 |
| 192 | St. Bonaventure's College, Alleraur | 5 |  |  | 5 |  |  |  |
| 193 | St. Stenhen's College, Annandale, it. | 8 | 0 |  | 6 |  | 2 |  |
| 194 | Wells College, Aurora, N. Y | ${ }^{6}$ | 0 |  | ${ }_{6}^{6}$ |  |  |  |
| 196 | St. Franeis College, Breoklin. N. I . | ${ }_{6}$ | 17 |  | $\frac{\square}{6}$ |  |  | 16 |
| 197 | Canisius College, Euffelo, I. Y | 10 |  |  | 1 |  |  |  |
| 198 | St. Lamrence Universits, Canton | 19 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 200 | Hamilton College, Clinton, , . Y | 49 |  |  | 3 |  |  | 3 |
| 201 | Hobart College, Genera, X'Y | 16 |  |  | 2 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Madison University. Hamilton. | 47 |  |  | 13 |  |  |  |
| , | Commell Uni eersitr, Ithaca, N. Y | 1 |  | ${ }^{\circ}$ | ${ }^{\text {G }}$ |  |  |  |
| ${ }_{205}^{204}$ | College of St. Franeis Xavier, New Yorl, ì. Y. | ${ }_{11}^{4}$ |  |  | $11^{3}$ |  |  | 4 |

[^107]$f 1$ of these is "topographical engineor" and 2 are "snureyor."
g"Mraster of philosophr."
h"Master of English literature."
$i$ Includes 3 progressum in artibus.
$j$ Graduate in theologr.
"Engineer of mines.

1EE1-'S. by unicirsitiee, colicges, gc.-Continued,
cosferred; ....indicates mono returned.


## $l$ Inclader 1 "master of accounts" and 1 "mistress of accounts."

$m$ Normal diplomas.
$n$ Thenlozical daiplomas.
o "Baclaclor if literature,"
p"Master of literature."
q "Jechanical engineer."
Includes 2 "doctor of science."

8 "Doctor of science."
$t 23$ diplomas were also given on completion of a three jears' course in collegiate department.
$u$ These are S.T.D.
v "Bachelor of mechanical engineering."
w "Bachelor of reterinary science."

# Table XV.-Part 1.-Degrees conferred in 

Note.-0 shows that no degrees were


1854-'8is by aniccrsitics, collegcs, fc.- Continued.
conferred; .... indicates none returned.


Note. -0 shows that no degrees were


1851-*5 by unitersilies, colleges, sc.--Continued.
conferred; ....
indicates none returned.


[^108]$k$ These are D.C.L. (loctor of civil law).
$l$ Inclades 1 degree not specified.
$m$ "Bachelor of scientific agriculture."
$n$ Includes 3 degrees not specified

Table XV.-Part 1.-Degrees conferred in
Note. -0 shows that no degrees were


[^109]p.Includes 1 M . L. (master of letters). $f$ Includes 2 "bachelor of metallurgical engineering" and 1 "metajlurgical epgimeer."

1881-'E5 by univcrsities, colleges, fec.-Continued.
conferred; .... indicates none returned.

$g$ Degree conferred in the medical dept. only.
$h 33$ of these are "master of laT."
iGraduates in theology.
$j$ Doctor of pharmacy.
k 12 of these are "master at larr."
l11 of these are LL. M. (master of law).

Table XV.—Part 2.-Degrees conferred in 1834-85 ly professional sctoot not comected with universities and colleges.
[The following are the explanations of abbreriations used in Patt 2 of this iable: D.B., Eachelor of Divinity; D. D., Doctor of Dirivity; M. D., Doctor of Medicine ; D. D. S., Doctor of Dental Surgery; Ph. G., Graduate in Pharmacy; LL. B., Bachelor of Laws ; LL. D., Doctor of Lams.]


Table AV.-Partid-Degrees conferred in 1884-'85 by professional schools, \&.c.-Cont'd.

Bennett College of Eclectic Medicine and Surgery, Chiengo. Ill.
Chicago Hoinœopathic Medical College, Chicago, Ill ... College of I'hysicians and Surgeons of Chicago, Chicago, Ill.
Mahnemann Medical Collego and Hospital, Chicago, 11.
Rush Medical College, Chicaro, 111
Woman's Medical College of Chicago, Chicago, Ill ..... Unspital Medical College of Evansville, Evansville, Indi.
Nedical College of Evansrille, Evansvilie, Ind
Central Coullege of Physicians and Surgeons, Indianapolis, In't.
Indiana Eejectic Medical College, Indianapolis, Ind Dledieal (Vollere of Indiana, Indianapolis, Ind 'ollege of l'lysicians and Surceons, Keokuk, Iorma.... Kentucky kehool of Medicino, Louisville, Ky Louisvil: MetIical College, Lomisville, Ky Medieal hopartment of the University of Lonisville, Letuissille, Ky.
$a$ Number of graduazeз reported.
$b$ Inclades : A. L.
c These are dipiomas.
This is A.B.
$e$ Number of priests ordained during the jear.
$f 2$ are ad cundem dogrees and 1 is an honorary degree.

\begin{tabular}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|}
\hline \multirow[t]{2}{*}{Degrees of all classes in
course.} \& \multicolumn{2}{|l|}{Theology.} \& \multicolumn{3}{|l|}{Medicine.} \& \multicolumn{2}{|l|}{Law.} <br>
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\hline 2 \& 3 \& 4 \& 5 \& 6 \& 7 \& 8 \& 3 <br>
\hline \multirow[t]{2}{*}{$$
\begin{array}{r}
a 28 \\
b 9 \\
c 9
\end{array}
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\hline as \& \& \& \& \& \& \& <br>
\hline $a 9$ \& \& \& \& \& \& \& <br>
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Medical College of Alabama, Mobile, Ala
California Medical Collego, Oakland, Cal
Conper Medical College, San Firancisco, Cal
Habuemann redical College of San Francisco, San Franciser, Cal.
Atlanta Medical Colleqe, Atlanta, Ga
Georair Eclectic Miedical Collego, Atlanta, Ga
Union Theological Seminary, Hampden Sidnes College, Va.
Protestant Episcopal Theological Seminary of Virginia, Theological Seminary, Va.
Lutheran Theolorical Seminary of the Synod of Wisconsin. Milwaukec, Wis.
Nashotah House, Nashotah, Wis
Seminary of St. Francis of Sales, St. Francis, Wis.
Wayland Seminary, Washiogton, D. C

## schools of Law.

Union College of Law of Chicago and Northwestern Unircrsitites, Cbicago, Ill. Marylani, Baltimore, Mrd
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Associato Reformed Theological Seminary, Duo West, S.C.

Bishop College, Marshall, Tex
Clern Theological Seminary of the Presbyterian Churm, Allegheny City, Pa.
Theological Sominary of the Geveral Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in tho United States, Gettysburg, Pa.
heological Seminary of the Reformed Church in the United States, Lancaster, Pa.
Meadville Theological School, Meadville, Pa
Divivity School of tha Protestant Episcopal Church in Philadedphin, Philadelphia, Pa.







Table XV.—Part 2.-Degrees conferved in 1884-'85 by professional schools, \&c.-Cont' $\mathcal{C}_{\text {。 }}$

Table XV.-Part 2.-Degrees conferred in 1834-85 by professional schools, fe.-Cont'd.

|  | Institntions and locations. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Degrees of all classes in } \\ & \text { course. } \end{aligned}$ | Theology. |  | Medicine. |  |  | Law. |  |
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| 132 | Boston Dental College, Boston, Mass | 27 |  |  |  | 27 |  |  |  |
| 133 | Missouri Dental College, St. Louis, Mo | 6 |  |  |  | 6 |  |  |  |
| 134 | New Tork College of Dentistry, New York, N. F | 40 |  |  |  | 46 |  |  |  |
| 135 | Ohio College of Dental Surgery. Cincinnati, Ohio ........ | 23 |  |  |  | 23 |  |  |  |
| 136 | Pennsjlrania College of Dental Surgery, Philadelphia, Pa. | 69 |  |  |  | c9 |  |  |  |
| 137 | Philadelphia Dental College, Philadelphia, Pa SCHOOLS OF PHARMACY. | 58 |  |  |  | 58 |  |  |  |
| 138 | Chicago College of Pharmacy, Chicago, 111 | 63 |  |  |  |  | 63 |  |  |
| 139 | Louisville College of Pharmacy, Louisville, Ky .......... | $a 8$ |  |  |  |  | a8 |  |  |
| 140 | Lonisrille Schuol of Pharmacy for Women, Louisville, Ky. | 5 |  |  |  |  | 5 |  |  |
| 141 | Maryland Collego of Pharmacy, Baltimore, Md........ | 33 |  |  |  |  | 33 |  |  |
| 143 | Massachusetts College of Pharmacy, Boston, Mass St. Lonis College of Pharmacy, St. Louis, Mo | 12 |  |  |  |  | 12 |  |  |
| 144 | College of Pharmacy of the City of New York, New York, N. Y. | 73 |  |  |  |  | 73 |  |  |
| 145 | Philadelphia College of Pharmacy, Philadelphia, Pa.... | 147 |  |  |  |  | 147 |  |  |
| 146 147 | Pittsburg College of Pharmacy, Pittsburg, Pa .......... | 10 |  |  |  |  | ${ }_{10}^{6}$ |  |  |

aIncludes 1 certificate of proficiency.
$b$ Doctor of pharmacy.

Table XV.-Pait 3.-Degrees conferred in 1884-85 by schools for the superior instruction of women.
[The following are the explanations of abbreriations nsed in Part 3 of this table: A. B., Graduate in A:ts; A. M., Mistress of Arts; B. L. A., Graduate in Liberal Arts; B. L., Graduate in Letters; M. L. A., Mintiess of Iiberal Arts; M.E. L., Mistress of English Literature; MI. Ph., Mistress of Philosophy; 11. I'. L., Mistress of Polite Literature; B. Sc., Graduate in Science; Mis. Mus., Mistress of Musie.]


Tagle XV.-Part 3.-Degrecs conferved in 1834-'E5 by achoolg, éc.-Continued.

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Minden Female Collese, Kinden, La
Mrino Wesleyan Seminary and Female College, Ként's Hill. Mé.
Baltimore Female College, Baltimere,
Lutberville Female Seminars, Lutherville, Md.
Abbot A cademr, Andover, Mass
Lasell Seminary for Yoang Women, Auburndale, 广ass.
The Ewain Free School, New Bedford, Mass.
Smith College, Northampton, Mass...
Wellesley College, Wellesley Mass....
Bennet Seminary, Minneapolis, Minn.
Whitworth Female College, Brookhaven, Miss.
Central Female Institute, Clinton, Miss East Mississippi Female College, Meridian, Miss.
Union Female College, Oxford. Miss.
Chickasaw Female College, Pontotoc, Miss.
Starkville Female Institute, Starkville, Miss.
Christian Femalo College, Columbia, Mo.
Stephens Collese, Columbia, Mo.
Howard Female College, Fayette, Mo.
Fulton Synodical Female College, Fulton, Mo.
St. Loais Seminary, Jennings, Mo.
Baptist Female College, Lexington, 110
The Elizabeth Aull Female Seminary, Lexington, Mo.
Bishop Whitaker's School for Girls, Reno, Ner.
New Hampshire Conference Seminary and Eemale College, Tilton, N. H.
Pennington Seminary, Pennington. N.J Brooklyn Heights Seminary, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Clarerack College and Endson River Institute, Clarerack, N. Y.
Asherille Female College, Asheville, N.C.

Charlotte Female Institute, Charlotte, N. C.

Chowan Baptist Female Institute, Murfreesboromgh, N. C.
Thomasville Female College, Thomasville, N. C.
if Gincinnati Wesleyan College, Cincinnati, Ohio.
i.) Glendale Female College, Glendale, Ohio.
a J!. E. (mistress of English).
3 Hiplomas certifying to course of stady pursued.
c Diplomas conferred on completion of regular contse.
$d$ These are diplomas in cooking.
$e$ Diploma in misic.
$f$ Diploma for fall normal course.
$g$ Diploma for fall course in the art department.
"Bachelor of music."

iB. T. (bachelor of teaching).
$i$ Degree of "graduate."
$\dot{k}$ "Mistress of science."
$\ell$ Includes 4 normal diplomas.
$m 4$ "bachelor of piano music," and 1 "bacholor of rocal music."
$n$ "Bachelor of philosophy."
o Gradnates in music.
$p 1$ diploma of "fuil graduate" and 2 Englisk diplomas.

Table XV.-Part 3.-Degrees conferred ial 1884-85 by schoots, \&c.-Continued.

|  |  | All | grees. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  | Institutions and locations. |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \dot{4} \\ & \dot{4} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { H } \\ & \dot{4} \end{aligned}$ | ¢ - ¢ | $\underset{\sim}{\text { нin }}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { d } \\ & \text { H } \\ & \text { a } \end{aligned}$ | 号 |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \dot{\sim} \\ & \underset{\sim}{n} \end{aligned}$ | 淢 |
|  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 |
| 76 | Hillsborough Female College, Hillsborough, Ohio. | 10 |  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 9 |  |  |  |  |
| 77 | Anderson Female Seminary, Anderson, S.C. | 4 | a1 | 64 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 78 | Columbia Female College, Columbia, S. ©. | 19 |  | 14 |  |  |  |  | 5 |  |  |  |  |
| 79 | Due West Female College, Due West, | 22 |  |  | 22 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 80 | Greenville Female College, Greenville, S. C. | 12 |  | c12 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 81 | Walhalla Female College, Walhalla, S.C. | d |  |  | $d 5$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 82 | Wesleyan Female College, Brownsrille; Tenn. | 2 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 2 |  |  |  |  |
| 83 | Broadhurst Institute, Clarksville, Tenn. | , |  | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 84 | Tennessee Female College, Franklin, Tenn. | 24 |  | 4 |  |  |  |  | e20 |  |  |  |  |
| 85 | Memphis Conference Female Institute, Jackson, Tenn. | 10 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 10 |  |  |  |  |
| 86 | La Grange Female College, La Grange, Teun. | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |
| 87 | Cumberland Female College, McMinnville, Tenn. | 12 |  |  | 3 |  |  |  | 9 |  |  |  |  |
| 88 89 | Soule Female College, Murfreesborough, Tenn. <br> W. E. Ward's Seminary for Young | 56 |  |  | 56 |  |  |  | 7 |  |  |  |  |
| ${ }_{90} 9$ | W. E. Ward's Seminary for Young Ladies, Nashville, Tenn. <br> Mary Sharp Collego, Winchester, Tenn. | 56 17 |  | 7 | 56 |  | 7 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 91 | Dallas Female College, Dallas, Tex..... | 15 |  |  | 1 |  |  |  | 14 |  |  |  |  |
| 92 | Woodland Female College, Paris, Tex. Vermont Methodist Seminary and Fe- | 3 |  |  | 3 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 93 | Vermont Methodist Seminary and Female College, Montpelier, Vt. <br> Martha Washington College, Abingdon, Va . | 5 7 |  | 5 |  |  |  | 1 | 4 |  |  | 2 |  |
| 95 | Roanolze Female College, Danville, Va .- | f32 |  | $f 3$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 96 | Norfolk College for Young Ladies, Nor. | 6 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 98 | folls, Va. <br> Southern Female College, Petersbarg, Va. | h32 |  |  |  |  |  |  | i2 |  |  |  |  |
| 99 | Richmond Female Institute, Richmond, Va. | 9 |  | $j 5$ | 4 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 100 | Wesleyan Female Institute, Staunton, Va. | 12 |  | 12 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 101 | Wheeling Female College, Wheeling, W. Va. | 7 |  | 3 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 4 |  |
| 102 | Milwakkee College, Milwaukee, Wis ... | 2 |  | 2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

[^110]g4 are "fall graduate," and 2 "graduate in Eng. lish course."
$\hbar 30$ of these are graduates in schools.
$i$ M. E. C. L. (mistress of English and classical literature).
$j$ These are "literary graduate."
$k$ The degree of "fall graduate."

Table XVI.-Statislics of publio libraries numbering 300 rolumes and uptcards for 18es-'85.
Notz-Explanation of abbreviations: Sch., School; Col., College; Soc', Collego socicty libraries; Soc l, Social; Dicd., Medical; The'l, Theological; Hist'l, Historical; Sci., Scientific; San., Sanitary; Mer., Mercantile; Y. M. C. A., Young Men's Christlau Association; Gov't, Government; Ter, Terriwilial; Gar., Garrison; A. \& R., Abylum and refurmatory; Gen., General; 0 signilies no or wone; .... signilies no answer.

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University, Ala...........
Prescott, Ariz
Tombstone, Ariz.........
Tacson, Ariz.
Yuma, Ariz.
Batesvilie, Ark
Booneville, Ark
Clinton, Ark.
Fayetterille, Ark
Pine Blaff, Ark.
Helena, Ark
Littlo Rock, Ark
Little Rock, Ars
Little Rock, Ark
Little Rook, Ark


|  |  | $\begin{array}{r}\text { ¢ } \\ \stackrel{\text { \% }}{ \pm} \\ \hline\end{array}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1873 |  | Col. | 1,500 |
|  |  | Soc'y | 1,500 |
|  |  | Col ....... | 350 |
| 1885 | Free.. | Soc ${ }^{1}$ | 350 |
| 1870 | Sub. | Socl | 820 |
| 1859 |  | Col | * 1,470 |
| 1853 | Freo.. | Cul ........ | 3,987 |
| 1829 | Freo.. | Sch....... | 800 |
|  |  | Sch | *800 |
| 1885 | Freo.. | Y. M. C.A. | 500 |
| 1811 | Freo. | Col | 5,000 |
|  |  | Soc ${ }^{\text {y }}$ | 1,000 |
| 1836 |  | Sc ¢ | 3,000 |
| 1835 |  | Sch....... | *1,000 |
|  |  | Sch....... | 400 |
| 1885 | Freo.. | Y. М.C. A. | 800 |
| 1860 |  | Med. | *500 |
| 1872 | Sub. | Lat | 4, 000 |
| 1873 | Sub... | Gen | 5,500 |
| 1829 | Free.. | Col | 12,000 |
|  |  | Soc'y | 1,000 |
| 1828 | Free.. | State | 17, 326 |
| 1884 | Free.. | San. sci... | 3,000 |
| 1877 | Sub... | Gen ...... | 700 |
|  |  | Sch.......- | 800 |
| 1855 | Sub... | Law...... | 600 |
|  | Free.. | Y. M.C. A. | 1,000 |
|  |  | Sch....... | 3,000 |
| 1860 | Freo.. | A. \& Pr.... | \% 500 |
| 1852 | Free.- | Sch | 400 |
| 1875 |  | Col | 3,500 |
|  |  | The'l | 1,000 |
|  |  | Col ....... | 400 |
| 1850 |  | Hist ${ }^{1}$ | 500 |
| 1876 | Sub... | Soe 1. | 400 |
| 1850 | Free.. | The'l..... | 1,200 |
| 1860 | Freo.. | A. \&R.... | 1,500 |
| 1859 | Freo.. | Col | 4,000 |
| 1831 | Free.. | Sch | 2,000 |
| 1831 | Free.. | Col | 6, 300 |
|  |  | Soc'y | 603 |
| 1864 | Free.. | Law | 5,000 |
| 1884 | Sub... | Gen | 400 |
| 1881 | Both.. | Gen ...... | 800 |
| 1884 | Free.. | A. \& R.... | 2,456 |
| 1873 | Free.. | Col........ | 700 |
|  |  | Sch........ | 650 |
| 1872 | Free.. | Sch....... | 600 6,000 |
|  |  | Sch | 1,000 |
| 1864 | Free.. | Sch........ | 2,500 |
|  |  | Col ....... | 200 |
| 1859 | Free.. | Sch........ | 983 |
| $18 \frac{1}{1} 0$ | Free.- | Stato..... | 20, 000 |

- From a retara for 1884.

Table XVI.-Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 rolumes, \&.e.-Continned.

|  | Flace. | Name of library. |  |  | 聯 |  |
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| 5 | Iititle Rock, Ark | Masonic Lilira | 1883 | Freo.. | Masonic.. | 19 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 58 \\ & 59 \end{aligned}$ | Little Rock, Ark | Marquand Liorary |  |  | Gen ........ | 5, 500 |
| 69 | Little Rock, Ark. | Supreme Court Libr | 1836 | Frc | Law | 5,000 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 61 \\ & 62 \end{aligned}$ | Searcy, Arl Alameda, Cal | Searce Miale and Femate colle | 1876 | Froo.. |  | 5, 600 |
| 63 | Alamo, Cal | Alamo District School Library |  |  | Sch | 3500 |
| $64$ | ${ }_{\text {Anaheim, }}$ Arcala, | Pablic School Library |  | Free.- | Sch. | 500 400 |
| 66 | Arcata, Cal | Union School District Library | 1859 | Free.. | Scl | 300 |
| 67 | Auburn, Cal | Public School Library | 1865 | Freo.. |  |  |
| 68 | Aubarn, Cal | Siorra Normal College and Busi- |  |  |  | 300 |
| 69 | Benicia, Cal | Missionary Collegoof St. Augustine | 1870 | Free.. |  | 700 |
|  | Benicia, | Society Libra |  |  | Soc' |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 71 \\ & 72 \end{aligned}$ | Benicia, Benicial, Cal. | St. Catherine's ${ }^{\text {Sta }}$ | 1874 | Freo. | Sch | 500 |
| 73 | Benicia, Cal | Young Ladies' Sominary | 1852 | Freo.. |  | 1,500 |
|  | Berisoley, Cal | Harmon Seminary ${ }^{*}$. ${ }^{\text {a }}$.-......... |  |  |  |  |
| 75 | Berkeley, Cal ............ | Institution for the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind. | 1866 | Free.. |  | 1,050 |
| 76 | Berkeley, C | Odd Fellows' Library .-........... | 81 | Free.. | I.O.O.F.. | 300 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 77 \\ & 78 \end{aligned}$ | Berkeley, Cal. Mt. Hamilton, | University of Californi | 1876 |  |  |  |
| $79$ | Blocksburg, C | Larribeo School District Library... | 1880 | Fre |  | 374 |
| 80 | Brentwood, | Liberty District School Library .- |  |  | Sch | 321 <br> 300 |
| $\begin{array}{r} 81 \\ 82 \end{array}$ | Central Point, C | Los Baños School District Library. | 1872 | Freo. |  | 450 |
|  | Chico, Cal | Free Library | 1879 |  |  | 500 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 84 \\ & 85 \\ & 85 \end{aligned}$ | Clayton, Cal | Mt. Diablo District School Library |  |  | Sch | 400 |
| 86 | Clovordale, Cal | Library Association | 1878 | Su | Gen | 100 |
|  | Coultorville | School Library |  |  |  | 400 |
| 89 | Evergreen, | Evergreen Library. | 1859 | ${ }_{\text {Free. }}$ | Scl | 400 |
|  | Folsom, Cal. | Granite District School Library | 1860 | Treo. | Sa | 450 |
| 91 | Fort Mason, Cal. (P. O., | Battery M, First Artillery...... |  |  | Gar. | 800 |
| 92 | Galt, Cal. | Galt Public School Library |  |  | Sch |  |
|  | Gilrov, Cal..- | Gilroy School District Libra | 1874 |  |  |  |
| 95 | Hollister, Cal | Woman's Christian | 1884 | Freo Sub | Soc' |  |
|  |  | Union Circ |  |  |  |  |
| $96$ | -r | nito | $\begin{aligned} & 1858 \\ & 1882 \end{aligned}$ | Free.. |  |  |
| $93$ | Irving, Cal | Washington Collogo |  |  | Sch |  |
| $99$ | Knight's Ferry | Public Library | 1860 | Freo.. |  | 750 |
| $100$ | La Grange, Cal |  | 18 |  | Sclı | Se0 |
|  | Livermore, Cal | Public Library | 1878 | Free.. | Gen | 250 |
| 103 | Livermore, C | Public School Library | 1872 | Free.. | Sch |  |
|  | Lodi, Cal | Freo Library and Reading Room.- |  |  |  | ${ }_{347}^{200}$ |
| 105 | Los Angeles, Cal... | Historical Society of Southern California. | 188 | Sub |  |  |
| 106 | Los Angeles, Cal | Public Library | 1872 | Sub |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 107 \\ & 108 \end{aligned}$ | Los Angeles, | St. Vincont's Co |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 108 \\ & 109 \end{aligned}$ | Los Angeles, Cal | Onivorsitf of Southern California. | 1880 | Free |  | 500 |
| 110 | Marysville, Cal | City Library | 1858 | Freo.. | Ge | 4,000 |
| $111$ | Marysville, Cal | College of Notre Da |  |  | Sch |  |
| $12$ | Merced, Cal. | Bear Creek Distrrct Lib | 1872 | Free.. |  | 300 |
|  | Morced, Cal | Serced School District | 1884 |  | Col |  |
| $114$ | Modesto, Cal. | Adamaville Schooi ioistrictilibrary | 1862 | Freo.. |  | 383 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 116 \\ & 117 \end{aligned}$ | Modesto, Ca | Modesto School District Library- | 1871 | Free |  |  |
| $118$ | Napa, Cal. | Free Prablic Library | ${ }_{1870}^{1885}$ | Freo.. | Con | ${ }_{450}$ |
| $119$ | apa, Cal | Oak Mound Librar | 1874 | irreo |  | 0 |
| 21 | Nevada City, Cal | I. O.O.F. Library | 1868 |  |  | ${ }_{400}^{200}$ |
|  | *From a retara for | 188. | Books | and pa | aphlet. |  |

Tanle XVI.-Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 volumes, go.-Continued.

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136 Palie, Cal
137 Pasadena, Cal.
133 Petaluma. Cal
139 Pioncer, Cal
$\begin{array}{ll}140 & \text { Placerrille, Cal } \\ 141 & \text { Pleasanton, Cal }\end{array}$
141 Pleasanton, Cal
143 Red Dinfé Cal.
144 Riverside, Cal
145 Rohnerville, Cal
146 Sacramento, Cal.
acramento, Cal
Sacramento, Cal
Sacramento, Cal
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St. Helena, Cal.
San Bernardino, Cal
San Buenarentrira, Cal.
San Diego, Cal
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School District Library.........
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Heart.


Oakland High School....................
Odd Fellows' Library.............
Pacific Theological Seminary.........
Perry Seminary.......................
St. Joseph's A cademy
Pablic Library Association...........
Ladies' Library Association...........
Pacheco District ichool Library.
Pasadena Library
Publle Library
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Pionear School District Library...
Teptane Library Tassajara District Scho.........
Odd Fellows' Library ................
Public School Library ................
Library Association............
Rohnerville School District Library
Rohnerville School District Library
Free Public Library
Sacramento Business College ........
Sacramento Institute ...............
St. Joseph's Acaademy .................
St. Helena School District Library.
Library Association ..................
Ventura Public Library.
Library of City School Sjstem.
Public Library.
San Diego Society of Nataral History.
Pacheco School Library ............
Bancroft Pacific Library ..........
Barnard's Business College........
Americana de San Francisco.
Bibliothèque de la Ligue Nationale Française.
Bohemian Club (Pine street) ......
California Academy of Sciences ..
Chamber of Commerce..............
City and County Alms Honse........
College of Notre Dame of San Francisco.*
Geographical Societr of the Pacific.
Grand Lodge, F. and A. M., of the
State of California.
Hahnemann Medical College of San Francisco.
Heald's Business College............
Irving Institate
Knights of Pythias Library
La Salle Library (Sacred Heart College).
Law Library of the Bar Association of San Francisco.
Law Library Southern Pacific Com-
Mariners' Free Reading Room Li. brary.
Mechanics' Institote ................
Mercantile Library Association....
Microscopical Society Library.

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| 1565 | Free. | Sch |  |
| 1865 |  | Sch | TE9 |
| ${ }_{1869}^{1872}$ | Frce.. | Sch.... | 1,200 |
| a1868 | Free.. | Gcn | 10,738 |
| 1869 | Frce.. | Sch........ | 500 |
| 1867 |  | I. O.O.F.. | 4,263 |
| 1869 | Frao.. | ${ }^{\text {Thne'l }}$ | 3, 300 |
|  |  | Sch........ | 5,500 |
| 1885 | Sub.. | Gen ${ }^{\text {Goc }}$ - |  |
| 188 | Sab | Soch ${ }^{\text {Sol..... }}$ | 2,150 300 |
| 1884 | Sub.. | Gen | 1,540 |
| 1867 | Free.. | Gen | 3,500 |
| $180{ }^{\circ}$ | Free.. | ${ }_{\text {Sen }}$ |  |
|  |  | Sci | 309 |
| 1868 | Froe.. | L L | 464 |
| 1379 | Sub.. | Gen | 1,050 |
| 1830 | Freo.. | State | 61,612 |
| 1879 | Free.. | Gen | 11,778 |
| 1873 | Froe.. |  |  |
| 1800 | Both. | Sch | 3 3, 000 |
| 1814 | Free.. | Sch. | 512 |
|  |  | Gen | 450 |
| 1874 | Freo.. | Sch | 450 |
| 1878 |  | Gen | 1,600 |
| 1874 |  | Sci. | 458 |
| 1871 | Free.. | Sch. | 322 |
| 1859 | Free.. | Sci. | 45, 000 |
| 1882 | Sab... | Gen . | 650 |
| 1875 | Sub... | Gen | 13,000 |
| 1872 | Tree.. | Soc' | 2,0n0 |
| 1853 | Free.. | Sci... |  |
| 1850 | Free.. | Mer | 1, c:25 |
| 1850 | Free.. | ${ }_{\text {Sch }}$ \& | 1,250 |
| 1866 |  |  |  |
| 1881 | Free.. | Sci... | 300 |
| 180 | Frce.. | Hasonio. |  |
|  |  | Med | 300 |
|  |  | Sch | 1, 00 |
| 1881 | Fre3.. | sch | 350 |
|  | Free.. | Soc' | $\begin{aligned} & 4,201 \\ & 3,000 \end{aligned}$ |
| 18 |  |  |  |
| 1884 |  | L2 | 3,724 |
| 1863 | Freo.. | Law | 8,500 |
| 1876 | Free.. | Soc'1... | 1,000 |
| 55 | Sob... | Soc | 40,000 |
| 1833 |  | Mer |  |
|  |  | Sci. |  |

Table XVI.-Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 volumes, \&.c.-Continued.
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Los Angeles, Ca
San José, Cal
San José, Cal
San Jose, Cal
San Luis Obispo, Cal.
San Mateo, Cal
San Mateo, C'al
San Pablo, Cal
San Pablo, Cal
San Quentin, Ca
San Rafacl, Cal
San Ramon, Cal
Santa Barbara, Cal
Santa Barbara, Cal
Santa Barbara, Cal
Santa Clara, Cal
Santa Clara, Cal
Santa Cruz, Cal
Santa Cruz, Cal
Santa Rosa, Cal
Santa Kosa, Cal.
Santa Rosa, Cal.
Santa Rosa, Cal.
Saratoga, Cal
Somersville, Cal.
Strekton, Cal
Stockton, Cal
Stockton, Cal

Tulare, Cal

Name of library

| Place. | Name of library. |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| San Franolsco, Cat... | Military Library................... | 1873 | Sub... | Military .. | $1,223$ |
| San Francisco, Cal...... | Now Jerusalem Church Free Librars. | $1866$ | Freo.- | Soc'l. | 1,200 |
| San Francisco, Cal | Odel l'elloms' Library............... | 1854 | Sub | I. O. O. F.. | 40,131 |
| San Erancisco, Cal | Pacific IIebrew Orpian Asylum and Home Society. |  |  | A. \& 12... | -600 |
| Saı Francisco, Cal...... | Post Library (Presidio of San Tran. сізсо). |  | Freo.. | Gar........ | 1,290 |
| San Francisco, Cal.... | St. Ignatius College ................... | 1855 |  | Col | 12, 000 |
| San Francisco, Cal | Senior Philhistorian Debating Society. | 1863 | Freo.. | Soc'y . . . . | 500 |
| San Francisco, Cal...... | Sodality Library (ladies') ...... | 1870 | Freo. | Soc'y . . . . | 1,630 |
| San Francisco, Cai...... | St. Mary's Coilego........... | 1863 | Sub... | Col ........ | 5,250 |
| San Francisco, Cal | San Francisco Art Association ... | 1872 | Froe.. | Art | C5 360 |
| San Francisco, Cal | San Fradcisco Free Publie Library. | 1879 | Free. | Gen | 65, 010 |
| San Flaucisco, Cal | San Francisco Law Library. | 1865 | Sub | Lav | 25,500 |
| Sar Francisco, Cal....... | San Francisco Eomau Catholic Fomato Urphan Asyinm. |  |  | A. \& R | 500 |
| San Francisco, Cal | San Francisco Vele:n................ | 1853 | Frco.. | Soc'1....... | 3,560 |
| Sau Francisco, Cal. | School Libiaries (16) |  |  | Scl | 9,414 |
| San Francisco, Cal | Suciety of California | 1850 |  | lis | 3,000 |
| San Francisco, Cal...... | State Mining Bureau | 1880 | Free. | Sci. | 650 |
| San Fradeisco, Cal. (10i Batiery st.). | Sutro Library........ | (a) | Free. | Sci | 110,000 |
| San Francisio, Cal...... | Theological Sominery of San Eran. cisco. | 1871 |  | The | 16,000 |
| San Franoisco, Cal | United States 3rint ................. |  |  | Gov't | 755 |
| San Francisco, Cal | Funng al enis Christias A osociation | 1833 | Freo. | Y. M. C. A. | 4,000 |
| San José, Cal | Coll ge of İutro Dan | 1851 |  | Sci | 3,500 |
| San José, Cal | Tree I'ablio Lihmry | 1880 | Frce.. | Gen | 6,500 |
| San Josó, Cal | Hester School Libra |  | Frco.. | Sch....... | 350 |
| San José, Cal | Iaw Librury. | 1875 | Sub... | Law ...... | 3,000 |
| San Jos6, Cal | State Normal School | 1802 | Freo.. | Scl1 | 1,700 |
| Los Angeles, | Branch State Normal |  |  | Sch | 600 |
| San José, Cal | Unirersity of the Pacilic | 1854 | Both.- | Col........ | 3,000 |
| San José, Cal | Society Libraries |  |  | Suc's | 1,245 |
| San José, Cal | Yonng Men's Christian $\Delta$ seociation. | 1884 | Freo.. | - Y. M.C. A. | 300 |
| San Juan, Cal | San Juan School Library ........... |  |  | Sch....... | 404 |
| San Luis Obispo, | I. O. O. F. Library | 1871 | Erce.- | I. O.O. T.. | 1,000 |
| San Mateo, Cal. | Laurel Hall*. | 1804 |  | Sch........ | 400 |
| San Mateo, Ćal | St. Matthew's Hall |  |  | Sch ........ | 700 |
| San Pablo, Cal. | ît. Pleasant District School Library. |  |  | Sch | 492 |
| San Pablo, Cal | San Palio District School Library |  |  |  | 520 |
| San Quentin, Ca | Stato Prison | 1860 | Free | A. \& R ... | 5,000 |
| San Rafacl, Cal | St. Vincont's Male Orphen Asrlum. |  |  | A. \& R | 1,000 |
| San Pamon, Cal | San liamon District School Library | 1875 |  |  | 300 |
| Santa Barbara, Cal | Mission Library .... | 1786 | Freo.. | The'l | 4,200 |
| Santa Barbara, Cal | Tree Public Library | 188\% | Free.. | Gen ....... | 4,500 |
| Santa Barbara, Cal | Society of Natural History | 1877 | Treo | Sci | 2,600 |
| Santa Clara, Cal | Public School Library |  | Free.. | Sch | 400 |
| Santa Clara, Cal | Santa Clara C'ollege.. | 1851 | Free.. | Col | 12,000 |
| Santa Craz, Cal | Free Library | $b 1882$ | Free.. |  | 3,000 |
| Santa Cruz, Cal | Public School Libr | 1875 | Freo.. | Sch | 450 |
| Santa Rosa, Cal | Froe Library ..... | 1884 | Free |  | 1,200 |
| Santa Rose, Cal. | Pacific Methodist Collcgo... | 1861 |  | Col .. | 500 |
| Santa Rosa, Cal. | Thalian Society (ladies')..... <br> Ulatus Society (rentlemen's) |  |  | Soc'y Soc'y | \} 1,000 |
| Santa Rosa, Cal | Ulatus Society (rentlemen's) | 1861 | Frion | Soc'y | ) 325 |
| Somersville, Ca | Somersville School Library | 1364 | Freo | sicli | 374 |
| Strekton, Cal | Free Public Library | 1881 | Freo | Gen ..... | 8, 147 |
| Stockton, Cal | Masonio Iibrarr... | 1352 | Freo. | Masonic | 325 |
| Stockton, Cal | Pablic Scl:onl Libraries. | 1870 | Free.. | Sch | 1,600 |
| Table Bluff, Ca | Table Slutf Schoul Library | 1867 | Eree.. | Sch | 4 |
| Trinidad, Cal | Trinidad school Library | 1864 | Freo.. | Sch | 358 |
| Tulare, Cal | Library A ssociation | 1879 | Sub. | Gen ${ }^{\text {- }}$ - | 900 |
| Ukiah, Cal | I. O. O. T. Library. | 18.4 |  | I. O. O. F.. | 600 |
| Vacarille, Cal | California Normal College | 1882 | Free. | Col | 2,500 |
| Vallejo, Cal. | Free Public Library ................ | 1884 | Free.. | Gen ... | 998 |
| Vallejo, Cal | Independent Order Grand Tomplars' Iome for Orpbans. |  |  | A. \& R... | 300 |
| Tisalia, Cal. | I. O. O. F. Library (Four Creeks Lodge, No. 01). | 1868 | Freo.. | I.O.O.F.. | 200 |

* From a return for 1884
a. Not organized up to the date of the closing of this reportn
b Succeeding the Santa Cruz Library, founded in 1868.

Table XVI.-Statistics of publio libraries numbering 300 volumes, \& c. - Continaed.

|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 244 | Watsonville, C | Odd Fellows' L | 1872 | Free.. | I.O.O.F.- | 1,600 |
| 245 | Woodbridge Ca | San Joaquin Valley College |  |  | Col. | 850 |
| 246 | Woodland, Cal. | Hesperinn Collece ........ |  |  |  | 300 |
| 247 | Wrights, Cal. | Snmmit Schnol District Library ... | 1873 | Freo.. |  | 315 |
| 248 | Wrandotte, Cal | Wrandotte School Library ........ |  |  | Sch........ | 500 353 |
| 249 230 | Yountrille, Cal. <br> Boulder, Colo.. | Buchanan School Library. <br> Backinaham Library Universits | 1866 1878 | Free.. | Sch | 353 3,000 |
| 230 | Boulder, Colo | Dackingham Library, University of Colorado. | 1878 | Free.. | Col ........ | 3,000 |
| 252 | Cañon Ci | Colorado State Peniten | 1876 | Free.. |  | 2,000 |
| 253 | Central Cits, Colo | Public School Library . | 1868 | Both.. |  | 1, 500 |
| 254 | Colorado Springs, Colo | Colorado College | 1874 | Free.. | Col | 6,000 |
| 255 | Colorado Springs, Colo | Garstin's Circulating | 1884 | Sub... | Soc' | 1,000 |
| 256 | Colorado Springs, Colo | Public School Library .............. | 1876 | Free.. |  | 550 |
| 257 | Colorado Springs, Colo | Social Union Free Library and Reading Room. | 1885 | Free.. |  | 800 |
| 258 | Denver, Colo | Burnham Library Association.. | 1882 | Sub... | Soc' | 1,500 |
| 259 | Denver, Colo | Catholic Library Association | 1882 | Sab | Soc' | 500 |
| 260 | Denver, Col | Circulating Library |  |  |  | 3,000 |
| 261 | Denrer, Col | Colorado Seminary* | 1864 |  |  | 800 |
| 262 | Denrer, Colo | Grand Lodge A. F. and A. M. of Colorado | 1861 | Freo.. | Masonic .- | 750 |
| 263 | Denver, Colo. | Matthews Hall |  |  | The | 5,100 |
| 264 | Denver, Colo | Public School Libraries (4) | $1875-$ | Fr |  | 5,353 |
| 265 | Denver, Colo | State Libra | 1863 | Free.. |  | 8,000 |
| 266 | Denver, Col | Supreme Court Law Library | 1872 | Free.. | Law | 5,000 |
| 267 | Denver, Colo | Symes Law Library Association... | 1881 | Both.. | Law ...... | 6,000 |
| 268 | Denrer, Coil | Unirersity of Denver | 1880 | Freo.. | Col ........ | 1,300 |
| 269 | Denver, Colo | Tolfe Hall* | 1870 |  | Sch | 2,500 |
| 270 | Denver, Colo | Young Men's Christian Association | 1881 | Free.. | Y. M.C.A. | 1,124 |
| 271 | Fort Collins, Co | State A gricultural College........ | 1879 | Free.. | Col | 900 |
| 272 | Fort Collins, Colo....... | Woman's Christian Temperance Union. | 1882 | Both.. | Soc'l...... | 336 |
| 273 | Golden, C | State Industrial School | 1883 | Free.- | A. \& R. | 620 |
| 274 | Golden, Colo | State School of Mines Library | 1880 | Free.. |  | 1,000 |
| 275 | Greeler, Colo | Library Association. | 1885 |  | Gen | 3,000 |
| $\stackrel{276}{27}$ | Greeler, Colo | Public School Library* | 1879 | Free.. | Sch | 400 |
| 277 | Leadrille, Colo | St. Mary's School .................... | 1882 |  |  | 300 |
| ${ }_{2} 278$ | Leadrille, Col | Young Men's Christian Association | 1880 | Free.. | Y. M. C. A. | 600 |
| 279 | Pueblo, Colo | High School Library | 1882 | Freo.. |  | 420 |
| 280 | Abington, Con | Social Library | 1793 | Sub... | Soc' | 920 |
| 281 | Andover, | Porter Library Associatio | 1879 |  | Gen | 1,065 |
| 282 | Ansonia, Conn | Young Men's Christian Association | 1883 | Free.. | 7. M. C.A. | 650 |
| 283 | Ashford, Conn | Babcock Library | 1865 | Free.. | Gen | 2, 400 |
| 284 | Berlin, Conn | Beckley Qurter Library |  |  | Suc'l | 358 |
| 285 | Berlin, Conn | District School Library, | 1870 | Free.. | Sch | 322 |
| 286 | Berlin, Conn | Library Association* | 1843 | Sub... | Gen | 900 |
| 287 | Bethlehem, Conn | Library Association |  |  |  | 1,381 |
| 288 | Birmingham, Con | Allis' Circulating Library | 1854 | Both.. | Soc'l. | 3, 500 |
| 289 | Bolton, Conn | Free Library | 1881 | Free.. | Gen ..... | 510 |
| 290 | Bridgeport, Conn ........ | Bridgeport Publio Library and Reading Room. | 1882 | Freo.. | Gen ...... | 16,550 |
| 291 | Bridgeport, Conn | Hillsido Seminary |  |  | Sch | 700 |
| 292 | Bridgeport, Conn | Park Arenue Institate |  |  |  | 1,000 |
| 293 | Bristol, Conn | Yoang Men's Christian Association | 1869 | Both.. | Y. M. C. A. | 2, 200 |
| 204 | Buckingham, Conn | Library Association | 1855 | Sub. | Gen | 504 |
| 295 | Canaan, Conn. | Douglas Library | 1823 | Freo.. | Gen | 2,028 |
| 296 | Chester, Conn | Library Association | 1875 | Sub... | Gen. | 1,300 |
| 297 | Clinton, Conn | Morgan Library Associatio | 1872 | Sab... | Gen ...... | 195 |
|  | Clinton, Conn | Morgan School | 1879 | Free.. | Sch....... | 2, 105 |
| 303 | Colchester, Conn | Colchester Library | 1854 | Sub... | Gen | 2,500 |
| 301 | Collinsville, Conn | High School Library |  | Free | Sch | 400 |
| 2 | Columbia, Conn | Columbia Freo Library | 1883 | Free.. | Gen | 1,265 |
|  | Cornwall, Conn | Housatonic Valley Institute |  |  | Sch ....... | 1,700 |
| 304 | Cornwall, Conn | Library Association | 1869 | Sub... | Gen ....... | 1,250 |
| 305 | Danbutry, Conn | Danbury Library. | 1871 | Sub... | Gen ...... | 7, 500 |
| 306 | Danielsonville, Conn.... | People's Library Association | 1854 | Sab... | Gen ...... | 2,000 |
| 7 | Durham, Conn. | Darham Academy |  |  | Sch...... | 2, 000 |
| 3 | East Haddam, Conn | Middleser Lodge No. 3, L O. O.F | 1863 |  | L 0.0 |  |

Table XVI.-Statistics of public librarics numbering 300 volumes, $s=-C o n t i n u e d$.

*From a return for 1884.

Table XVI．－Statistics of publio libraries numbering 300 rolumes，foc．－Continued．

|  | Place． | Naroo of library， | 哥 E E E E |  | $\begin{aligned} & \dot{⿷ 匚 ⿱ 艹 ⿸ ⿻ 口 丿 乚 厶 力} \\ & \text { రै } \end{aligned}$ |  |
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| 372 | Now Maren，Conn | American Oricntal So | 1847 |  |  | 3，00C |
| 37.3 | Now Ilaren，Coun | Jartholomer＇s Library＊ | 1871 | $\stackrel{\square}{ }$ | Soc | 4，006 |
| 374 | Now Laven，Conn ．．．．．． | Connecticut Academy of Arts and Scinnces． | 1780 |  |  | （a） |
| 375 | Ner IIaven，Cmin ．．．．．．． | The Elderage School |  | Fres.. |  | 1， 050 |
| 376 | New llaren，Coun ．．．．．．． | Hillbouse Iligh School． | $1863$ | Free．． | Sch | 2， 239 |
| 377 | Ner Haren，Comn ．．．．．． | Ner Haven Colony Historical So－ cietr． | 1862 | Free．． | Fist | 2，900 |
| 378 | New Maren，Coun | New İaven Orphan Asyium．．．．．．． | 186.5 |  | A． | 550 |
| Ŝ79 |  | State Board of Health． | 1878 | Frce．． | San． |  |
| 320 | New Haren，Coun ．．．．．．． | Yale College． | 1700 |  |  | 125，060 |
| 381 | New IIaven，Conn ．．．．．． | I／aw School．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 1823 | Freo．． |  | 9，0c0 |
| $35_{3}$ | Ner IIaren，Conn．．．．．． | Linonianand Brothers Library． | 1769 | Sub．．． | Soc | 28， 000 |
| 383 384 384 | New Laven，Conn ．．．．．． | Siedical Department．．．．．．．．．．． | 1812 |  |  | 3，000 |
| 385 | ズew Haren，Conn | Trowbridco licference Libra－ | 1880 | Frco．． | Th | 2， 000 |
| PSG | New Haven，Conn | ry of Dírinity Scho Iounc Ilen＇s Institute＊． | 1820 | Sob． |  |  |
| 557 | Nem Loudon，Conn | Circulating Library | 1870 | Sub | So | 1，371 |
| 3 SS | New London，Conn | Fort Trumbull Post Library．．．． | 1873 | Frce．． | Gar | 300 |
| 369 | New London，Conn | Newr Londoni County Historical Sucistry | 1890 | Frce．． | Hist | 2， 000 |
| 390 | New London，Conn | Public School Libraries（2）．．．．．． |  |  | Sch | 1，100 |
| 391 | N＇cts Milford，Conn | Adelphic Instituto＊． |  |  |  | ${ }^{5} 500$ |
| 302 | Ncw Minford，Conn | Benerolent Library | 1840 | Frce．． |  | 1，500 |
| 393 | Netr Millord，Conn | Center School Liora | 1860 | Freo．． |  | 406 |
| $3: 34$ | Newtorn，Cona | Nerrown Library | 1876 | Free．． |  | 830 |
| 505 | Norfolk，Coun | Circulating Library | 1865 | Free．． | Soc | 500 |
| $3: 9$ | Norfolk，Conn | The liobbins Schoo | 1884 |  |  | 300 |
| 397 | North Haven，Com | Bradley Library． | $18 \varepsilon 4$ | Snb | Gen | 700 |
| 393 | Norwalk，Comn | Circulating Library | 1873 | Sub． | Soc＇ | 450 |
| 359 | Normalk，Co | Librars Corporation | 1875 | Sub．．． | Ge | 1，800 |
| 400 | Norwich，Conn | Norwich Circulatige Librar | 1871 | Su3．．． | Soc＇ | 6，000 |
| 401 | Norwich，Cona | Norwich Academy，Peck Library．． | 1854 | Freo．． | Sch | 5， 500 |
| 402 | Norwich，Cony | Otis Library | 1830 |  | Gen | 15， 640 |
| 403 | Oxiord，Conn | Oxford Libuary | 1884 | Sab | Gen | 50.3 |
| 404 | Pine If cadow， | Pine Mreador | 1878 | Sab | Gen | T50 |
| 403 | Plainville，Conu | Plainville Library | 1885 | Sab． | Gen | 493 |
| 406 | Planterille，Coun | Yonng Mien＇s Christian Association | 1865 | Sab | Y．M．C． | 379 |
| 407 | Pomfret．Conn． | Pomfret Hall Library | 188\％ |  | Gen | 1，200 |
| 408 | Plymouth，Conn | İibrary Association | 1871 | Both | Gcn | 700 |
| 409 | Plymontlh，Conn | Terryrille Lyceum | 1838 | Snb． | Gen | 1，003 |
| 410 | Putnam，Conn | Citizens＇Library | 188 E | Sub | Gen |  |
| 411 | Ridgcfeid，Conn | Library Corporatio | 187！） | Sub．．． | Gen | 1，540 |
| 412 | Rockrille，Conn ．．．．．．．． | Circnlating Librar |  | Snib．．． | soe | 600 |
| 413 | liockrille，Conn ．．．．．．．． | Rockrille High School（East Dis－ trict Library）． | 1800 |  |  | 630 |
| 414 | Rocky IIll，Conn． | Library Association．． | 1876 | Snb． | Gcn | 709 |
| 41.5 | Hoxbury，Conn | Public Library | 185 | Sub． | Gcn | 513 |
| 110 | Sashrock，Coun． | Acton Library． | 1859 | Sub．．． | Gen | 4，n60 |
| 417 | Saslercok，Conn．．．．．．．．．． | Seabury Institnt | 1803 |  |  | si0 |
| 418 | Sermour．Conn | Parish Library of the M．E．Church． | 1881 | Free．． | Soc＇1． | 160 |
| 419 | Shaber Station，Conn | Shaker Library． |  | Free．． | Soc 1 | 5is |
| 120 | Simshare，Conn． | Free Library | 18.4 | Fr | Gcn | 2，000 |
| 421 | Simsbury，Conn． | Simsbury Academy | 1873 |  | Scl | 350 |
| f $\because 2$ | South Covertry，Conn ．－ | Haio Donation Library | 1804 | Free．． | The＇ | 1，100 |
| 423 | Sonth Corentry，Conn ．． | South Corentry Library | 1880 | Sul．．． | Gen | 1，549 |
| 424 | Southington，Cona． | Iowis High School＊ |  | Free．． | Sch | 400 |
| 425 | South Manchester，Conn | Manchester Free L | 1870 | Free．． | Gen | 2， 412 |
| 120 | South Norwalk，Conn．．． | Library and Reading Room Cor－ poration． | 187 | Sab． | Gen | 1， 100 |
| 427 | Stafiorl．Conn | Stafford Library． | 1875 | Sub．．． | Gen | 1，475 |
| 498 | Stamford，Cunn | Ferguson Library | 1881 | Both．． |  | 5， 000 |
| 429 | Staniford，Coun． | Yonng Men＇s Christian Association | 1876 | Frce．． | F．MI．C | 650 |
| 430 | Stratford，Conn | Library Association | 1885 | Both．． | Gen | 1，360 |
| 431 | Sufteld，Conn | Connceticat Literary Institution． | 1833 | Free．． | Sch | 1，700 |
| 432 | Talcottville，Conn ．．．．．．．． | Talcott Free Library－ | 1882 | Free．． | Gen | 1， 50 C |
| 433 | Thorcaston，Conn．．．．．．． | Laura Andrews Free Library As－ sociation． | 1880 | Free．． | Gen | 1，131 |
| 134 | Thompsonville，Con口．．． | High School Library | 1880 | Free．． | Sch | 500 |
| 433 | Torringtan，Conn ．．．．．．．． | Library Association＊ | 1364 | Sub． | Gen | 3，186 |

＊From a retarn for 1884.
a Incorporated with library of Yale College．

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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 436 | Wallingford, Co | nd Reading Room | 1881 | Su | Soo'1. | 1,773 |
| 437 | Wallingford, Conn |  | 1882 | Free | Soc'1..... | 400 |
|  |  | lent and Literary Society. <br> Library Association* |  |  |  |  |
| 439 | Washington, Conn..... | Free Reading Room and Circulat. | 1850 |  | G | 800 |
| 440 | Waterbary, Conn. | Cougregation de Notre Da | 1869 |  | Sch. | 46 |
| 441 | Waterbury, Conn. | High School .-. |  |  | sich |  |
| 443 | Watertown, Conn. | Lilias Brans Association | $\begin{aligned} & 1870 \\ & 1865 \end{aligned}$ | Freo.. | Gen |  |
| 444 | Wauregan, Conn .. | Wauregan Village Library Asso- | 1801 | Sab. . |  | 1,016 |
|  | Westbrook, Conn | Young People's | 1878 | Sub... | So |  |
| 446 | West Hartford, Conn .. | Free Library | 1883 | Free.. | Gen | 91 |
| 448 | Westrille, Conn - -... | Westville School Librar Beardsley Library..... | ${ }_{1874}^{1876}$ | Sub.. | Gen | 5,133 |
| 449 | Wethersfiela, Conn | Connecticat State Prison. | 1840 | Free.. | A. \& | 1,250 |
| 450 | Werlhersfield, Conn | Rose Library | ${ }_{1878}^{1866}$ | Free | Gen | 1,000 |
| 452 | Willimantic, Conn | Public Library | 1864 | Free.. | Gen | ${ }_{2}^{2}, 584$ |
|  | Windsor, Conn | Loomis Institute |  |  |  |  |
| 454 | Windsor Locks, ${ }_{\text {W }}$ | Browning's Circula | 1870 |  | Soc'l |  |
| 456 | Woodbury, Coan.. | Library Association | 1850 | Subo.. | Gen |  |
|  | Woodstock, Conn | Woodstock A cadem | 1865 | Both | Sc |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 458 \\ & 459 \end{aligned}$ | Woodstock, Conn....... | Woodstock Circulating Library - ${ }^{\text {Grand Lodge of Dakota, A. }}$ | 1875 | Free.. | Masonic | 1,750 |
|  | A berdeen, D | ${ }_{\text {Publio }}^{\text {A. }}$ Lil |  |  |  |  |
| 401 | Bismarek, Da | Territorial Libr |  |  |  |  |
| 462 | Brookings, Dals | Dakota Agricultural Colleg | 1884 | Freo.. | Sch |  |
|  | Callton, Dak | Augustana Colle |  |  |  |  |
| 465 | Fargo, Da'ı | Library Association | $\begin{aligned} & 1885 \\ & { }_{2882} \end{aligned}$ | Sub... | Gen |  |
|  | Fort Randali, Dalk | Post Libra | 1875 |  |  |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 407 \\ 668 \end{gathered}$ | Fort Sully, Dak. | Post Libra |  | Sub | Gar....... | 1,280 |
| 469 | Grand Forks, Dak | University of North | 1884 | Free.. |  | 1,00 |
|  | Jamestown, Dak. | Library Association | 1885 |  | G |  |
| 471 | Mitchell, Dak...... | Realing rooms of the Woman s | 1884 | Both.. |  | 1,500 |
| 472 | Sionx Falls, Dak. | Sioux Falls Law Library .. | 1885 | Sub... |  |  |
| ${ }_{474}^{473}$ | Vermillion, Dak | University of Dakota | 1882 | Freo.. | Col | 1,000 |
| 475 | Watortown, Dak | Priblic Library | 188 |  |  |  |
| 476 | Yankton, Dak | Yankton Colleg | 1883 | Free.. | Co | 1,200 |
|  | Dover, Del. | Dover Library |  | Sub |  | 1,890 |
| 478 | Dover, Del. | Scott Library of Wilmington Con- | 1878 |  |  | 1,600 |
| 479 | Dover, Del | State Library. | 1882 | Free .. | State | +15,000 |
| 481 | Lewes, Del | Library A |  |  |  |  |
|  | Milton, Del | Library Asso | 1875 | Sub... | Gen ..... | 600 |
| 483 | Nowark, Del. | Academy of New |  |  | Sch |  |
| 484 | Newark, Dol | Delaware College | 1835 | Free.. |  | 8,000 |
|  | Newark, Del | Delta Phi Soci | 1835 | Free |  | 1,238 |
| 486 | Oewr Castle, |  | 1812 | Snb |  |  |
| 488 | Wilmington, Di | German Library Assoc | $1 \times 73$ | Free | Soc | 1,374 |
|  | Wilmington, D | Historical Society of D |  |  | Hist' | , |
| 430 | Wilmington, Del....... | New Castle County Law Library | 187 | Sub | Law | 2,000 |
| 491 | Wilmington, Del..... | Shiolis Library Association of | 1863 | Sul | Gen .. | 758 |
|  | Wilmington, D | United States District Cour |  | Free.. |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 493 \\ & 494 \\ & 494 \end{aligned}$ | Wilmington, Del. | Wilmington Institato | 1787 | Su | Gen |  |
| 495 | Washington, D. C..... | Academy of the Sacred Heart of |  |  | Ge | 500 |
| 488 | Washington, D.C. | A cademy of the Visitation | 1850 |  |  |  |
| $497$ | Washington, D.C.... | Adjutant-General's Off |  |  |  | 4,177 |

TABLE XVI.-Statistics of publio libraries numbering 300 volumes, fo.-Continued.

|  | W | American Medical Assaciation |  | Fre |  | 7,050 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 493 | W | Bar Associati | 1871 |  | L | 4,500 |
| 500 | Washington, | Bureau of Ed | 1868 | Free |  | C17,500 |
| 501 | Washington, D | Bureau of Ordnance (Nary Depart- | 1838 |  |  | 1, 500 |
| 502 | Washington, | Bureau of Statistics (Treasury Do. | 1866 |  | Gor' | 9,000 |
| 503 |  | Carroll | 1873 | Free | Soc' | 2,500 |
| 504 | Washington, D | Church School for Young Ladi |  |  |  | 00 |
| 505 | Washington, D. | Columbia Institution for the Deaf | 1854 | Free. |  | 3,000 |
| 506 | W | Columbian | 18 |  |  | 00 |
| 507 | Washington | Department of $A$ | 1860 |  |  | 18,000 |
| 508 | Washington, D | Department of Jus |  |  |  | 20,000 |
| 509 | Washington, D | Department of S |  |  |  | 22, 625 |
| 510 | Washington, D | Department of the | 1850 | ree.. |  | 8,000 |
| 511 | Washington, D | District of Columbi | 1878 |  |  | 1,000 |
| 512 | Washington, D | Executive Mansio | 1810 | Freo.. |  | 2,000 |
| 513 | Washington, D. | Friends' Selec |  |  |  | 400 |
| 514 | Washington, D | General Land Oftic | 1880 | Fr |  | 1,582 |
| 515 | Washington, D | Gonzara Colleg |  | Fr |  | 10,000 |
| 516 | Washington, D | Govercmert Hospital for the In- | 1855 |  |  | 1,400 |
| 517 | Washington, | Health Depar | 1872 | Free |  | 00 |
| 518 | Washington, D | House of Re | 1789 | Freo | Go | 125, 000 |
| 519 | Washington, D. | Howard Cnirersity | 1869 | Free |  | 11,509 |
| 52 | Washington, D | Theolozical Dep | 1872 |  | Th | 950 |
| 521 | Washington, | Library of Congr | 1800 |  |  | 5565,134 |
| 522 | Washington, | \{Library of tho Supr | 1882 |  |  | 9, 000 |
|  | Washington, D | ight Battery |  | Free.. |  | 1,396 |
| 524 | Washington, D | Light-House | 1852 |  | G | 2,711 |
| 525 | Washington, D | Louise Hom | 1869 | Free | A. | $4 \Sigma 3$ |
| 526 | Wasbington, D. | Mc Donald-E |  |  |  | 800 |
| $5 \cdot 7$ | Washington, | Marine |  |  |  | 1,190 |
| 528 | Washington, | Masonic Library of the District of Colombia. | 181 | Free | Mas | 2, 238 |
| 529 | TV | Mt. Vernon Institat | 1872 |  |  | 1,000 |
| 530 | Washington, | Mit. Vernon Semina | 1875 |  |  | 1,000 |
| 531 | W | Museam of Hygiene, United States <br> Pureat of liedicine and Surmery | 1852 | Freo. |  | 13,000 |
| 532 | W | Níutical Almanac Ofi | 1850 |  |  |  |
| 533 | Wasbington, D | Nary Departunent | 1878 | Free |  | 17,000 |
| 534 | Washington, D | Nortrood Female Ins |  |  |  | 1,000 |
| 535 | Washington, D | Post Marine Barrack | 1852 | Free.. |  | 500 |
| 536 | Washington, | Post-Office Depar | 1802 | Free |  | 7,200 |
| 537 | Washiugton, | Proridence Fiospit | 1870 | Free |  | 330 |
| 538 | Washington, D | Reform School of the District of Colambia. | 1879 | Freo |  | 50 |
| 539 | Wash | St. John's Co |  |  |  | 3,500 |
| 540 | Washington, | St. John's Workingmen's Club and | 1883 |  |  | 0 |
| 541 | Wash | Institute. <br> St. Vincent | 1877 | ab |  | 00 |
| 542 | Washington, | Scientific Library of the United | 1839 |  |  | 50, 000 |
| 543 | Washington, D | States Patent Office. | 1861 | Free.. |  | 10, 540 |
| 544 | Washington, D | Soldiers' IIome | 1850 | Free | A. | 4, 973 |
| 545 | Washington, D | Solicitor of the Trea | 1843 | Free |  | 6, 000 |
| 54 | Washington, D. | Superrising Architect's Office | 1858 |  |  | 104 |
| 547 | Washington, D. C | Surgeon-General's Office, United | 18 |  |  | 6, 733 |
| 548 | Washington, D. C | States ATmy Treasurv Dep |  |  |  |  |
| 549 | Washington, D. C | United States Coast and Geodetic | 1832 |  |  | 4, 560 |
| 550 | Washington, D. C | United St | 1882 | Fre |  |  |
| 551 | Washington, D. C | United States Hydrograp hic Oflice. | 1867 |  |  | 2,30C |
| 252 | Wrshington, D. | United States National Museam... | 1881 | Free | Gort... |  |
| *From a return for 1884. <br> a Number of rolumes; also 45,000 pamphlets. <br> b Number or volumes; also 191,00u pamphlets. <br> c Number not given; record kept with that of the Smithsonian Library, the books of which are deposited with the Library of Congress. The number of books and pamphlets which are hept permenently th the Maseum was given as 13,000 for 1884 . |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  | Placo. | Namo of libiary. |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 553 | Washington, D. C | Triteà States Naval Óbservatory.. | 1845 |  |  |  |
| 554 | Washington, I). C | United States Senato ............... | 1852 |  | Go | 30,000 |
| 5 | Washington, 1 . | War Dopariment | 1860 |  |  | 17, 500 |
| 550 | Washington, 10 | Washiogton Circulating Library .- | 1883 | Sub. |  | 3, $0: 0$ |
| 558 | Washington, D. C | Wayland Seminary | 1865 | Fre | Sch....... | 3, 900 |
| 559 | Washington, D. C....... | Young Men's Christian Associa- | 1852 | Free. | Y. M.C.A. | 1, 200 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 5595 \\ & 500 \end{aligned}$ | West Washingten, D.C. <br> West Waslingtos D | Georgetown Colleg | 1791 |  |  | 35, 000 |
| 561 | De Funiak Springe, Fla. | Do Fnniak Spr |  |  | A. \&R.... | 300 |
| 562 | Gainesville, Fla.. | Tast Florida Semin | 1881 |  |  |  |
| 563 | Jacksonville, Fla | Cookman Institute | 4 |  |  |  |
| 564 | Jacksonville, Fla | Jibrary Association | 1882 |  |  | 500 |
| 565 | Key West, Fla. | Convent of Mary In | 1874 | Fre | S | 350 |
| 566 | Live Oak, Fla | Florida Instit | 1880 | Freo | Sc | 00 |
| 567 | Milton, Fla | Public Library, Santa Rosa Acad. | 1875 | Free.. | G | 4,000 |
| 508 | Pensacola, Fla | Library Association |  |  |  | 5 |
| 569 | Pensacola, tios | Yoang Men's Christian Associa- | 1881 | Fro |  | 350 |
| 570 | St. A ugastine, Fla | Frce Publio Library | 1872 |  | Ger | 2,050 |
| 571 | St. A agastine, Fla | Post Librasy of St. Francis Bar. |  | Fr |  | 315 |
| 572 | St. Augastino, Fla ...... | Regimental Library, Second U. S. Artillery. |  | Free.. | Gar | 1,350 |
| 573 | Tallahassee, Fla | State Library \{ Exentivo ....... \} |  |  | Sta | 8,000 |
| 574 | Tallahassee, Fla | University Librar | 188 |  |  | 4,500 2,200 |
| 575 | Acworth, Ga... | Literary and Library Associa- |  |  | G | 484 |
| 576 | Albany | Public Library | 1878 |  | Gen | 3,000 |
| 577 | Americus, | Library Associo | 1878 | So | Gen | 1, 909 |
| 578 | $\Delta$ thens, | Home School for Young Ladi | 1868 | Free.. | Sch | 750 |
| 579 | Athens, Ga | Lucy Cobl Library. | 1859 |  | Col | *1, 200 |
| 580 | Athens, Ga | University of Georgia | 1800 | Sub | Col | 16,000 |
| 581 | Athens, Ga | Demosthenian Societ | 1801 | Free.. | Soc' | 3,000 |
| 582 | Athens, G . | Phi Kappa Society | 1820 |  |  | 3,000 |
| 583 | Augusta, Ga | Medical College of Georg | 1831 |  | Med ....... | 5,000 |
| 584 | Dahlonega, | North Georgia A.gricultural | 1873 | Freo. |  | 500 |
| 585 | Dahlonega, | Decorah Palæstre Society of N. | 1875 |  | Soc'y | 300 |
| 586 | Milledgoville, | Middle Georgia Military and | 1880 | Free.. |  | O\%! |
|  |  | Agricultural College. |  |  |  |  |
| 587 | Atlanta, ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | A byssinian Library................ | 1820 | Sub |  | 2,500 |
| 588 | Atlanta, | Allanta Female Institute, Clionian Library. | 1869 | Sab. | Soc'y | * 1,000 |
| 89 | Atlanta, Ga. | Baptist ECominary. |  |  | Sch | 1,200 |
| (30) | Atlanta, G | Clark University | 1869 | Free.. | Col | 1, 500 |
| 91 | Atlanta, Ga | Gammon School of Theology .- |  | Freo.. | The | 2, 100 |
| 5v2 | Atlanta, Ga.............. | Graver Library of Atlanta University. | 1870 | Froe.. | Co | 6,200 |
| 5 | A tlanta, Ga. | State Library ..................... | 1825 | Freo.. | Iaw | 45, 000 |
| 991 | Atlanta, | Young Mon's Library Association. | 1867 | Sub | Gen | 11,343 |
| 995 | Angusta, Ga | Young Mon's Library Absociation. | 1848 | Sab | Gen | 5, 2,069 |
| 116 | Barnesvillo, G | Gordon Ynstitute* .................. | 1873 | Freo. | Sch | 2, 060 |
| , 7 | Mlackshear, Ga | Library and Literary Association.. |  | S | ${ }_{4}$ | 1, $\mathrm{c}_{0} 0$ |
| 93 | Bowdon, Gs | Bowdon College |  |  |  | ${ }^{451}$ |
| 100 | Cart | Young Men's Christian and $\mathrm{L}_{\mathrm{L}}^{\mathrm{i}}$ - $\boldsymbol{\}}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1858 \\ & 1885 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | 350 |
| GI | Cave Spring, Ga | Georgia Institution for the Deaf and Damb. | 1858 | Freo. | A. | 1, 200 |
| 02 | Columluas, Ga | Public Library .................. | 1881 | Sab... | Gen | 6, 060 |
| 593 | Covington, | Georgia Methodist Female College. | 1852 |  | Col | 80 |
| 104 4 | Dalton, Ga............... | Dalton Frmale College............. | 1873 |  | Col | S00 |
| \% 10 | Dawnon, Ga.............. | South Georgia Male and Fomale College, Alpha Library. | 1879 | Irreo.. | Soc'y ..... | 200 |
| 106 | Drwifon, Ga............. | Sonth Georgia Male and Female College, Euterpean Library. | 1879 | Free. | Soc'y ..... | 300 |

*Erem a return for 1884.

Table XVI.-Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 volumes, foc.-Continned.

|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 607 | Gainesville, $\mathrm{G}_{3}$ | Methodist Colleg | 1881 | Freo.. | Col | 0 |
| 608 | Grifin, Ga | Grifin Female Colleg | 1857 |  |  | 1, 100 |
| 609 | Mawtinsville, Ga....... | Library and Literary Association*. | 1870 |  |  | 1,400 |
| 610 | Hinesrille, Ga. (P. O., Walthourville). | Bradwell Institute Library ......... |  |  |  | 420 |
| 611 | Holton, Ga.............. | Holton Farmers' Club | 1888 | Sub. | Soc' | 21 |
| 612 | La Grange, Ga | La Grange Female College |  |  |  | 600 |
| 613 | La Grange, Ga.......... | Southern Female College |  | Freo.. |  | 1,000 |
| 614 | Macon, G3.............. | Georgia Academy for the | 1852 | Free.. |  | 1, 0c0 |
| 615 | Macon, Ga.............. | Lewis Pablic Library | 1879 | Freo.. |  | 6,00. |
| 616 |  | Mercer Unirersity. | 1810 |  |  | 10, cos |
| 617 | Macon, Ga | Ciceronian Societ |  | Sub... | Soc | 3,000 |
| 018 | Macon, Ga | Phi Delta Society* |  | Freo.. | Soc | 2,285 |
| 619 | Macon, Ga | Orphans' Home of the South Georgia Conference. | 1873 |  |  | 5.0 |
| 620 | Macon, Ga | Pio Nono College .................. | 1875 |  | Col | 0 |
| 621 | Macon, Ga............... | Pablic Library and Historical Society. | 1874 | Sub. | $\left\{\begin{array}{l} \text { Hist } \\ \text { Gen } \end{array}\right.$ | $\} 10,300$ |
| 622 | Macon, Ga | Wresleyan Female College | 1839 |  |  | 2,500 |
| 623 | Marietta, Ga | Library Association |  |  | Gen | 832 |
| 624 | Milledgeville, Ga | State Lanatic Asylum | 1876 | Freo.- | A. 2 R | 15300 |
| 625 | Newnan, Ga............. | College Temple....... | 1853 |  | Col | 15,000 |
| 626 | Newnan, Ga ............. | Library Association Leorgia School of Language, Sci- | 1833 | Sub..- | $\stackrel{\text { Ge }}{\text { Sc }}$ | 5, 9000 |
| 627 | Norcross, Ga............ | Georgia School of Language, Science, and Art. |  |  | Sc | 5,000 |
| 628 | Oxford, Ga | Emory College. | 1838 |  | Col | 5,000 |
| 629 | Oxford, Ga | Few Library | 1833 | Sub... | Soc', | 3,790 |
| 630 | Oxford, Ga | Phi Gamma Society | 1838 | Free.. | Soc' | 2,000 |
| 631 | Pope's Ferrs, | Taylor Grange No. 13 | 1873 | Both.. |  | 400 |
| 632 | Rome, Ga | Rome Female College | 1857 |  | Col | 1,500 |
| 633 | Savannah, Ga | Beach Instituto. |  |  | Sch | 300 |
| 634 | Savannah, Ga | Georgia Historical Society | 1839 | Su | Hist | 15, 250 |
| 635 | Savannah, Ga | Georgia Military Academy |  |  | Sch | 2,000 |
| 636 | Sarannah, Ga | Savannah Medical Colleg | 1853 | Free. |  | 3,500 |
| 637 | Talbottou, Ga........... | Collinsworth Institat | 1856 | Frre.. | Sch | 300 |
| 638 | Thomasville, Ga | Librarv Association | 1876 | Frco.. |  | 3, 0 co |
| 639 | Washington, Ga | Saint Joseph's A cademy |  |  | Sch | 300 |
| 640 | West Point, Ga | Young Mín's Library Association. | 1872 | Sub. | Gen | 1, 800 |
| 641 | Boisé City, Idaho | Circulating Library. | 1870 | Sub | Soc | 600 |
| 642 | Boisé City, Idaho........ | Public School Library | 1884 | Freo.. | Sch | 800 |
| 643 | Boisé City, Idaho | Territorial Law Libra | 1863 | Free.. |  | 5,000 |
| $64 \pm$ | Ketchum, Idaho | Pablic Library | 1885 | Sub... | Gen | 400 |
| 615 | Lerriston, Idaho | Lewis Collegi |  |  |  | 1,000 |
| 646 | Moscow, Idaho | Public Library | 1883 | Sub. |  | 1,000 |
| 647 | A lingdon, Ill | Eedding College | 1860 |  | Col | 500 |
| 648 | Addison, ill.............. | Erangelical Lutheran Teachers' Seminary* |  |  | Sch | 1,000 |
| 640 | Albany Ill | Library Association | 1875 | Sub..- | Gen | 387 |
| 650 | Albion, ${ }^{\text {dl }}$.............. | Library Association | 1872 | Sub. | Gen | 600 |
| 651 | Aledn, ill | Mercer Library Associ | 1879 | Sub... | Gen | 600 |
| 652 | Alton, III ................ | Alton Turnverein. |  |  | Soc'l | 700 |
| 635 | Alton, Ml | Public Library........ | 18え | Sub... |  | 6,000 |
| 65 | Alto | Ursaline Convent of the Holy |  |  |  | 050 |
| 635 | Amboy, 7 | High School Libr | 1876 | Free .- | Sch | 500 |
| 630 | Anna, 11 | Illinois Southern Hospital for the Insane. | $18: 4$ | Free. | A. \& | 500 |
| 657 | Atlanta, III | City Library and Reading Room... | 1874 | Free.. |  | 1,003 |
| 638 | Aurora, Ill | Fres Pablic Library............... | 1882 | Freo.. | Gen | 6,333 |
| 639 | Aurora, $\Pi 1$ | Jennings Seminary | 1857 | Free.. | Sch | 1, 500 |
| 660 | Aurora, 111 | Young Men's Christian Association | 1871 | Free.. | Y. M. ${ }^{\text {C }}$ | 440 |
| 661 | Austin, Il | Public School Library | 1872 | Free.. | Sch. | 720 |
| 662 | Barry, Ill | Public Library | 1876 | Free.. | Gen | 1,564 |
| 683 | ${ }_{\text {Bataria, }}^{\text {Bellerille, }}$ Iil | Public Library | 1882 | Fsee.. | Gen | 8, 050 |
| $66 \pm$ | Bellerille, Il | Public Library | 1883 | Free. | Gen | 9, 702 |
| 655 | Bellevile, III | Public School Liorar | 1875 | Free.. | Sch. | 417 |
| 666 | Beividere, Ill | Ida Public Library | 1885 | Free.. | Gen | 6, 500 |
| 667 | Bement, Ill | Library Association | 1867 | Sab... | Gen | 1, 5C0 |
| 668 | Bloomington, T | nlinois Wesleyan University | 1830 | Free.. |  | 4,000 |
| 669 | Bloomington, Il | Library Association | 1855 | Sub.. |  | 9,061 |
| 670 | Bloomington, Ill | Yoang Men's Christian Association | 1881 | Freo.. | Y. | 400 |

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|  | Place. | Name of Tibrary. |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 671 | Blue Island, I | Pnblic Sc |  |  | Sch | 0 |
| 672 | Bourbonnais Grove, Ill.. | St. Viateur's College | 1871 |  | Col ........ |  |
| 673 | Bowensburg, Ill ....... | Library Association | 1884 | Sub... | Gen | 300 1,451 |
| 674 | Braidwood, Ill | Public Library . ${ }^{\text {Bunker Hill A }}$ | 1876 | Free.. | Gen Sch | 1,451 |
| 676 | Bunker Hill', Il | Library Association | 1867 | Sub... | Gen | 2, 012 |
| 677 | Bushnell, Il | Library Association | 1869 | Sub. | Gen | 800 |
| 678 | Byron, Ill | Byron Library |  | Sub. | Gen | 400 |
| 679 |  | Public Library | 1877 | Free.. | Gen .. | 2,650 |
| 680 | Cambridge, | Cambridge Public Library (township). | 1876 | Free.. | Gon .. | 3,485 |
| 681 | Canton, 11 | Canton Library | 1872 | Sub |  | 2,000 |
| 682 | Carbondale, | Library Associat | 1877 | Sub | Gea | 1,000 |
| 683 | Carbondale, Ill | Southern Illinvis Normal University. | 1875 | Freo.. | Sc | 8,250 |
| 684 | Carlinville, HI | Blackburn University .............. | 1867 | Sub... | Col | 1,500 |
| 685 | Carlinville, Ill | Library Associ | 1868 |  | Gen ...... | 2, 607 |
| 686 | Carthage, Ill | Carthage College | 1871 | Free.. | Col | 3,000 |
| 687 | Carthage, Ill | Cicero Literary Society | 1871 |  | Soc'y | 389 |
| 688 | Carthage, Ill | Galileo Literar' Society ....... |  |  |  | 311 |
| 689 | Centralia, In. | Public Library and Reading Room. | 1872 | Free.. | Gen ...... | 2, 000 |
| 690 | Champaign, Ill | Public Library ........ | 1876 | Free.. | G | 3, 240 |
| 691 | Champaign, | State Laboratory of Natural History. | 1877 | Free.. | Sci | 1,207 |
| 692 | Charleston, III | Library Association* ............... | 1880 | Sub... | Gen | 600 |
| 693 | Chebanse, I | Adelphian Library | 1880 | Snb. | Soc' 1 | 300 |
| 694 | Chester, II | Southern Illinois Pe | 1878 | Freo.. |  | 2,500 |
| 695 | Chicago, IIl | A cademy of Science | 1859 | Free.. | Sci | 4,500 |
| 696 | Chicago, III | Allen Academy | 1874 | Froo.. |  | 2,600 |
| 697 | Chicago, Ill | American Eleutrical Society | 1875 | Free.. |  | 400 |
| 698 | Chicago, Ill | Bennett College of Eclectio Medicine and Surgery. | 1868 |  | Med ...... | *500 |
| 699 | Chicago, Ill | Board of Trade... |  | Froo.. | Mor ....... | 500 |
| 700 | Chicago, Il | Chicago Athenæım* | 1871 | Sub | Gen ...... | 1,050 |
| 701 | Chicago, Ill | ( ${ }^{\text {dicagn }}$ Aurora-Turnverein ....... |  |  |  | 870 |
| 702 | Chicago, Il1 | Chicago College of Pharmacy ..... | 1859 | Freo.. | Sci | *3, 000 |
| 703 | Chicago, Ill | Chicago Historical Society ........ |  |  |  | 12, 024 |
| 704 | Chicago, III | Chicago Manual Training School.. |  | Freo.. |  | 500 |
| 705 | Chicago, 111 | Chicago Medical College | 1882 |  |  | 494 |
| 706 | Chicago, III | Chicago Medical Press Association. | 1875 |  | Med | 3,000 |
| 707 | Chicago, Ill | Chicago Public School Libraries (19) |  | Freo.. | Scla | 21,000 |
| 708 | Chicago, 111 | Chicago Turngemeinde | 1856 | Freo.. | Soo' | 1,400 |
| 709 | Chicago, Ill | Dearborn Observatory. | 1866 |  | Sci | 1,100 |
| 710 | Chicago, Ill | Errine Woman's Refug | 1830 | Free.. | A. \& R | 300 |
| 711 | Chicago, Ill | Girls' Higher School. |  |  | Sch | 1,200 |
| 712 | Chicago, Ill | Mrs. Grant's Seminary |  |  |  | 800 |
| 713 | Cbicago, Ill | Hammond Library of the Chicago T'beolozical Seminary. | 1855 | Free.. | Tho | 7,500 |
| 714 | Chicago, Il | Homeopathic Medical College ... |  |  | Med | 1,500 |
| 715 | Chicago, 71 | Kirkland School (275 Huronst.)*. |  |  | Sch | 1,000 |
| 716 | Chicago, Ill | Law Institute | 1857 | Sub... | Le | 13,000 |
| 717 | Chicago, Ill | Newberry Library | (a) | Free |  |  |
| 718 | Chicago, Ill | Old Ladies' Home | 1880 | Freo | A. \& | 300 |
| 719 | Chicago, Ill | Park Institute (103-105 Ashland |  |  | Sc | 00 |
| 720 | Chicago, Ill . | Presbyterian Theological Semi- | 1859 | Free.. | The'l | 9,950 |
| 721 | Chicago, Il | Public Library ............. | 1872 | Free.. | Gen | 119. 570 |
| 722 | Cbicago, Il | St. Ignatius Collego | 1870 | Free.. | Col | 14, 000 |
| 723 | Chicago, Ill | St. Patrick's Commercial Academy. |  |  |  | 500 |
| 724 | Chicago Ill. | St. Xavier's Library ................ | 1846 | Free.. | Soc'l....... | 1,000 |
| 725 | Chicago, Ill. | Seminary of the Sacred Heart (485 W. Ta | 1859 |  | Sch .. ... .. | 2,050 |
| 726 | Chicago, Ill . | Union Catholic Library Associa- | 1868 | Sub. | Soc'l.. | 3,000 |
| 727 | Chicago, Il | Unicersity of Chicaso | 1857 |  | Col | 8,835 |
| 728 | Chicago, Ill | Western Societr of Engineers | 1869 |  | Sci | 600 |
| 729 | Chicago, 11. | Western Theological Seminary | 1885 | Free | The | 2,000 |
| 730 | Chicago, Ill | Foung Men's Cbristian Associa. | 1858 | Sub. | Y.M.C.A. | 3,500 |

[^111]$a$ Funds for the founding of this library became available in December, 1885.

TABLE XVI.-Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 rolumes, \&o. -Continued.

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| Place. | Name of library. |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \frac{0}{2} \\ & \text { 0 } \end{aligned}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Chicago, Il . | Foung Men's Christian Association, Railroad Branch (Kiuzie | 1878 | Sub. | Y.M.C.A. | 800 |
| Chicago, Ill | Foung Men's Cbristian Association, lailroad Branch (141 Siewart ave.). | 1882 | Free \& sub. | Y.M.C.A. | 400 |
| Chicago, Ill | Foung Men's Christian Associaation, Railroad Branch(474i State st.). | 1878 | Sub... | Y. M. C.A. | 362 |
| Chicago, Ill | Young People's Library Association of the $3 d$ Presbyterian Charch. | 1878 | Sub... | Soc'1...... | 1,800 |
| Clay Citr, | Library and Literary Association.. | 1874 | Sub... |  |  |
| Covden, Ill | Library Association | 1877 | Sub... | Gen <br> Sch | $1,796$ |
| Coleta, Ill $\mathrm{Cordora}$, | Public School Library <br> Public Library | 1883 | Free.. Free. | Sch........ | 387 <br> 858 <br> 8 |
| Danville, III | Culbertson Lib | 1867 |  | The'l...... | 800 |
| Danville, Ill | Pablic Library | 1883 | Free.. | Gen.. | 4,000 |
| Danrille, Ill | Public school Library | 1882 | Free.. | Sch. | 1,200 |
| Decatar, Hl | Free Public Lubrary | 1875 | Free. | Gen | 7, 322 |
| Decatur, Ill | High Scbool Library | 1865 | Free.. | Sch | 600 |
| Decatur. Ill | St. Theresa's Ursuline Academy |  |  | Sch | 340 |
| Dison, III | Diron Hose Company ......... | 1872 | Sub .- |  | 2,000 |
| Dixon, Ill | Northern Illinois Normal School... | 1881 |  | Sch | 1,750 |
| Dandee, Il | Public Library | 1876 | Freo.. | Gen | 1,343 |
| Dwight, Ill | Kenyon's Circulating Library | 1874 | Sub | Soc' | 800 |
| East St. Louis, | Railway Young Men's Christian Association. | 1881 |  | Y. M, C. A. | 550 |
| Edwardsrille, I | Public Library | 1878 | Sub. | Gen | 1, 518 |
| Edwardst | Public School Library | 1876 | Free | Sch....... | 980 |
| Elgin, Ill | Elgin Academy..... | 1874 |  | Sch ....... | 300 |
| Elgin, Ill | Hospital Library, Northern Hospital for the Insane. | 1873 | Free | A. \& R.. | 1,400 |
| Elgin, $71 .$. | Public Library -................... | 1874 | Freo.. | Gen | 8,223 |
| Elmhurst, Il | Erangelical Lutheran Proseminary ( M enschrerein). | 1877 |  | Sch | 2,000 |
| Elmira, Il | Library Association | 1856 | Sub... | Gen. | 519 |
| Elmmood, | School and Public Library |  |  |  | 50 |
| El Paso, 111 | Ladies' Library | $\begin{aligned} & 1873 \\ & 1878 \end{aligned}$ | Sub... | Soo'l....... | 1,628 |
| Englemood, Eureka Ill | High School Library. .......... Eareka College Pablic Librar | 1878 | Free.. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Sch ......... } \\ & \text { Gen } . . . . . ~ \end{aligned}$ | 1,300 2,000 |
| Evanston, | Free Public Library of Eranston.. | 1873 | Free.. | Gen | 7, 130 |
| Eranston, 11 | Gariett Biblical Institute........... | 1856 |  | The' | 3,100 |
| Eranston, Ill | Northwestern University | 1856 | Free.. | Col | 26, 000 |
| Eranston | Township High School Libra | 1883 | Free |  | 350 |
| Ewing, 71 | Ewing College ........... |  |  | Col | 1,000 |
| Ewing, Ill | Society libraries (3) |  |  | Soc'y | 1, 800 |
| Fayetiterille, Ill | Library Association ....... | 1857 | Sab. |  | . 700 |
| Feehanville, Ill | St. Mary's Training School Library Association |  |  | Sch | 2,000 |
| Frora, Ill..... | Librars Association | 1871 | Sreo.. |  | 2,000 |
| reebarg, I | Snengerbund and Library Associa. tion. | 1871 | Free.. | Soc | 500 |
| Freeport, I | High School Library................ | 1885 | Free.. | Sch....... | 300 |
| Fulton, Ill | Northern Illinois College | $18 \div 3$ | Free.. | Col....... | 1, 000 |
| Galena, III | German-Englisi College | 1880 | Sub... |  | 700 |
| Galesburg, Ill | Knos College | 1841 |  | Col ........ | 4, 300 |
| Galesburg, | Societs libraries (2) |  |  | Soc' y ..... | 2,600 |
| Galesburg, Il | Lombard University............... | 1857 |  | Col | 4, ©80 |
| Galesburg, 111 | Public Library and Reading Koom. | 1874 | Free.. | Gen ....... | 12, 571 |
| Galesburg, III | Public School Library | 1867 | Free.. | Sch. | 1,500 |
| Geneseo, Ill | High School |  | Free.- | Sch | 1,000 |
| Geneseo, Ill | Northwestern Normal | 1883 | Free.. | Scl2 | 845 |
| Geneseo, Inl | Public Library | 1871 | Free.. | Gen | 2, 449 |
| Genera, III | Public Library | 1873 | Free.. | Gen | 500 |
| Genera, III | Library Association | 1831 | S | Gen | 400 |
| Gibson City | Library Association | 1876 |  | Gen . | 700 |
| Gilman, II , | Library Association | 1874 | Sub | Gen | 1,650 |
| Godfres, Ill | Monticello Ladies' Semina | 1838 |  | Sch | *2,500 |
| Greenville, Il | Almira College | 1805 |  | Col | 1,500 |
| Griggsville, Ill | Circulating Library | 1870 | Su | Soc | 1,100 |

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Table XVI.-Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 rolumes, foc.-Continued.

|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  | \% |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Hampsire, |  | 1883 | Sub. | Gen |  |
| 92 | Highland, III | Highland Turnv |  |  | Soc' |  |
| - | Hyàe Park, | Hyde Parls Lreeum. | 1883 | Sub... | Soc'1 | 1,009 |
| 794 | Hydo Park, | High School Library................. | 1880 | Free.. |  | 400 500 |
|  |  | Business College and English Training School. |  |  |  |  |
| 796 | Jacksonville, Hl ........ | Tree Reading IRoom and Library.. | 1874 | Sub... |  | $a 2,400$ |
|  | Jacksonvile, | Llinois Central Hospital for the Insane. |  |  |  |  |
| 798 | Jacksonville, Ill ........ | Tlininois College ................... | 1830 | Freo | Col, | 00 |
| ${ }_{800}^{799}$ | Jacksonville, M1........ | Phi Alpha Socigious Librar |  |  |  | 1, 5050 |
|  | Jacksonville, 111 | Signa Pi Societ | 1843 | Free.. |  | 1,809 |
| 803 | Jacksonville, III | Mlinois Female College | 1847 | Free.. |  | 2, 0100 |
| 803 | Jacksonville, ll . | Institution for the Education of the Blind. | 1849 |  |  |  |
| 801 | Jacksonville, Ill | Institution for the Education of the Deaf and Dumb. | 1871 | Free | \& R. | 7,284 |
|  | Jacksonv | Jacksonville Female A |  |  |  |  |
| 806 | Jacksonville, Il | Library Association | 1871 |  |  | 2, 270 |
| 807 808 | Jacksonville, Ill | Oak Lawn Retreat... | 1872 | Froe.. | $\stackrel{\text { Scla }}{\text { S }}$. |  |
| ع09 | Joliet, Ill. | Joliet Business Colloge | $1860{ }^{\text {a }}$ | Free. |  | 11,000 |
| 810 | Jolist, $\mathrm{M1}$ | Public Library | 1875 | Freo.. | Ge | 4, 600 |
| 811 | ${ }^{\text {Joliet, }}$ JIII | State Penitentiar | 1872 | Free.. | A. | 0,000 |
| 813 | Joliet, III | Young, Men's Christian |  | Free.. | Y. M |  |
| 814 | Kankakee, | Ladies' Library A ssociation | 1875 | Sub .- | Soc' | 2, 030 |
| 816 | Kewanee, Il | Pablic Library .- | 1875 | Free.. | Gen | 3, 500 |
| 817 | Knoxville, III.. | Pablic Library and Reading Room. | 1878 | Free.. | Gen | 1,524 |
| 818 819 | Knoxville, Ll -.......... | Saint Mary's School. | 1869 | ${ }_{\text {Free.- }}$ | Sch | ${ }_{5}^{300}$ |
| 820 | Lake Forest, Hi . | Lake Forest Úniversity | 1859 | Sub... | col | 5, c00 |
|  | Lake Forest, III......... |  |  |  |  |  |
| 822 | Lake View, ILI. (P.O., <br> Wright's Grove). | High Schoo | 187 | Free. |  | 0 |
| 823 | Lanark, $\mathrm{H1}$ | High School Lib | 1875 | Free | Sc | 0 |
| 8 | La Salle, 11 | St.Vincent's Schoo |  |  |  |  |
| 82 | Lebanon, Il | ILTYendree Colleg | 1835 |  | Col |  |
| 827 | Lebanon, 11 | Philosophian Soci | 1838 | Sab... | Soc' | 200 |
| 88 | Lebanon, | ${ }^{\text {Platoniau Societ }}$ | 1849 | Freo.- |  | 1,060 |
| 830 | Lebanon, | Chion |  | Sub | Soc |  |
|  | Lincoln, | Lincoln University | 1866 |  |  |  |
| 832 | Litchfield, III | Freo Public Library | 1882 | Free | Gen | 1,555 |
|  | ckp | Public School Library, |  | Free | Sch | 475 |
| ${ }_{835}^{834}$ | Macomb, Iil | Macomb City Freo Pablic Library. | 1882 | Free.. |  |  |
| 836 | Maplewood, | School Libraries of Maplewood.... | 1883 | Free. | sch |  |
| 837 | Marengo, II...... | Woman's Christian I'cmperance | 1884 | Fre |  | 550 |
| 838 | Mascontal | Mascontah Leserere | 1856 | Sub. | Soc'1 | 15 |
| 839 | Maywood, | Library Association | 1874 | Sab |  | (1) |
|  | Mendota, | Blackstone scluool |  | Free |  |  |
| 81 | Minonk, | Library Association | ${ }^{1879}$ | Sub. |  |  |
| 813 | Moline, | Concordia Germania | 1861 |  | Soc' | 50 |
|  | Oline, II | Pnblic Lilrary | 1873 | Freo. |  | 11 |
|  | Monmonth, T I | M 1 umouth Collo | 185 | Free. |  | -6, 11,180 |
| 846 | Monmouth, | Warren County Library and Read- ing Room. | 187 | Sub | Gen | 11,120 |
|  | Monticell | Monticello Lil | 1876 |  |  | co |
| 849 | Morgan Park, Ill | Sctool Library, Morgan Park Milil | 1876 | Freo.. |  |  |
| 850 | Morris, Ill | Library Association | 1873 | Sub | Gcn | 1, 600 |

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a 400 rolumes belong to the Y. M. C. A. of Jacksonville.

6 Destroyed by fire in 1833, and re-cstablished in the same year.
c Destroyed by fire in March, 1885; re-cstablished Soptember, 1885.

Table XVI.-Statistics of pullio libraries numbering 300 volumes, \&c.-Continued.

|  | Place. | Name of librars. |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \stackrel{\text { gig }}{\check{た ゙}} \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\delta 51$ | Morris, Il | Normal and Scientifo Librar | 1878 |  |  | 500 |
| 852 | Morrison, Ill | Interary and Scientine Association. | 1878 | Sub... | Soc'1........ | 2,500 |
| 853 | M ount Carroll, $111 . . .$. | Library issociation ................ | $\begin{aligned} & 1870 \\ & 1853 \end{aligned}$ | Treo.. | Gen ....... | 1, 000 |
| 834 | Mount Carroll, Ill ...... | Mount Carroll Seminary -........... | 1853 | Tree.. | Sch........ | 5, 000 |
| 855 | Mount Miortis, Ill. | Cassel Library of Mount Morris College. | 1880 | Sub... |  | 12,000 |
| 856 | Monnt Vernon, Ill...... | Supreme Court, Southern Grand Division. |  | Free.. | Law | 7,000 |
| 857 | Naperville, Il | Northwestern College | 1861 | Tree.. | Col | 1,200 |
| 858 | New Athens, I | Vercin Vorwacrts | 1870 | Free.. | Soc'l | 350 |
| 859 | Normal, Ill | Soldiers' Orplans' Hon | 1869 |  | A. \&R | 2,410 |
| $8 \subset 0$ | Normal, Ill | State Normal University | 1857 | Free.. | Col | 2,000 |
| $¢_{861}$ | Normal Park, | Cook County Normal Sc | 1868 | Freo.- |  | 4,500 |
| 862 | Oak Park, II | Library Associatien | 1882 | Sub... | Gen ....... | 1,316 |
| 863 | Oblong, | Public Library | 1883 | Irreo.- | Gen | 300 |
| 865 | Olne5, 11 | Pablic Librar | 1872 | Freo.. | Gen | 400 |
| 866 | Onarga, Il | Grand Prairio Seminary and Com. | 1863 |  |  | 2, 500 1,650 |
|  |  | mercial College.* ${ }^{*}$ |  |  |  |  |
| 867 | Onarga, Ill | Public Library | 1873 | Free.- | Gen | 2, 190 |
| 868 | Oquawza, 1 | Library 4 ssociati | 1874 | Sub. | Gen | 500 |
| 869 | Ottara, Hl | City and Township High School... | 1878 | Free.- | Sch........ | 1,100 |
| 870 | Ottara, Ill | Odd Fellows' Library (Cttawa Lodge No. 41, I. O. O. F.). | 1865 | Free.. | I. O.O.F.. | 1,450 |
| 871 | Ottawa, 71 | Reddick Library | 1885 | Free.. | Gen |  |
| 872 | Ottawa, Il | Supreme Coart, Northern Grand Dirision. | 1843 | Free.. | Law | 6,000 |
| 873 | Ottawa, Ill | Young Ladies' Temperance Union Library 4 ssociation. | 1881 | Free.. | Soc'1...... | 2,000 |
| 874 | Pana, Ill. | Yorng Xren's Christian Association. | 1885 | Free.. | Y.M.C.A. | 425 |
| 875 | Paris, Il | Irdgar Collegiate Institute |  |  | Sch | 00 |
| 876 | Paris, Ill | Young Men's Christian Association. |  | Sub... | Y. M.C.A. | 1,300 |
| 877 | Pekin, 111 | I/adies' Library Association...... | 1866 | Sub... | Soc' | 2, 080 |
| 878 | Pekin, II | Pekin Tarnverein | 1874 | Su | Soc' | 680 |
| 879 | Peoria, II | High School Library | 1870 |  | Sch | 1,225 |
| \$80 | Peoria, 11 | Lav Library Association | 1879 | Sub... | Law ....... | 4, 000 |
| 882 | Peoria, 111 | Public Library ..................... | 1880 | Free.. | Gen...... | 25, 350 |
| 882 | Peoria, Ill | Young Men's Christian Associa- |  | Free.. | Y.M.C. A. | 600 |
| 883 | Pera, 11. | Pera Tnrnverein |  |  | Soc' | 398 |
| 884 | Pera, Ill. | Prblic School Livitary | 1866 | Free.. | Sch | 500 |
| 885 | Pittsfield, | Prublic Library | 1878 | Free.. | Gen | 1,200 |
| 886 | Polo, Ill | Library Association | 1871 | Sab... | Gen | 1,600 |
| 887 | Polo, 111 | School Library |  | Frce.. | Sch | 300 |
| 888 | Pontiac, 111 | Library Associa | 1880 | Sub... |  | 794 |
| $\varepsilon 89$ | Pontiac, 111 | State Keform School | 1870 | Tree.. | A. ${ }_{\text {d }} \mathrm{R}$ | 1, 200 |
| 890 | Prairio da focher, Ill | Jibrary and Iiterary Association.- | 1884 | Tree.. | Gen | 400 |
| 891 | Princeton. 111 | Migh Schcol Jibrary | 1867 | Frce.. | Sch. | 1,000 |
| 802 | Pullman, Il | Pallman Public Library | 1883 | Free.. | Gen | 6,000 |
| 893 | Quincy, nl | Chaddock College | 1884 |  | Col | 500 |
| 894 | Quincy, 111 | Friends in Council | 1875 | Free.. | Soc'1 | 525 |
| 895 | Quincy, 71 | High School Library | 1865 | Free.. | Sch | 365 |
| 96 | Quincy, Ill | Qaincs Library. | 1311 |  |  | 6, 400 |
| 897 | Qaincy, Ill | Quincy Tumverain. |  |  | Soc'l | 800 |
| ع98 | Qaincy, Ill | St. Francis Solanus Colleg | 1853 |  | Col | *1, 56S |
| -09 | Quincy Il | St. Mary's Institate*. |  |  |  | 300 |
| 9.0 | Rantoul, 11 | Literary Society | 1874 |  | Soc 1 | 800 |
| 201 | Ravenstrood, 11 | Ravenswood Iistorical Society..... | 1882 | Free.. | Hist' | 1,000 |
| 302 | Renault, Ill. | Iibrary and Literary Association.. | 1875 | Sub... | Gen | 300 |
| 933 | Rirer Forest, Il | River Forest Institute........... |  |  | Sch | 2, 503 |
| 304 | Tochelle, III | Migh School Library. | 1883 | Freo.. | Sch | 603 |
| 035 | Rockford, IIl | Basiness College. | 1881 |  | Col | 300 |
| 096 | Rockford, Ill | Public Library | 1872 | Free.. | Gen | 13,100 |
| 907 | Rockford, Ill | Rockford Seminary | 1851 |  | Sch | 4, 060 |
| 908 | Rock Island, Ill ........ | Augustana Collego and Tbeological Seminary. | 1861 | Free.. | Tho'l..... | 7, 310 |
| 009 | Rock Island, Il | Fairvierw Academy............... |  |  | Sch | 400 |
| 910 | Rock Island, 11 | Post Library, Rock Island Arsenal. | 1870 | Free.. | Gar | $80 \times$ |
| 911 | Rock Is!and, Ill | Public Librery | 1872 | Free.. | Gen | 8,05 |

Table XVI.-Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 volumes, foc.-Continucd.

|  | Place. | Name of library. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 䔍 } \\ & \text { 荡 } \\ & \text { g. } \\ & \text { B } \end{aligned}$ |  | \% |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 912 | Roodhouse, Il | ad Young Men's | 1881 | Sub | Х.M.C. A. |  |
| 013 | Rushville, Im | ${ }_{\text {A Assoclation. }}^{\text {High School Lil }}$ | 1870 |  |  |  |
| 914 | Rushville, | Library Assoc | 1878 |  |  | 1,500 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 915 \\ & 916 \end{aligned}$ |  | St. Anne's Library | 1859 1860 | Frec. | I 0.0 | 500 460 |
| 916 | St. Charles, Ml. (No.14, I. O. O. F.). | Odd Fellows' Library, St. Charles Lodge. | 1860 | Freo. | I, 0.0 | 460 |
| 917 | St. Charles, Ill ......... | Woman's Christian Temperance | 1885 | Sub | Soc'1 | 625 |
| 918 | Sandwich, 71 | Sandwich | 1805 | Sub... | Gen | 60 |
| 919 | Shanion, IIl | School and Pul | 1880 | Free.. |  |  |
| 920 | Shelbyville, | Public School Lib | 1883 | Free.. |  |  |
| 922 | Sheldon, | Literary and Libra | ${ }_{1881}^{1881}$ |  |  |  |
| 923 | Sonth Chicago, | Public School Libr | 1873 | Freo.. | Sc |  |
| 924 | South Evanston, II | Indnstrial sichool for |  |  | Sch........ |  |
| 925 | Sparta, III. | Addisonian Library Association*.- | 1873 |  |  | 300 |
|  | Sparta, Il | High school Libr |  | Free .. |  | 600 |
| ${ }_{928}^{927}$ | Sparta, 111 | Sparta Circulating Library | 1874 | Sab .. |  |  |
| 929 | Springtield, | Concordia Seminary | 1875 | Froo | The | ${ }_{800}^{300}$ |
| 930 | Springfield, | Geolopical Survey of | 1858 |  |  | 1,25 |
|  | Springfiela, | High School Librar |  |  |  |  |
|  | Springfield, | bic Lib | 1866 |  |  |  |
|  | ringtield, III | Stato Libra |  |  |  |  |
| 934 | Springfield, Il.......... | Supreme Court, | 337 |  |  | 8, 000 |
| 935 | Springfield, III | Trsulino Academy |  |  |  |  |
| ${ }_{937}^{936}$ | Sterling, IIl............. | Public Library | 1878 | Froe.: | Gen |  |
| 938 | Sugar Grove, | School Library | 1875 | Froe.. |  |  |
| 939 | Tentopolis. Ih | St. Joseph's Diocesan Colle | 1861 | Fre |  | 500 |
|  | Tiskilwa, | Library Association | 1875 |  |  |  |
| 942 | Toulon, | Toulon Migh School | 75 | Freo. | Sch. | ${ }^{3} 00$ |
| 943 | Upper Alton, Il | Shurtleft College | 1835 |  | Col | 8,0 |
| 944 | Opper Alton, T | Alpha Zeta Society | 1847 | Free | So | 942 |
|  | Upper Alton, 1 | Thema Phi Societ |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | lieological |  |  |  |  |
| 048 | Urlana | University of İlinois | 1868 | Freo. | Gen ...... | 15,539 |
|  | paign). |  |  |  |  |  |
| 950 | Virginia, | Central ${ }^{\text {Farmers }}$ Linoin Libary | $\begin{aligned} & 1872 \\ & 1877 \end{aligned}$ | Freo. | sc | 297 |
| 931 | Warsaw, Il | Free Pablic Librar | 1872 | Trea: |  | 1,865 |
|  | Waterloo, Il | Monros Adyan |  |  |  |  |
|  | Waukegan, Ill | High School Librar | 76 | Free.- |  |  |
| 954 | Westfield, ml | Westfield College | 1865 | Freo.- | Col |  |
| 956 | Whito Hall, 11 | Library Associatio | ${ }_{1876}^{1858}$ | Sub .. | G |  |
| 957 | Wilmingt | Wilmington School Librar |  |  |  |  |
| 938 | Winchester. | Public School Library | 1881 |  |  |  |
|  | Winnetka, | Public Librar: | 1885 | Freo.- |  | 726 |
|  | Woodstock, | Lit |  |  |  |  |
| 301 | W oodstock, | Toda seminnry tor B |  |  | sch |  |
| 963 | Yorkville, H | Union Library.... | $\begin{aligned} & 1878 \\ & 1872 \end{aligned}$ | Sul | Gen |  |
| 904 | Acton, Ind | Tranklin Townshi |  |  |  | 0 |
| 965 | Anderson, In | Library Associati | $79$ |  |  |  |
| 966 | Angola, Ind | Maclure Workingmen' |  |  |  |  |
|  | Angoia, Ind | Phio and Crescent |  |  |  |  |
| 968 | Angola, | Pleasant To wnslip Libr |  |  | Gcn |  |
| 969 | Aurora, Ind | Public Library Assoc | 1833 | $\underset{\text { Free.. }}{ }$ |  |  |
| 971 | Bloomingdale, | Bloomingdale Academy | 1846 |  |  |  |
| 972 | Bloomington, Ind | Iudiana Universit | 1820 | Sub... | Col | coo |
|  | Bloomington, | Monroe Countv |  |  | Gen | 2,000 |
| ${ }_{5}^{974}$ | miuftion. Ind. | Wells Countr Lib |  |  |  | S6 |
| 076 | Sinazil, Ind. | Boon Township Livrary | 18 | Freo.. | Gen | 1,310 |

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Table IVI.-Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 volumes, \&e.-Continued.

| Name of library. | 흥 |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Washington Townslin Tibra |  | Free. | Gen | 350 |
| Brookville Townshin Libra | 1852 | Free.. | Gen. | 1,500 |
| Socicty of Natural History | 1881 | Nree | Sici | 2,000 |
| Public School Library |  |  | Sch | 300 |
| Charlestown Township Library | 1884 | Free.. | Cien | 400 |
| Wayne Township Library...... |  | Free.. | Gen . | S00 |
| Bartholomew County L | 1855 | Freo.. |  | 456 |
| City School Library |  | Sub... | Sch | 350 |
| Townslip Libraries | 1865 | Free.. | Gen | 3,120 |
| City School Library |  |  | Sch | 500 |
| Wabash College | 1883 |  | Col | 22,053 |
| Calliopean Literary Societ | 1855 | Eree.. | Soc'y | 2,000 |
| J,jcoum Literary Society. | 1855 | Free.. | Soc | 2. 000 |
| Maclure Library. | 1864 | Frce.. |  | 500 |
| Public School Libra | 1884 | Free | Sch | 500 |
| Central Normal Colleg | 1876 | Free.. | Sch | 1,300 |
| Public School Library | 1868 | Free.. | Sch | 500 |
| Pablic Šchool Library | 1884 | Free \& sub. | Sch | 2,500 |
| Knight Township Library | 1850 | Freo.. | Gen | 400 |
| Perry Township Library. | 1850 | Freo.. | Gen | 430 |
| Pigeon Township Library | 1850 | Free.. | Gen | 700 |
| Vanderburgh County Library | 1850 | Frae.. | Gen | 3, 000 |
| Willard Library | 1885 | Free.- |  | 10, 000 |
| Young Men's Christian Associztion. | 1881 | Freo.. | Y.DI.C.A. | 575 |
| Catholic Library Association ..... | 1871 | Sub | Soo | 4,700 |
| Concordia Collegc | 1850 | Freo. | Col | 2, 000 |
| Fort Wayne College* | 1551 |  |  | 635) |
| Public School Library | 1869 |  | Sch | 5,500 |
| Pailroad Department of Yoang Men's Christian Association. | 1884 | Freo.. | Y. M.C. A. | 700 |
| Wayne Township Library |  | F | Gex | 650 |
| Westminster Seminary for Young Ladics. |  |  | Sch ........ | 600 |
| High School Library | 1877 | Freo.. | Sch | 3, 000 |
| Prblic Library | 1877 | Free. | Gen | 3, 200 |
| Franklin Collego | 1814 | Freo | Col | 4,637 |
| High School Library |  | Irreo.. | Sch | 300 |
| Tllitart Township Library | 1870 | Freo.. | Gen | 400 |
| Goshen City School Library | 1585 | Freo.. | Sch | 1,125 |
| High School Library | 1884 | Free. | Sch | 8,000 |
| DePauv Unirersity | 1837 |  | Col | a15, 550 |
| Theological Sch |  |  | The'l | 1,700 |
| Township Library. | 1865 |  | Gen | 6335 |
| Hanover College. | 1827 |  | Col | 6,000 |
| McLean Faculty Li |  |  | Special... | 1,000 |
| Society Libraries (3) |  |  | Soc'y ..... | 2,000 |
| Hartsville College | 1872 | Free.. | Col | 1, (in) |
| Patoka Township Librar | 1859 | Free.. | Gen | 63\% |
| Public School Library | 1874 |  | Sch | 5, 060 |
| Bar Association. | 1878 | So | Law | 2,009 |
| Bobb's Medical Library (Medical College of Indiana). |  |  | Inod | 2,000 |
| Bureau of Statistics of Indiana.. | 1879 |  |  | 750 |
| Center Township Library |  | Fro | Gon | 3, 600 |
| Central College of Physicians and Surgeons. |  |  | Med...... | 500 |
| Indiana Historical Society | 1831 | Freo.. | Hist'l | 1,200 |
| Indiana Hospital for Insane | 1875 | Free.. | A. \& P.... | 1,500 |
| Indianapolis Railroad Christian Association. | 1878 | Free.. | Soc'l...... | 300 |
| Indianapolis Seminary............. |  |  |  | 500 |
| Institntion for the Education of the Blind. | 1850 |  | Sch....... | 1, 200 |
| Institation for the Education of the Deaf and Dumb. | 1853 |  | Sch....... | 3,800 |
| Marion County Library | 1844 |  | Gen ...... | 4,500 |
| Pablic Library | 1872 | Pree.. | Gen....... | 39,590 |
| St. John's Academy |  |  | Sch | 500 |
| Social Turnverein* | 1850 | Free.. | Soc'l | 750 |

*From a retarn for 1884.
$a$ Including Simison, Latin, and Biddle Mathematical Libraries.

Table XVI.—Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 volumes, fo.-Continued.

|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  | 遃 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1039 | Indianapolis, Tnd | State Board of Agricu | 1852 | Free.. |  |  |
| 1040 | Incianapolis, Ind | State Board of Healt | ${ }_{1867}^{1884}$ | Free.. |  |  |
| 12 | Indianapolis, Ind | Sicte Library. | 1825 | Freo.. |  | 23, 000 |
| 4 | Indianapolis, Ind | State Medical Society | 1880 |  |  |  |
| 14 | Indianapolis, Ind ... | The William Hacker Library | 1884 | Fre | Masonic.. | 2,000 |
| 1045 | Indianapolis, Ind .. | Yonng Men's Curistian Associa- | 1870 | Freo | .ir.C.A | 600 |
| 1045 | Inglefield, In | Scott Towns | 1850 | Free.. | Gən....... | O |
| 1047 | Irvington, Ind | Butier Unirers |  | Free.. | Col, | 3,000 2,000 |
| 1049 | Jeffersonville, Ind | Stat9 Prison (Sonti) | 1888 |  | A. \& C ..... | 3,000 |
| 1050 | Jeffiersonville Ind. | Township Library | 1885 | Treo.. | Gen | 1,200 |
|  | Kentland, |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1052 | Knightstown, | ntiana soldicrs' Orplans and Asylum for Feeble-minded Children. | 88. |  |  | 400 |
| 1053 | K | J. Mr. Scotton's Circulating Library | 1575 | Free.. | So | 0 |
| 1055 | La Favette, In | Cublic Library | 1882 | Tree. |  | 8,600 |
| 1056 | La Fayette, In | Prrdue Universit | 1875 | Free.. |  | 300 |
| 1058 | La Porte, Ind | Odd Fellows Library A ssociation. | 1873 | Tree.. | I. G O. O.F.. | 1,228 |
| 109 | Lawrence, Ind | Warren Township Library |  | Freo.. | Gen | 300 |
| 1060 | Lawrencelurg | Lawrenceburg Townehip Library. | 1853 | Freo.. |  | 00 |
| 1061 | Lebanon, Ind | Center Township Library | 1852 | Freo.. |  |  |
| 10 | Leopold, Ind .... | Leopold Township Library | 1852 | Free.. |  | 10 |
| 10 | Logansport, Ind | Eel Township Libra | 1859 | Free.. | Gen | 0 |
|  | Logansport, Ind | Noble Township Lil | 1859 |  |  | 00 |
| 106 | Logansport, Ind | Pubic Schooi Library |  |  |  | 23 |
| $10 \hat{8} 8$ | Madison, Ind | Mradison Livrary | 1854 | Sub... | Gen | 3,000 |
|  | Madison. Ind | Madison Township Librar | 1855 | Frco.. |  |  |
| T0 | Mallott Park, Ind | Millersville Irree Library Association. | 1882 | Fi |  | 17 |
| 1071 | Martinst | Eclectic Library | 1880 | Freo.. |  | 50 |
|  | Martinsville | Washington Township L |  | Freo.. | Ge | 50 |
| 107 | Merom, Ind ${ }^{\text {Michigan }}$ City, | Union Christian College - ${ }^{\text {U }}$ Northern Indiana Prison | 1885 | Freo.. | ${ }_{\text {A }}$ Col ${ }^{\text {co }}$ | -2, 2600 <br> 1 |
| 1075 | Milltown, Ind. | Whiskey Ran Tornship Library. |  | Free. | Gen ...... | 50 |
| 107 | Mishawaka, Ind |  | 1880 | Free. |  |  |
| 1078 | Monticello, Ind. | Public School Library ......... | 1873 | Freo.. |  |  |
| 1079 | Moore's Hill, Ind | Moore's Hill Colleso.. | 185.4 | Free.. |  |  |
|  | Mooresville, Ind | Brown Townsbip Liurary | 59 | Free. | Ge | 0 |
| 1082 | Mt. Vernon, Ind | County and Mechanics Library .. | 1850 | Free.. | Gen | 1,200 |
| 1083 | Mancie, Ind | Yublic Library | 1874 | Free.. |  | 6,111 |
| 1084 | New Albany, Ind.. | DePauw College for Young Wom- | 1846 | Free. |  | 1,200 |
| 1085 | Now Albany. In | New Albany Tow | 1851 | Free | Go | 1,460 |
|  | New Albany, Ind | Pablic Library | 1883 | Free. |  |  |
| 88 | New Hagustany, Ind | ${ }_{\text {Plike }}$ Workingmen's | 1858 | Free. | Gen |  |
| 1089 | Notre Dame, Ind | Lemonnier Library (University of | 1843 | Freo |  | 28,000 |
| 1090 | Notre Dame, Ind. | St. Mary's Library (St. Mary's |  | Froo. | Sch. | 5,200 |
| 1091 | Pe | Highland Township |  | Fre |  |  |
| 1092 | Peru, Ind | High School Litra | 1870 | Free |  |  |
| 10 | Privinouth, In | Marshall County | 1867 | Freo | Ge |  |
| 10 | Rensselaer, | Iroquois | 1857 | Freo. |  | 9 |
|  | ichmond, I | Earlbam |  |  |  |  |
|  | Richmond, In | $\xrightarrow{\text { Ionian Li }}$ |  | Sub |  |  |
|  | Richmond, Ind | Morrison Library | 1864 | Freo. |  | 13,501 |
| 1100 | Richmond, Ind. | Wayne County Law Library Association. | 1874 | Sub... |  | 2,500 |

* From a return for 1884.

Table XVI.-Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 volumes, fo. - Coutinued.

|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 句 } \\ & \text { Ј } \end{aligned}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1101 | Richmond, Ind | Foung Men's Christian Association |  |  | Y.M.C. A. | 400 |
| 1102 | lising Sun, In | Natutil Ilistory Club............. | 1881 | Free.. |  | 429 |
| 1103 | Rising Sun, Ind | Randolph Towriship Library |  | Freo.. | Gen | 1531 |
| 1104 | Rockport, Ind | Ohio Township Library. | 1855 | Freo.. | Gen | 1,050 |
| 1105 1106 | Rome, 1 lnd | Tobin Township Library | 1852 1850 | Free.. Free. | Gen Gen | 400 550 |
| 1107 | St. Meiurad, In | St. Mreinrad's Collego. | 1860 | Freo.. |  | 1,008 |
| 1108 | St. Meinrad, Ind | St. Meinrad's Abbey | 1854 | Free.. | The | 11,500 |
| 1109 | South Beud, Ind | Portage Township Library | 1855 | Free.. |  | $54!$ |
| 1110 | Sonth Bend, Ind | Yonng Men's Christian Association |  | Free.. | Y.M.C.A. | 1,000 |
| 1111 | Southport, Ind | Perry Township Library . . . . |  | Free.. | Gen ....... | 700 |
| 1112 | Spiceland, Ind.......... | Spiceland Academy Library As. sociation. | 1867 |  | Soc | 1,200 |
| 1113 | Terre Hante, Ind....... | Public Library .................. | 1882 | Free.. | Gen | 5,343 |
| 1114 | Terre Hante, Ind....... | Rose Polytechnic In | 1883 |  | Sci | 4, 212 |
| 1115 | Terre Haute, Ind....... | State Normal School | 1870 | Free. |  | 3, 000 |
| 1116 | Terre Haute, Ind | Terre Hante Commercial College. |  |  | Sch | 540 |
| 1117 | Tipton, Ind | High School Library.............. |  | Free.. | Sch | 300 |
| 1118 | Troy, Ind... | Trov Township Library | 1867 | Free.. | Gen | 300 |
| 1119 | Union City, Ind | Pablic School Library |  |  | Sch | 300 |
| 1120 | Valparaiso, In | Northern Indiana Nornal School. | 1873 | Free.. |  | 5,000 |
| 1121 | Vevay, Ind | Workingmen's Library | 1850 | Free.. | Soc' 1 | 1,853 |
| 1123 | Vincennes, In | Pablic School Lib | 1873 | Free.. | Sch | 1, 500 |
| 1124 | Viucennes. Ind | Vincennes Township |  | Free.. | Gen | 500 |
| 1125 | Vincennes, Ind | Vincennes Unisersity | 1855 |  |  | 4,000 |
| 1126 | Wabash, Ind | Maclure Workingmon's Institute. | 1854 | Free .. |  | 300 |
| 1127 | Wabash, Ind | Noble Township Library | 1865 | Freo.. | Gen | 650 |
| 1128 | Warsaw, Ind | Pabiic Library. | 1885 | Free .- | Gen | 790 |
| 1129 | Warsaw, Ind | Public school Library |  |  |  | 350 |
| 1130 | West Newton, | Decatur Township Librar |  | Froe.. | Gen | 300 |
| 1131 | Winchester, Ind | Tigh School Library | 1880 |  | Sch | 52 |
| 1132 | Winchester, Ind......... | Randolph County Law Library Association. | 1883 | Sub. | Law | 2,303 |
| 1133 | Young America, Ind | Deer Creek Township Library | 1859 | Free .. |  | 300 |
| 1134 | Atoka, Ind. Ter | Grand Lodge A. F. and A. M | 1880 | Freo.. | Masonic | a60 |
| 1135 | Camp Supply, Ind. Ter.. | Post Library | 1869 |  | Gar. | 33.5 |
| 1136 | Fort Sill, Ind. Ter...... | Post Library | 1868 | Freo. |  | 1,106 |
| 1137 | Mascogee, Ind. Tex | Indian University |  |  | Co | 500 |
| 1133 | Nelscn, Ind. Ter | Spencer Academy |  |  |  | 500 |
| 1139 | Oak Lodge, Ind. Ter | New Hope Female Seminary* |  |  |  | 300 |
| 1140 | Tahlequah, Ind. Ter .... | Cherokee National Female Seminary. |  |  | Sc | 600 |
| 1141 | Tahlequah, Ind. Tor | Cherokee National Male Seminary. | 1850 |  | Sch. | 1,000 |
| 1142 | Tahlequal, Ind. Ter . | National Council Library* | 1869 | Free.. |  | 2, 100 |
| 1143 | Wheelock, Ind. Ter | Wheelock Seminary ...... |  |  | Sch | 700 |
| 1144 | Albia, Iowa. | Albia Lycenm* | 1870 | Freo.. |  | 1,500 |
| 1145 | Albion, Iowra | Albion Seminary | 1872 | Free.. | Sch | 500 |
| 1146 | Ames. Iuwa | Iowa Agricultural Colleg | 1868 | Freo.. | Col | 800 |
| 1147 | Anamosa, Iowa | Penitontiary Library .-.......... | 1872 | Free.. | A. \& R | 1, 800 |
| 1148 | Bioomfield, Iowa | Dloomfield and Nornal School Iji. brary. | 1876 | Free.. |  | 400 |
| 1149 | Boone, Iowa | Public Library .... | 1885 | Free .. | Gen | 333 |
| 1150 | Boone, Iowa | Pablic School L | 1879 | Free.- |  | 1,000 |
| 1151 | Burlington, Iowa | Burlington University | 185\% | Free.. | Col | 3, 500 |
| 1159 | Burlington, Iowa | First German Eraugelical School | 1873 | Freo.. | Sch | 300 |
| 1153 | Barlington, Iowa | Freo Iublic Library | 1885 | Free .. |  | 7, COO |
| 1154 | Burlington, Iowa ....... | Yonng Men's Christian Associa. tion. | 1879 | Free.. | Y. M. C.A. | 450 |
| 1155 | Cedar Faris, , own. | Public Library | 1878 | Free.. | Gen | 2, 100 |
| 1156 | Codar Falls, Iowa | State Normal Sch |  |  | Sch | 2,250 |
| 1157 | Cedar Rapids, Iowa | Cedar Rapids Library | 1879 | Sub... | Gren | 2,500 |
| 1158 | Cedar Rapids, Iowa | Cos College | 1881 | Freo.. | Col | 1,462 |
| 1159 | Cedar Rapida, Iow | Iova 3iasonic İibrar | 1844 | Free. | Nasonic.. | 10, 000 |
| 1160 | Clinton, lowa. | Public School Library | L1862 | Freo.. | Sch | 2, 800 |
| 1161 | College Springs, Io ma... | Amity College | 1869 | Free.. | Co | 800 |
| 1162 | Columbus Junction, Iowa. | Eastern Iowa | 1882 | Sub... | Sch | 600 |
| 1163 | Council Bluffs, Iowa... | Free Public Librar | 1882 | Free.. | Gen | 5,300 |
| 1164 | Council Blufts, Iowa.... | Iowa Institution for the Deaf and Dumb. | 1863 | Freo.. | Sc | 575 |

Table XVI.-Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 volumez, g'c.-Continued.

|  | Place. | Name of tibrary. |  |  | 䅋 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1165 |  |  | 1807 | $\mathrm{Fr}_{\text {ree }}$ | Sci.\&Hist'1 |  |
|  | Davenpo | $\Delta$ cademy of the Immacalate Conception. |  |  |  |  |
| 1167 | Dar | Davenport Business |  |  | Sch | 0 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1168 \\ & 1169 \end{aligned}$ | Davenport, Iowa | Grant's Law Library | 1840 | Freo.. | ${ }_{\text {Lol }}$ | 6, 6000 |
| 1170 | Davenport, Iorra | Library, Association | 1866 | Sul |  | 10,500 |
| 1171 | Davenport, Iowa | Orphan's Home -.. | 1868 |  |  | 1, 260 |
| 1172 | Davenport, Iowa | Young Men's Christian Associa- | 1865 | Fre | Y.M.C.A. | 600 |
| 1173 | Deco | Norwegian Lu | 1 | Sub... |  |  |
|  | , | Himer Libr |  |  |  |  |
| 1116 | Denison, Io | School Librar | 1880 | Fr |  |  |
| 117 | Des Moines, Iow | Drake Universit | 1881 | Free.. | Col | 1,200 |
|  | Des M10ines, Iowa | Public Library | 1866 | Free.. | Gen | 5,800 |
|  | Des Moines, Iowa | State Library. |  |  |  | 22,554 |
| 80 | Des Moints, Iowa | Young Men's Christian Associr- | 1872 | Free | Y. I.C.A. |  |
| 118 | Dexter, Iowa | Dester Normal Scl | 1885 | Free.. | Sch. | 1,000 |
| 1182 | Dubuque, Iowa | Bayless Collego Library |  | Free.. |  |  |
| 3 | Dubuque, | German Presbyterian Theological School of the Northwest. | 56 |  |  | 500 |
| 1184 | Dubuque, Iowa | Iorra Institute of Science and Art. | 1869 | Sub. |  |  |
| ${ }_{1156} 115$ | Dubuque, Iowa | Yound MIen's Sibrary Association. | 1866 | Sub... | Soc' | 13,000 |
|  | Eldora, Iowa. | Iowa Industrial Schoo | 1881 |  | A. | ${ }^{650}$ |
| 1188 | Eldora, Iowa. | Libuary and Free Reading Room.. | 1858 | Sab... | Soc' | 787 |
|  | Eprorth, Iowa | Seminary Library. | 1875 | $\underset{\text { Fre }}{\text { Sab }}$ | $\xrightarrow{\text { Sch }}$ Soc' | 71 |
| 1 | Fairfild, Iowa. | Jefierson County Library Asso. | 1853 | Sub. |  | 8,500 |
| 1192 | Fairfield, Iowa | Parsons Colleg |  |  |  |  |
| 1193 | Farmington, I | Library 4 ssociatio | 1876 |  |  |  |
|  | Fayette, Iowa | Upper Ioma Univer |  | Fre | Col | 00 |
|  | Fayette, Iowa | Merrill Library of Philomathean | 1857 | St |  | 500 |
| 1196 | Fort Dodme, Iowa. | Library Association | 1874 | Sab... |  |  |
|  | Fort Madison, Iowa | Iowa Yenitentiary . ............ | 1856 |  |  | 3,400 |
| 1198 | Fort Madison, Iow | "White Riblon" Circalating Li- | 1880 | Sub | So |  |
| 1199 | Grinnell, Iowa | Iowa Colleg | 4 | Free | Col | 10,000 |
|  | Grinnell, Io | Carestom |  |  |  |  |
| 1201 | Hopkinton, Iowa | Lenox Coll | 181 |  |  |  |
| 1203 | Independence, Io | Hospital Library for the Insane .: | 1873 | Free.. | A. \& R | ${ }_{5} 55$ |
|  | Indianola, Iowa. | Public Libr | 1884 | Sub | Gen | $¢_{62}$ |
| S | Indianola, Iowa. | Simpson College | 1867 | Free.. |  | 1,456 |
|  | 1owa City, lowa | State Historical | 1857 |  |  | 11,000 |
| 12 | Ioma City, Iowa | State University of | 1860 |  | Law | 18,4c0 |
| 1209 | Irrington, Iowa | Irvington District Libra | 1884 | Free.. |  |  |
| 12 | Jefferson, Iowa | Pablic School Library. | 1880 | Free.. |  | 500 |
|  | Keokuk, Iowa | Bar Library |  | Sub |  | 5,000 |
|  | Keozuk, lowa | Library Associatio | 1863 | Both | Soc' | 0 |
| 1214 | Le claine, Iowa | Public Library ..... | 1876 | ${ }_{\text {Fre }}$ |  | 1, 200 |
|  | Le Mars, | lic |  |  |  |  |
|  | Little Rock, I | Grant Township Farmer |  |  |  |  |
|  | Lyons, Iowa.. | German Society Library | 1859 | Free.. | Soc' |  |
| 1218 | Lyons, lowa. | Ioung Mens | 63 |  |  | 3, 514 |
|  | Hegregor, 1 | Higu chool Librar | 1864 | rre |  |  |
|  | Manchester, 10ヶa | Free Pubice Liorary | 1885 | Fres. |  |  |
| $12: 2$ | Manchester, 10 wa | Manckester Reading Room | 18сз |  |  |  |
| 1223 | Marengo, Iowa | Public School Libray | 1870 | Freo.. | Sch |  |
|  | Marshalltown, | Public School Librar | 3880 |  |  | 500 |
|  | ${ }_{\text {Mason }}^{\text {Mranticell }}$ | Lib | 187 | Su |  | \%00 |
|  | Mt. Pleasa | German | 1875 | Fr |  | 585 |
| 1228 | . Pleasant, Io | a | 1801 |  |  | 4,000 |

*From a return for 1881.

Table XVI.-Stalistics of public libraries numbering 200 rolumes, \&o. - Continued.

|  | Place. | Name of kbrary. |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 息 } \\ & \stackrel{y y}{\mid c} \end{aligned}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1229 | Mr. Pleasant, Iow | Iowa Wes?evan Thivers | 1855 |  | Cal | 2,000 |
| 1230 | Mt. Pleasant, Iowa. | Hamline Literary §oc | 1855 | Free | Soc $y$ | 900 |
| 1231 | Mt. Pleasant. Iowa | Public Library ..... | 1876 | Sab. |  | 4,030 |
| 1232 | Mt. Vernon, Iowa. | Cornell College | 1857 | Free.. | Col...... | 6, $5 \geqslant 2$ |
| 1233 | Mt. Vernon, Iowa | Adelphian Societ | 1853 | Free.. | Soc* | 1,150 |
| 1234 | Mt. Vernon, Ioma | Sormal Library ............ |  |  | Special | 50 |
| 1235 | Mascatine, Iowa.. | Mrascatine Acaderiy of Science .- | 1880 | Free.. | Sci......... | 700 |
| 1235 | Newton, Iowa.. | Wounens' Christian Temperance | 1875 | Free.. | Soc'l....... | 50 |
| 1237 | Onawa, Iow | Franklin Libra | 1867 | Free.. |  | 1,000 |
| 1233 | Osage, Iowa | Cedar Taller Sem | 1570 | Free.. | Sch........ | 650 |
| 1:39 | Osage, Iowa | Sage Library | 1575 | Frree.. |  | $\bigcirc{ }_{2}, 000$ |
| 1290 | Oskaloosa, Ioma | Osialoosa C | 1860 | Free.. |  | $\bigcirc{ }^{2}, 000$ |
| 1241 | Oskaloosa, Iowa | Pean College | 1573 | Free.. |  | 2, 050 |
| 1242 | Oskaloosa, Ioma | Pablic Library (under auspices of Masonic Fraternity). | 188 ${ }^{\frac{1}{4}}$ | St |  | 1,600 |
| 1243 | Ottumma, Iowa | High School Library .............. | 1876 | Free.. | Sch | 00 |
| 1244 | Ottumwa, Iowa | Pablic Library | 1872 | Sub |  | 4,400 |
| 1245 | Pella, Iowa | Central Cnirersi | 1571 | Free.. | Col | 1, 500 |
| 1246 | Sabula, Iowa | Library Associat | 1880 | Sub... | Socl....... | , 250 |
| 1248 | Salem, Iowa | Whittier College. <br> Western NormalCollege and Sben- | 1867 |  |  | -1,000 |
|  | Shenandoab, | andoah Commercial Institute. |  |  |  |  |
| 1249 | Sigourner, Iowa | Keokul Connty Educational Li. | 1874 | Sub... | Soc'l. | 765 |
| 1250 | Sioux Citr, Iowa | Northwestern Business Colleg |  |  | Sch | 2,500 |
| 1251 | Sutberland, Iowa | General N. B. Baker Library | 1876 | Sub. |  | 500 |
| 1252 | Tabor, Iowa | Tabor Colle | 1870 | Free.. |  | 5,411 |
| 1253 | Toledo, Iowa | Western Co | a1881 | Free.. |  | 3,000 |
| 1254 | Trenton, Iowa | Henry County Institute of Sci- | 1870 | Sab |  | 1,500 |
| 1255 | Finton, Iоwa | H. N. Palroer's Circulating Library | 1872 | Sub. |  | 3,000 |
| 1256 | Vinton, Ioma | Iowa College for the Blind | 1858 | Free.. |  | 1,300 |
| 1257 | Vinton, Iowa | Tilford Collegiate A cadems | 1871 | Free. |  | 200 |
| 1258 | Waterloo, Iowa | Library Association ...... | 1865 | Snb. | Soc' | 1,500 |
| 1259 | Waulion, Iowa | Young Men's Temperance Asso- | 1861 | So | So | 0 |
| 1260 | Warerly, Iowa | Lecture and Library Association. | 1868 | Sub. | Soc'1 | 950 |
| 1261 | Warerls, Iowa | Wartburg College ................. | 1863 | Free | Col | 658 |
| 1262 | Wilton, Iowa | Norton Normal and Scientific Academr. | 1881 | Free |  | 1,200 |
| 1203 | Winterset, Io | Ioung Men's Christian Associa- | 1884 | Both.. | I.M. C.A. | 350 |
| 1264 | Abilene, Kans | High School Library | 1884 | Freo.. |  | 650 |
| 1265 | Argentine, Kans | Atchison, Topeka and Santa F6 Railroad Reading Room. | 1884 | Free.. | Soc'l. | 321 |
| 1266 | Atchison, Kans | Firth Library, I. O. O. F. | 1872 | Free.. | I. O.O.F.. | 1,870 |
| 1267 | Atchison, Tans. | Public Library | 1880 | Sub... | Gen | 2. 894 |
| 1263 | Atchison, Kans. | St. Bezedict's Colle | 1859 | Fr |  | 4,600 |
| 1269 | Atchison, Kans. | Students' Library |  |  | Soc's | 1,100 |
| 1270 | Baldwin. Kans | Baker Unirersity.................. | 1872 | Free.. | Col | 1,600 |
| 1271 | Beloit, Kans. | Reading Room and Library Association. | 1879 | Sub. |  | 000 |
| 1272 | Beloit, Than | Young Men's Christian Associa- |  |  | I. M C.A. | 500 |
| 1273 | Biue Rapicus, Kan | Ladies' Library | 1854 | Sab |  | 1,017 |
| 1274 | Barlingame, Kans | School Library | 1870 | Free. | Sch | 825 |
| 1275 | Burlipgton, Kans. | Kansas Collego |  |  | Col | ع.3 |
| 1276 | Barlington, Kans | Librar A ssoci | 1884 | Sub... | Gen | 947 |
| 127 | Burr Oak, Kans | School Libraty | 1884 | Free.. | Sch | 400 |
| 1278 | Cawher City, K2 | Hesperian Librar | 187 | Sub. |  | 814 |
| 1279 | Chanute, Kans.. | Librars Association | 1850 | Sub... | Gen | 520 |
| 1280 | Chetopa, Kans | Cits Library | 1875 | Sab... | Gen | 407 |
| 1281 | Clay Centre, Kans | High School Library | 1884 | Free .- | Sch | 350 |
| 1282 | Concordia, Kans. | Select Librart | 1880 | Suo... | Soci | 700 |
| 1283 | Dunlap. Kans.. | Freedmen's Academ | 1581 | Free.. | Sch | C59 |
| 1284 | Emporia, Kans | Citr Library. | 1884 | Free. | Gen | 2,500 |
| 1285 | Emporia, Kans | Coilege uf Emp | 1804 | Free. | Co | 1,000 |
| 1286 | Emporia, Kans | State Normal School. | 1863 | Free. |  | 2, 733 |
| 1287 | Fort Learcaworth, Kans | Medical Director's Office of the Department of Xissoari. |  |  | Med...... | 681 |

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|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  | 蔇 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 88 | Fort Leavenworth, K2 | Post Library - ................. | 1881 | Free.. | Gar | 851 |
| 89 | FortLeavenworth, Kans | United States Infantry and Cav- | 1881 | Free |  | 54 |
| 1290 | Fert Scott, Kans. | Normal College and Business In- |  |  | Sch | 800 |
| 1291 | Fran | Prublic Scho | 1883 |  |  |  |
| 1292 1293 | Garnett, Kans | Library Association | 1884 | Sub... | Gen | 455 |
| 1293 | Girard, Kans | Literary Institute and Library | 1870 |  |  |  |
| 1294 | Marlan, Kans | Gonld Collego |  |  |  | 0 |
| ${ }_{1296}^{1295}$ | Harper, Kans | Harper City Free Libr | 1883 | Freo.. |  |  |
| ${ }_{1297}^{1296}$ | Highland. Kan | Highland University | 1882 | Free. | ${ }_{\text {Col }}$ | 5,000 |
| 1298 | Eolton, Kans | Pablic School Librar | 1882 | Freo.. |  | 237 |
| 1299 | Independence | Ladies' Library A | 1882 |  | Soc' | 603 |
| 1300 | Iola, Kans | Library Associati | 1884 | Sub. |  | 00 |
| 1302 | Junction City, ${ }^{\text {Junction City }}$ K | Ladies' Reading Clic | ${ }_{1875}^{1876}$ |  | Soc | 674 |
| 03 | Junction City, K2 | Trott's Select Library | 1872 | Sub... |  | 1,200 |
| 1304 | Junction Cits, Kans | Young Men's Christian Associa- | 1884 | Free.. | Y. ${ }^{\text {M }}$ | +500 |
| 1305 | Lansing, Kans | State Peniten | 1870 | Freo. | A. |  |
| 1306 | Lawrence, K | City Libr | 1865 | Tr |  |  |
| 13 | Lawrence, Kans | University of Kan | 1866 | Free.. |  | 500 |
| 1309 | Lindsborg, Kans | Bethany Normal Institut |  |  |  | 00 |
| 1310 | Manlattan, Kans | Manhattan Instituto | 1874 |  |  |  |
| 1311 | Manhattan, K | State Agricultaral Coll |  |  |  | 559 |
| 1312 | Marion, Kans | Marion Center Library Associa- | 1881 | Su |  | 436 |
|  | Marysville, Kans | Public School Library | 1882 | Fre |  | ,060 |
| 1314 | Mound City, Kans | Mary Somerville Library Society. | 1876 | Sab | Soc'1...... | ${ }^{426}$ |
| 16 | Newton, Kans | Public Library a ................... | ${ }_{1874}^{1885}$ | Sub... |  |  |
| 1317 | Oswogo, Kans. | Library Association | 1877 | Free.. | Gen | 1, 100 |
| 1318 | Ottawa, Kans | City Libra | 1872 |  | Ge |  |
|  | Ottawa, Kans | Ott | 1875 |  |  |  |
|  | Paola, | City | 1880 |  |  | 3, |
| 1322 | Paola, Kan | Normal School | 1879 |  | Sch ${ }^{\text {Sist' }}$ |  |
|  | Peabod, Kans. | Library Association | 1875 | Free.. | Gen | 1,882 |
| 1324 | Sabotha, Kans | Library Associatio | 1879 | Sab. |  |  |
| 1325 1326 | St. Mary's, Kans. | St. Mary's College. | 1869 |  | ${ }_{\text {Col }}$ | ,000 |
| 1327 | St. Mary's, Kans | Sodality of the Dlessed Virgin | 1869 |  | Soc'y | 1,000 |
| 1328 | Salina, Kans | Salina Normal |  |  |  |  |
| 1329 | Severance, Kan | Public Libra | 1880 | Snb... |  |  |
|  | Sterling, Kans | Sterling Circulating | 1880 |  |  |  |
|  | Sterling, Kans | Young Men's Christian Associa- |  |  |  | 300 |
| 1332 | Topeka, Ka | College of the Sisters of Bethany. | 1872 | Fre |  | 1, 028 |
|  | Topeka, Kans | Kansas State Historical Society | 1875 | Bot |  |  |
|  | Topelka, Kans | Kansas State Lib | ${ }_{1871}^{1857}$ | Fr | State |  |
|  | Topelza, Kans | State Board of A gricultu | 1870 | Free.. |  | 1,000 |
| 1337 | Topeka, Kans... | State Insane Asylum (Patients' | 188 | Free | \& | 321 |
| 1338 | Topeka, Kan | Topela Press | 1884 |  |  |  |
|  | Topeka, Ka | shburp | 1865 |  |  |  |
| 1341 | Troy, Kan3 | S. Lublic School Liblor | 188 | Sico.. | Scl |  |
| 13 | White Cloud, | Bailey Librar | 1882 |  |  |  |
|  | Wrichita, | City Liturary |  |  |  |  |
|  | W Wandotete Ka | Grand Lodge of | 1358 | Free | Mas | 500 |
| 1346 | Azichorage, सу ......... | Dellowood Seminary and Korl- |  |  | Sch ........ | 500 |
|  |  | tucky, Presbsterian Nornal |  |  |  |  |

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|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  | \% | Number of volumes. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1458 | Monroe, La | Young Catholic Friends' Society. | 1858 | Free | Soc'1 | 0 |
| 1459 | Mit. Lebanon, La | Mount Ledanon College* |  |  |  | 00 |
| 1450 | New Orleans, La | Academy of Ncionces* | 1853 | Free.. |  | 4, v00 |
| 1461 | New Orleans, La | Doard of Health of the State of Lonisiana. |  |  |  | 367 |
| 1462 | New Orleans, | Chamber of Commerce........... | 1836 | Free.- |  | 0 |
| 1463 | New Orleans, | Charity Hospital Medical Library. | 1879 | Fres.. | Med | 2,375 |
| 1464 | New Orleans, La | Grand Lodge of Louisiana, F ic A. M. | 1853 | Free.. | Masonic | 2,009 |
| 1465 | New Orleans, La. | Home Library Jewish Widows and Orphans' Home. | 1875 | Free.. | A. \& R. | 1,500 |
| 14.6 | New Orleans, La. | Jefferson Academy (No. $\mathrm{yj}^{\text {c Conti }}$ |  |  | Sch | 600 |
| 1467 | New Orleans I | Leland University | 1870 | Free.. | Col | , 000 |
| 1468 | New Orieans, La | McDonogh Public School, No. 2 (Third District). | 1884 | Freo.. | Scl | 363 |
| 1469 | New Orleans, La. | New Orleans Law Association.... | 1855 | Sub... | Law | 10, 000 |
| 1470 | New Orleans, L | New Orleans University and Gilbert Haven School of Theology | 1873 |  |  | 4, 500 |
| 1471 | Nerv Orleans, La. | Peabody Normal Seminary Library (in charge Superintendent City Schools). | 1871 | Sub... | Sch | 750 |
| 1472 | New Orleans, La | Pubre School and Lyceum Library. | 1844 | Both.. | Gen | 17,000 |
| 1473 | New Orieans La. | St. Isidore's College |  |  | Sch | 1,500 |
| 1474 | New Orieans, L | 'st. James' Academy and Industrias Seminary.* |  |  |  | 400 |
| 1475 | New Orleans, La | St. Mary's Collega |  |  | Sch | 1,000 |
| 1476 | New Orleans, J.a | Sunle Coilege iibrary | 1856 | Free | Scl | 1, 964 |
| 1477 | New Orieans, La | Southern Academic Institute |  |  | Sch | 300 |
| 1478 | New Orleans, La | State Library of Louisiana | 1838 | Freo.. | Stat | 21, 000 |
| 1479 | New Orieans, La | Straight University | 1869 |  |  | 600 |
| 1480 | New Oileans, La | Touro Intirmary | 1881 | Free.. | A. \& | 321 |
| 1481 | New Orieans, La | Tulane University, Tulane Li. brary. | 1 284 | Free.. | Col | 13,400 |
| 1482 | New Orleans, La. | Fisk Free Libra | 1853 | Free |  | 8,000 |
| 1483 | New Urleans, La. | Ladies' Art Unio | 1882 | Free.. | Art | 3, 500 |
| 1484 | New Orlears, La | Young Men's Christian Associa- | 1852 | Free.. | Y.M.C. | 1, 830 |
| 1485 | St. James Parish (Convent P. O ), La. | Jefferson College (St. Mary's) .. | 1565 | Free.. | Col | 2,000 |
| 1486 | St. James Parish (Conrent P. O.), La. | Society Libraries |  |  | Soc' | 1,200 |
| 1437 | Alfred, Me... | Reading Club. | 1877 | Sub. - | Soc'l | 614 |
| 1488 | Alfred, Me | X crk County Bar Library *....... | 1815 | Free.. | Law | 1,200 |
| 1489 | Aubarn, Me | Andioscoggin County Lav Library. | 1855 | Free.. | Law | 1,288 |
| 1490 | Auburn, Me | Edward Little High School | 1869 |  | Sch | 1,400 |
| 1492 | Auburn, Miol Auburn, Me | Haskell and Revnolds Library -- | 1871 | Sub. | Suc 1. |  |
|  |  | Young Men's Christian Association. | 1857 |  |  | 2, 200 |
| 1494 | Augusta, Me | Kenuebec Law Library | 1800 | Sub... | La | 1,200 |
| 1495 | Augusta, Me | Lithgow Library | 1882 | Sub.. | Gen | 5, 090 |
| 1495 | Augusta, 11 | Maine Insane Hospital, Col. Bloch Library. | 1856 | Free. | A. | 2;000 |
| 1496 | Augusta, Me. | Maine State Library ............ | 1832 |  | State | 41,000 |
| 1498 | Bangor, ${ }^{\text {Bangor, }}$ M | Arlington Townslip Library | 1867 | Free.. | Gen | 481 |
| 1439 | Bangor, Me | Bangor Tistorical society - - | 1864 | Freo.. | The | 17. ${ }^{400}$ |
| 1500 | Bangor, Me | Children's Home ............. | 1869 | Free.. | A. \& P | 1-650 |
| 1501 | Bangor, Me | Penobscot Bar Library | 1849 | Free.. | Law | 1,916 |
| 1502 | Bangor, Me. | Public Library .....- | 1828 | Both.. |  | 23, 255 |
| 1503 | Bangor, Me..... | Young Men's Christian Association. | 1882 | Freo.. | Y. M. ${ }^{\text {c.A. }}$ | - 550 |
| 1504 | Bar Harbor, M | Bar Harbor Library | 1875 | Sub .. | Gen | 3,400 |
| 1505 | Bath, Me | Orphans' Homo | 1873 | Free.. | A. \& | ],500 |
| 1506 | Bath, Me | Patten Library Association | 1847 | Sub. | Gen | 5,000 |
| 1507 | Bath, Me | Phi Rho Library (Bath High School). | 18 | Free. | Sch....... | 903 |
| i. 508 | Bath, Me | Sagadahoc County Law Library .. | 1854 | Freo.. | Lam | 600 |
| 1509 | Eethel, Me | Bethel Library | 1879 | Sub | Gen | \%78 |

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|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  | 先 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1510 | Bothel, Mo | Goulid's Academy | 1843 | Free. | Sch | 40, |
| 1511 | Bidueford, M | Bibliothèque do l'Institnt Cana- | 1809 | Free. |  | 1,292 |
| 1512 | Bidueford | đien Français de Middeford, Mu. <br> Public Library | 1862 | Free. |  | 4,000 |
| 1513 | Blue Ifill, | Ladies' Sccial Library ................ | 1868 | Sub... | Soc'1 | 735 |
| 1514 | Bolster's Mills | Village Library... | 1859 | Sub. | Gen | 40 |
| 1515 | Erownville, Me | Library Corporatio | 1884 | Sub... |  | 500 |
| 3516 | Brunswick, Me | Dowdoin College | 1802 |  |  | 34,450 |
| 1517 | Brunswick, Me | Medical School of M | 1820 |  |  | 4. 600 |
| 1518 | Brunswicks, Me | Public Librarv Association | 1883 | Sub.. | Gen | 3,400 |
| 1519 | Bucksport, Me | East Manne Conferenco Seminary | 1851 | Free.. |  | 3,200 |
| 1520 | Bucksport, Me | Social Library. | 1806 | Sub |  | 1,700 |
| 1521 | Buxton, 310 | Bar Mills Library | 1876 | Sab | Soc' | 900 |
| 1522 | Calais, Me | İill Curculating Librar | 1878 | Sub.. | Soc'1 | 800 |
| 3523 | Caiais, M | St. Croix Library | 1868 | Sub | Gen | 4,000 |
| 1524 | Camdon, | Ladıes' Library | 1853 | Sub... | Gen | 1, 200 |
| 1525 | Canaan, Me | Wilshire Library Associatio | 1878 | Sub. . | Gen | 750 |
| 1526 | Castine, Mo | Eastern State Normal School | 1868 | Free.. | Sch. | 750 |
| 1527 | Castine. Mo | Town Library | 1801 | Free | Gen | 2, 068 |
| 1528 | Cherryfield, | Public Library | 1837 | Sub. | Gen | 1, 190 |
| 1.529 | Corinna, Me | Colinna Union ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | 1851 | Free | Sch | 500 |
| 1530 | Cornish, Me | Library $\Delta$ ssociat | 1867 | Sub. | Gen | 774 |
| 1531 | Cumberland Center, Mo. | Greely Institute* |  |  | Sch | 600 |
| 1532 | Cumberland Mills, Me.. | Mill Library | 1856 | Free.. |  | 1,200 |
| 1533 | Deering (P. O., Wood- ford's), Me. | Deering Jublic I | 1870 | Sub. | Gen | 1,259 |
| 1534 | Deering, Mo............ | Westbrook Seminary and Femalis College. | 1831 | Free.. | Scb | 1,250 |
| 1535 | Dexter, 31 | Town Library | a1880 | Free.. |  | 2,300 |
| 1536 | Dover, Mo | Circulating Librar |  |  | Soc | 1,000 |
| 1537 | Dover, M | Piscataquis Lav | 1838 | Free | Law | 365 |
| 16.38 | East Machias, | Public Library Asso | 1874 | Sub | Gen | 740 |
| 1539 | Eastport. Me | Pablic Library | 1879 | Freo.. | Gen | 2,000 |
| 1540 | Ellsworth, Me | City Library | 1856 | .. | Gen | $\stackrel{2}{2} 560$ |
| 1541 | Farmington, M | Abbott Family Sch |  |  | Sch | 2,500 |
| $15+2$ | Farmington, M | Franklin County Law Library Association. | 1838 | Free. | Law | 350 |
| 1543 | Farmington, Me. | State Normal School... | 1864 | Frea.. | Sch | 1,612 |
| 1544 | Fort Kent, Me.......... | Madawaska Training |  |  |  | 300 |
| 1545 | Fort Preble (P. O., Portland), Me. | Post Library |  | Free | Gar | 330 |
| 1546 | Foxcroft, Me | Foxcroft A cademy* |  |  | Sch | 325 |
| 1547 | Foxcroft, $\lambda$ | Young Men's Christian Association. | 1835 | Fren. | Y. | 500 |
| 1548 | Fryeburg, Me | Fryeburg Academy |  |  | Sch | 1,009 |
| 1549 | Gardiner, | Public Library | 1840 | Sub. |  | 5,437 |
| 1550 | Gorham, Me | Public Library | 1882 | Sub... | Gen | 1,635 |
| 1551 | Gorham, | State Normal and Training School | 1879 | Free.. | Sch | 2,113 |
| 1552 | Haliowell, Me | Industrial School for Girls | 1875 | Free.. | A. \& |  |
| 1553 | Hallowell, Me | Social Library Village Librar | 1871 | Sub. | Gen | 5, 307 |
| 1555 | Hebron, Me | Hamlin Library of Hebron Academy. |  |  | Sch | 60 u |
| 1550 | Houlton, Me | Aroostook Law Library |  |  | Law | 300 |
| 1557 | Houlton, Mo | Houlton Academy .. |  |  | Sch | 350 |
| $15 \cdot 5$ | Kennebunk, Me | First Congregational Parish Library. | 1862 | Free.. | Soc | 2, 0̇0 |
| 1559 | Kennebunk, Me | Kennebunk Library ............. | 1881 | Sub. | Gen | 1,880 |
| 1500 | Kent's Hill, Mo | Maine Wesleyan Seminary and Female College.* |  |  | Col | 4,515 |
| 1561 | Kittery, Me | Rice Prblic Library | 1874 | Free.. |  | 2,700 |
| 1562 | Lewiston, Me. | Bates College | 1859 | Sub... |  | 8,402 |
| 1563 | Lewiston, Me... | Eurosophian Socicty | 1855 | Free.. | Soc', | 850 |
| ${ }_{1565}^{1564}$ | Lewiston, Me.. | Polyrunian Socioty | 1864 1870 | Free.. | Sne' ${ }^{\text {Tho }}$ | 825 3,000 8, |
| 1566 | Lewiston, Me. | Chandler and Estes | 1850 | Sub... | Soc | 1, 000 |
| 1567 | Lewiston, Me. | Estes Circulating Library |  | Sub. | Soc' | 1,020 |
| 1568 | Lewiston, Me. | Manufacturers' and Miechanics' | 1861 |  | Soc | 9,0 |
| 1559 | Lincoln, Me | Library Association. <br> Burton Library | 1578 | Sub |  |  |

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|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 怱 } \\ & \text { Un } \end{aligned}$ | Namber of volumes. |
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| $15: 0$ | Machias, | Social Libra | 185 | Sub. | Gen | 1,420 |
| 1571 | Machias, Me | Washington County Bar Library | 1820 | Freo. | Law | 300 |
| 1572 | Mercer, Mo | Shaw Library | 1883 | Free.. | Gen | 844 |
| 1573 | New Gloucester, Me | Circulating Library | 1853 | Sul... | Gen | 434 |
| 1574 | Newport, Me... | Circalating Library | 1875 | Sub... | Gen ........ | 500 |
| 1575 | Nerv Sharon, Mo | Town Library | 1860 | Froo.. | Gen ....... | 1,400 |
| 1576 | Norridgewock, د1e..... | Norridaewock English and Clas. sical Institnte. |  |  |  | 500 |
| 1577 | Norridgepock, Me | Norridgewock Usefnl Librars.... | 1848 | Sub... | Gen..... | 60 |
| 1573 | Norway, Mo | Circulating Library. | 1876 | Sub... |  | 700 |
| 1579 | Normay, 3 | Pablic Library | 1885 | Sub... | Gen ....... | 1,200 |
| 1580 | Orono, 2 | 3raine State College of A griculture and Mechanic Arts. | 1869 | Free.. | Col........ | 6,500 |
| 1581 | Pittsfield, Me | Maine Central Instituto .......... | 1866 | Free.. | Sch | 00 |
| 15:3 | Portland, Me | Board of Trade : | 1854 | Tree.. |  | 330 |
| 1583 | Portland, Me | Circuit Court Law Library Association. | 1879 | Free.. | L | 530 |
| 1584 | Portland, | Clark's Circulating Library ...... | 1579 | Sub... | Soc'l. | 3,500 |
| 1585 | Portland, | Grecnleaf Law Library | 1867 | Sub... |  | 2, 802 |
| 1586 | Portland, | High School Library | 1872 | Frce... |  | 1,300 |
| 1587 | Portland, Me | Maine Historical Societ | 1822 | Freo.. | Hist'l | 10, 000 |
| 1588 | Portland, Mo | Maine Medical Associatio | 1852 | Free .. | Med | 360 |
| 1589 | Portland, Me | Masonic Grand Lodge | 1821 | Free.. | Masonic.- | 550 |
| 1590 | Portland, Me | Mecbanics' Library | 1820 | Free.. | Soc'l...... | 5, 000 |
| 1591 | Portland, Me | Portland Masonic Libr | 1869 | Free.. | Masonic .- | 581 |
| 1592 | Portland, Me | Portland Society of Nataral Histors. | 1843 | Free.. |  | 1,300 |
| 1593 | Portland, Me | Public Library | 1867 | Both.- | Gen | 31,000 |
| 1594 | Portland, Mo | State Reform Scliool Boys'Library. | 1853 | Free.. |  | 1,635 |
| 1595 | Portland, Mo | Young Men's Christian Association. | 1853 | Sub... | Y.M.C.A. | 800 |
| 1596 | Presque Isle, Me | Presque Isle Library | 1865 | Sub... | G | 1,000 |
| 1597 | Richmond, Me | Library Association | 1868 | Sub. |  | 3,400 |
| 1598 | Rookland, Me | Burnham's Circulating Library. | 1882 | Sub.. |  | 500 |
| 1509 | Rockland, 310 | Commercial College*....... |  |  | Sch. | 425 |
| 1 c 00 | Rockland, Me | Knox Cotinty Law Library | 1860 | Sub. . |  | 500 |
| 1001 | Saccarappa, M | Westbrook Social Library | 1802 | Sub... | Soc'1 | 1,200 |
| 1502 | Saco, Me | Dyer Library | 1881 | Free.. | Gen | a7, 766 |
| 1603 | Saco, Me | York Institrite | 1886 | Free.. | Gen | 1,100 |
| 1604 | Searsport, Me | Sears' Public Library | 1872 | Free.. | Gen | 1,800 |
| 1605 | Stsowhegan, Me | Library Associatio | 1867 | Sub... | Gen | 4,500 |
| 1606 | Slowhegan, Me | Somerset Law Library | 1810 | Free.. | Law | 640 |
| 1607 | South Borwick, | Berwick Academy | 1835 | Free |  | 400 |
| 1608 | Thomaston, Me | Ladies' Library. | 1851 | Sub... | Soc 1 | 2, 600 |
| 1609 | Thomaston, 1 | State Prison | 1828 | Freo.. | A. \& R | 1,188 |
| 1610 | T'ogus, Me. | National Soldiers' Home, Eastern Branch. | 1869 | Free.. | Go | 6, 209 |
| 1611 | Topsham, Mo | Franklin Sclool Library. |  |  | Sch | 450 |
| 1612 | Vassalborough, Me | Oak Grove Seminary |  |  | Sch | 300 |
| 1613 | Warren, Me | Ladies' Independent Library | 1856 | Sub... | Soc'1 | 828 |
| 1614 | Washburn, Me | Washburn Library | 1864 | Free.. | Gen | 350 |
| 1015 | Waterville, Mo | Colby Unirersity. | 1820 |  |  | 19,370 1,160 |
| 1617 | West Lebanon, | West Lebanon A cadem |  |  |  | 300 |
| 1618 | Winterport, Me | Ladies' Circle Library | 1865 | Sub... | Soc' | 1,1c0 |
| 1619 | Winthrop, Me | Reynolds' Circulating Library | 1872 | Snb. | Soc'l | 650 |
| 1020 | Winthrop, Me | Young Men's Christian Association. | 1869 | Sub | Y. M.C.A. | 20 |
| 1621 | Wiscasset, Me | Social Library | 1801 | Sub... |  | 1,422 |
| 1622 | York, Me | York Harbor L | 1881 | Free.. |  | 500 |
| 1623 | Agricultural College, Md. | MercerLiterary Society, Maryland A gricultaral Collego. | 1859 |  | Soc'y | 2,000 |
| 1624 1625 | Annapolis, Md.... | Maryland State Library | 1829 | Free.. | State |  |
| 1625 1626 | Annapolis, Md. | St. John's Collego United States | 1789 1845 | Free.. | Col Gov | 6,000 26,898 |
| 1627 | Baltimore, Md | Archiepiscopal Librar |  |  |  | 15, 000 |
| 1628 | Baltimore, Ma. (Mt. Clare). | Baltimure and Ohio Employés' Free Circulating Librars. |  | Free. | Soc' | 5,000 |
| 1629 | Baltimore, Md | Baltimoro City Board of Health .- | 1873 | Freo.. | San. sci . | 400 |
| 1630 | Baltimore, Md.......... | Baltimore Corn and Flour Ex- change. |  | Treo.. | Mer ..... | 351 |

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|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1631 | Baltimore, M | Baltimore Female Colleg |  |  | Col | 3,940 |
| 1632 | Baltimore, Md ........... | Baltimore Normal School for Colored Teachers. |  |  |  | 1,200 |
| 1633 | Waltimore, 1 | Baltimore Tarngemeinde | 1852 | Free. | Soc'1 | 1,326 |
| 1634 | Baltimore, Md | Board of Trado | 1850 |  | Mer | 500 |
| 1635 | Baltimore, Mr | Centenary Biblical Institu |  |  | Sch....... | 400 |
| 1636 1037 | Baltimore, Md. (corner Calvert and Pleasant streets). <br> Baltimore Ma | Boys' Home......................... | 1871 1868 | Freo.. Free.. | A. \& R.... | 2,000 400 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1637 \\ & 1638 \end{aligned}$ | Baltimore, Md <br> Baltimore, Md | Do5s' School of St. Paul's Parish . Citr Library | $\begin{aligned} & 1868 \\ & 1874 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Free.. } \\ & \text { Free.. } \end{aligned}$ | Sch | 400 , 000 |
| 1639 | Baltimore, Md | College of Physicians and Sur- |  |  | MIed | 1,500 |
| 1640 | Baltimore, 1 Ir | Concordia Librar | 1865 | Free.. | Soc' | 2,300 |
| 1641 | Baltimore, Md | Convent of the Visitation | 1838 |  |  | 1,000 |
| 1642 | Baltimore, Md | The Enoch Pratt Free Library of Baltimore City. | (a) | Freo.. | Gen |  |
| 1643 | Baltimore, Md | Friends' Elementary and High |  |  | Sch | 2,000 |
| 1644 | Baltimore, Md | House of Refage | 1855 | Free.. | A. \& R | 60 |
| 1645 | Baltimore, Md ........... | Institution for Instruction of the Blind. |  |  |  | 800 |
| 1646 | Baltimore, | Johns Hopkins University. | 1876 | Free.. | Col | 26,500 |
| 1647 | Baltimore, Md | Knights of Pythias. | 1877 | Free.. | Soc | 4,700 |
| 1648 | Baltimoro, Md | Library Company of the Baltimore Bar. | 1810 | Sub... | Law | 10,000 |
| 1649 | Baltimore, M | Loyola College..................... |  |  | Col | 12,000 |
| 1650 | Baltimore, M | Maryland Academy of Sciences*.. | 1868 |  |  | 800 |
| 1651 | Baltimore, Md | Maryland Historical Society | 1844 | Sub. | Hist | 20,000 |
| 1652 | Baltimore, Md | Maryland Institute for the Promotion of Mechanic Arts. | 1817 | Sub. | Soc | 20,515 |
| 1653 | Baltimore, Md | Marcland Penitentiary | 1848 | Free.. | A. \&R. | 1,400 |
| 1654 | Baltimore, Md | Masonic Library Associa | 1876 | Free.. | Masonic .. | 1,400 |
| 1655 | Baltimore, Md | Medical and Chirurgical Faculty of Maryland. | 1830 | Sub... | Med...... | 4, 998 |
| 1656 | Baltimore, Md | Mercantile Library Association .- | 1839 |  | Mer ...... | 40,000 |
| 1657 | Baltimore, Md | Odd Fellows' Library | 1840 | Free.. | I. O.O.F.. | 21, 952 |
| 1658 | Baltimore, Md | Peabody Institute | 1857 | Free.. | Gen ...... | 88, 000 |
| 1659 | Baltimore, Mrd | Public School Library* | 1878 | Free.. | Sch | 2, 872 |
| 1660 | Baltimore, Md | Red Men's Library (Improved Order). | 1853 | Sub... | Soc' | 5,000 |
| 1661 | Baltimore, Md | St. James' Homo for Boys | 1878 | Free.. | A. \& P | 800 |
| 1662 | Baltimore, Md | St. Joseph's A cademy | 1849 |  | Sch | 800 |
| 1663 | Baltimore, Md | St. Mary's Theological Seminary of St. Sulpice. | 1791 |  |  | 26,000 |
| 1664 | Baltimore, Md | St. Vincent's Male Orphan Asy. | 1851 | Free | A. \& | 2, 500 |
| 1665 | Ealtimore, M | South Baltimore Mechanics' Library. | 1863 | Sub. | Soc'l | 2,000 |
| 1666 | Baltimore, Md | Sovereign Grand Lodge of the I. O. O. F. | 1858 |  | I. O.O.F. | 603 |
| 1667 | Baltimore, M | State Normal School. |  |  | Sch | 2,455 |
| 1668 | Ba | University of Maryland, School of Law. |  |  | Law | 494 |
| 1669 | Baltimore, Md | Toung Men's Christian Association. | 1879 | Free .- | F.M.C.A. | 2,000 |
| 1670 | Baltimore, Md | Foung Women's Christian $\Delta$ ssociation. |  | Free.. | Soc'l. | 764 |
| 1671 | Baltimore, Md | Zion School |  |  | Sch | 2,000 |
| 1672 | Carroll, Md | St. Mary's Industrial School for Bors. | 1866 | Free.. | A. \& R | 1,200 |
| 1073 | Carrollton, Mid. (P. O., Carroll). | Mt. St. Joseph's College, Teach-) ors' Library. | 1878 | Free.. | Col |  |
| 1674 | Carrollton, Md. (P. O., Carroll). | Students' Library..................) |  |  |  | ( 1,100 |
| 1675 | Carrollton, Md. (P. O., Carroll). | St. Agnes Hospital | 1863 | Free .. | Soc' 1 | 515 |
| 1076 | Catonsville, Mrl. | Library Association | 1879 | Sub. | Gen | 3,000 |
| 1677 | Near Catonsrille, Md | Mit. de Sales Academ |  |  |  | 3,000 |
| 1678 | Charlotte Hall, Md | Charlotte Eall School Library | 1774 | Sub. | Sch | 1,000 |
| 1679 | Near Chestertown, Md. | Washington College | 1783 | Free | Col | 2,000 |

*From a return for 1884.
$a$ Opened to the public after the date of the closing of this table, with 40,888 rolumes.

Table XVI.-Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 rolumes, $f$ c. - Continued.

|  | Place. | Name of library. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 总 } \\ & \text { E } \\ & \text { E } \\ & \text { E } \\ & \text { E } \end{aligned}$ |  | 芯 | Number of volumes. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1680 | College of St. James, Ma. | College of St. James Grammar School* |  |  | Sch | 8,000 |
| 1081 | Camberland, Md.. | Bar Association of Alleghany Countr. | $18: 8$ | Sub. | Law | 865 |
| 1682 | Cumberland, 3 | St. Edward's A cademy............ |  |  |  | 00 |
| 1683 | Denton, Md | Cirenlatiog Library | 1877 | S | Soc'1....... | 90 |
| 1684 | Ellicott City, Md | Rock Hill College |  |  | Col....... | 6,300 |
| 1686 | Embla, Md. | St. Charles's Coilege. |  |  | sch | $\stackrel{9}{9,000}$ |
| 1687 | Near Emmitsburg, Md.. | Mr. St. Marr's College Lil | 1808 | Free.. | Col......... | 8,000 |
| 1088 | Emmitsburg. Md | Stadents' Library | 1808 | Free.. | Soc' $5 . .$. | 800 |
| 1689 | Fredericik, Md | Frederick Coilcge | 1840 | Free.. |  | 3, 000 |
| 1690 | Frederick, Md | Frederich Female Seminary ...... | 1845 |  | Sch ........ | $\stackrel{2}{2} 500$ |
| 1691 | Frederick, Md | Maryland School for the Deaf and Dumb. | 1871 | Free.. |  | 2, 200 |
| 1692 | Frederick, Md | Young Men's Christian Association. |  |  | I.M.C.A. | 425 |
| 1693 | Glenwood, Md | Glenwood Institute* |  |  |  | 1, 500 |
| 1694 | Hagerstorn, Md. | Library of "Tharsday Club" | 1878 | Su | Soc'l...... | 2,963 |
| 1695 | Harre de Grace, Md | Masonic Library. |  |  | Masonic .. | 1,000 |
| 1697 | Lonaconing, M | Odd Felloms' Library (ivo. 85) | 1868 | Free.. | I. O. O. F... | 10,600 800 |
| 1698 | Lonaconing, M | St. Mary's Library... | 1871 | Sub... |  |  |
| 1699 | Inthertille, Md | Lutherville Female Sen |  |  |  | 1,550 |
| 1700 | McDonogh, Md | McDonogh School | 1874 | Free.. |  | 2,325 |
| 1701 | New Windsor, | New Windsor College | 1874 | Free.. | Col........ | 2, 000 |
| 1702 | Oakland, Md | Garrett Literary Society........ | 1874 | Free.. | Soe'1....... |  |
| 1703 | Oxford, M1 | Maryland Military and Naval Academy. |  |  | Sch........ | 2,800 |
| 1704 | St. George's. Md | St. George's Libra | 1876 | Free.. | Sch....... | 500 |
| 1705 | Salisburr, M | Circulating Library | 1870 | Both.. | Soc'1....... | 1,090 |
| 1706 | Touson, Md | High School Library |  |  |  | 400 |
| 1707 | Westminster, Md | Western Marsland Colle | 1873 |  | Col, | 4,000 |
| 1708 | Westminster, Md | Irring Literary Society | 1867 | Free.. | Soc', | 600 |
| 1709 | Westminster, Md....... | Webster Literary Society..... | 1870 | Free.. | Soc' 5 | 600 |
| 1710 | Williamsport, Md....... | Madeiry Lodge, No. 140, A. F. and A. 11. | 1882 | Free.. | Masonic .- | 383 |
| 1711 | Woodstock, 1 | Woodstock College | 1869 | Free.. | The'l..... | 67,000 |
| 1712 | A bington. M | Public Library | 1878 | Free.. |  | 4, 040 |
| 1713 | Adams, Mass.. | Free Library . | 1882 | Free.. |  | 3,434 |
| 1714 | Amesbars, Mass | Johnson's Circulating Library | 1877 | Sub... | Soc'l...... | 2,696 |
| 1715 | Amesbary, Mass | Public Library of Amesbury and Salisbart | 1856 | Sub | Gen ...... | 5, 000 |
| 1716 | Anherst, Mass | Amherst College | 1821 |  | Col | 45,186 |
| 1717 | Amherst, Mass | Observatory Librars. | 1881 |  |  | 1,000 |
| 1718 | Amberst, Mass | Massachusetts Agricultaral Col- | 1867 | Free.. |  | 4,400 |
| 1719 | Amherst, Mass | Public Library | 1874 | Free.. | Gen | 3, 760 |
| 1720 | Andover, Mass | Abbot Academy | 1828 | Sub. ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | Sch | 2, 660 |
| 1721 | Andover, Mass | Andover Theological Seminary... | 1807 |  | The | 42, 938 |
| 1722 | Andover, Mass | Memorial Hall Library | 1873 | Free.. | G | 9,185 |
| 1723 | Andover, Mass | Phillips Academy, Taylor Memorial Library. | 1778. | Free.- | S | 3, 000 |
| 1724 | Andorer, Mass | Associate Library |  |  | Soc'5 ..... | 800 |
| 1725 | Arlington, Mass | Public Library | 1872 | Free.. | Gen ....... | 9, 298 |
| 1726 | Ashburnham, Mass | Cushing Academy | 1875 | Free.. | Sch | 1, 800 |
| 1727 | Ashburnham, Mass | Public Library | 1883 | Free.. | Gen | 1,100 |
| 1728 | Ashbs, Mass | Tomn Library | 1574 | Free .- | Gen | 1,353 |
| 1729 | Ashland. Mass | Public Library | 1881 | Free.. | Gen | 2, 250 |
| 1730 | Athol, Mass | Free Public Library | 1882 | Free.. | Ger | 3, 000 |
| 1731 | Attleborough, Ma | Free Public Library | 1885 | Sub... | Gen | 2, 400 |
| 1732 | Auburn, Mass. | Free Public Library | 1872 | Free.. | Gen | 1,450 |
| 1733 | Aubrerndale, Mass | Lasell Seminary | 1851 | Free.. | Sc | 1, 200 |
| 1734 | Auburndale, Mass...... | Riverside Home and Day School for Girls. | 1882 | Free | Sc | 500 |
| 1735 | Ayer, Mrass | Public Library | 1871 | Free.. | Gen | 2, 216 |
| 1736 | Ballard Vale. Mass | Bradlee Library | 1878 | Free. | Gen | 1,500 |
| 1737 | Barnstable, Mass | Sturgis Library | 1863 | Free .. | Gen | 9,910 |
| 1738 | Barre, Mass .... | Town Library | 1857 | Free.. | Gen | 3,034 |
| 1739 | Bedford, Mass | Free Priblic Li | 1876 | Fres.. | Gen | 1, 823 |
| 1740 | Belmont, Mass | Public Library | 1867 | Free.. | Gen | 5, 019 |

* From a return for 1884.

Table XVI.-Statisiics of public libraries rumbering 300 rolumes, fc.-Continued.


[^113]Table XVI.-Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 volumes, s.c. - Continued.

|  | Flace. | Name of tibiary. | B 0 0 0 0 0 0 |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $1: 2$ | Beston, Mass. (Tremont | Miassachusetts IIorticultural So. | 1829 | Free.. | Sci | 5,000 |
| 1193 |  | Massachasetts Institute of Tech. | 1866 | Free.. | Sci. | 4,117 |
| 1794 | Boston, Mass | Massachnsetts New Church Union Librars. | 1859 | Free.. | The' 1 | 1, 049 |
| 1705 | Doston, Mass. (P. O., Charlestorn station). | Massaclusetts State Prison....... | 1840 | Stato | A. \& R. | 4,445 |
| 1796 | Boston, Liass. (10 Borlston place). | Ledical Library Association of Boston. | $15 i 5$ | Sab. | Med | 15,000 |
| 1797 | Bostov, Mass . . . . . . . . | Merrills Library | 18.2 | Sul | So | 5,000 |
| 1798 | Boston, Mass | Mrdio Librar | 1883 |  |  | 4,000 |
| 1799 | Boston, Mass | Museum of Fin | 1879 | Freo |  | a2, 233 |
| 1800 | Boston, Mass | Naval Library and Institute (Znited States). | 1842 |  |  | 2,390 |
| 1801 | Boston, Mass . | New England Historic-Genealos. ical Societr. | 1845 | Free .. | Hist 1 | 20, 718 |
| 1802 | Boston, Mass. (36 Bromfield street). | New England Methodist Histor. ical Societr. | 1880 | Free.. | Hist'1.. | 2, 444 |
| 1803 | Boston, Mass. (North Bennet street). | North Bennet Street Industrial School. | $18 \varepsilon 0$ | Free.. | Sch | 1,200 |
| 1804 | Bostan, Mass.. | Numismatic Society | 1800 | Free.. | Sci | 300 |
| 1805 | Boston, Miass | Odd Felloms's' Libra | 1854 | Free | I. O.O.F.. | 3, 5¢0 |
| 1806 | Boston, Mass | Osgoods Circulatiog Librarr,..... | 1374 | Sub |  | 1,000 |
| 1807 | Boston, Mass | Perkios Institution for the Blind. | 1833 |  | Sch | 6, 695 |
| 1808 | Boston, Mass | Post Library, Fort | 1850 | Free.- |  | 1,500 |
| 1809 | Boston, Mass | Pablic Library | 1852 | Free.. | Gen | 434, 837 |
| 1810 | Boston, Mass | Sage's Circulating Lib | 18.4 | Sub | Soc'1 | 2,500 |
| 1811 | Boston, Mass | Shammut Congregational Societ5. |  |  |  | 300 |
| 1812 | Boston, Mass ........... | Social L2w Library | 1801 | Su |  | 19,500 |
| 1813 | Boston, Mass. (41 Marlborough street). | Society to excourage Studies at Home, Lending Library. |  | Sub |  | 1,755 |
| 1514 | Boston, Mass... | State Board of Health | 1863 |  | San | 3,000 |
| 1815 | Boston, Miass ........... | State Library | 1823 | Free.. | Sta | 60, 000 |
| 1816 | Boston, Mass. (29 Middlesex street). | Turner Libra | 1849 | Free.. |  | 3,000 |
| 1817 | Boston, Mass . | United States Marine Hospital Service. | 1821 | Free.. | Gor't | 500 |
| 1818 | Boston, Mass | Washingtonian Home Iibrary | 1858 | Free.. | Soc'1 | 559 |
| 1819 | Boston, Mass (987 Washington street). | Wells Memorial Workingmen's Institute. | 1370 | Sub... |  | 400 |
| 1820 | Boston, Mass ............ | Ioung Men's Christian Association.* | 1851 | Sub... | F.M.C.A. | 4,500 |
| 1821 | Boston, Mrass | Foung Men's Christian Union. | 1852 | Sub... | I. 3.C.A. | 7, 880 |
| 1822 | Boston, Mass . ........... | Young Women's Christian Association.* | 1807 |  | Soc' | 1,200 |
| 1823 | Bosford, Mass | Pablic Librars.. | 1374 | Freo.. | Gen | 1,100 |
| 1824 | Borlston Centre, Mrass. | Boylston Public Library | 1880 | Free.. | Gen | 1,979 |
| 1825 | Bradford, Mass | Bralford A cademy | 1804 | Suv... |  | 4,000 |
| 1827 | Braintree, Mass. (P. O., | Thayer Public Librar | 1874 | Free.. | , | 7,500 |
| 1828 | Bremster, $]$ ass | Ladies' Library | 1850 | Sub. | Soc | 3,000 |
| 1829 | Bridgerrater, Mass | High School ... |  |  | Sch | $300+$ |
| 1830 | Bridgewater, Mass | Public Library | 1878 | Free.- | Gen | 6,100 |
| 1831 | Bridgewater, Mass | State Normal School | 1840 | Free.. | Sch | 4, 000 |
| 1832 | Bridgerrater, Mass | State Workhouse ........... | 1860 | Free.. | A. \&R.... | 375 |
| 1833 | Brimicld, Mass | Hitchcocis Free High School...... | 1865 | Free | Sch | 1, 604 |
| 1835 | Brimfield, \Iass | Pastor' Sibrary (congregational). | 1898 | Free |  | ${ }^{610}$ |
| 1836 | Brockton. Mass | Pablic Library | 1867 | Free.. | GeII | 10,341 |
| 1837 | Brookfield, Mass | Merrick Public Library | 1865 | Free.. |  | 8, 800 |
| 1838 | Brookline, Mass . | Circulating Library |  |  | Soc 1 | 500 |
| 1839 | Brookline, Mass | Public Library | 1857 | Free.. | Gen ...... | 30, 84.9 |
| 1840 | Brrlington, Mass | Town Librar | 1837 | Frce | Gen | 1, C25 |
| 1842 | Cambridฐe, Mass | Cambridge Circal | 1885 | Fre | Sch | 3,109 |
| 1843 | Cambridge, Mass | Entomological Club.............. | 1874 |  |  | 1, 35, |
| 1844 | Cambridge, Mrass | Episcopal Theological School | 1867 | Freo.. | The' | 3,000 |
| 18 | Cambriöge, Mass | Harrard College........... | 1539 | Free | Col | 232, 803 |

TABLE XVI.-Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 rolumes, \&.C.-Continued.

|  | Place. | Name of libiary. |  |  | \% |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1846 | Cambridge, Mass.. | Botanic Garden (Herbarium Li- | 1864 |  | Sci. | 0 |
| 1847 | Cambridge, | Bassey Institution at Jam | 1871 | Free .- | Sc |  |
| 1848 | Cambridge, Mass | Divinity School. | 1825 |  |  |  |
| 1849 | Cambridge, Mass........ | Institute of 1770 (0id "Hasty | 1770 | Sab... | Soc | 17,403 2,703 |
| 1850 | Cambridge, Mass ....... | Lawrence Scientific Sc | 1847 |  | Sci. | 0 |
| 1851 | Cambridge, Mass | Law School | 1817 |  |  | 21,600 |
| 1852 | Cambridge, Mass | Medical School at Boston | 1 182 |  | Med | 1,500 |
| 1853 | Cambridge, Mass | Minseum of Comparative Zoology. | 1858 |  |  | 17, 600 |
| 1854 | Cambridge, Mass | Natural History Society | 1837 | Free.. | Soc' | 1,900 |
| 1855 | Cambridge, Mass | Peabody Druseum................. | 1866 | Free.. | Sci | 793 |
| 1856 | Cambridge, Mass ........ | Phillips Library (Astronomical Obserratory). | 1847 |  |  | 3,300 |
| 1857 | Cambridge, Mass | Porcellian Club.................. | 1803 |  | Soc'y | 10,003 |
| 1858 | Cambridge, Mass | Public Library - .i... . ........... | 1856 | Free.. |  | 18,000 |
| 1859 | Cambridge, Mass ....... | Society for the Collegiate Instruction of Wnmen. | 1879 | Free.. |  | 1,085 |
| 1860 | Cambridge, Mass | Truant School |  |  | A. \& | $40)$ |
| 1861 | Cambridgeport, Mass. | Abbott Parker's Circulating Library. | 1878 | Sub... | Soc' | 400 |
| 1862 | Cambridgeport, Mass. (575 Main street). | E. F. Hunt \& Co.'s Circulating Library. | 1833 | Sub. | Soc' 1 | 3,100 |
| 1863 | Campello, Mass.......... | Thayer Brothers' Circulating Library. | 1881 | Sub... | Soc'l | 750 |
| 1864 | Canton, Mass | Public Library . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 1875 | Freo.. | Gen | 4, 07 ? |
| 1865 | Carlisle, Mass | Free Public Library | 1872 | Freo.. |  | $80^{\prime \prime}$ |
| 1866 | Charlemont, M | Library Associ | 1879 | Snb... | Soc' | 349 |
| 1867 | Charlton, Mass | Public Library |  | Freo.. | Gen | 1,000 |
| 1868 | Chelmsford. Mas | Social Library | 1786 | Sub... | Soc' | 1, 200 |
| 1869 | Chelsea, Mass. | Boyden's Circulating Librar | 1868 | Sub | Soc' | 4, 600 |
| 1870 | Chelsea, Mass | Orcutt's Circulating Library | 1849 | Su | Soc' | 2,000 |
| 1871 | Chelsea, MLass | Williams \& Riford's Circulating Library. |  |  | Soc | 1,000 |
| 1872 | Chelsea, Mass | Public Library .................... | 1870 | Free.. | Gen | 8,616 |
| 1873 | Chelsea, Mass | U.S. Marine Hospita | 1821 | Freo | Go | 500 |
| 1874 | Cheshire, Mass | Library Association | 1866 | Sub |  | 2, 420 |
| $18 \% 5$ | Chicopee, Mass | Town Library | 1816 | Free.. |  |  |
| 1876 | Chicopee Falls, Mass | Wm. P. McFarland's Circulating Library. | 1880 | Sub... | Soc | 501 |
| 1877 | Cliftondale, Mass | Public Library | 1885 | Freo.. | Gen | 701 |
| 1878 | Clinton, Mass. | Bigelow Free Public Library | 1873 | Freo.. | G | 13, 001 |
| 1879 | Cohasset, Mas | Free Public Librar | 1880 | Free.. |  | 3,7011 |
| 1880 | College Hill, Mass | Tuft's College | 1854 | Freo.. | Cnl | 20, 10? |
| 1881 | College Hill, Mass | Universalist Historical Society *.. | 1834 | Freo.. | Hist | 2, 800 |
| 1882 | Concord, Mass ... | Free Public Library | 1851 | Freo.- | Gen | 19, 643 |
| 1883 | Concord, Mass. (P. O., Warnerville). | Massachusetts Reformatory | 1884 | Free.. | A. \& | 2, 28 ! |
| 1884 | Conway, Mass | Town Library | 1878 | Free.. |  | 1,420 |
| 1885 | Cottage City, Mas | Library Associ | 1883 | Freo.. | Soc'1 | 831) |
| 1886 | Cummington, Mass | Bryant Free Library | 1872 | Free.. | Gen | 5, 3011 |
| 1887 | Dalton, Mass.. | Crane Library | 1882 | Free.. | Soc'1 | 700 |
| 1888 | Dalton, Mass | Public Library | 1885 | Freo. | Gen | 1,2 230 |
| 1889 | Danvers, Mass | Lanatic Hospital | 1878 | Free. | A. © | 601 |
| 1890 | Danvers, Mass | Peahody Institute L | 1857 | Freo.. | Gen | 12, 00 ( |
| 1891 | Derlham, Mass | Dedham Historical Society | 1859 | Sub... | Hist | 500 |
| 1892 | Dedham, Mass | Norfolk County Law Library* | 1815 | Freo.. | Law | 1, 200 |
| 1893 | Dedham, Mass.......... | Public Library. | 1871 | Free.. | Gen | 8, 92 |
| 1894 | Deerfield, Mass. (high school building). | Dickinson Library | 1878 | Free.. |  | 2,240 |
| 1895 | Deerfield, Mass .......... | Pocomtuck Valley Memorial As. sociation. | 1876 | Free.. | Soc'l | 6,000 |
| 1896 | Dennis, Mass | Dennis Library ................... | 1873 | Sub. | Gen | 671 |
| 1897 | Dudley, Mass | Nichols A cademy (Conant Library) |  |  |  | 2,000 |
| 1898 | Dunstable, Mass | Free Library | 1878 | Free.. | Gen | 1,672 |
| 1899 | Duxbury, Mass | Partridge Academy | 1845 | Free.. | Sch | 500 |
| 1900 | East Boston, Mass, | Marno's Circulating Librars | 1881 | S | Soc' | 1,600 |
| 1902 | East Bridgewater, Mass. | Public Librar | 1884 | Free.. |  | 1, 300 |
| 1503 | East Cambridge, Mass .. | Circulating Library | 1880 | Sub. | Soc'l | 1,352 |

* From a return for 188£.

Table XVI．－Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 rolumes，foc．－Continued．

|  | Place． | Name of library． |  | E E E 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 | 苞 － |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1904 | East Cambridse，Mass | Middlesex Law Library | 1815 |  | Law | 3，600 |
| 1905 | East Camliridge，Mass．． | St．John＇s Literary Insti | 1854 | Fre | Soc＇l | 1，200 |
| 1906 | East Dennis，Mass．．．． | Association Library | 1868 | Sub．．． | Gen | 1，033 |
| 1907 | East Dourlas，Mass． | Douglas Free Public Library | 1879 | Free．． | Gen | 1，098 |
| 1908 | Eastham，Mass | Towd Library ．．．． |  | Free．． | Gen | 673 |
| 1509 | East bampton，Mas | Public Library Assoc | 1863 | Sub． | Gen | 8，000 |
| 1910 | Eosthampton，Mass | Williston Seminary．． | 1841 |  | Sch | 2， 000 |
| 1911 | East Orieans，\％ass． | Orleans Library Association．．．．．． | 1854 | Sub．．． | Gen | 1，490 |
| 1912 | East Saugus，Mass． | East Saunus C＇irculating Library ． | 1865 | Sub | Soc＇l | 1，200 |
| 1913 | Enfield，Mass．．．． | Public Library ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 1882 | Free．． | Gen | 1，400 |
| 1914 | Erring，Mas | Erring Library | 1872 | Sub．．． | Gen | 400 |
| 1915 | Ererett，Ma | Public Library | 1879 | Free．． | Gen | 4，193 |
| 1916 | Fairlaren，Ma | Library Association | 1860 | Sub．．． | Gen | 2，800 |
| 1917 | Fall River，Mas | Adams＇Circalating Libr | 1874 | Sub．．． | Soc＇l | － 735 |
| 1918 | Fall River，Mas | Earl＇s Circulatiog Librar | 1870 | Sab． | Soc＇1 | 1， 000 |
| 1919 | Fall Rirer，Mas | High School Library．．．．． | 1857 | Free | Sch | 475 |
| 1920 | Fall River，Mas | Public Library | 1860 | Free．． | Gen | （a） |
| 1921 | Falmouth，Mass | Falmouth Circulating Librar | 1876 |  |  | 1， 500 |
| 1922 | Falmouth，Mass | First Congregational Church Li－ brary． | 1822 | Free．． | Soc | 1，076 |
| 1923 | Fells，Mass | Boston Rnuber Shoe Company．．．． | 1873 | Free．． | Soc＇l | 1，200 |
| 1924 | Fitchburg，M | House of Correction and Jail | 1859 | Free．． | A．\＆R | 525 |
| 1925 | Fitchburg，Mas | Law Library． | 1866 | Free．． | Law | 870 |
| 1926 | Fitchburg，Mas | Pablic Library | 1859 | Free．． | Gen | 17，000 |
| 1927 | Fitchburg，Mass | Worcester North District Medi－ cal Library． | 1858 | Free．． | Med | 550 |
| 1923 | Foxborough，Mas | Boyden Library ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 1869 | Free．． | Gen | 3，000 |
| 1929 | Framingham，Mass | State Normal Schoo | 1840 | Free．． | Sch | 2，000 |
| 1930 | Framingham，Jass | Town Library | 1855 | Free．． | Gen | 12，000 |
| 1931 | Franklin，Mass | Dean Academy | 1866 |  | Sch | 500 |
| 1932 | Eranklin，Mass | Library Association | 1786 | Free | Gen | 4，200 |
| 1933 | Franklin，Mass | Partucket Library． | 1874 |  |  | － 600 |
| 1934 | Freetown，Mass | Freetorn Law Library |  | Fre | Iaw | 500 |
| 1935 | Gardner，Mass | Garlner Free Library | 1884 | Free | Gen | 1，500 |
| 1936 | Gardner，Mass | M1t．Gardner Seminary ．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 1883 |  | Sch | 300 |
| 1937 | Gilbertville，Mass． | Gilbertrille Library of the Geo． H．Gillert M＇f＇g．Co． | $1 \varepsilon \varepsilon 2$ | Free．． | Soc＇1 | 902 |
| 1938 | Gill，Mass | Gill Library | 1872 | Free．． |  | 711 |
| 1939 | Gloucester，Mass | Cape Ann scientific and Literary Association． | 1875 | Free．． | Sci． | 400 |
| 1940 | Gloucester，Mass | Procter Circulating Library ．．．．．．． | 1851 |  |  | 2，500 |
| 1941 | Gloucester，Mass | Samyer Free Library．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 1854 | Free．． |  | 7，030 |
| 1942 | Gloacester，Mass ． | Young Mren＇s Christian Associa－ tion． | 18,3 | Free．． | I．M． | 325 |
| 1943 | Grafton，Mass | Free Public Library ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 1866 | Free．． |  | 5，044 |
| 1944 | Great Barrington，Mass． | Free Library ．．．．．．． | 1881 | Free．． | Gen | 3，500 |
| 1945 | Great Barrington，Mass． | Sedgwick Insti |  |  | Sch | 5，600 |
| 1916 | Greenfield，Mass．．．．．．．． | Free Library． | 1881 | Free | Ge | 3， 000 |
| 1947 | Greenfield．Mass．．．．．．．．． | Law Library Association for Franklin Co． | 1856 | Free．． | Law | 2，248 |
| 1918 | Greenfield．Mas | Librarc Association ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 1855 |  |  | 7，293 |
| 1949 | Greenfield，Mass | Moody＇s Circulating | 1872 | Sub． | Soc＇ | 1， 200 |
| 1950 | Groton，Mass ．． | Groton School Librars | 1884 |  | Sch | 1，300 |
| 1951 | Groton，Mass | Lasrence Academy ．． | 1828 | Free | Sch | 2，560 |
| 1059 | Groton，Mass | Public Library．．．．．． | 1851 | Free | Ger | 4，300 |
| 1053 | Hadley，Mass | Conant＇s Library | 1881 | Sub． |  | 2， 100 |
| 19.4 | Hadles，Mass． | Foung Men＇s Library A ssociation． | 1856 | Sub | Soc＇1 | 1，784 |
| 1035 | Halifax，Mass | Holmes Pablic Library ．．．．．．．．．．． | 1876 | Free．． | Gen | $1 \leq 60$ |
| 1956 | Hanson，Mass | Library Association ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 1852 | Sub．．． | Soc＇l． | 4315 |
| 1957 | Hardrick，Mass | Ladies＇Free Library Association． | 1880 | Free．． | Gen. | 800 |
| 1938 | Harrard ilfass．． | Bromfield School | 1877 |  | Sch | 1，000 |
| 1959 | Harvard，Mass． | Pablic Library． | 1808 | Free | Gen | 3000 |
| 1960 | Harrard，Mass． | Union Library | 1865 | Sub．．． |  | 900 |
| 1961 | Harmich Port，Mass | Sea View Library | 1877 | Sub． |  | 400 |
| 1962 | Hatfield，Mass ．．．．．． | Pablic Library．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | $18 \% 0$ | Free．． | Gen | 2， 800 |
| 1963 | Harerbill，Mass | Morse \＆Son＇s Circulating Library． | 1869 | Sub... | Soc＇1 | 1，500 |
| 1964 | Haverhill，Mass | Public Library．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 1874 | Free．． | Gen | 39， 268 |
| 1965 | Hasdenville，Mass．．．． | Library Association | 1884 | Sub．．． | Ger | 513 |

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Table XVI.-Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 volumes, g.c.-Continned.

|  | Plece. | Name of library. |  |  | \% | 曾 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1936 | Mingham, | P | 1863 | Free.. |  | 5,800 |
| 1967 | Hingham, M | Second Social Lib | ${ }_{186}^{1773}$ |  | Soc' 1 | 1, 1.99 |
| 19 | Holhrook, Mas | Public Library | 1874 | Freo.. | Gen | 4, 245 |
| 1970 | Holden, M M ass | Library Associa | 1877 | Sub | Gen |  |
| 1971 | Holliston, Mass | Public Librar | 1870 |  | Gen | 3,175 |
| 1973 | Hoyy | Toachers' Professional | ${ }_{1879}^{1870}$ | $\underset{\text { Free .. }}{\text { Free }}$ | Gen | 11,000 |
| 1974 | Hopkinton, Mass | Young Men's Christian Associa- | 1867 | Freo.. | Х. M.C. ${ }^{\text {S }}$. | 2, 202 |
| 1975 | Housatonic, Mass. | The Cono | 1869 | Free.. |  | 029 |
| 1976 | Hubbardston, Mass | PublicLibrary | 1872 | Free.: | Gen ...... |  |
| 1978 | Hyde Park, Mass | Pablic Library | 1874 | Free.. | Gen | 8, 000 |
| 1979 | Ipswich, Mass. | Free Public Li | 186s | Free.. | Gen | ,000 |
| 1980 | Kingston, Ma | Library Association | 1870 |  |  |  |
| 1981 | Lancaster, Ma | State Industrial Scho | 1860 |  | A. | 1,700 |
| 1983 | Lanesborough, Mass | Elmwood Insti | 1844 | -1.. |  | 1, |
| 1984 | Lanesborough, Ma | Town Library | 1870 | Sub... | G | 1,140 |
|  | Lawrence, Ilass | Free Public Library | 1872 | Free.. |  | 27, 32 |
| 87 | Lawrence, Mass | Industrial School | 181815 | $\underset{\text { Free... }}{ }$ | Sch |  |
| 1988 | Lawrence, Mass | Pacific Mrills Librar | 1854 | Free.. | Soc' | 8,700 |
| 1989 | Lee, Mass. | Public Library | $18 \overline{4}$ | Freo.. | Gen | 3,500 |
| 1990 | Leicester, Ma | Academy Lib |  |  |  |  |
| 1 | Leicester, Mas | Pubic Librara | 1861 | Free.. | Gen | 5,530 |
| 1993 | Leominster, M | Free Public Libra | 1856 | Free.. | Gen |  |
| 1994 | Lexington, Ma | Cary Librar | 1868 | Free.. | Ge |  |
| 1996 | Linden, Mass. | Circulating Libr | 1880 |  | Soc'1 | 400 |
| 1997 | Lowell, Mass . | City Library | 1844 | Free.. | Gen | 30,000 |
| 1998 | Lowell, Mass . | Coggeshall's Circulating Library*. | 1870 |  | Soc' | 1,011 |
| 12000 | Lowell Mass | Mriduesex Co. Law Library-...... | 1825 | Free.. | Sac |  |
| 2001 | Lowell, Mass | Old Ladies' Home... | 1878 |  | A. |  |
| 2002 | Lowell, Mass | Rector's Library (St. Anne's | 1860 |  | T1 | 000 |
| 2003 | Lorell, Mass | Reform School* |  | Fre |  |  |
|  | Lomell, Mass | St. Patrick's Female | 1852 |  |  |  |
| 2005 | Lowell, Mass .. | Wentworth Library (Lowell Bar | 1875 | Free | Law... |  |
| 2006 | Lowell, Mass | Toung Men's Catholic Library | 1855 | Free | Soc'1. | 1,000 |
| 2007 | Lowell, Mass | Young Men's Christian Associa. | 1868 | Free | т. M.c. | 200 |
|  | Lunenburg, ${ }^{\text {M }}$ | public Library |  |  |  |  |
| 209 | Lym, Mass | Cotton's Circulating Library | $1881$ |  | Soc |  |
| 2011 | Lynn, Mass | Freang Men's Christian Associn- | ${ }_{186}^{1862}$ | $\frac{\text { Free . }}{\text { Free }}$. |  | ${ }^{31,411} 300$ |
|  | Malden, | Bazar ${ }^{\text {tion }}$ | 1881 |  |  |  |
| 2013 | Malden, Ma | Ladies' Exchange Circulating Li- | 1883 | Sab.. |  | 000 |
| 2014 | Malden, Mass | High Scliool |  |  |  |  |
| 2015 | Malden, Mass | Pablic Librar | 1879 | Free.. | Gen | F24 |
| 2017 | Manchester. | Pubhic Library | ${ }_{1881}^{1871}$ | ${ }_{\text {Free }}$ Fre. | Gen |  |
| 2018 | Marblehead, Ha | Abbot Public Libr | 1878 | Free.. | Ge | 8,111 |
| 2019 | Marion, Mass | Tabor Libra |  |  |  |  |
|  | Marborough, Ma | ${ }_{\text {Frec Priblic }}$ | 1871 |  | Soe' |  |
|  | Medfield, Mass... | Pablic Librars.... | 1873 | Free.. | Gen |  |
| 202 | Medford, Mass | Public Library | 1855 | Frea. | Gen ... | 10, |
| 2024 | M | Dean Librart. |  |  |  | ${ }^{3, \mathrm{cco}}$ |
| 205 | Menway, | Lawrence's |  |  | Soc'1...... | 97 |
| 2027 | Melrose, Mass | Loston Rubber Shoe Conpany. | 1875 |  |  |  |
| 2028 | Melrose, Mass . | Pablic Library. | 1871 | Free.. | Gen ....... | 6,559 |

* From a return for 1884.

Table XVI.-Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 rolumes, \&.c. $\rightarrow$ Continued.

|  | Placo. | Name of library. |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2029 | Mendon, Mas | Taft Publio Libr | 1881 | Free.. | Gen | 2, 131 |
| 2050 | Merrimac, Ma | Public Library | 1876 | Free.. | Gen | 3, 5 ¢0 |
| 2031 | Methnen, Mass | Nerin's Memori | 1885 | Free.. | Gen | 9,500 |
| 2032 | Metbuen, د1ass | Public Library | 1873 | Free.. | Gen | 2,400 |
| $\because 033$ | Middlcborough, M | Pablic Library | 18.4 | Free.. | Gen | 3,95.5 |
| 2034 | Middlefield. Mass | Pablic Library | 1873 | Free. | Gen | 450 |
| 2035 | - Middleton, Mass. | Flint Pablic Li | 1879 | Freo. | Gen | 2,998 |
| 2036 | Milford, Mass | Thurber Medical Lib | 1861 | Free | Med | 733 |
| 2037 | Milford, Mass | Tomn Library ..... | 1858 | Free.. | Gen | 7,156 |
| 2038 | Millbary, Mas | Town Library | 1867 | Free.. | Gen | 5, 681 |
| 2039 | Millis, Mass.. | Free Pablic L | 1885 | Free.. | Gen | 325 |
| 2040 | Milton, Mass | Public Library | $18 \% 1$ | Free.. | Gen | 10,000 |
| 2041 | Monson, Mass | Flynt and Packard Library of Ironson Academv. |  | Free.. | Sch....... | 1,400 |
| 2042 | Monson, Mass | Free Library and Reading Room Association. | 1877 | Frce.. | Gen ....... | 3,424 |
| 2043 | Montague, Mass | Pablic Library ...................... | 1869 | Sub | Gen | 2,583 |
| 2044 | Montague, Mass | Tarner's Falls Library Association. | 1875 | Sub... | Soc'l...... | 1,300 |
| 2045 | Nahant, Mass | Pablic Library ..................... | 1871 | Free.. | Gen ...... | 6,850 |
| 2046 | Nantacket, Mass | Admiral Sir Isaac Coffin's Lancasterian School.* | 1827 |  | Sch........ | 1,100 |
| 2047 | Nantucket, Mass | Nantacket A thenæam | 1834 | Sub... | Gen ....... | 6,500 |
| 2048 | Nantucket, Mas | Town Library | 1854 | Free.. | Gen ....... | 400 |
| 2049 | Natick, Ma | Morse Institute | 18.4 | Free.. | Gen ....... | 13, 647 |
| 2050 | Needham, Mass | Needham Library | 18.5 | Sub... | Gen ....... | 1,200 |
| 2051 | New Bedford, Mass | Dews Circulating Libr | 188.4 | Sub | Soc'1 | 600 |
| 2052 | New Bedford, Mass | Free Pablic Librars... | 1853 | Free | Gen | 50,000 |
| 2053 | New Bedford, Mass. | Friends' Academy. | 1812 |  | Sch........ | 2,000 |
| 2054 | New Bedford, Mass. | Hutchinson's Circulating Library. | 1856 | Sub... | Soc'l....... | 1,800 |
| 2055 | New Bedford, Mass | Lawton's Circalating Library .... | 1876 | Sub... | Soc'1 | 1,500 |
| 2056 | New Bedford, Mass. | Swain Free School. |  |  |  | 500 |
| 2057 | New Bedford, Mass. | Union for Good Works | 1870 | Free. | Soc'1...... | 600 |
| 2058 | New Bedford, Mass. | Young Men's Christian Association. | 1882 | Free.. | Y. M.C.A. | 800 |
| 2059 | Newburyport, Mass | Public Library ...................... | 1854 | Free.. | Gen ...... | 23, 282 |
| 2060 | Newbarjport, Mass.... | Foung Men's Christian Associa. tion. | 1883 | Free.. | I. M.C.A. | 450 |
| 2061 | New Salem, M | New Salem Academy .............. | 1795 | Free.. |  | 400 |
| 2082 | Newton, Mas | Bazar Circulating Lib | 1875 | Sub... | Soc'1....... | 550 |
| 2063 | Newton, Mass | Free Library .......... | 1870 | Free.. | Gen | 23, 309 |
| 2064 | Newton, Mass | Newton Athenæum | 1850 | Free.. | Gen | 4,568 |
| 2065 | Newton, Mass | Peck's Circulating Library........ | 1873 | Sub... | Soc'l...... | 700 |
| 2066 | Newton, Mass | Pomroy Fome for Orphan Girls .. | 1873 |  | A. and P .. | 400 |
| 2067 | Newton Center, Mas | Newton Theological Institution... | 1826 | Free.. | The'l..... | 18, 000 |
| 2068 | Norfolk, Mass ...... | Town Library ....................... | 1884 | Free.. | Gen | 32-4 |
| 2069 | North Abington, Mass.. | Pablic Library (branch of Abing. ton Public Library). |  | Freo.. | Gen ....... | 1,493 |
| 2070 | North Adams, Mass .. | Public Library....................... | 1883 | Free.. | Gren | 5,777 |
| 2071 | North Amberst, Mass.. | Public Library | 1869 | Freo.. | Gen | ],187 |
| 2072 | Northampton, Mass.... | Clarke Institution for Deaf Mutes. | 1867 | Free.. | Sch | 1,000 |
| 2373 | Northampton, Mass.... | Free Pablic Libiary... | 1860 | Free.. | Gen | 20,000 |
| 20.4 | Northampton, Mass.... | Hampshire County Law Library.. | 1825 | Free.. | Law...... | -2 200 |
| 2075 | Northampton, Mass.... | Northampton Lunatic Hospital... | 1858 |  | A. and R.. | 2,853 |
| 2076 | Northampton, Mass .... | Smith College Reference Library. |  | Free.. | Col....... | 5, 000 |
| 2077 | North Andover, Mass .. | North Andover Library | 1875 | Free.. | Gen ....... | 5, 800 |
| 2078 | North Attleborough, Mass. | Circulating Library of B. A. Pazee \& Co. | 1876 | Sab... | Soc'l....... | 900 |
| 2079 | North Attleborough, Mass. | Public Library Union Improrement District. | 1869 | Eree.. | Gen ...... | 4,000 |
| 2080 | North Billerica, Mass .. | Talbot Library . ..................... | 1880 | Sub. | Soc'l....... | 1,582 |
| 2081 | Northborough, Mass ... | Allen Home Scho | 1882 |  | Sch........ | -400 |
| 2082 | Northborough, Mass ... | Free Library | 1868 | Free.. | Gen | 6,363 |
| 2083 | North Brookfield, Mass. | Appleton Library .................. | 1859 |  | The'l | 4,550 |
| 2084 | North Brookfield, Mass. | Free Public Library and Reading Room. |  | Free.. | Gen ...... | 3,417 |
| 2085 |  | North Chelmsford Library ....... | 1872 | Sub... | Gen ....... | 1,909 |
| 2086 | North Easton, Mass.... | Ames Free Library | 1877 | Free. | Gen ....... | 11, 059 |
| 2087 | Northfield, Mass........ | First Congregational Parish Library (Unitarian). | 1835 | Fres.. | Soc'l...... | 650 |
| 2088 | Northfield, Mass | Mt. Hermon School for Boys* .... <br> - From a return for 1884. | 1881 | .. | Sch........ | 300 |

Table XVI．－Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 rolumes，$\& \circ$ c．－Continued．

|  | Place． | Name of library． | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 惑 } \\ & \text { I⿸⿻一丿口刂} \\ & \text { 品 } \\ & \text { E } \end{aligned}$ |  | 既 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | 1879 | Fre |  |  |
|  | Northfield．Mass | Public Libr | 1878 | Free．． | G | 2，874 |
| ${ }_{2092}^{2091}$ | North Hadley，Mass ．．．．， | Library Association | 1863 | Free．． | Ge | ${ }_{981}^{490}$ |
|  | Mass． |  |  |  |  |  |
| ${ }_{2094}^{2093}$ | North Reading，Mass．．． | Flint Librar | 1872 | Free．． | Gen | 87 |
| ${ }_{2095}$ | Norton，Mass．．．．．． | Wheaton Femal | 1835 |  | Sch |  |
| 2096 | Norwood，Mass | Pablic Librar | $18{ }^{3} 3$ | Free．． | Gen | 4， 000 |
| 2097 | Orange Mass | Free Public Lib | 1816 | Sub．．． |  |  |
| 2098 | Osterville，Ma | Free Public Lib | 1882 | Sub | Gen |  |
| 2099 | Oxford，Mass | Free Public Libra | 1870 | Free．． |  | 3，034 |
| ${ }_{2101}$ | Palmer，Mass． | Youn¢ Mrn＇s Library Association． | 1878 | Freo．． | Gen | ${ }_{3}^{1,145}$ |
| 2102 | Paston，Mass． | Free Public Library | 1877 | Freo．． | Gen | 1，197 |
|  | Peabody， | Peabody Institute |  | Free．． | Gen | 25， 507 |
| 2104 | Peabody，Mass | Eben Dale Sutton Reference Li－ | 1869 | Free．． |  | 2，245 |
| 2105 | Pembroke，Mas | Free Libra | 1877 | Free．． |  |  |
| 2106 | Pepperell，Mass | Public Library | 1877 |  | Gen | 5，082 |
|  | Petersham，Mas | Free Library | 1879 | Fre |  | 2，000 |
| ${ }_{2109}^{2108}$ | Phillipston，Mass | Phillips Free Public |  | Free．． |  |  |
| 2110 | Pittsfield，Mass． | Berkshire County Law Library | 1856 | Sub | La | 3，000 |
| 2111 | Plymouth，Mass（6 Main | Circulatiog Library |  | Sul | Soc＇l． | 1，000 |
| 2112 | Plymouth，Mass | Pilgrim Society | 1820 | Free．． | Hist |  |
| 2113 | Plymouth，Mass | Public Librar | 1871 | Free．． |  |  |
| 2114 | Princeton，Mas | Public Librar | 1884 | Free |  |  |
| 2115 | Provincetown， | Public Librar | 874 | Freo． |  |  |
|  | Quincy，Mas | National Sailur | 1863 |  |  |  |
| 2117 | Quinç，Mass． | Thomas Crane Public | 1871 | Free．． | Ge |  |
| ${ }_{2119} 118$ | Readoling Mass． | Trurner Frree Li | ${ }^{1876}$ | Free．． | Gen | 5，000 |
| 2120 | Rehoboth，Mass | Blanding Library | 885 |  |  |  |
|  | Rerere，Mass | Public Libra | 1880 | Free．－ |  |  |
|  |  | Free Public Li |  | Free． |  |  |
| 21 | Rockland，Mass | Public Library | 1878 | Free． | Gen |  |
|  | Rockport，Mass | Public Library | 1871 | Sub | Gen | 2，400 |
|  | Rowe，Mass | Town Library | 1797 | Free． |  |  |
|  | Rowley | Romley Reriew and Book Club | 1867 |  |  |  |
| 2127 | Rosbary，Mas | Corning＇s（ irculating Library | 1873 | Sub | Soc＇ | 00 |
| ${ }_{21}^{21}$ | Roxbury，Ma | Duater Assoc | 1877 | Sub |  |  |
|  | Puitland．Mass | Public Library | 1865 | Free． | Gen | 1，350 |
| 2131 | Salom，Mass ．．．．．． | American Association for the Ad． | 1848 |  |  | 50 |
|  |  | cancement orscience． |  |  |  |  |
| 3 | Salem，Mass | Essex County Law Library Asso－ | 1856 | Free．． | Law | 5，730 |
| 2134 | Salem，Mass | Essex Institut | 1848 | Sub．． |  |  |
| 2135 | Salem，Mass ．．． | Essex South District Medical So－ | 1805 |  | Med | 500 |
| 2136 | Salem，Mass | Fraternity Lo | 1870 | Free | I． 0. |  |
|  | Salem，Mass | Peabody A cadeny of Science | 1868 | Free |  |  |
| 2138 | Salem，Mass | Plummer Farm S |  |  |  |  |
|  | Salcm，Mass．． | Salem Athenæum ${ }^{\text {Seachers }}$－ | ${ }_{18}^{1810}$ | Sni | ${ }_{\text {S ien }}^{\text {coecinl }}$ |  |
| ${ }_{2141}$ | Salem，Mass ．．．．．．．．．．． | Seamen＇s Ornhan and CHildren＇s | 1839 |  | ， |  |
| 2142 | Salem，Mas | Foung Jien＇s Catholic Temper－ | 1862 | Freo | oc | 700 |
| 2143 | Sandwich，M | Sandwich Circulating Library ． | 1804 | Sub． |  |  |
| 44 | Saugns，Ma | Dunn＇s Circulating Library．．．．．．． | 1878 |  |  |  |
|  | Saugus，Mass | High School | ${ }_{\text {1876 }}^{1885}$ | Frree．． | Gen |  |
| 2147 | Scituate． 1 | Satuit Libr | 18 |  |  | 1，200 |
| 48 | Sharon．Ma | Public 1 | 1879 | Free． |  | 30 |
| 149 | Sheffield，Ma | endl |  |  |  |  |

＊From a return for 1884.

Table XVI.-Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 volumes, \&o. - Continued.

|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  | - |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2150 | Shelburne, Mass. | First Independent Social Library | 1821 | Sub... | Soc'1 | 1,100 |
| 2151 | Shelburne Falls, M | Arms Library | 1854 | Sub. |  |  |
| 2152 | Sherborn. Mass | Town Library | 1860 | Free.. |  | 3,460 |
| 2153 | Shirley, Mass | Shaker Community |  | Free.. | Soc' | 1, 200 |
| 2154 | Shrewsbury, M | Free Public Library | 1872 | Free.. |  | 2, 100 |
| 2155 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Somerville, Mass..... } \\ & \text { Union square). } \end{aligned}$ | Circulating Library .................. | 1874 | Sub... |  | 1,000 |
| 2156 | Somerville, Mass ....... | Davton's Circulating Library. |  | Sub... | Soc'l | 00 |
| 2157 | Somerville, Mass | McLean Asylu | 1834 | Free.. | A. \& | 4,100 |
| 2158 | Somerrille, Mass | Public Library | 1873 | Free.. |  | 12, 637 |
| 2159 | Southampton, Mas | Southampton Social Library | 1880 | Sub... | Soc' | 2,382 |
| 2160 | Southborough, Mas | Fay Library | 1851 | Free.- |  | 5, 099 |
| 2161 | Southborough, miass | St. Mark's School | 1865 | Free.. |  | 1,300 |
| 2162 | South Boston, 1 Iass. (218 Broadway). | Circulating Library | 1880 | Sub... | Soc | 800 |
| 2163 | South Boston, Mass. (738 East Broadway). | Payne's Circulating Library ...... | 1869 | Sub... | Soc' | 2,000 |
| 2164 | South Boston, Mass..... | Toll Gate Circulating Library |  | Sub... | Soc'1 | 1,700 |
| 2165 | Southbridge, Mass. | Public Library | 1870 | Freo.. |  | 10, 180 |
| 2166 | South Byfield, Mass .... | Dammer Academ | 1763 |  |  | 300 |
| 2167 | South Chatham, Mass .. | Pilgrim Library | 1875 | Sub |  | 428 |
| 2168 | South Dennis, Mass.. | Public Library | 1873 | Su | Soc' | 800 |
| 2169 | South Framingham, Mass. | Lombard's Circulating Library ... | 1871 | Sub... |  | 844 |
| 2170 | South Framingham, Mass. | Reformatory Prison for Womon .. | 1878 |  | A. \& | 1,068 |
| 2171 | South Gardiner, Mass . | South Gardiner Social Librar | 1841 | Sub... | Soc | 1,312 |
| 2172 | South Fadley, Mass | Mount Frolsoke Female Seminary. | 1838 | Free.. |  | 11, 000 |
| 2173 | South Natick, Mass | Bacon Free Library ..... | 1881 | Free.. |  | 4,000 |
| 2174 | South Natick, Mass | Historical, Natural History, and Library Societ5. | 1870 | Free.. |  | 965 |
| 2175 | South Scituate, Mass | James Library | 1873 |  |  | 1, 800 |
| 2176 | South Willia mstown, | Greylock Institute ................ | 1842 |  |  | 50 |
| 2177 | South Yarmouth, Mass . | South Yarmouth Social Library .. | 1865 | Sub... | Soc' | 1,291 |
| 2178 | Spencer, Mass | Public Library | 1860 | Free.. | Gen | 6, 000 |
| 2179 | Springfield, Mass | Armory Hill Circulating Library. | 1870 | Sub... | Soc' | 1,000 |
| 2180 | Springfield, Mass . | Boston and Albany Railroad Library. | 1869 | Free.. | Soc | 2,047 |
| 2181 | Springfield, Mass | Central Circulating Library | 1867 | Sub... | Soc'1 | 1,500 |
| 2182 | Springfield, Mass. | City Library 4 ssociation | 1857 | Free.. | Gen | 55, 000 |
| 2183 | Springfield, Mass . | Hampden County Law Library... | 1812 | Freo.. | Law | 3,748 |
| 2184 | Springfield, Mass ........ | "The Elms" Family and Day School for Girls. | 1865 |  |  | 625 |
| 2185 | Sterling, Mass | Public Library | 1870 | Free.. | Gen | 4,000 |
| 2186 | Stockbridge, Mass. | Edwards Place Sch | 1874 |  | Sch | 300 |
| 2187 | Stockbridge, Mass | Jackson Library. | 1863 | Free.. |  | 6, 000 |
| 2188 | Stoneham, Mass | Free Public Libra | 1859 | Free.. | Gen | 6,000 |
| 2189 | Stoughton, | Public Library | 1874 | Free.. | Gen | 4, 200 |
| 2190 | Sturbridge, Mass | Public Library | 1873 | Free.. | Gen | 2, 243 |
| 2191 | Sudbury, Mass | Goodnow Library | 1863 | Free. |  | 9, 403 |
| 2192 | Sunderland, Mass | Sunderland Library | 1869 | Free.- | Gen | 2, 100 |
| 2193 | Sutton, Mass | Free Library | 1875 | Free.. | Gen | 3, 000 |
| 2194 | Swansea, Mass | Agricultural Library Association | 1366 | Sub. | Sci | 300 |
| 2195 | Swansea, Mass. | Public Library .... | 1883 | Sub... |  | 344 |
| 2196 | Taunton, Mass | Bristol County Law Library Association. | 1858 | Free.. | La | 2,500 |
| 2197 | Taunton, Mass | Lunatic Hospital | 1860 | Free.. | A. \& R | 1,960 |
| 2198 | 'Tauntou, Mass | Old Colony Historical Society | 1853 | Sub... | Hist'l | 408 |
| 2139 | Taunton, Mass | Pnblic Library | 1866 | Free.. | Ger | 24,434 |
| 2200 | Templeton, Mass | Eoynton Pablic Libra | 1873 | Free.- |  | 3, 000 |
| 2201 | Templeton, Mass | Ladies' Social Circle (First Parish) | 1840 | Sub... | Soc' | 2, 000 |
| 2202 | Tewksbury, Mass | Public Library | 1878 | Free.- | Gen | 2,654 |
| 2204 | Towksbury, Mass | Srate Almshous | 1872 | Free. | A. \& | 1,050 |
| 2205 | Townsend, Mass | Pablic Library | 1861 | Free.. | Gen | 1, 644 |
| 2206 | Tyngsborough, Mass... | Public Library | 1878 | Free.. | Gen | 2, 606 |
| 2207 | Upton, Mass.. | Town Library | 1871 | Free. | Gen | 2, 230 |
| 2208 | Uxbridge, Mass | Free Public Libr | 1874 | Free.. | Gen | 4,500 |
| 2209 | Vineyard Haven, Mass. | Sailors' Free Lib | 1870 | Free.. | Soc'1 | 1,600 |
| 2210 | Wakefield, Mass | Beebe Town Library | 1856 | Ireo | G | 8,000 |

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|  | Placo. | Name of library. |  |  | - \% |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2211 | Walp | Pab | 1876 | Free.. |  |  |
| ${ }_{2213}^{2212}$ | Ware, Mass | Pubic Library | 1870 | Free.. | Ge | 13,000 6,003 |
| 2214 | Warren, ${ }^{\text {M }}$ | Public Lib | 1876 | Free.. |  |  |
| 2215 | Warwick, Mass | Free Tibr | 1870 | Freo.. | Gen |  |
| ${ }_{2}^{2216}$ | Watertown, Mass | Freo Pablic Library. | 1868 | Free.. |  | 91 |
| 2217 | Watertown, Mass | United States Arsenal, Tost Li. brary. | 1807 | Free.. |  | 73 |
| 22 | Way land, Mass | Free liubic Libr | 1848 | Tree.. |  |  |
| 22 | Weister, M ass | Town L | 1860 | Free.. |  |  |
| ${ }_{2222}^{2220}$ | Webster Mass | Wrebstor | ${ }_{1881}^{1875}$ |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 625 \\ 5357 \end{array}$ |
| 2222 | Wellesley, Mass | Wellesler Coile | 1875 | Frce.. |  | 50, 321 |
| 2233 | West Acton, Mass. | Citizens' ${ }^{\text {enrar }}$ | 1883 | Sub... |  |  |
| ${ }_{2224}^{2224}$ | West Aeton. Mass. | Literary and Lib | 1883 | Free.. | Soc' | 0 |
| ${ }_{2225}^{2225}$ | Westhorough, Mass | Free Prablic Li | 1837 | Free.. |  | 6,123 |
| ${ }_{2226}^{220}$ | Westuorough, Mass | Lyman Sclool | 1855 | Free |  | 1,500 |
| 2227 | West Box ford, Mass | Pubic Librar | 1881 | Free.. |  |  |
| 2229 | West Briagewator, Mass | Public Librar | 1879 | ${ }_{\text {Free.. }}$ | Gen | $\xrightarrow{2,500} \begin{array}{r}2,571\end{array}$ |
|  | West Prookfield, Mass. | Town Yublic Librar | 1874 |  | Gen | ${ }^{391}$ |
| ${ }_{2232}^{2231}$ | Westfield, Mass ..... | State Normal Schoo | 1864 | Free.. | Gen | 11,000 |
| 203 | Westford, Mass. | Publio Library ${ }^{\text {a }}$ |  | Free.. |  | 4, 984 |
| 2234 | West Hanover, Mas | Librars Associatio | 1884 | Sub... | Soc' | 21 |
| 2235 | West Med way, Mass | West Medway Circulating Library | 1872 | Sab... | Soc |  |
| 2237 | West Newbury, Mass .. | Library Associatio | 1874 | Sab... |  | 500 |
| 2238 | West Newton, Mass. | West Newton English and Clas- | 1855 | Free.. |  | 3,000 |
| 2239 | Weston, | Town Libra |  | Free.. | Gen |  |
| 240 | West Scituate, Ma | Assinippi Librar | 1869 | Sub... | Gen |  |
|  | West Springield, Mass. | Pablic Library | 1854 |  | Gen |  |
| ${ }_{2243}^{2242}$ | Wermorath, | Tufts Librar | 1879 | Free.. | Gen | 9, 114 |
| 2244 | Whitinsville, Mass | Social Librar | 1845 | Free.. | Gen | 4 4,074 |
| ${ }_{2}^{2245}$ | Whitman, Mass . | Pablic Library | 1879 | Free.. |  | 5,665 |
| ${ }_{2247}^{2246}$ | Williraham, Mass | Wesleyan Ac | 1866 | Sub... | Sch, | 17 |
| 22 | Willbraham, دlass | Union Philosophical |  |  |  | 995 |
| 2249 | Williamsburgh, Mass | Library Associat | 1876 | Sub... |  | 1,314 |
| 2251 | Williamstown, Mass | Public Library* | ${ }_{1793}^{1874}$ | Free.. | Con | 22,000 |
| 205 | Williamstown, Mass. | Philologian Societ | 1793 | Free. |  | 4, 613 |
| ${ }_{2} 225$ | Williamsto wn, Mas | Philotechnian Soc | 1795 | Free.. |  | 000 |
| 225 | Wilmington, Mass. | Public Library | ${ }_{1871}^{1871}$ | Free |  | ${ }_{3}^{1,331}$ |
| 2256 | Winchester, Mass. | Pabictorical | 1884 | ${ }_{\text {Fre }}$ |  | 635 675 |
|  | Winckester, Mass | Pablic Librar | 1860 | Freë.. | G | 6, 3 |
|  | Woburn, Mass | Public Libra | 1856 | Free.. | Gen | 23,789 |
| ${ }_{2260}^{2259}$ | Worcester, Mass | American Antiquarian Society ... |  | ${ }_{\text {Free. }}$ |  | ${ }_{325}$ |
| ${ }_{2261}$ |  | ${ }^{\text {He }}$ |  | Free.. |  |  |
| 2262 | Worcester, Mass . | Free Pablic Library | 1859 | Free.. |  | 63,941 |
|  | Worcester, Mass | Highland Military Academ | 1856 |  |  |  |
|  | Worcester, Mass | High Schooi Library | 46 | Free.. |  | 2,500 |
| 2266 | Worcester, Mass | Oread Institute, Oread Euphemia. | 1850 | Free.: | ${ }_{\text {Soc'l }}$ | 2 2, 603 |
|  | Worcester, Mass | State Norma | 74 | Free.. | Sch. | 11 |
|  | Worcester, Mass | Miss Williams's |  |  |  |  |
| 22 | Worcester, Mass | Worcester Academy | ${ }_{1}^{1884}$ | Fr |  |  |
|  |  | Worcester County Free | 1563 |  |  | 1,200 |
| 71 | Worcester, Mass . | Worcester County Horticultural | 1840 | Free.. | Sci | $\stackrel{\text { 2 }}{ } 20$ |
| ${ }_{2973}^{2272}$ | Worcester, Mass | Worcester County Law Library |  |  |  | 000 |
|  | Worcester, Mass ........ | Worcester County Merchants | 1842 | ee.. |  |  |
| 2274 | Worcester, Mass | Worcester County Musical Association. | 1858 |  | Soc'1..... | 9,784 |

*From a retarn for 1884.

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|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  | 宝 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2275 | Worcester, Mass | Worcester District Medical Li- | 1798 | Free.. | Med | 6,000 |
| 2276 | Worcester, Mass |  | 1878 |  |  | 1,600 |
| 2277 | Worcester, Mass | Worcester Natural History So- | 1853 | Frce.. |  | 355 |
| 2278 |  | Worcester Society of Antiquits | 1875 | Sub. | Hi | 10,000 |
| 2279 | Worthington. Mass | Wortbington Library ... | 1884 | Free.. |  | 563 |
| 2280 | Wrentham, Mass | Ladies' Library | 1860 | Sab... |  | 500 |
| 2281 | Adrian, Mich . | Adrian Colleme |  |  | Col, | 4, 000 |
| ${ }_{22}^{228} 8$ | Adrian, Mich <br> Adrian, Mich | Iambda Phi Society <br> Star Literary Societ | 1863 | Free.. | $\stackrel{\text { Soc', }}{\text { Soc's }}$ | 640 600 |
| 2254 | Adrian, Mich | Adrian Tomnship Librar | 1848 | Free.. |  | 1,3i9 |
| $\cdots 285$ | Adrian, Mich | Ladies' Library Association | 1868 | Sub... |  | 3, 065 |
| 2286 | Adrian, Mrich | Madison Tomnship Library | 1844 | Free | Gen | 600 |
| 2287 | Adrian, Mich | Pablic School Library | 1868 | Free |  | 5, 038 |
| 2288 | Adrind, Mich | Raisin Valley Seminary,........... |  |  |  | 7, 500 |
| 2280 | Agricriltural College, Mich. | Michigan State Agricultural College. | 1857 | Free.. |  | 7,474 |
| 2290 | Albion, Mich | Albion College ..................... | 1843 | Free.. |  | 4,515 |
| 2291 | Albion, Mich | Ladies' Library As | 1870 | Sub... |  | 1,495 |
| 2292 | Albion, Mich | Public School Library ............ | 1882 | Free.. |  | 792 |
| 2293 | Algonac, Mic | Clay Township Librar |  |  |  | 0 |
| ${ }_{2295}$ | Allegan, Mi | Allegan Iownship Library .a...... |  | Sreb | Soc ${ }^{\text {Gen }}$ | 1,100 |
| 2296 | Allendale, Mic | Allendale Township Library...... | 1858 | Free.. |  | 412 |
| 2297 | Alpena, Mich. | Union School Library. | 1872 | Free.. |  | 2,051 |
| 2298 | Ann Arbor, Mich. (high school building). | Ann ArborSchool District Library | 1850 | Free.. |  | 2, 229 |
| 2299 | Ann Arbor, Mich ....... | Ladies' Librarr | 1866 | Snb... | Soc'l. | 3, 000 |
| 2300 | Ann Arbor, Mrch | Unirersity of Michig | 1841 | Free.. | Col, | 47, 000 |
| 2301 | Ann Arbor, Mich ....... | Adelphi Literary Society | 1865 |  |  |  |
| 2302 | Ann Arbor, Mich ........ | Alpha Nu Literary Society | 1843 | Free.. | Soc'y | 1, 112 |
| 23 ct | Ann Arbor, Mich | Law Department | 1858 | Free.. | Law | 10, 000 |
| 2305 | Ann Arbor, Mich | Mredical Departm | 1850 | Free.. | Med | 3, 000 |
| 2306 | $\Delta \mathrm{nn}$ Arbor, Mich | Observatory |  | Free.. |  | 800 |
| 2307 | Ann Arbor, Mi | Students ${ }^{\text {Cha }}$ Christian Association | 1864 | Iree.. | Soc' | 1,015 |
| 2308 | Ashland. Mich | Danish High School |  |  | Sch | 500 |
| 2309 | Atkins, Mich | Clyde Fownship Libr | 1850 | Free.. | Gen. | 600 |
| 2310 | Atlas, Mic | Ladies' Library | 1868 | Snb... | Soc' | 720 |
| 2311 | Baldwiu, M | Pleasant Plains Township Library | 1877 | Free.. | Gen | 404 |
| 2312 | Bangor, Mich | Arlington Township Library |  | Frce.. | Gen | 447 |
| 2313 | Earron Lake, | Howard Township Library |  | Cree.. |  | 500 |
| 2315 | Battle Creek, | Grant Township Library | 1874 |  | Col | 1,000 |
| 2316 | Battle Creel, M | Public School Library | 1870 | Free.. | Sc | 000 |
| 2317 | Bay Citr, | Portstnouth Township Library |  |  | Ge | 400 |
| 2318 | Jay City, M | Pnblic Library | 1870 | Frce.- | Gen | 10,000 |
| 2319 | Beacon, Mich | Champion Township Library | 1285 | Freo.- | Gen | 638 |
| 2320 | Eear Lake, Mich | Bear Lake Township Library | 1384 | Free.. | Gen | 432 |
| 2321 | Bear Lake, Mic | Pleasanton Township Librars | 1873 | Free | Gea | 393 |
| 2322 | Dell Branch, Mich | School District No. 4 of Redford Township. |  | Fr |  | 0 |
| 23.3 | Belleville, Mich. | School District Library No. 2 of |  | Free.. | Sch. | 357 |
| 2324 | Bellerille, Mich. | School District Library No. 4 of | 1884 | Free.. | Sch | 300 |
| 2325 | Pellorille, Mich. | Van Buren Township. <br> Tan Buren Township Library | 21885 |  |  |  |
| 2326 | Bellertue, Mich | Bellevue Township Library*.. | 1846 | Free.. |  | 36 |
| 2327 | Big Tapids. Mrich | Public School Library .... | 1881 | Free.. | Sch. | 1,665 |
| 23:8 | Blamfield, Nich | Blamfeld Township Library ${ }^{+}$ | 1858 | Free.. | Gen | 667 |
| 2329 | Bowen's Jills, Mi | Taukee Springs Township Library | 1856 | Free.. | Gen | 400 |
| 2330 | Brampton. Mich | Bald win Torrnship Library | 1878 | Free.. | Gen | $3: 9$ |
| 2331 | Bridgeport, Ni | Bridgeport Township Library | 1866 | Free.. | Gen | 00 |
| 2333 | Brighton, Yich | Genoa Township Library . | 1839 | Free.. |  | 501 |
| 2394 | Bucbanan, Mich | Buchanan Township Library |  |  | Gen | 1,600 |
| 2305 | Burnside, Mich | Township Library | 1858 | Tree.. | Gen | E00 |
| 2336 | Calumet, Mich | Calumet Township Libzary | 1867 | Free.. | Gen | \&50 |
| 2327 | Capac, Mich .. | Mussey Library | 1860 | Free | Gen | 400 |
|  | From a r | or $1884 . \quad a \mathrm{D}$ | f | rgani | ion. |  |

Table XVI．－Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 rolumes，\＆c．－Continued．

|  | Place． | Name of library． |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \dot{⿷ 匚 ⿱ 艹 ⿸ ⿻ 口 丿 乚 丶 ⿱ 一 ⿱ ㇒ ⿵ 冂 ⿰ 丨 丨 一 心} \end{aligned}$ |  |
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| 2338 | Cascade，Mic | Tomn |  | Free．． | Gen | 00 |
| 2339 | Casco，Mich | Casco Tornship Library | 1872 | Free．． | Gen | 9 |
| 2310 | Cassopolis，Mich | Reading Room and Library Asso－ | 1871 |  | Soc＇1 | 810 |
| 2341 | Cassopolis，Mich | $\nabla$ olinia Tornnship Library |  | Free．． | Ge | 5 |
| 2342 | Cedar River，Mich | Cedarrille Township Library | 1878 | Free．． |  | 355 |
| 2343 | Charlevoix，Sfich | Charlevoix Township Library | 1872 | Free．． | Gen | 450 |
| 2344 | Charlotte，Mich． | Charlotte Library ．．．．．．．．．．． | 1870 | Sub． | Soc＇l | 1，209 |
| 2345 | Charlotte，Mich | Eaton Tomnship Library | 1882 | Free．． |  | 307 |
| 2246 | Chester，Mrich | Chester Tomnship Library | 1874 | Free．． | Gen ．．．．．．． | 400 |
| 2347 | Coldwater，Mich | Free Pablic Library ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 1881 | Free．． | Gen $\ldots$ ．．．．．． | 5，946 |
| 2348 | Coldwater，Mich | State Public School．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 1874 | Free．． | A．\＆ | 1，750 |
| 2349 | Coloma，Mich | Hager Tormnship Library |  |  | Gen | 300 |
| 2350 | Constantine，Mich | School Library | 1870 | Free．－ |  | 587 |
| 2351 | Copper Harbor，Mich | Copper Harbor Township Library． | 1860 | Free．． | Gen ．．．．．．． | 450 |
| 2352 | Coral，Jich ．．．．．．．．．． | Maple Valley Township Library．． |  | Free．． | Gen ．．．．．． | 350 |
| 2353 | Dearborn，Mic | District Library No． 1 | 1866 | Free．． | Sch | 358 |
| 2354 | Dearborn，Mich | District Library No． 7 | 1859 | Free．． | Sch | 885 |
| 2355 | Dearborn，Mich | School District Library No． 5 of Dearboru and Taylor Township． |  | Free．． | Sc | 466 |
| 2356 | Decatur， | Hamilton Township Library．．．．．． |  | Free．－ | Gen | 30 |
| 2357 | Denver，Mich | Denver Township Library | 1870 | Free．． |  |  |
| 2358 | Detroit，Mic | Bar Library | 1853 | Sub． | Law | 5，750 |
| 2359 | Detroit，Mich | Detroit College Students＇Library． |  |  | Col | 4， 850 |
| 2360 | Detroit，Mich | Detroit Medical and Library Asso－ ciation． | 1876 | Sab．．． | Med | 650 |
| 2361 | Detroit，Mich | Detroit Scientific Association． | 1874 | Free．． | Sci | 50 |
| 2362 | Detroit，Mich | German American Seminary＊． |  |  |  | 300 |
| 2363 | Detroit，Mich．（Conner＇s Creek road）． | Grosse Point Township Library ．． | 1876 |  |  | 1，011 |
| 2364 | Detroit，Mich． | Hamtrank Tornship Library． |  | Free．． | Gen | 1，952 |
| 2365 | Detroit，Mich | High School Reference Library．．． | 1884 |  |  | 712 |
| 2366 | Detroit，Mich | House of Correction＊．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 1861 | Free．． | A．\＆R．． | 1． 200 |
| 2367 | Detroit，Mich | Public Library ．．． | 1865 | Free．． | Gen | 59，653 |
| 2368 | Detroit，Mich | St．Joseph＇s Schoo |  |  |  | 1，000 |
| 2369 2370 | Detroit，Mich | Social Turnverein | 1857 | Free．． | Soc＇l．．．．．．． | 1300 |
| 2370 | Detroit， | Springwells School District Li－ brary No． 1. |  | Free．． | Sch．．．．．．．． | 1，180 |
| 2371 | Detroit，Mich | Springwells School District Li－ |  | Free．． | Sch． | 373 |
| 2372 | Detroit Junction，Mich． | Young Men＇s Christian Associa－ tion，Railroad Department． | 1876 | Free．． | I．M．C．A． | 764 |
| 2373 | Dester，Mich． | Scio Township Library | $a 1881$ | Free．． | Gen | 466 |
| 2374 | Dowagiac，Mich | Ladies＇Library Associa | 1872 | Sub．．． | Soc＇1．．． | 900 |
| 2375 | Dowagiac，Mich |  | 1866 | Free．． | Sch．．． | 600 |
| 2376 | Eagle Harbor，Mich | Eagle Harbor Township Library．． |  | Free．． | Gen | 600 |
| 2377 | East Saginaw，Mrich | Public Library ．．．．． | 1801 | F | Gen | ， 531 |
| 2378 | East Saginaw，Mich | St．Mars＇s A cademy |  |  | Sch． | 314 |
| 2389 | Eaton Rapids，Mich | Public Library | 1882 | Free．． | Gen | 104 |
| 2381 | Ensle5 Center， | Ensley Township Libr | 1858 | Free．． |  | 560 446 |
| 2382 | Escanaba，Mich | High School Library | 1882 | Free．． | Sch | S00 |
| 2383 | Essexville，Mic | Hampton Librars | 1851 | Freo．． | Gen | 450 |
| 2384 | Evart，Mich | Evart Township Library |  | Freo．． | Gen | 450 |
| 2385 | Erart，Mich | Osceola Tomnship School Library． |  | Free．． | Gen | 400 |
| 2336 | Erart，Mich | Union School Library | 1883 | Free．． | Sch | 500 |
| 2387 | Farmington，Mi | Farmington Township Library．．． | 1881 | Free．－ |  | 570 |
| 2338 | Fenton，Mich | Ladies＇Library．．．．．．．．． | 1869 | Sab． | Soc＇ | 1，000 |
| 2389 | Fenton，Mich | School District Libra |  | Free． | Sch | 820 |
| 2390 | Fife Lake，Mich | Fife Lake Township Library |  | Free．． | Gen | 400 |
| 2391 | Flint，Mich．．．． | Michigan Institution for the Deaf and Dumb． | 1870 | Free．． | Sch | 2，605 |
| 2392 | Flint，Mich | Public Library | 1885 | Free．． |  | 5，050 |
| 2393 | Flushing，Mich | Ladies＇Library Assoria | 1873 | Sub． |  | 1，265 |
| 2394 | Fort Gratiot，Mic | Chicago and Grand Trunk Rail－ road Librars． | 1885 | Sub． | Soc＇ 1 | 630 |
| 2395 | Fort Gratiot，Mich | School Library． |  |  | Sch | 300 |
| 2396 | Fort Wayne，Mich．（P． | Post Library |  | Free．－ | Gar | 1，375 |
| 2397 | Frankenmuth，Mich． | Frankenmuth Tomnship Library． | 1856 | Free．． | Gen |  |
| 2398 | Frankfort，Mich | Crystal Lake Township Library．．｜ | 1870 | Free | Gen | 450 |

＊From a return of $1884 . \quad a$ Date of reorganization．

Table XVI.-Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 rolumes, f.c.-C'ontinued.

|  | Place. | Name of Library. |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2399 | Frankfort, Mich | Library of Frankfort Literary | $18: 1$ | Sub... | Soc'l. | 313 |
| 2400 | Fredonia, Mrich | Freedom Library |  | Free.. |  | 408 |
| 2401 | Friitport, Mic | Fruitport Township Library |  | Free.. |  | 29 |
| 2402 | Girald, Mich | Girard Township Library | 1879 | Free.. | Gen | 574 |
| 2403 | Grand Blanc, Mich | Ladies' Library Associatio | 1869 | Sab... | Soc' | 1,010 |
| 2404 | Grand Haren, Mich | Pablic School Library |  | Free.. | Sch........ | 1, 600 |
| 2405 | Grand Ledge, Mich..... | Ladies' Circulating Libra | 1876 | Sub... | Soc'l....... | 300 |
| 2406 | Grand Rapids, Mich.... | Grand Chapter P. A. M........... | 1876 | Free.. | Masonic.. | 450 |
| 2407 | Grand Rapids, Mich.... | Grand Commandery Knights Templar. | 1876 | Free.. | Masonic.. | 450 |
| 2408 | Grand Rapids, Mrich | Grand Lodge F. and A. M........ | 1876 | Free.. | Irasonic.. | 50 |
| 2409 | Grand Rapids, Mrich | Grand Rapids Township Library. | 1880 | Free.. | Gen ....... | 423 |
| 2410 | Grand Rapids, Mich | Paris Topnship Library .......... |  | Free.. | Gen ....... | 687 |
| 2411 | Grand Rapids, Mich | Pablic School Library ............. | 1872 | Free.. |  | 17, 000 |
| 2412 | Grand Rapids, Mich... | Young Men's Cbristian Association. | 1880 | Free.. | Y. M.C.A. | 500 |
| 2413 | Grattan, Mich | Grartan Township Library |  | Free.. | G | 00 |
| 2414 | Greenfield, Mich | School District Library No. 10 of Greenfield Township. | 1874 | Free.. | Scl | 361 |
| 2415 | Greenfield, Mich. | School District Library No. 11 of Greenfield Township. |  | Freo.. | Sch....... | 305 |
| 2416 | Greenville, | Public School Library |  | Free.. |  | 450 |
| 2417 | Hadley, Mic | Ladies' Library Associ | 1874 | Sub... | Soc' | 367 |
| 2418 | Hadley, Mich. | School Library | 1879 | Freo.. | Sch........ | 525 |
| 2419 | Hamilton, Mich | Hamilton Township Libra |  | Free. | Gen ....... | 417 |
| 2420 | Hancock, Mich | Quincy Township Librar | 1870 | Free.. | Gen | 716 |
| 2421 | Hancock, Mich | School District Library | 1872 | Free.. | Sch. | 677 |
| 2422 | Hand Station, | District Library | 1850 | Sub... | Sc | 400 |
| 2423 | Harrisville, Mich | Harrisville Township Library .... | 1870 | Free.. | Gen | 300 |
| 2424 | Hart, Mich | Hart Township Library | 1878 | Free.. | Gen | 450 |
| 24.25 | Harres, M | Chocolay Township Library ...... | 1863 | Free.. | Gen | 400 |
| 2426 | Hastings, Mich | Union School Library b | 1882 | Free.. | Sch | 957 |
| 2427 | Hickory Corners, Mich . | Barry Township Librar | 1854 | Free.. | Ge | 500 |
| 2428 | Hillsdale, Mich | Hillsdale College | 1855 | Free.. |  | 8, 000 |
| 2429 | Hills ${ }^{\text {dale, }}$ Mich | Ladies' Library Ass | 1879 | Sub... |  | 1, 469 |
| 2430 | Holland, Mich | City Library | 1878 | Free.. | Gen | 750 |
| 2431 | Holland, Mich | Holland Township Library ........ | 1856 | Free.. | Gen | 745 |
| 2432 | Holland, Mich | Hope College, Van Vleck Hall Library. | 1865 | Free.. |  | 30,000 |
| 2433 | Holly, Mich | Ladies' Library Association | 1877 | Sub... | Soc | 854 |
| 2434 | Hoaghton, Mic | Houghton County Historical Society and Mining Institute. | 1866 | Free.. | Hist | co |
| 2435 | Houghton, Mich. (High School building). | Portage Townshíp Library, School District No. 1. | 1883 | Free.. | Gen | 1,000 |
| 2436 | Howell, 3rich ........... | Ladies' Library ..................... | 1876 | Sub... | Soc'1 | 670 |
| 2437 | Hadson, Mic | School Library |  | Free.. | Sch | 600 |
| 2438 | Ida, Mich | Township |  |  |  | 400 |
| 2439 | Ionia, Mic | Ladies' Librar A Associ | 1875 | Sub... | Soc'1 | 1,500 |
| 2440 | Ionia, Mich | Public School Library ............. |  | Free.. | Sch.... | 500 |
| 2441 | Ionia, Mich | State House of Correction and Reformatory. | 1877 | Free.. | A. \& R. | 2, 286 |
| 2442 | Iron Mountain, M | Breitung Township Library .... | 1881 | Free.. | Gen | 1,537 |
| 2443 | Ishpeming, Mich | City Library. | 1875 | Sub... |  | 2,870 |
| 2444 | Jthaca, Mich | School Library | 1830 | Free.. | Sch | 300 |
| 2445 | Jackson, Mich | Jackson School |  | Free.. | Sch | 700 |
| 2446 | Jackson, Mich | Public Library | 1835 | Free.. | Gen | 5, 338 |
| 2447 | Jackson, Mich | State Prison | 1840 | Free.. | A. \& R | 2, 500 |
| 2448 | Jonesville, Mi, | Ladies' Library | 1874 | Sub | Soc' 1 | 1, 835 |
| 2449 | Kalamazoo, Mich | Kalamazoo Asplu | 1862 | Free.. | A. \& P | 1,306 |
| 2450 | Kalamazoo, Mrich | Kalamazoo Coilege | 1835 | Free.. | Col | 3,419 |
| 2451 | Kalamazoo, Mich | Phiolexian Lyceam | 1855 | Free.. | Soc' | 690 |
| 2452 | Kalamazoo, Mich | Sherwood Rhetorical Society | 1852 | Free.. | Soc' | 400 |
| 2433 | Kalamazoo, Mich | Kalamazoo County Law Library.. | 1869 | Free.. | Law | 2,000 |
| 2454 | Kalamazoo, Mich | Ladies' Library Association . | 1852 | Sub. | Soc' | 3,290 |
| 2455 | Kalamazoo, Mich | Michigan Female Seminary |  |  | Sch | 1,300 |
| 2456 | Kalamazoo, Mich | Public Library | 1843 | Free.. | Gen | 11, 419 |
| 2457 | Kawkawlin, Mich....... | Kawkawlin Township Public Library. | 1877 |  | Gen | 408 |
| 2458 | Kejstone, Mich | Garfield Township Library | 1884 | Free | Gen | 36 |

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|  | Place． | Name of library． | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ت゙ } \\ & \text { 若 } \\ & \text { 品 } \\ & \text { a } \\ & \text { E } \end{aligned}$ |  | \％ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ${ }_{2450}^{2459}$ |  |  | 1854 | Free．． |  |  |
| 1 | Lake Linden，Micl | Township Library |  | Free．． | G | 7 |
|  | Lansing，Mich ．．． | Mrichigan School for tho Blind．．．．． |  |  | Sch |  |
| 2463 | Lansing，Mich | Pablic School Library | 1873 | Free．． |  |  |
|  | Lansing，Mich | State Bnard of |  |  |  |  |
| 66 | Lansing，Mich | State Reform St |  |  | A．\＆ R |  |
| 2467 | Lapeer，Mich | High Sclıool Li | 1869 | Freo．． |  |  |
| 24 | Lapeer，Mich | Ladies＇Li |  |  |  | 1，093 |
|  | Larrence，Mi | Lawrence Township Library． | 1879 | Free．． |  | 470 |
|  | Leshie，Mich ．．．．．．．．．．．． | District School Library No． 1 of Leslie Township． |  |  |  |  |
| 2471 | Leslie，Mich | Lesilie Lvceum ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 1881 | Freo．． | Soc＇1．．．．．． |  |
| 2472 | Liberty，Mi | Libertr Township Libra |  |  |  |  |
| ， | Lima，Mich | Lima＇Township Librar |  |  |  |  |
| 2475 | Lowell，Mich | School Library，District No | 1875 | Free |  | ， 254 |
| 2477 | Ludington，M | Pére Marquette Township Library | 1875 | Fre |  | 30 |
| 78 | ${ }_{\text {Ludington，}}^{\text {Luich }}$ | Public School Library | 1871 | Free．． | S | 2，000 |
| 2479 | Luther，Mich | Ellsworth Township Library |  | Free．． | Gen |  |
| ${ }_{2481}^{2480}$ | Manchester，Mich | Freedom Township Library ．．．．．． |  | Free．． | Gen | 14 |
| 2481 | Manchester，Mich | Manchester Township Library | 1872 | Free．． | Gen |  |
| 2483 | Marquette，Mieh | Peter White Library | 1872 | Free．： |  | 1， 500 |
| ${ }_{2485}^{2484}$ | Marshall，Mich | Ladies＇Library Associa | 1889 | Sub |  | 2，400 |
| 2486 | Marshall，Mich | School Libra | 1859 | Free．． | Sc |  |
|  | ， | Sumpter Township． |  |  |  |  |
| 24 | Mason，Mi | Vevay Township Librar |  | Fre |  |  |
|  | Michigamme，Mic | Michigamme＇Townsbip Libr | 79 | Free．． | Ge |  |
| 90 | Midland，Mich． | Pablic（or Union）School District | 1857 | Free．． |  |  |
| 91 | Milford，Mich． | WW．and M．Crawford＇s Circulating | 1885 | Snb．．． | Soc＇ | 5 |
| 2492 | Monroe，Mic | City Libr | 1837 | Free．． | G | 2，000 |
| 2493 | Monroe，Mic | Trenchtorn Township | 1851 |  |  |  |
| 2494 | Monroe，Mich | Monroe Township | 1849 | Free |  |  |
| 2496 | Monroe，Mich | Raisinvile Towns |  | Free | Gen |  |
|  | Montagne，Mic | Montagno Town | 7 | Free．． |  |  |
| 2498 | Morenci，Mich | School Lib | 1879 | Freo．． | Sch |  |
| 2499 | Mount Clemens，Micl | Clinton School District Library |  | Free．． |  |  |
| 2500 | Mount Clemens， | Harrison Township Li |  | Free．． |  |  |
| 2501 | Mount Pleasant | Union Township Library |  | Free．． |  |  |
| 2502 | Muskegon．Mich | Pablic School Library | 1876 | Free．． | Gen | 4，007 |
|  | National Mine， A | Tilden Township |  |  |  |  |
| 2505 | Neguanee，Mich | Public Library． | 1860 | Fre | Gen |  |
|  | Niles，Mich | Public School Libra |  | Free | Sc | － |
| 2307 | Northville，Mich | Plymonth School District Library |  | Fr |  |  |
| 2508 | North | Union S |  | Fre |  |  |
| 259 | Orden，Mich． | Ooden Township Librar |  |  |  |  |
|  | Oliret，Mich | Olivet College | 1844 | Fr |  |  |
|  | Oilvet，Mich | Phi Alpa |  |  |  |  |
|  | Olivet，Mich | Walton Township |  |  |  |  |
| 2513 | Ontonagon，Mic | District Library of Schnol District <br> No．1，of Ontonagon Township． |  | Tree |  |  |
| 2514 | Or |  | 1877 |  | Scl | 0 |
|  | Os | School District Library No． 1 of Oscoda Township． |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{array}{r} 2516 \\ \hline 2516 \end{array}$ | Oscoda， Otsego， | Wood＇s Reading Room | 1883 | $\stackrel{\text { Fre }}{\text { Sub }}$ |  | 5 |
|  | Otsego，M | Town | 1850 |  |  | \％ |
|  | Otsego，Mich | Union S |  |  |  |  |
| 2521 | Owasso Mic | Otscro， |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | sociation． |  |  |  | ， 500 |

Table XVI.-Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 volumes, sc.-Continnod.

|  | Place. | Name of library. | 范 |  | 水 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| -522 | Owasso, M | Pr |  | Frce.. | Sch. | \% |
| $25 * 3$ | Palnyra. Mic | Palmyra Tornship |  | Free.. |  | 56 |
| 25.4 | Parma. Mich | Union School Libray | 186- | Free.. |  | 400 |
| 2525 | Penn, Mich. | Township Library |  | Free.. | Gen | 350 |
| 2596 | Pent Water, Mich... | Pent Water Tomnship Library*.. |  | Free.. | Gen | 1,000 |
| 2527 | Perrinsrille, Mich.... | District School Library No. 2 of Nankin Tomnsbin. | 1867 | Free.. | $\mathrm{Sch}$ | 500 |
| 2593 | Petoskey | Bear Creek Township Library.... | 1881 | Free.. |  | 0 |
| 2529 | Petosker, Mi | Ladies' Library Associatio | 1883 | Sub | Soc' | 35 |
| 2530 | Phœnis, 1 rich | Clifton Township Library |  | Tree.. |  | 50 |
| 2531 | Phœnis, Mich | Phœnix Academy*. | 1576 | Free.. |  | 451 |
| 2532 | Phœnis, Mich | Pheeris Library |  | Treo |  | 1,002 |
| 2533 | Plainmell, Mic | Ladies' Library Associat | 1868 | Sub |  | 1, 205 |
| 2534 | Plymoath, Mich | Union School Library (District No. 1). | 1849 | Free.. |  | 1,100 |
| 2335 | Pontiac, Mich | Eastera Michigan Asylum for the Insane. | 1878 | Tree.. | A. \& | 1,400 |
| 2536 | Pontiac, Mich | Ladies' Library Association.... | 1882 | Sab. | Soc | 25 |
| 2537 | Pontiac, Mich | Pontiac School District Library .. | 1873 | Free.. |  | 1,087 |
| 2538 | Portage, Mic | Portage Township Library ....... | 1882 | Sub... |  | 500 |
| 2539 | Port Austin. Mic | School Library District No. | 1878 | Free.. |  | 300 |
| 2540 | Port Hope, Mich | Rubicon Township Library....... |  | Free.. | Ge | 400 |
| 2541 | Port Haron, Mich | Ladies' Librarr Association ....... | 1866 |  |  | 3, 000 |
| 2542 | Port Huron, Mich | Pablic School Library. | 1868 | Free.. | Scl | 1,275 |
| 2543 | Portsmouth, Mi | Plymouth Township Library | 1876 | Free | Gen | 400 |
| 2544 | Rarenna, Mich | Rarenna Torrnship Library | 1883 | Free | Ge | 323 |
| 2545 | Redford, Mich | School Library District No. 10 |  | Free.. | Sch | 384 |
| 2546 | Reed Cits, Mi | Richmond Townslip Library | 1876 | Free.. | Gen | 300 |
| 2547 | Republic, Mic | Republic Library. |  | Free.. | Gen | 588 |
| 2548 | Ridgeway, 3 | Ridgeway Township Library | 1845 | Free.. | Gen | 2,023 |
| 2549 | Riga, Mich .- | Riga Township Library | 1847 | Free.. | Gen | 1, 250 |
| 2550 | Rockland, Mi | Rockiand District Libra | 1875 | Free.. | Gen | 800 |
| 2551 | Romeo, Mich | Pablic School Library ...... | 1868 | Free.. | Sch | 300 |
| 2552 | Romeo. Mich | Romeo Fire Company Liorary |  | Free.. | Soc | 400 |
| 2535 | Roserille, | Erin Township Library | 1880 | Free.. | Gen | 379 |
| 2554 | Rothbary, Mic | Grant Township Librar | 1880 | Free.. | Gen | 311 |
| 2555 | Rosal Oak, 3 | Roral Oak Township Library |  | Free.. | Gen | 756 |
| 2556 | Saginar, Mich | Pablic and Union School Library. | 1853 | Free. | Gen | 4, 000 |
| 2557 | Saginaw, Mich | Thomastorin Township Library.. |  | Free. | Gen | 445 |
| 2558 | St. Clair, Mic | St. Clair Township Library | 1853 | Free.. | Gen | 400 |
| 2559 | St. Clair, Mich | Somerrille School Library | 1881 | Free. | Sch | 40 |
| 2560 | St. Ignace (Gros Cap.), Mich. | Moran Township Library ......... | 18.0 | Free. | Ge | 316 |
| 2561 | St. Ignace, Mich | St. Ignace Town |  | Free.: |  | 301 |
| 2562 | St. John's, Mi | Ladies' Library Association | 1871 | Sub... | Soc'l. | 1, 964 |
| 2563 | St. Joseph, Mich | St. Joseph Township Library |  | Free.. | Gen | 520 |
| 2564 | Saline, Mrich | Union School Librarr.............. | 1855 | Free. | Sc | 309 |
| 2565 | Salzburg, Mich ........ | School District No. 1 of Franken. last Township. | 1861 | Free.. |  | 1 |
| 2566 | Samaria, Mich | Bedford Township Library . . . . . |  | Free.. | Gen | 428 |
| 2567 | Sand Beach, Mich | Sand Beach Township Libra |  | Free.. | Gen | 308 |
| 2568 | Sault de Ste. Marie, Mich. (Fort Bradइ). | Post Library |  | Free.. | Gar | 631 |
| 25 29 | Sebewaing, Mich . | Sebewaing Township Libr | 1858 | Free.. | Gen | 438 |
| 2570 | Seneca, Mich | School District Library No. |  | Free.. | Sch. | 500 |
| 2571 | Siddons. Mich | Grant Township Library .......... | 1811 | Freo.. | Gen | 500 |
| 2572 | South Haren, Mich .... | Literars and Library Association. | 1878 |  | Soc'1 | 325 |
| 2573 | South Haren, Mich.... | South Haven Township Library.. |  | Free.. | Gen | 690 |
| 25.4 | Spalding, Mich. | Spalding Tornnship Library ..... | 1876 | Free.. | Gen | 711 |
| 2055 | Spring Arbor, Mich | Spring Arbor Seminary .......... | 1883 | Free.. | Sch. | 400 |
| 2576 | Spring Lake, Mich.. <br> Sprinoville Mich... |  | 1862 | Free.. | Gen | 800 |
| 257 | Springrille, Mich. | Cambridge Township Library.. |  | Free.. | Gen | 480 |
| 25:8 | Sturgis, Mich ${ }_{\text {Tarlor Center, Mich }}$ | Sturgis Township Public Library. | 1883 | Free.. | Gen | 3 , 0c0 |
| 2579 | Taylor Center, Mich | School District Librar Librart Association | 1801 | Free. | Sch. | 280 |
| 2580 | Tecumseh, Mich. | Library Association . | 1883 | Sub. | Gen | T-0 |
| 2581 | Tekonsha, Mich | Tekonsha Tomnship Library |  | Free. | Sch. | 720 |
| 2582 | Teionsha, Mich.. | Tekonsha Township Librar |  | Free. | Gen | 328 |
| 2583 | Temperance, Mich. | Thomastown Librarr.... |  | Free. | Gen | 447 |
|  | Thomastown, Mich | Thomastown Library. | 1850 | Free.. | Gen | $48 \pm$ |
| 2585 | Three Oaks, Mich | Three Oaks Township Librar | 1856 | Free.. | Gen | 425 |
| 2588 | Three Rivers, | Uockport Iomnsbip Librar | 18.5 | Free |  | 1,003 |

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Table XVI.-Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 volumes, $\& \circ$. .-Continued.

|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  | \% |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 258 | Traverse | Ladies' L | 1869 | Free.. |  | 150 |
| 2589 2590 | Traverse City, Mic | Traverse Township L | 1878 |  |  | 480 |
| 91 | Utica, Mich ..... | Shelby District No. 1 |  | Free.. |  | ${ }_{878}$ |
| 2592 | Utica, Mich | Sterling Township Librar | 1878 | Free.. |  | 317 |
| ${ }_{2594}^{2593}$ | Utica, Mich | Union Sclool Library . ${ }^{\text {a }}$ So. ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | ${ }_{1856}^{1860}$ |  |  | 550 |
| 2595 | Vanderbilt, Mich | Corinth Townslip Library | 185 | Freo.. | Gen | ${ }_{368}$ |
| 6 | Vassar, Mich | Union School Librar'y | 1880 | Fre |  | 307 |
|  | Yassar, Mrich | Village Library | 1880 | Sub |  |  |
| 2599 | Vickssburgh, Hich | Schoolcraft Township Libı |  |  |  | 57 |
| 2600 | Fictor, Mifich. (Larsing. | Victor Township Lilvary. | 1850 | Fre |  | 400 |
| 2601 | Warne, Mich | Pullic Schoo |  | Free.. |  | 309 |
| 2602 | West Bay City, Micl | Fifth Ward Public Libr |  |  | Sch |  |
| ${ }_{2604}^{2603}$ | West Bay Cits, Mich | First Ward School Libra | 1876 | Fr |  | , 00 |
| 2605 | West Bay Cits, Mich | Sago Public Library. | 1884 | Fre | Gen |  |
|  | West Bay City, Mich | School District Library |  | Fre | Sch |  |
|  | Weston, Mich. | Fairfield Townslip Library ..... |  | Freo.. |  | 2,000 |
| 08 | West Sumpter, Mich | School District Library No. 3 of Sumpter Township. |  |  |  |  |
| 26 | W | Whitehall Township Library ..... | 85 | Fre |  |  |
| ${ }_{261}^{261}$ | White Pigeon, Mich | White Pigeon Towuslip Libiora | 1860 | Freo.. | Gen | 350 537 |
| 26 | Wisner, Mich | Wisner Township Library | 1870 |  | G |  |
| 2614 | Wradote Wich | Public Library Sehool District Library No....... | 1866 | $\stackrel{\text { Fr }}{\text { Fr }}$ |  | 1,000 350 |
|  | York, M | School Lillrary No. 7 o |  |  |  |  |
| 2016 | Ypsilanti, Mich | Ladies' Librarv Aspociatio | 1878 |  |  | 3,000 |
| 2617 | Ypsilanti, Mich | Public School Librar | 1878 |  | Sch |  |
|  | Ypsilanti, Mich | State Normal Sclool | 1853 | Fre |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 2619 \\ & 2620 \end{aligned}$ | Cilwaukee, Mrich. | Zilwaukee Township | 1 |  | Gen |  |
|  | Alexandria, Min | Public Library | 1881 | Fre |  | ${ }_{25}$ |
| 2 | Austin, Minn | Anstin Circnilating | 1869 | Sub |  | 1,200 |
|  | ne Earth Cits, Minn.. | Blue Earth City Library | 1870 |  |  |  |
| 24 | Brainerd, Minn | Northern Pacific Library Asso- $^{\text {a }}$ | 1885 | Sub | Soc'1. | 500 |
| 2625 | Chatfeld, Minn. | Library dssociation (in charge of Yonng Men's Christian Association). |  | Fre | Gen | ${ }^{340}$ |
| ${ }^{2626}$ | Collegerille, Minn | St. John's | 1870 |  |  | 7, 0 co |
|  | Currie, Minn. | Carrie Catholic | 1885 | Sub |  |  |
| ${ }_{2629}^{2628}$ | Doluth, Minn. | High School Librar | 1885 |  | Soc | 500 |
|  | Duluth, Minn.... | Ladies' Library Association |  |  |  |  |
|  | Fairmont, Minn. | Public Libr |  |  |  |  |
| 2632 | Faribault, Minn | High School Librar | 1885 | Fre | Sch |  |
|  | Faribault, Minn | Library Associa | 75 |  | Gen | 3,000 |
|  | Faribault, Minn | Minnesota School for | 1866 | Fre |  |  |
| ${ }_{2636}^{2035}$ | Faribault, Miun Faribault, Minn | St. Mary' Hall | 1562 | Free. |  |  |
|  | Faribault, Minn | Seabury Divini | 1860 | Free. |  |  |
|  | uit | Shattuck School .................. | 1807 |  |  |  |
| 2639 | Fort Snelling, Minn. | Medical Directors' Library of Headquarters, Department of Dakota. |  | Free. |  |  |
| 2640 | Granite Falls, Minn | Granite Falls Library | 1578 | Sub... |  |  |
| ${ }_{2642} 26$ | Hamline, Minn | Hamline Univers | 1879 | Free.. |  |  |
| 2643 | Lake City, Min | Public School L | 1870 | Fre |  |  |
|  | Lanesboro', Min | Library Associa | 1872 |  | Gen | 370 |
|  | Mankato, Minn | High Sc | 1878 | Fre |  |  |
| 4 | Marshall, M | Free Public |  | ${ }_{\text {Fre }}$ | Ge |  |
|  | uneapolis, Minn | Athenæum Libr |  | Free.. | Gen | 14,000 |

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Table XVI.-Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 volumes, fo. -Continued.

|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  | \% \% - |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2649 | Minneapolis, Minn. | Augsburg Seminary (Idun Li- | 1876 | Free.. | The'l | 1,000 |
| 2650 | Minneapolis, Minn. | Bar Association I | 1883 | Both.. | Law | 6,100 |
| 2651 | Minneapolis, Minn. | Bennet Seminary |  |  | Sch ...... | 300 |
| 2652 | Minneapolis, Minn | Judson Female Institutt |  |  | Sch ....... | 600 |
| 2653 | Minneapolis, Minn | Minnesota Hospital College |  |  | Mrd ....... | 500 |
| 2654 | Minneapolis, Minn | Public School Library ............. | 1878 | Free.. | Sch........ | 8,300 |
| 2655 | Minneapolis, Minn...... | University of Minnesota, General Library. | 1869 | Freo.. |  | 20, 000 |
| 2656 | Minneapolis, Minn...... | Young Men's Christian Associa- | 1885 | Free.. | Y.M.C.A | 300 |
| 2657 | New Ulm, Minn | Turnverein Library | 1858 | Free.. | Soc'1 | 1,064 |
| 2658 | Northfield, Minn.. | Carleton College. | 1867 | Free.. |  | 7,100 |
| 2659 | Northtield, Minn... | Alpha Beta Phi Society Lib. rary. |  | Free.. | Soc'y ..... | 300 |
| 2660 | Northfield, Minn. | Observatory Library ......... | 1884 |  |  | 1,350 |
| 2661 | Northfield, Minn | Philomathean Society Library. |  | Free.. | Soc'y ..... | 300 |
| 2662 | Oratonna, Minn. | High School Library.............. | 1883 | Free.. | Sch ${ }^{\text {S }}$...... | 300 |
| 2663 | Uwatonna, Minn.. | Literary Association* |  | Free.. | Soc' | 500 |
| $266 \pm$ | Owatonna, Minn | Minnescta, Academy | 1877 | Free.. | Sch | 1,200 |
| 2655 | Pipe Stone, Minn | Star Circulating Librar | 1880 | Sub .. | Soc' | 300 |
| 2666 | Red Wing, Minn | High School Library | 1880 | Free.. | Sch | 300 |
| 2667 | Red Wing, Minn | Minnesota State Board of Health . | 1873 | Free.. | San | 3, 000 |
| 2663 | Red Wing, Minn | Norwegian Evangelical Latheran Seminary and College. |  |  | Scl | 300 |
| 2669 | Redwood Falls, Minn | Public Library | 1884 | Sub... | Gen | 700 |
| 2670 | Rochester, Minn | German Library | 1874 | Sub. | Soc'1 | 1,200 |
| 2671 | Rochester, Minn | Library and Free Reading Room.. | 1866 | Sub... | Gen | 2,600 |
| 2672 | Rochester, Minn | Olmstead County Teachers' Library. | 1883 | Freo.. | Special ... | 563 |
| 2673 | Rochester, Minn | Second Minnesota Hospital forInsane, Patients' Library. | 1879 | Free.. | A. and R.. | 600 |
| 2674 | Rushford, Minn | Rushford Library................. | 1875 | Sub... |  | 490 |
| 2675 | St. Cloud, Minn | City Library | 1883 | Free. |  | 1,600 |
| 2676 | St. Cloud, Mın | State Normal School | 1869 | Free.. | Sch | 4,000 |
| 2677 | St. Paul, Minn | Academy of Natural Scie |  | Free.. | Sci. | a300 |
| 2678 | St. Paul, Minn | Chamber of Commerce. | 1880 | Free.. | Mer | 389 |
| 2679 | St. Paul, Minn | Fire Departmens Library | 1882 | Free.. | Soc'l....... | 683 |
| 2680 | St. Paul, Minn | High School Library |  |  | Sch | 666 |
| 2681 | St. Paul, Minn | Macalester College Libr | 1885 | Freo.. | Col | 1,100 |
| 2682 | St. Paul, Minn | Minnesota Historical Socie | 1849 | Free.. | Hist | 12, 338 |
| 2683 | St. Paul, Mino | Public Library | b1882 | Free.. | Gen | 11, 500 |
| 2684 | St. Paul, Minn | State Library | 1849 | Free.. |  | 14,142 |
| 2685 | St. Paul, Minn | State Reform School | 1870 | Free.. | A. and R.. | 1,200 |
| 2686 | St. Paul, Minn. | Training School Library |  |  |  | 799 |
| 2687 | St. Paul, Minn. | Young Men's Christian Associa- | 1856 | Freo.. | Y.M.C.A. | 1,300 |
| 2688 | St. Peter, Mrinn. | First Minnesota Hospital for In. | 1868 | Free.. | A. and R.. | 500 |
| 2689 | St. Peter, Minn. | Gustavas Adolphus College ...... | 1876 |  | Col | 2,000 |
| 2690 | St. Peter, Minn | Library Association | 1869 | Sub... | Gen | 800 |
| 2691 | Sauk Center, Min | Bryant Library | 1880 | Free.. | Gen | 900 |
| 2692 | Sleepp Eye, Minn | Library Asso | 1880 | Sub... |  | 400 |
| 2693 | Spring Valles, Minn | Library Association (under care of Y. M. C. A.). | 1870 | Sub... | Gen | 500 |
| 2634 | Stillwater, Minn | High School Library | 1884 | Sub... | Sch ....... | 475 |
| 2695 | Stillwater, Minn | State Prison | 1867 | Free.. | A. and R.. | 922 |
| 2696 | Stillwater, Min | Stillwater Library | 1869 | Sub .. | Gen $\cdots$.... | 2, 600 |
| 2697 | Stillwater, Minn | Young Men's Christian Association. | 1880 | Free.. | F. M.C.A. | 350 |
| 2698 | Wabasha. Minn | Ladies' Library Association...... | 1870 | Sub... | Soc'1 | 1,900 |
| 2699 | Wasioja, Minn. | Wexleran Methodist Seminary*... | 1873 | Free.. | Sch | 572 |
| 2700 | Winona, Minn | State Normal School | 1864 | Free.. | Sch | 3,000 |
| 2701 | Winona, Minn......... | Winona Free Library | 1862 | Free.. | Gen | 3, 000 |
| 2702 | Agricultural College, Miss. | Agricultural and Mechanical College. |  |  |  | 2, 342 |
| 2703 | Bay St. Louis, Miss ... | St. Stanislaus Commercial College.* |  |  | Sch | 1,200 |
| 2704 | Beth Eden, Miss ....... | Beth Eden Coilegiate Institute . | 1876 | Free.. |  | 500 |
| 2703 | Blue Mountain, Miss ... | Blue Mountain Female College. |  |  | Col | 443 |
| 2706 | Carrollton, Miss | Carrollton Female College ..... | 1870 | Free. | Sch... | 700 |
|  | * From a return for 1884 $b$ As a fr | $a$ Collected since burnin <br> eo city library; as a subscription lib | $\begin{aligned} & \text { of lib } \\ & \text { rary in } \end{aligned}$ | ary in $1863 .$ | Karch, 1833. |  |

Table XVI.-Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 rolumes, $\S \cdot$.-Continued.

|  | Placs. | Name of library. |  |  | ¢ $\stackrel{\text { \% }}{\text { ご }}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2707 | Clinton, Miss. | Central Femalo Instituto, Lesbian Society Librars. | 1858 | Sub... | Soc'y | 2,000 |
| 2708 | Clinton, Miss | Mississippi College ............... | 1851 | Free.. |  | 2,200 |
| 2709 | Clinton, Miss | Hermenian Society | 1855 | Free.. | Soc', | 2, 500 |
| 2710 | Clinton, Miss. | Pbilomathean Society | 1846 |  | Soc'y | 1, 200 |
| 2711 | Columbus, Mis | Pablic Library. | 1882 | Free.. | Gen | 1,895 |
| 2712 | Corinth, Miss | High Sclıool... | 1878 | Sub... | Sch | , 300 |
| 2713 | Daleville, Mis | Philonathean Literary Library (Cooper Institute). | 1865 | Sub... |  | 3, 500 |
| 2714 | Edwards, Miss | Southern Christian Institate ..... |  |  | Sch | 400 |
| 2715 | Greenville, Miss | Public Library...... | 1882 | Sub... |  | 2,200 |
| 2716 | Harperville, Miss | Platonian Literary Society (Harperville College). | 1876 | Free.. | Soc'y | 500 |
| 2717 | Holly Springs, Miss | Clayton Library .................. | 1881 | Both.. | Gen | 800 |
| 2718 | Holly Springs, Miss | Rust Library of Rust University. | 1869 | Free.. |  | 1,000 |
| 2719 | Holly Springs, Miss | State Normal School | 1S¢0 | Free.. |  | 700 |
| 2720 | Iuka, Miss........... | Iuka Normal Institu |  |  |  | 417 |
| 2721 | Jackson, Miss | Jackson Collegiate Academy |  |  | Sc | 1,000 |
| 2723 | Jackson, Miss | Mississippi Institution for Deaf and Dumb. | 1871 |  | Sc | 1, 000 |
| 2723 | Jackson, Miss . | Mississippi Institution for the Blind. | 1848 | Sub. | Sch | 594 |
| 2724 | Jackson, Miss | Mississippi Penitentiary Library. | 1870 | Free.. | A.an | 00 |
|  | Jackson, Miss | State Library | 1838 |  | Stat | 40, 000 |
| 2727 | Natchez, Miss | D'Ereicaux fill Orphan Asylum. | 1865 | Free.. | A. an | 1,000 |
| 2728 | Natchez, Miss | Library Association. | 1884 | Sub... | Gen | 3,100 |
| 2729 | Oxford, Miss | University of Mississip | 1848 | Free.. | Col | 9,050 |
| 2730 | Pontotoc, Mis | Chickasaw Female Colle | 1553 | Free.. | Col | 2, 000 |
| 2731 | Port Gibson, Mi | Chamberlain Hunt A cadem | 1840 | Free.. | Sc | 3,100 |
| 2732 | Rodney, Miss . | Alcorn Agricultural and Mechanical College. | 1874 |  |  | 1,353 |
| 2733 | Springrille, Miss | Gill's Circulating Librars* | 1873 | Sub... | Soc' | 2,000 |
| 2734 | Stark ville, Miss | Starkrille Female Institute | 1870 |  |  | 2,000 |
| 2735 | Summit, Miss | Lea Fomale College, Calliopean Society Library. | 1877 | Free.. | Soc' | 300 |
| 2736 | Washington, Miss | Jefferson College. |  |  | Col | 2,000 |
| 2737 | West Point, Miss | Law and Library As | 1877 | Sub... | Lav | 1,500 |
| 2733 | West Point, Mriss | Literary and Library Association. | 1881 | Free.. |  | 400 |
| 2733 | Ash Grove, Mo. | Ash Grore College................ | 1883 |  |  | 300 |
| 2740 | Ashley, Mo | Watson Historical Library ........ |  | Sub... | Hist | 600 |
| 2741 | Aralon, | Avalon College of the United Brethren in Christ. | 1875 | Free.. | Sch | 500 |
| 2742 | Bolivar, Mo. | Southwest liaptist College. | 1879 | Free.- | C | 700 |
| 2743 | Bonne Terre, Mo. | St. Joseph Lead Co. Frce Library and Reading Room. | 1882 | Free.- |  | 1,200 |
| 2744 | Boonville, ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | Cooper Instituto.................. |  |  | Sch | 500 |
| 2745 | Boonville, M | Kemper Family School |  |  |  | 1,200 |
| 2746 | Boonville, M | Turn- and Gesang | 1859 | Free.. | Soc' | 335 |
| 2747 | Boonville, Mo | True Principle Clno Librar | 1881 | Sub | Soc'1 | 451 |
| 2748 | Brookfield, Mo | Brookfield Academy |  |  | Sch | 600 |
| 2749 | Brunswick, M | Library Association | 1871 | Sub | Gen | 1, 000 |
| 2750 | Bunceton, M | Parrish Collegiate I |  |  | Sch | 500 |
| 2751 | Butler, Mo | Butler Academy |  |  | Sch | 425 |
| 2753 | Camden Point, Mo | Female Orphan School |  |  | Sch | 300 |
| 2753 | Cameron, 1 | Cameron Library |  |  |  | 422 |
| 2754 | Canton, Mo. | Meridian Lodge, I. O. O. F | 1885 | Sub... | I. 0 . | 1,53.5 |
| 2755 | Canton, Mo. | Risk's Library (Christian University). | 1865 | Freo.. | Soc' | 600 |
| 2756 | Cape Girardeau, Mo | Missouri State Normal School (third district). | 1873 | Free.. | Sch | 1, 1 , 800 |
| 2757 | Cape Girardeau, Mo | St. Vincent's Colleg | 1844 | Free.- | Col | 5,000 |
| 2758 | Carthage, Mo | Public Library | 1876 | Sab... | Gen | 1,209 |
| 2759 | Carthage, Mo | Public School Library |  | Freo.. | Sch | -5.7 |
| 2760 | Chillicothe, Mo | Hazelton Public School Library | 1879 | Free.. | Sch | 2, 800 |
| 2761 | Clarksburg, Mo | Hooper Inssitute | 1882 | Sub | Sch | 500 525 |
| 2763 | College Mound, Mo | Pauline Holiness Colleg | 1883 | Free.. | Sch | 300 |
| 2704 | Columbia, Mo. | Christian Female Colleg |  | Freo.- | Col | 1,000 |
| 2765 | Columlia, Mo | Stephens College |  |  | Col | foo |
| 2706 | Columbia, Mo. | .. Adelphia Society | 1870 | Frce | Soc's | (0) |

$\star$ From a return for 1881 .
sable XVI.-Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 volumes, se.-Continued.


## * From a return for 1884.

$a$ There are four pablic school libraries managed by the principals of the respective schools, containing 300 volumes each, or over; there is also the Kansas City Public Library, under direct control of the board of education.

Table XVI．－Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 volimes，fo．－Continued．

|  | Place． | Name of library． | 苞 |  | \％゙ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2823 | Pa |  | 1875 | Roth |  |  |
| ${ }_{2830}^{2829}$ | Parkville， | Cheever L | 1880 | Free．． | Soc＇，${ }^{\text {Soc．}}$ ， |  |
| 2831 | Paynesvillo， | Park Literary Society－itur |  |  |  | 1,400 1,000 |
| 2832 | Peirce City，Mo ．．．．．．．． | Peirce City Baptist Colloge．．．．．． |  |  |  | 300 |
| 2833 | Peirce City，Mo．．．．．．．． | Foung Men＇s Christian Associa． tion（circulating library）． | 1883 | Both | Y，M．C．A． | 25 |
| 2834 | Pil | Pilot Grove Colle ${ }^{\text {Piate }}$ Institate．． |  |  | Sch．．．．．．． | 0 |
|  |  | Plattsburgh College ．．．．．．．．．．． |  |  |  | 500 |
| ${ }_{2837}^{2836}$ | Pleasant Charles，\＃1 Ho．．．．．．．．． | Brannock Coliegiate Institute．．．． | 1870 | Frce | So | 3300 2,500 |
| 2838 | St．Charle | Public Sthe |  |  |  |  |
| 2839 | St．Charles，M | Sacred Heart Librar | 1828 | Sub |  |  |
| 2840 | St．Charles， | St．Charles Catholic Library．．．．． | 1859 | Sub．．． | Soc＇l | ， |
| 2841 | St．Joseph， | Missouri Lunatic Asplum No 2．．． |  |  | A．\＆ | 400 |
| ${ }_{2843}^{2842}$ | ${ }_{\text {Ste }}$ St．Joseph，${ }^{\text {St．}}$ | St．Joseph Commercial College | 1866 |  |  | 1，600 |
| 2844 | St．Joseph，M | YoungMen＇s ${ }^{\text {cheristianA ssociation }}$ | 1884 |  | X．M．C．ä． | 1，000 |
| 2845 | St．Louis， 110 | A caderay of Science． | 1856 |  |  | 10，00 |
|  | St．Louis，Mo | Central Turnverein |  |  |  |  |
|  | St．Louis，Mo | College for Medical | 1880 | Free |  | 2，00 |
| 2849 | St．Louris，M | Concordia Turnverei |  |  | Sc |  |
| 2850 | St．Lonis，Mo．¢16th and | Foster Academy |  |  |  | 400 |
| 2851 | Pine sts．） |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | st．Lour， | Concordia Collego． |  |  |  | 5，500 |
| 2852 | Louis， | Honse of Refuge＊ | 1854 |  | ＇A．\＆ |  |
| 2853 | St．Louis | Law Library Association of St． |  | Sab． |  | 14，320 |
| 54 | St．Louis，Mo | Masonic Librar | 1856 |  | Mas |  |
|  | St．Louis，Mo | Missouri Botanical Gardens | 1860 | ${ }_{\text {Freo }}^{\text {Freo }}$ |  |  |
| ${ }_{2857}^{2850}$ | St．Louis，Mo | Missouri Historical Societ | 1857 | Free．．． | Hist | 4，00 |
| 2858 | St．Louis，Mo | North St．Louis Turn |  |  | Soc＇ 1 | 0 |
|  | st．Louis，Mo | Odd Fellows＇Library | 88 | Free．． | I．o．o． | 4，150 |
|  | St．Louis， | Public Library | 1865 | Bot | Gen | 60， 000 |
| 286 | St．Louis，Mo | St．Louis Jail |  | $\underset{\text { Free }}{ }$ |  |  |
|  | St．Louis，${ }^{\text {de }}$ ． | St．Louis Medical Coiles |  |  |  |  |
|  | St．Louis， | St．Louis Mercantile |  |  |  |  |
| 28 | St．Louis，M | St．Louis Students ${ }^{\text {L }}$ Library |  | sab．．． | Soc |  |
| 2866 | St．Louis， Mo | Washington University（Refer－ | 1853 | Free．． | Col | 6，000 |
|  |  | ce Library of Undergraduate |  |  |  |  |
| 2867 | St．Louis， | Mary Institate | 1859 | Free ．． | Col |  |
|  | St．Louis，Mo | St．Lotis Law Sch | 872 | Free | Law | 3，500 |
| ${ }_{28}^{28}$ | St．Louis，Mo | YoungMen＇s Christian Association |  | Sub． | ${ }_{\text {Soc }}^{\text {Y }}$ M | （ |
| 2871 |  |  | 1879 |  |  |  |
| 2872 | St．Lonis，Mo | Toung Men＇s Sodality | 1855 |  |  |  |
| 2873 | Salen．Mo | Saleni High School |  | Free． |  |  |
| 2874 | Sedalia，Mo | Natural Eistory Societs | 1884 | Snb． |  |  |
|  | Sedalia，Mo | Young Men＇s Christian | 1885 | Fre | Y．M．C．A． | 600 |
|  | Shelbina，${ }^{\text {a }}$ | Shellina Collegiate In |  | Fre |  |  |
| 28 | Springhield， | 1 Drury Coll | 1873 | Frc | Col | 19， |
| 2879 | Stanverry， St | Northweste | 1879 | ${ }_{\text {Free }}$ |  | 1，000 |
|  | Trenton，Mo． | Public School Librars |  | Fre | Scl | 1，000 |
|  | Troy，Mo | Social Library | 1821 | Sul |  |  |
| 28 | Warrensburg，Mo | Enoch Clark Librar， | 1876 | Sub．．． | Socl | 1，100 |
|  | Warrensburg，Mo． | State Normal School ${ }^{\text {Con }}$ | ${ }_{1876}^{1871}$ |  | Sol | 2，000 3,500 |
| 2885 | Fort Shaw，Mon | Post Library | 1867 | Free．． |  | 00 |
|  | Helena，Mont． | Grand Lodge Library of Montana． | ${ }_{1866}^{1866}$ | Free | Mas | 500 |
| $\begin{gathered} 2887 \\ 2888 \end{gathered}$ | Helena，Mont． | Hustorical Society of Montana | 1866 |  | Mist | 00 |
| 889 | Helena，Mor | Territorial \｛ \｛ lav division．．．．．．．．．0． |  | Free．． | Law（Ter） | 3,200 4,000 |
|  |  | 隹 | 188 | Fre |  |  |

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|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2830 | Helena, Mont | Young Men's Christian Association | 1885 | Free.. | Y. M. C. A. | 00 |
| 2831 | Asrlum, Nebr | Asylum Library. | 1885 |  |  | 415 |
| 2892 | Beatrice, Ncbr | The Blake School |  |  | Sch | 20 |
| 2833 | Beatrice, Nebr | W. C. T. U. Library and Public Reading Room. | 1881 | Sub | Soc'l....... | 800 |
| 2594 | Blair, Nebr | Library Association.............. | 1880 | Sub. | Gen. | 0 |
| 2895 | Brock, Nebr | Clifton Library | 1876 | Free |  | 800 |
| 2896 | Brownsrille. Neb | Library Associatio | 1879 | Both. |  | 1, 056 |
| 2897 |  | Public School Library |  |  |  | 359 |
| 28989 | Crete, Nebr... Crete, Nebr... | Doane College German Conarerational Theolor | 1878 | Free.. | $\mathrm{Col}$ | 2, 635 |
|  | Crete, Nebr | German Congregational Theological Seminary. |  |  |  | 350 |
| 2900 | Crete, Neb | Public Library | 1878 | Free.- | Gen. | 1,500 |
| 2901 | Edgar, Nebr | Public School Library | 1850 |  |  | 300 |
| 2902 | Falls Citr, Ne | Falls City Library | 1885 | Sub... | Gen. | 400 |
| 2903 | Fort Robinson, Nebr | Post Library | 1874 | Free.. | Gar | 600 |
| 2904 | Franklin, Nebr ..... | Franklin Academ |  |  | Sch | 550 |
| 2905 | Fremont, Nebr | Grant Memorial Library of McPherson Post, G. A. R. | 1884 | Free.. | Soc' | 300 |
| 2906 | Fremont, | W. C. T. U. Library. |  | Free.. | Soc'l | 500 |
| 2907 | Grand Island, N | Public Library | 1881 | Free.. |  |  |
| 2908 | Hastings, Nebr | Hastings Colle | 1882 | Free.. |  | 1, 200 |
| 2909 | Hastings, Neb | Public Library |  | Free | Gen | 800 |
| 2910 | Hastings, Neb | Foung Men's Cbristian Association | 1881 | Sub. | Y. M.C. A. | 350 |
| 2911 | Humboldt, Ne | Brann Memoriai Public Library - | 1884 | Sub |  | 2, 000 |
| 2912 | Kearney, Neb | State Reform School |  |  |  | 526 |
| 2913 | Kearney, Neb | W. C. T. U. Librar | 1880 |  | Soc | 687 |
| 2014 | Lincoln, Neb | Public Library and Reading Room | 1875 | Sub... | Gen | 3,000 |
| 2915 | Lincoln, Nebr | Public School Library. |  | Free.. |  | 1,200 |
| 2916 | Lincoln, Nebr | State Historical Society | 1878 |  |  | 349 |
| 2917 | Lincoln, Nebr | State Library ${ }_{\text {Unitersity }}$ | 1856 | Free .- | Stat | 24, 398 |
| 2918 | Lincoln, Nebr | Unirersity of Nebraska | 1871 | Free .- | Col | 7,000 |
| 2919 | Lincoln, Nebr | Young Men's Christian Association | 1884 | Free .. | Y. M.C.A. | 500 |
| 2920 | Nebraska Citt, Nebr | Jadies' Library Association.... | 1880 | Sab... |  | 1,743 |
| 2921 | Nebraska City, Nebr | Nebraska College*-................ |  |  |  | 1,200 |
| 2922 | Nebraska City, Nebr | Nebraska Institute for the Blind. | 1877 | Free .. |  | 400 |
| $29 \div 3$ | Neligh, Nebr | Gates College | 1883 | Free |  | 2, 500 |
| 2924 | Nobesville, N | Gilbert Librars oi Nebraska State Prison. | 1874 | Free | A. | 2, 500 |
| 2925 | North Platte, Nebr. | Employés' Library Association Union Pacific Railway. | 1882 | Sub... | Soc'l. | 925 |
| 2926 | Omaha, Nebr | Brownell Hall | 1866 | Free.. | Sch | 1,800 |
| 2927 | Owaha, Neb | Creighton ${ }^{\text {col }}$ | 1879 | Free.. |  | 6,000 |
| 2928 | Omaha, Neb | Students' Library A ssociation.... | 1880 | Sub... |  | 600 |
| 2929 | Omaha, Nebr | Institute for the Deaf and Dumb. | 1874 | Free.. | Sch. | 800 |
| 2930 | Omaha, Neb | Law Library Association | 1872 | Sub. | Law | 2,500 |
| 2931 | Omaha, Nebr | Public Library | 1872 | Free.. | Gen | 14, 23 i |
| 2932 | Omaha, N | Public School L |  |  |  | 525 |
| 2933 | Omaha, Nebr | Yoang Men's Christian Association |  | Free .. | Y. M.C.A. | 839 |
| 2934 | Pawnee City, Nebr | Circulating Library |  |  | Soc'l | 403 |
| 2935 | Pawnee City, Neb | W. C. T. U. Library | 1882 | Free.. | Soc'1 | 500 |
| 2936 | Pera, Nebr | State Normal School | 1867 | Free.. | Sch | 2, 250 |
| 2337 | Republican City, Nebr | McPherson Normal College | 1884 | Eree.. | Sch | 2, $0 \times 1$ |
| 2938 | Tecumseh, Nebr..... | W. C. T. U. Library | 1878 | Free.. | Soc'l | 464 |
| 2939 | Carlin, Ner. | Library Associatio | 1874 | Sub... | Gen | 1,7, |
| 2940 | Carson Cits, Nev | Masonic Library | 1875 |  | Masonic | 1, 00. |
| 2941 | Carson Cits, Ner | State Library * | 1864 | Free.. | State | 18, 000 |
| 2942 | Carson City, Ner | State Prison | 1872 | Free.. | A. \& R | 1, 211 |
| 2943 | Gold Hill, Ne | Miners' Union Librars | 1866 | Free.. | Soc'l | 30. |
| 2944 | Reno, Ner | Bishop Whitaker's School for Girls. | 1878 | Free.. | Sch | 3.3 |
| 2945 | Virginia Cits, Ne | Miners' Union Library | 1875 | Both.. | Soc'l. | 4,000 |
| 2946 | Acworth, N. H. | Circulating Library | 1878 | Sub. | Soc'l | L": |
| 2947 | Alexandria, N. H | Harnes Public Library | 1885 | Free. | Gen | ${ }_{6}^{6}$ |
| 2949 | Amdorst, N . H | Proctor Acade | 1850 | Free. | Gen | 1, ${ }^{3}$ |
| 2950 | Antrim, N . H | Antrim Libra | 1866 | Sub. | Gen | 4.0 |
| 2951 | $\Delta$ shland, N. H | Town Library | 1871 | Free.. | Gen | 1, $02 \times$ |
| 2952 | Atkinson, N . H | Atlinson Acade | 1789 | Free. | Sch | 1, : 00 |
| 2953 | Bethlehem, N - | Librars Associat | 1877 | Sub | Gen | 1,194 |
| 2954 | Bristol. N . H | Minot-Sleeper L | 1885 | Free.. | Gen | 1,300 |
| 2955 | Brookline, s, H, | Public Library . . . . | 1878 | Free. | Gen ... | 1,196 |

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|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  | 無 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 3020 | Lrme, N. H | Truersocial | 1850 | Sub... | Soc'1. | 5,00 |
| 3021 | Lyndelorough, N. H.... | Frayklin Library Ass | ${ }^{1851}$ |  | Socl |  |
| ${ }_{2023}$ | Manchester, N - H ....... | Art Assoeiation | 1854 | Free.. | Gen | 28, 659 |
| 3002 | Manchester, N. H.. | Governor Smithe | 1834 | Free.. |  | 300 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 3025050 \\ & 3026 \end{aligned}$ | $\frac{\text { Manchester, N. }}{\text { Manchester, }}$ | State Industrial School. <br> Young Men's Christian Associa- | 185 | Free.. | S. S. C.A. | 500 300 |
| 3027 | Marlborougli. | Frost Free Lib |  | Free.. |  | 3,630 |
| 5028 | Mariow, N | Toxn Litibrary | 1877 | Freo.. | Gen |  |
|  | Meriden X.H | Kimball Union Acad |  | Free.. | Soc' | , 000 |
|  | Miford. से.II. | Free Library ... | 1808 | Free.. |  | ${ }^{3}, 841$ |
| 3032 | Mount Vernon, N. | Appleton Li | 1850 | Free.. | Sch. |  |
| ${ }_{3034}$ | Nashta N . H | Public Librar | 1868 | Fre | Gen. | 8,560 |
| 3035 | Nelson, N.H. | Free Library | 1881 |  | G |  |
| 30 | New Hampton, | New Hampton Literary Institution, Literary $A$ delphi Library. |  | Free.. |  | 78 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 3437 \\ & 3 i 48 \end{aligned}$ | Nem Hampton, N . H . <br> New London, N . | Social Fraternity Library <br> Colbr A cadem 5, Philalethian Iit. |  | Free. <br> Free. | Soc', | $\begin{aligned} & 1,500 \\ & 1,300 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | New Mark | Public Libr | 1830 | Free.. |  | 1,615 |
| 3349 | Nemport, | Conrerse Librars |  |  |  |  |
|  | Newport, | Social Library .................. | ${ }_{1873}^{1803}$ | Sab |  |  |
| 3042 | Newton, A | Presses and Heath's Circuiating Library. | 1873 | Sub |  |  |
|  | Northwoo | Coe's A cademy*................. |  |  | Seh. |  |
|  | Northwood | Northwood Seminar |  |  | Sch |  |
| 3046 | Penacook, N. H | Library Assoc | 1860 | Sab. | Gen |  |
| ${ }_{3}^{3047}$ | Petorborough, | Town Library | 1834 | Fre | Gen ...... | 5, |
| 3049 | Plymouth, N . H | Young Ladies' Library Associa- | 1873 | Sab | Soc'1 | 1, 885 |
|  | Portsmoath, N. H | Free Prblic Liora | 1881 | Free. |  |  |
| 2051 | Portsmouth, N. H | Miss Morgan's English, French, |  |  | Sch....... | 1,000 |
|  |  | Ladies. |  |  |  |  |
| ${ }^{3052}$ | Portsmouth, N | Portsmontl | 181 | Sub... | Gen | 15, 133 |
| 3054 | Rociester, , | Social Library | 1792 | $\stackrel{\text { Sree }}{ }$ | Soct | 2,20 |
| 3055 | Rochester, X. H | Worcester and Greenfields Li - | 187 | Sab. |  | 3 |
|  | Shaker Tiliage, , N . H.... | Shaker Community. | 1854 |  | Soc! | 2,000 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 30.57 \\ & 3058 \end{aligned}$ | Suncook, N. | Pentagon Circalating Library .... <br> Reed Free Library | 1881 | Sab... <br> Free.. | Soc' <br> Gen. |  |
|  | Smanzev, N. H | Mt. Cæsar Union Library | 1879 |  |  |  |
| 360 | Tilton, 入̀. H. | New Hampshire Conference Sem- | 1845 | Free | Sch. | 0 |
| 3061 | Union, $\mathrm{N} . \mathrm{H}$ | Village Library Associa | 1854 |  | Gen. |  |
|  | Waketield, ${ }^{\text {Wal }}$ | Public Library | 1880 | Free | Ge |  |
| 3064 | Warner, N . H | Simonds Free High Sc |  |  |  |  |
| 3063 | Warren, X. H | Ladies' Library Assuciation | 1833 | Snb... |  |  |
| ${ }_{3066}$ | Weashington, N.H. | Shedd Free Library |  | Free.- | Gen | 1,768 |
|  | West Lebanon, | Library Association | 1869 | Sab |  |  |
| 30 | West Lebanon, N. H | Tilden Ladies' Seminary | 1854 | Sub | Sch. | 1,400 |
|  | W ast Swanzee, | Stratton Freo Library . | 1885 | Fre | Gen. | 2,418 |
| 307 | Winchester, N . | Public Liorary |  | Free.. | Ge | 3,000 |
| ${ }_{3073}$ | Woifeborongh, N . ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | Public Library Associat | 1867 | Freo.. |  |  |
| 30 | Wolfeborn'Janc., N . H | Woifeboro' Junction Libra | 1883 |  |  | 325 |
|  | Allentown, N. N . | Library Association | 1876 | Sub | Ge | 90 |
|  | Ancora, N.J. | Home School |  |  |  |  |
| 3078 | Atantic City Bererls, N. | Highinchool | 1875 | Free.: |  | 1,100 |
| 3079 | Blairstown, N. | Blair Prespoterial Academy | 1883 | Fr |  | 1,003 |

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|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  | - |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 3080 | Bloomfield, N. | German Theological School of |  |  | The'1. | 350 |
| 3081 | Bloomfield, | Public School Library | 1877 | Free.. | Sch | 796 |
| 3082 | Boidentown, N. | Female College -. | 1851 |  |  | 700 |
| 3083 | Bordentown, N.J | Woman's Christian Temperance | 1882 | Sub | Soc'1 | 600 |
| 3084 | Bridgeton, | Ivy Hall Semi | 1861 | Free.. |  | 1,050 |
| 3085 | Bridgeton, | South Jersey Institute | 1871 | Free.. | Sch........ | 1,200 |
| 3086 | Bridgeton, N | Young Men's Christian Association | 1859 | Sub. | T. M.C.A | 4,000 |
| 3087 | Burlington, N | Library Company of Burlington.. | 1758 | Sub. | Gen....... | 10, 000 |
| 3088 | Camden, N.J | Camden County Bar Association | 1881 | Snb | Law ${ }^{\text {a }}$..... | 2,300 |
| 3089 | Camden, N. J | Felton's Circulating Library ..... | 1870 | Sub... | Soc'1....... | 3, 000 |
| 3090 | Camden, N. J | Microscopical Society of Camden. |  | Free.. |  | 340 |
| 3091 | Chatham, N | Free Library | 1882 | Sub. | Gen | 664 |
| 3092 | Cranford, N. J | Library Association | 1872 | Sub | Gen....... | 508 |
| 3093 | Cream Ridge, 1 | Circulating Library | 1871 | Sub... | Soc'l....... | 350 |
| 3094 | Elizabeth, N. J | Business College. | 1872 | Free.- | Sch....... | 700 |
| 3095 | Elizabeth, N. | Elizabeth Institute* |  |  | sc | 600 |
|  | Llizabeth, | Public Library and Reading Room. |  |  |  |  |
| 3097 | Elizabeth, N.J | Public School Libraries (2) | $\{1882\}$ | Free | Sch | 918 |
| 3098 | Elizabeth, N | Putnam Circulating Librar | 1875 | Sub. | Soc'1....... | 1,500 |
| 3099 | Fort Lee, N | Institute of the Holy Angel |  |  |  |  |
| 3100 | Freehold, N | Freehold Institut | 1845 | Free.. |  | 2,000 |
| 3101 | Freehold, N. J | Lyceum Library. | 1882 | Sub.. | Soc'l...... | 1,735 |
| 3102 | Hackettstown, N. | Centenary Collegiato Institute... | 1874 | Free.. | Sch | 1, 200 |
| 3103 | Hackettstown, N. | Lyceum and Froe Reading Room.. | 1884 | Sub | Gen | 369 |
| 3104 | Hightstown, | The Home Seminary* |  |  | Scl | 300 |
| 3105 | Hightstown, N | Peddie Iustitute. | 1875 | Sub... |  | 1,200 |
| 3106 | Hoboken, N. J | Academy of tho Sacred Heart *.. |  |  | Sch | 400 |
| 3107 | Hoboken, N. | Frankhin Lyceum * |  | ub | Soc | 2,000 |
| 3108 | Hoboken, | Hoboken A cademy |  |  | Sch | 600 |
| 3109 | Hoboken, | St. Mars's Hospital | 1866 | Free.. |  | 400 |
| 3110 | Hoboken, N | St. Mary's Parochial Library | 1867 | Free.. |  | 1,100 |
| 3111 | Hoboken, N | Sterens Institute of Technology -. | 1871 | Freo.. | Sci | 5,000 |
| 3112 | Hoboken, N | Young Men's Christian Association. |  |  | Y.M. C.A. | 2,000 |
| 3113 | Hopewell, N. J | Hopewell Seminary |  |  | Sch | 350 |
| 3114 | Jamesburg, N. | State Reform School |  |  | A. \& R... | 500 |
| 3115 | Jersey City, N. | Law Library Association | 1872 | Sub... | Law ....... | 3,000 |
| 3116 | Jersey City, N. | Pablic School Free Library |  |  |  | 5, 000 |
| 3117 | Keyport, N. J | High School Library...... | 1881 | Free.. |  | 450 |
| 3118 | Lakewood, N. | Public Library . | 1869 | Sub. | Gen. | 1,4.50 |
| 3119 | Lambertville, N. J | Stryker Library -....................... | 1852 | Sub |  | 2,130 |
| 3120 | Lawrenceville, N. | Lawrencerille School on J. C. Green Foundation. |  |  |  | 1, 000 |
| 3121 | Linden, N. J | Public School (No.1) Library. |  |  | Sch | 400 |
| 3122 | Long Branch, N | Free Reading Room and Library.- | 1878 | Sub... |  | 1,600 |
| 3123 | Madison, N.J. | Drew Theological Seminary...... |  |  |  | 18,000 |
| 3124 | Madison, N.J | Young Mens' Christian Association. | 1873 | Su | I. M. C.A. | 340 |
| 3125 | Matawan, N. J | Glenwood Institute |  |  |  | 300 |
| 3126 | Matawan, N. J | Literary Societr | 1866 | Sub. | Soc'l ....... | 600 |
| 3127 | Millville, N. J | Library and Reading | 1860 | Sub... | Gen | 2,203 |
| 3128 | Mont Clair, N. J | Library Association. | 1868 | Frco.. | Gen | 1,700 |
| 3129 | Mont Clair, N. J J | Public High School. | 1870 | Freo.- | sch | 450 |
| 3130 | Moorestown, N. J | Moorestown Academy |  |  | Sch | 600 |
| 3131 | Moorestown, N. J | Library Association of Friends. |  | Sub | Soc'l. | 910 |
| 3132 | Morristown, N. J | Library and Lyceum | 1878 | Su |  | 11,000 |
| 3133 3134 | Morristown, N . | Morristown Sominary |  |  | Sch....... | 1, 2100 |
| ${ }_{3135}^{3134}$ | Morristown, N. J | Yonng Men's Christian Association | 1880 | Free.. | Y. M.C. A. | 600 800 |
| 3135 3135 | Mount Holly, N Mount Holly, N | Barlington County Lyceum of History and Natural Science. Rhees Circulating Library. | 1859 1849 | Soth |  | , 800 700 |
| 3137 | Newark, N. ${ }^{\text {J }}$ | Board of Trado .-. |  | Free.. | Mer | 1,006 |
| 3138 | Newark, N. J. | Beacon Street Cerman-American School |  |  |  | 400 |
| 3139 | Newark, N. J | Essex Law Library......... | 1879 | Sub... | Law ...... | 3, 010 |
| 3140 | Newark, | Green Street School Librar | 1871 | Free.. | Sch | 500 |
| 3111 | Newark, N. | Library Association | 1847 | Sub. | Gen ....... | 27, 523 |

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|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  | 守 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 3142 | Newark, N. J | Lrceum Library of New Jersey | 1876 | Free.. | Sch. | 350 |
| 3143 | Newark, N. | New Jerser Historical Societ | 1845 | Sub.. | Hist'l. | 8,114 |
| 3144 | Sewark, | New Tersey Home for Disabled | 1812 | Free. |  | 8019 |
| 3145 | Nerrark, N. | Orphan 4 sslum |  |  | A. \& 1 | 00 |
| 3146 | Nerrark, N. J | Public School Libraries (6) | ${ }_{1883}^{1851}$ | Free .. | Sch. | 3,690 |
| 3147 | Nerark, N. | St. Benedict's Colle | $18 \% 0$ | Free.. | Col | 2, 700 |
| 3148 | Newark, | Jonng Men's Catholic Associa- | 1855 | Free. |  | 1,200 |
| 314 | Newark, N. | Young Men's Christian Association | 1882 | Free.. | T.M.C.A. | 1,000 |
| 3150 | New Brunswick, | Rutgers College | 1770 | Free.. | Col....... | 11,206 |
| 3151 | New Brunswick, N.J | Philoclean Societr ............... | 1823 | Sub... |  | 1, 400 |
| 3152 | New Brunswick, N.J | Theological Seminary of the Reformed Church in America, Gardner A. Sage Library. | 1872 | Free.. | The | 33, 000 |
| 3153 | New Brunswick, N.J | Young Men's Christian Association | 1868 | Freo. | Y.M.C. A. | 3,000 |
| 3154 | New Providence, N.J | Public School (So.18) Library.... |  |  |  |  |
| 3155 | Newton, N.J | Dennis Library (Newton Library Association. | 1873 |  |  | 6, 445 |
| 3156 | Ocean Grove | Lsceum Library. |  | Snb. | Soc'l. | 950 |
| 3157 | Orange, N. J | Free Library | 1883 | ]ro. |  | 1,304 |
| 3158 | Orange, N. J | New England Society of Orange |  |  |  | 705 |
| 3159 | Paterson, N | Board of Trade | 1876 |  | M | 520 |
| 3160 | Paterson, N . | Free Public Libia | 1885 | Irce | Ge | 7,000 |
| 3161 | Paterson, N | Orphan Asslum Library.......... |  |  |  | 1,000 |
| 3162 | Paterson, N | Passaic Comnty Historical Society. | 1867 | Sub. |  | 450 |
| 3163 | Paterson, N | Passaic Rolling Mill Literary As. sociation. | 1882 | Free.. |  | 355 |
| 3164 | Paterson, N. | Paterson Seminary |  |  | Sc | 1, 000 |
| 3165 | Paterson, N.J | Public School Libraries (3) | 1831 | Free |  | 2, 228 |
| 3166 | Pennington, N | Pennington Institnte |  |  | Sc | 2, 500 |
| 3167 | Pennington, N . | Pennington Seminary | 1844 | Free.. |  | 1,000 |
| 3168 | Plainfield, | Pablic School Library | 1867 | Free | Sch | 1,300 |
| 3169 | Pl | Toung Men's Christian Associa- | 1867 | Su | Y.M. C. A | 1,500 |
| 3170 | Princeton, | College of Ner Jerser | 1746 | Frce.. | Col | 5, 000 |
| 3171 | Princeton, | American Whir S | 1769 |  | Soc' | 8,000 |
| 3172 | Princeton, N | Ciciosophic Societr | 1765 |  | Soc' | 8,000 |
| 3173 | Princeton, | Ioung Men's Christian Associa- |  |  | Y. II. C. A | 1,300 |
| 3174 | Princeton, N | Iry Hall Library | 1873 | Both.. | Sch | 2,000 |
| 3175 | Princeton, N. | Theological Seminary of the Presbrterian Clunck. | 1821 | Free.. | The | 43,000 |
| 3176 | Ralı | Rahwar Library | 1858 | Sub... | Gen | 9,043 |
| 3177 | Red Bank | Mrutual Library Associa | 1884 | Sub... | Gen | 510 |
| 3178 | Red Bank, 1 N. | Public School Library | 1877 | Free.. | Sch. | 32. |
| 3179 | Fiatherford, N.J | School District No. 40, Bergen Countr. | 1868 | Free.. | Sc | 1,100 |
| 3180 | Salem, N. J | Library Company ... | 1304 | Sub.. | Gen | 9,000 |
| 3181 | Shrersbury, N.J. | Library Association | 1862 | Sub... | Gen | 1,100 |
| 3182 | Smith's Landing, N.J | School Library. | 1881 | Free.. | Sch | 302 |
| 3183 | Somerville, AI. J | People's Reading Room and Library Association. | 1870 | Both. | G | 1, 508 |
| 3184 | Sorth Ambor, N.J | Raritan Public Library........... | 1880 | Both. | Gen | 602 |
| 3185 | South Orange, N.J | Library Ássociation | $186 \overline{ }$ | Sub. | Gen | 2, 250 |
| 3186 | Summit, | Library Association | 1874 | Sub. | Gen ...... | 1, U715 |
| 3187 | Trenton, | Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F | 1844 | Free.. | I. O.0.F.. | 1, 30 : |
| 3188 | Trenton, N | Skelton Library* | 1878 | Free.. | Scli....... | 1,0111 |
| 3189 | Trenton, 1 | South Trenton Lodge 36, I. O. O. F. | 1870 | Free.. | I. O.O.F.- | 354 |
| 3190 | Trenton, | State Librar 5 ............ | 1796 | Free.. | State..... | 31, 000 |
| 3191 3192 | Trenton, N | State Lunatic Asslum | 1818 | Free.. | A. \& R ... | 3,54. |
| 3193 | Trenton, | State Prison....... | 1845 | Free.. | A. \&R.. | 5 , (0) |
| 3194 | Trenton, 1 | Union Library (W.C. T. U.) | 1878 | Both. | Gen ...... | 5,321 |
| 3195 | Vineland, | Public Library | 1876 | Sub. | Gen ...... | 1,500 |
| 3196 | Williamstown, N.J. | Free Reading Room and Library Association. | 1878 | Free. | Gen ...... | 500 |

[^116]Table XVI.-Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 volumes, fo.-Continued.

|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  | 茞 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 37 | Woodbars, న. ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | School District NO. 1, Gloucester | 1573 | Free | Sch. | 325 |
| 31 | Woodbury, N. J | Woodbury Libr | 1794 | Sub | Gen | 0 |
| 8199 | Woodstown, N. J.. | Pilesgrove Librar | 1860 |  | Gen | 0 |
| 3201 | Fort Bayard, N . | Post Library ..... | 1866 |  |  | 1,10 |
| 3202 | Las Vegas, N. Mex | Las Vegas | 1875 |  |  | ${ }_{3}$ 3,500 |
| 32133 | Las Teas, N.M | ${ }^{\text {Public Libra }}$ | ${ }_{189}^{1855}$ | Free -- | Gen |  |
| 3205 | Santa Fe , N. | Territorial Libr | 1850 | Free .. |  | 7,570 |
| 3206 | Santa Fe, N. | University of New | 1881 | Free .. | Col | , 600 |
| 32.37 | Adams, N. Y | Adams Colle riate Institu | 1864 | Free .. | Sch |  |
| 3228 <br> 3209 | ${ }^{\text {Addison, }}$ | Union School Library | 1867 |  |  | 1,4 |
| 3209 3210 | ${ }_{\text {Afton, }}$ Albany, X. X ${ }^{\text {P }}$ | Union School azd $\Delta$ | ${ }_{181}^{1870}$ | Free.. | Suc |  |
| 3211 | Albany, N. Y | Albany Academy |  |  | Sch | 1,25 |
|  | Albany, N. Y | Albauy Female | 1814 | Free.. |  | 4,000 |
| 3213 <br> 3214 <br> 1 | Albany, N. Y | Albany Institute. | 1868 | Sreo.. | Soo' | 5,000 |
| 15 | Albany, N. Y. (53 Howard street). | House of Shelter.. | 1869 | Freo.. | A. \& | 520 |
| 3210 | Albany, TV. Y ........... | Orphan Ass | 1829 |  | A. |  |
| 3217 | Albany, N. Y. | Pablic Libra | 1882 | Fiee.. |  | 6,377 |
| ${ }_{3219}^{3218}$ | Albany, N. ${ }^{\text {Albany }}$ | St. Agnes scl |  |  |  |  |
|  | Albany, $\mathrm{N} . \mathrm{Y}$ | St. Vincent's Malo Orphan | 1889 |  |  |  |
| 3220 | Albany, N. Y . | Stato Court of Appeals, Cons | 183 |  |  | 0 |
| 21 | Albany, N. T. | State Law Librar | 1818 | Free.. | Law | 37,300 |
| 3223 | Albany, N. <br> Hbany N | Stato Library............. | 1818 |  | Sc | 128,871 1,000 |
| 2 | Albany, | State ${ }^{\text {tory }}$ Normal Sch | 1844 |  |  |  |
|  | Albany, | Young Men's Association | 1833 |  |  |  |
| 26 | Albany, X. Y | Young Men's Christian Associa- |  |  |  |  |
| 3227 | Albany, N. Y. | Young Mex's Christian Associa- | 1880 | Free.. | T.IT | 950 |
| 28 | Albion, N. Y | Hart Librars and Teading Room.. |  |  |  |  |
|  | Albion, | Union School Librarr............ | ${ }_{188}^{1876}$ | Free. | $\frac{\mathrm{sch}}{\mathrm{ch} . . . . .}$ | 625 500 |
| 30 | Albion, | Young Men's Christian Associa- tion. | 1883 |  |  |  |
| 3231 | Alexan | Union School Librarr. |  |  | Sch |  |
|  | 1 | Young Men's Christian Associa- | 1879 |  | 1. | 0 |
| 3233 | Alfred, N. Y | Alfred University | 1842 | Freo | Col |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 3234 \\ & 3235 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | Allogany, N. | St. Bonaventnre's Colleg |  |  |  |  |
|  | Amenia. ते. Y | Amenia Seminary.... | 1835 | Free. | Sc |  |
| 3:37 | Ames, N. Y | School Library, District |  |  |  | 342 |
| 3238 | Amsterdam, $\mathrm{X} \cdot \mathrm{Y}$ | Young Men's Cli | 1880 | Sub | I. M. | 630 |
| 3233 | $\triangle$ nnand | St. Stephen's Col | 1860 | Fre | Col | 6, 000 |
|  | Antwer | Ires Seminary.* |  | Free.. |  |  |
| 3241 | Argyle, N. ${ }_{\text {Athens, }}$. Y | Arysio Academ. -i.l. | $18 \pm 1$ |  | Sch |  |
| 3243 | Attica, N. Y | Union School Library*. |  | Free.. |  | 6t |
| 3244 |  | Academic High School.......... | $\begin{aligned} & 1865 \\ & 18 \end{aligned}$ | Free.. |  |  |
| 3246 | Auburn, तो. ${ }^{\text {a }}$..... | Caruga Asrlum for Destitute |  | Free. | A. $\&$ R | 390 |
| 7 | Aubarn, | Cayuga County Hist | 1876 | F |  | 359 |
| 8 | Auburn, N. | Seymour Library |  |  |  | 9,433 |
| 3249 3250 | Aularn, N. Y | State Prison, | 1841 | Free.. | 1. 21 | -500 |
| 51 | ra, | vuca Lake Military Acade |  | b. |  |  |
|  | A | School Library, District No. 6 | 1845 |  |  | 1 |
| 53 | Aurora, N. Y... | Wells Colleg | 1863 | Free.. | Col | $2, \mathrm{CCH}$ |

[^117]Table XVI.-Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 rolumes, \& $\quad$ c.-Continued.

|  | Place, | Name of library. |  |  | 离 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 3251 | Au Sable F | Union School Libr | 18.51 | Free.. | Sch | 572 |
| 3:3.5 | ATon, 2.7 | Tnion School Library | 1881 | Free.. | Sch | - |
| $3: 3$ | liabslon, N. Y | School Librar, Distriet No |  |  | Sch........ | 350 |
| 3.57 | lambridge, N. Y | Academy and Union School....... | 1873 | Free.. | Sch....... | , 818 |
| 3253 | Balston, N. Y... | Saratoga County Law Library.... | 1820 | Free.. | Law...... | 1,000 300 |
| 3259 | Lailstor, A. Y | Schnol Library, District No. 1 (Milton). |  |  |  | 300 |
| 3260 | Tataria, | Bataria Library* ................. | 1872 | Sub... | Gen....... | 3,240 |
| 3201 | Bat:sria, | State Institution for the Bli | 1865 | Free.. |  | 1,800 |
| 3202 | Eataria, N. | Cnion School, District No. 2. | 1846 | Free.. | Sch | 4, 983 |
| 3263 | Bath, N. | Library Association | 1869 | sub. |  | 5, 500 |
| 3264 | Bath Leach, N | sthonl Library, District No. 1 (New U(recht). |  |  |  | 400 |
| 3265 | Bath-on-the-Hudson, N. Y. | School Library. Distiul No. 6 (North Greenbush.) |  |  | Sch | 750 |
| 3268 | Bayside, N. Y.......... | School Library, District No. 2 (Flushing). |  |  | Sch | 00 |
| 3267 | Belfust. | Genese Valles Seminary | 1858 | Free.. | Sch | 487 |
| 3268 | Bellerille, | Union Academs. | 1826 | Free |  | 1,418 |
| 3263 | Belmont, N. F | Allegany County Law L | 1856 | Free.. | Law | 600 |
| 320 | Bennington. $\mathrm{N} . \mathrm{Y}$. $\ldots$..... | Free Library........... | 1865 | Free.. | Gen | 4,400 |
| 3271 | Bethlehem Centre, N. Y. | School Librars. District |  |  |  | 410 |
| 3272 | Binghamton, N. Y | City School Librars. | 1861 | Free.. | Sch. | 5, 500 |
| 3273 | Binghamton, N. | Libiary Association | 1874 | Sub. | Gen | 3, 000 |
| 3274 | Binghamton, N . Y | Sapreine Court Library | 18.59 | Free.. | Law | 6, 000 |
| 3275 | Binghamton, N. Y...... | Young Men's Cluristian Associa. | 1879 | Sub .. | Y. M.C.A. | 650 |
| 3270 | Blaurelt, N. F. | School Library, District No. 6 | 1811 |  | Sch. | 400 |
| 3277 | Bowmansrille, N . | School Library, District No. 4 |  |  | Sch | 350 |
| 32:8 | Brentrood, N. Y....... | (Lailcaster). <br> School Library, District No. 12 ( Islip). |  |  | Sch | 918 |
| 3279 | Bridgehampton. | Hampton Library................. | 1876 | Sub... | Gen | 4, 224 |
| 3280 | Brocraport, N . | Beach Free Librars* | 1812 | Free | Gen | 1,267 |
| 3281 | Brockport | Stato Norma |  | Freo.. |  | 800 |
| 3282 | Broaxrille, N. Y | School Library, District No. 2 (Last Chester). | 1870 | Free.. |  | 1,259 |
| 3233 | Brookisn, N . | Adrlphi Academy........ | 1869 | Free.. | Sch.. | 1, 840 |
| 3234 | Brooklym, | Bedford Circulating Library | 1877 | Sub |  | 2,000 |
| 3235 | Bruokiyn, N. | Brooklyn Collegiate and Poly. techinic Institute. | 1855 |  | Col | 3,200 |
| 3286 | Brooklyn, N | Broobly Entomological Society.- | 1872 | Free.. | Sci | 350 |
| 3287 | Brooklyn, N. | Brooklyn Homœopathic Hospital Gencral Library. |  | Freo. | Soc | 00 |
| 3233 | Brooklyn, N. T | Medical Library. | 1873 | Free.. | Med | 925 |
| 3259 | Brooklyn, N | Brooklya Law Library* | 1832 |  |  | 8,137 |
| 3290 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Brooklyn, N. } \bar{Y} . \quad \text { (10j } \\ & \text { Montague st.). } \end{aligned}$ | Brooklyn Library..... | 1857 | Free.. | Gen | 90, 0<0 |
| 3201 | Brooklyn, N. Y. | Brooklyn Society of the New Church.* | 1859 | Free.. | The'1 | 850 |
| 3292 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Brooklyn, N. F., (4t } \\ & \text { Comit st.). } \end{aligned}$ | College Grammar School* |  |  | Sch. | 500 |
| 3293 | Brooklyn, ㄷ. F. (243 Meserole st.). | Delmonico Literary Association.- | 1830 | Free .. | Soc'1 | 500 |
| 3294 | Brooklyn, N. Y | Eastern District Industrial School. |  |  | A. \& R. | 400 |
| 3295 | Brooklyn, N. | Eastern District School Library | 1866 | Fr |  | 1: 000 |
| ${ }^{3206}$ | Brooklyn, N. Y......... | Long Island College Hospital. |  |  | Med | , 000 |
| 3297 | Brooklyn, N. Y. (563 Atlatic are.) | Long Island Free Library | 1881 | Free .. |  | 4,003 |
| 3298 | Brooklyn, N. Y......... | Long Island Historical Society... | 1863 | Sub... | Hist'1. | 41,000 |
| 3299 | Brooklyn, N. F. (398 | Medical Society of Kings County. |  | Free.. |  | 2,000 |
| 3300 | Brooklyn, N. Y. | Orphan Asslum Society of the city of Brooklrn.* |  |  | A. \& R | 1,400 |
| 3301 | Brooklyn, N. Y. (Al. bany are. and Horkimer st.). | Orphan's Library of the Church Charity Foundation of Long Is. land. | 1851 | Free.. | A. \& R... | 1,000 |
| 3302 | Brooklyn, N. Y. | Packer Collegiate Institate. | 1845 |  | Sch | 4, 9こ0 |
| 3303 | Brooklyn, N. Y | St. Francis College |  |  |  | 3,000 |
| 83.4 | Brooklsn, N. Y | St. James' Commercial College* |  |  | Col........ | 1,600 |

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|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  | 崗 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 3305 | Brooklyn, N. Y. (cor. Albany and St. Mark's | St. John's Home for Boys......... | 1874 | Free.. | A. \& I... | 500 |
| 3306 | ave.). <br> Brooklyn, N. Y. (1310 Herkimer st.). | School Library District No. 5 (Nertown). | 1840 |  | Sc | 586 |
| 3307 | Brooklyn, N. | Union for Uhiristian Work, Free | 1882 | Freo.. | Soc'l. | 9,000 |
| 3308 | Brooklyn, N. Y | Lending Library. ${ }_{\text {Louth }}$ Free Library, Drooklyn | 1823 | Both.. | Soc'l. | 1,200 |
| 3309 | Brookisn, N. Y. (502 Fulton st.). | Institute. <br> Young Men's Christian Association. | 1854 | Sub... | Y. M.C. A. | 7,854 |
| 3310 | Buffalo, N. Y........... | Buffalo Catholic Institute......... | 1870 | Sub. | Soc | 4,000 |
| 3311 | Buffalo, N. | 13uffalo, lemale Acade | 1851 | Free.. | Sch | 1,250 |
| 3312 | Buffalo, N. | Buffalo Historical Society | 1862 | Free.. | hist | 8,237 |
| 3313 | Bufialo, N. | Buffalo Library -................... | 1830 | Both.. | Gen | 53, 000 |
| 3314 | Buffalo, N. Y | Luffalo Medical Library Association. |  |  | Med | 3, 000 |
| 3315 | Buffalo, N. | Canisius College. | 1876 | Both.. | Col | 14,500 |
| 3316 | Buffalo, N. Y | Erie County Medical Society | 1832 | Sub | Mel | 600 |
| 3317 | Buffalo, N. | Eric Railway Library Associatio |  |  | Soc'l. | , 000 |
| 3318 | Buftalo. N. Y | Evangelical Latheran St. John's Yonng Men's Christian Association. | 1867 | Freo.. | Y. M.C.A. | 450 |
| 3319 | Buffalo, N. Y | German Young MIen's A ssociation. | 1841 | Sub. | Soc | 3,782 |
| 3320 | Buffalo, N. Y........... | Grosvenor Public Library | 1859 | Fr |  | 31,000 |
| 3321 | Buffalo, N. Y. 620 Washington street). | Guard of Honor Library |  |  | Soc | 1,500 |
| 3322 | Buffalo, N. Y ........... | Migh School Library.. | 1880 | Free.. | Sch | , 060 |
| 3323 | Buffalo, N. Y. (320 Porter avenue). | Holy Angels' Acadcmy, Alumnæ Association. | 1883 | Both.. | Sch | 756 |
| 3324 | Buffalo, N. Y........... | Law Library Eighth Judicial District. | 1863 | Free.. | Law | 7,000 |
| 3325 | Buffalo, N. Y. ( 125 Ed. ward street). | Le Couteulx, St. Mary's Institute for Deaf-Mutes. | 1862 | Free.. | A. \& R. | 600 |
| 3326 | Buffalo, N. Y........... | Malleable Iron Works Library Association. | 1872 | Sub... | Soc' | 600 |
| 3327 | Buffalo, N. Y | Martin Luther College and Seminary. | 1854 | Free. | Col | 2,500 |
| 3328 | Buffalo, N. | Mechanics' Institute ............. | 1865 | Sub... | Soc'1 | 6, 000 |
| 3329 | Buffalo, N | Medical Department University of Buffalo. | 1882 | Free.. | Me | 1,500 |
| 3330 | Bufialo, N. Y | Merchants' Exchange............. | 1882 | Free.. | Mer | 350 |
| 3331 | Buffalo, N. Y | North Buffalo Catholic Instituto.. | 1885 |  | Soc'l....... | 745 |
| 3332 | Buffalo, N. Y | Railroad Young Men's Christian Association. | 1885 | Froe | Y.M.C.A. | 450 |
| 3333 | Buffalo, N. Y | St. John's Orphan Homo... | 1865 | Free.. | A. \& R | 710 |
| 3334 | Buffalo, N. Y | Society of Natural Science | 1861 | Frce.. |  | 3, 300 |
| 3335 | Buffalo, N. Y | State Asylum |  | 1 | A. \& 1.... | 580 |
| 3336 | Buffalo, N. Y | Turnverein Library................ |  |  | Soc'1....... | 550 |
| 3337 | Buttalo, N. Y | Women's Educational Industrial Union. |  |  |  | 300 |
| 3338 | Baffalo, N. Y | Young Men's Catholic Association. | 1855 | Freo.. | Soc'l...... | 1,500 |
| 3339 | Buffalo, N. Y | Young Men's Christian Association | 1852 | lireo. | Y. M.C.A. | 4, 056 |
| 3340 | Cambridge, N . Y | Cambridge A cademy. | 1813 | Sub | Sch | 2,450 |
| 3341 | Canajoharie, $N^{\text {P }}$. $Y$ | Union School, District |  | Frce.. | Sch | 1,000 |
| 3342 334 | Canandaigua, $\mathrm{N} . \overline{\mathrm{Y}}$ Canandairua N | Canandaigua Academy Fort Hill school | 1735 | Free.. |  | 1,200 1,500 |
| 3344 | Canandaigua, N . Y | Granger Place School |  |  | Sch | 1,000 |
| 3345 | Canandaigua, N. Y | School Library, District No. 11. |  | Free.. | Sch | 543 |
| 3346 | Canandaigua, N. Y | School Library, District No. 13.. |  |  | Sch | 673 |
| 3347 | Canastota, N. Y ...... | Union School and 4 cademy, District No. 9. |  | Freo.. | Sch | 500 |
| 3348 | Candor, N. Y | Candor Frce Academy*........... |  | Frce.. | Sch | 500 |
| 3349 | Canisteo | Canistco A cademy | 1871 | Frce.. | Sch | 500 |
| 3350 | Canton, N. Y | Canton Theological School |  |  | The | 8,000 |
| 3351 | Canton, N. Y | St. Lawrence University, Herring Library. | 1855 | Free.. | The | 9,089 |
| 3352 | Canton, N. Y........... | Union School Library ............ | 1842 | Frce.. | Sch |  |
| 3353 | Carmel, N. Y........... | Drew Seminary aud Female College. |  | Freo.. |  | 3, 000 |
| 3354 | Carmel, N. Y. | Literary Union | 1881 | Suj | Soc'1...... | 1,251 |

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Table XVl.-Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 rolumes, \& $\mathcal{f}$.-Continued.

|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  |  | Number of volumes. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 3335 | Carthage, | Cnion School I | 1870 | Frce .. | Scli | 0 |
| 3356 | Castleton, | District School No | 1843 | Freo.. |  | 900 |
| 3357 | Catskill, N. 1 | School Library, Di |  |  |  | 1,672 |
| 3353 | Cazenoria, N | Uazenoria Seminary |  |  | Sch ........ | 3,000 |
| 3359 | Cazenoria, N | Union Free School Library | 1876 | Free .- | Sch....... | 900 |
| 3360 | Champlain, | Union School, District No. | 1871 | Free.. |  | 700 |
| 3361 3362 | Chatbam, N. Y .......... | Union School Library................ | 1882 | Freo.. | Sch........ | 0 |
|  | Checktowaga, N. Y. (Wiiliamsrille P.O.) | School District Library No. ?*.... |  |  | Sch | 30 |
| 3363 | Cheektowaga, N: Y... | School Library, District Ño. |  | Free |  | 5 |
| 3364 | Cherry Valler, N. I | Lancaster School | 1800 | Free.. |  | 325 |
| 3365 | Chester, N . X | Union School Libr | 1842 | Free.. |  | 1,200 |
| 3366 | Chittenango, N | Yates Union School and A cademr, District No. 2. | 1881 | Free |  | 2, 651 |
| 3367 | Cincinuatus | Cincinnatus A cademy | 1807 | Free.. | Sch....... | 00 |
| 3368 | Clarence, | Parker Cnion School |  |  |  | 1,000 |
| 3369 | Claverack, | Clarerack Coilege | 1840 | Freo.. |  | 1,350 |
| 3370 | Clar, N. | Ciay and Lysander Library | 1840 | Free... | Gen | 315 |
| 3371 | Clarton, J. Y.. | School Library, District No. |  | Free.. |  | 300 |
| 3372 | Clifton Springs, N. Y | Clifton Springs Seminary |  |  |  | 05 |
| 3373 | Clifton Springs, N . Y | Pierce Library | 1879 | Sub... |  | 1,030 |
| 3374 | Clifton Springs, N. Y | Sanitarimm Library | 1861 | Free.. | Soc'l.. | $\stackrel{2}{2} 100$ |
| 3375 | Clifton Springs, N. Y. | Young Men's Christian Association. |  |  | F. M. C.A. | 1,069 |
| 3376 | Clinton, | Grammar School Library | 1815 | Free | Scl | 350 |
| 3377 | Cilinton, N . | Hamilton Collego | 1812 | Free .. |  | 21,000 |
| 3378 | Clinton, N. | Lats School | 1861 | Free.. | La | 6,000 |
| 3379 | Clinton, N. | Litchfield Obserratory |  |  | Sc | 1,000 |
| 3330 | Clinton. N . | Houghtou Scininary | 1851 |  |  | 1,000 |
| 3381 | Clyde, $\mathrm{N} . \mathrm{Y}$ | High School, District Mo. 16 | 1855 | Free.. |  | 400 |
| 3382 | Cochecton, | School Librare, District No. | 1865 |  | Sch | 301 |
| 3383 | Cohoes, $\overline{1}$. Y | Citr Library | 1874 | Frec.. |  | 2,000 |
| 3381 | Cold Spring, N | Library Associa | 1866 | Sub. | Gen | 3, 000 |
| 3385 | College Point, N. | Harmonic Society | 1855 | Sub... | Soc | 1,2:2 |
| 3386 | College Point, | Poppenhusen In | 1870 | Free.. | Gen | 2, 035 |
| 3387 | College Point. N. ${ }^{\text {I }}$ | Turner Society | 1860 | Free.. | Soc' | 500 |
| 3383 | Communits, N. Y | Oneida Community Lib | 1843 | Tree.. | Soc | 4,000 |
| 3389 | Cooperstown, | Union School Library | 1870 | Free.. | Sch | 1,800 |
| 3390 | Corning, N. Y | Library Association | 1873 | Sub... |  | 8, 000 |
| 3391 | Cornwall, A . | Young Men's Christian Associa. tion. |  |  | Y. M. C. | 300 |
| 3392 | Cornmall-on-the-Hadson, N. I. | Circulating Library................ | 1869 | Both.. | Soc'1 | 3,100 |
| 3393 | Cornwall-on-the-Hadson, N. Y. | School Library, Distri | 1850 | Free.- | Sch | 1,043 |
| 3394 | Cortland, N. Y.......... | State Normal and Training School. | 1869 | Free.. | Sch | 2, 0309 |
| 3395 3396 | Coxsackie. N. Y <br> Cuba, $\overline{\text { N }}$ | Coxsackie Academy Circulating Library | 1840 | Frec.- |  | 540 1,300 |
| 3396 3397 | Dansrille, N. | Circulating Library ................ | 1812 |  |  | 1, 0c0 |
| 3398 | Darid's Island, N.I.(P. 0., Pelham). | Depot Librars |  | Free. |  | -, 469 |
| 3399 | Delhi, N. Y ... | Delawaro Academr | $18: 5$ | Free.. | Sch | 2, 000 |
| 3400 | Dobb's Ferrs, N. Y | School Lib:arr, Distr |  |  |  | cio |
| 3401 | Dankirk, S . Y | Union School Library* |  | Free.. | Sch | G8J |
| 3402 | Draden, N. | Union School, District N | 1871 | Free.. | Sch | Gi0 |
| 3403 | East Bloomfield, N. Y. | Cnion School Library | 187 | Free.. |  | 500 |
| 3404 | East New York, N. Y .- | St. Malachy's Honre | 1870 | Fr | A. \& P | 475 |
| 3405 | East Sbore. N. I.) P. O., Tomkins rille). | Yonng Men's Christian Association. |  |  | 1. M. C.A | 160 |
| 3406 | Eddrtown, N. Y..... | Starker Seminar | 1844 | Free .- | Sch | 3, 010 |
| 3407 | Elbridge, N. Y | Mamro Collegiate Institute | 1845 | Free.. |  | $3+11$ |
| 3408 | Elizabethtown. N. Y | Cnion School Librars |  | Free .- | Sch | 410 |
| 3409 | Ellington, N. Y. | Ellington Academ5 | 1853 | Free.. | Sch | 110 |
| 3410 | Elmira, $2 . \mathrm{Y}$ | Elmira Farmers' Club | 1872 | Free.. | Soc 1 | 2,111 |
| 3411 | Elmira, $\mathrm{N} . \mathrm{Y}$ | German Library Association | $18: 59$ | Sub.. | Soc'l | 1.413 |
| 3412 | Elmira, N. Y | Losie's Circulating Librar | 1880 | Sab. |  | 1, 30 |
| 3413 | Elmiza, N. Y............ | Railroad Young Men's Christian Association. |  |  | Y. M. С.A. | cto |
| 3414 | Elmira, N I. F . | State Ieformatory ........... | 1876 | Frea | A. \&R.. | 3, 200 |

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|  | Placo. | Name of library. |  |  | - |  |
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| 3415 | Elmira, N. Y............ | Yonng Men's Christian Associa- | 1858 | Sub. | T. M. C.A. | 3,890 |
| 3416 | Fairfield, N. Y | Fairfield Se |  |  |  | 3, 000 |
| 3417 | Fayetteville, N. Y ...... | Union School, District No. 11 (Manlius). |  | Free.. | Sch ........ | 700 |
| 3418 | Fishkill, | School Library, District No. 3.... |  |  | Sch. | 00 |
| 3419 | Flatbush, | Erasmus Hall A cademy . | 1787 | Frec.. |  | 2,000 |
| 3420 | Flatbush, N. Y | School Library, District No. | 1840 | Free. | Sch | 2,237 |
| 3421 | Flatlands, N. X | School Library, District No. 1.... |  |  |  | 869 |
| 3422 | Flatlands, N. Y | School Librar5, District No. 2.... |  |  | Sch | 345 |
| 3423 | Florida, N. X | Semard Institute. |  |  |  | 350 |
| 3124 | Flushing, N. Y | Flushing Inst |  |  | Sch | C00 |
| 3125 | Flushing, N. Y | High School* |  | Froo.. |  | 2,000 |
| 3126 | Flushing, N . $\mathbf{Y}$ | Sauford Hall Asslum | 1849 |  | A. \& R. | ${ }^{600}$ |
| $34 \geq 7$ | Flushing, N. Y | Union School, District No. 5 |  | Free.. | Sch.. | 2,000 |
| 3428 | Forestville, N. Y ....... | Forestrille Free Academy and Union School.* |  | Free.. | Sch | $7{ }_{6}$ |
| 3.429 | Fort Covington, $\mathrm{N} . \mathrm{Y}$. | Fort Covington Academ ${ }^{\text {a }}$. ${ }^{\text {a }}$..... | 1848 | Free.- | Sch. | 800 |
| 3430 | Fort Coringtor, N. Y. | School Librars, District No. 1..... |  |  |  | 306 |
| 3431 | Fort Edward, N. Y ..... | Fort Edward Collegiate Institute. | 1854 |  | Sch | 1,000 |
| 3432 | Fort Edward, N. Y. (Union School build'g). | Union School Library. | 1849 | Free.. | Sc | 1,100 |
| 3433 | Fort Hamilton, N. Y. | Post Library |  | Free.. | Gar | 306 |
| 3434 | Fort Hamilton, N. Y.... | School Library. District No. 4 (Now Ttrecht). |  |  |  | 874 |
| 3435 | Fort Plain, N. Y | Clinton Liberal Instituta* |  | Free.. | Sch | 3, 200 |
| 3436 | Fort Plain, N. Y | School Library, District No. 7 (Minden). |  |  |  | 558 |
| 3437 | Frankfort | School Library, District No. 9 |  |  | Sch | 300 |
| 3438 | Franklin, N. Y | Delarare Literary Institut | 1835 | Free.. |  | 2, 000 |
| 3439 | Franklinville, N | Ten-Broeck Free Academy | 1867 | Frree.. | Sc | 700 |
| 3440 | Fredonia, N. Y | Darum R. Barker Library | 1883 | Su |  | 1,555 |
| 3441 | Fredonia, N | School Library, District No. S (Pomfret). | 1847 |  |  | 700 |
| 3442 | Fredonia, $\mathrm{N} . \mathrm{Y}$ | State Normal and Training School. | 1867 | Free.. | Sch. | 2,000 |
| 3443 | Friendship, | Friendship Acalemy -............ | 1849 | Free.. |  | 600 |
| 3444 |  | Union School and A cademy....... | 1836 | Free.. | Sc | 1,000 |
| 3445 | Garden City, N Y ...... | Cathedral Library of the Incarnation. | 1878 | Free.. |  | 1,660 |
| 34447 | Garden City, N. Y | St. Mary's (Cathedral) School |  |  |  |  |
| 3447 | Garden City, N. Y....... | St. Paul's (Cathedral) School | 1839 | Free |  | 1,000 2,250 |
| 3449 | Gcneseo, N . $\mathbf{Y}$ | School Library, District |  |  |  | 625 |
| 3450 | Geneseo, N. | Wadsworth Library | 1843 | Free.. | Ge | 10,000 |
| 3451 | Geneva, N. Y | Hobart College | 1824 | Freo.. | Col | 15, 285 |
| 3452 | Gilbertsville, N. Y | Gilbertsville A cademy | 1810 | Freo.. | Sch | 510 |
| 3453 | Glen, N. Y | Union School, District No. |  | Free.. | Sch | 350 |
| 3454 | Glen Core, N. Y | School Library, Distric | 1838 | Free.. | Sch | 600 |
| 3455 | Glens Falls, N. Y | Library Association | 1841 | Sab. | Gen | 2, 100 |
| 3456 | Glens Falls, N. Y | Union School, District No. | 1881 | Free.. | Sch | 742 |
| 3457 | Glenham, N. | Union Free School......... |  | F'ree.. | Sch | 790 |
| 3458 | Glen Head, N. Y... | School Library, District No. 2 |  |  | Sch. | 400 |
| 3459 | Gloversville, N. Y | Levi Parsons Library | 1880 | Sub... | Gen | 6,781 |
| 3160 | Glovers ville, N. | Union School, District No. 16 | 1854 | Free.. | don | 300 |
| 3461 | Goshen, N | School Library, District N |  |  | Sch | 483 |
| 3162 | Goshen, N. Y | Yonng Men's Christian Association. | 1865 | Sub. | Y. II.C.A. | 900 |
| 3463 | Gouverneur, $\mathrm{N} . \mathrm{Y}$ | Gouverneur Wesleyan Seminary |  |  | Sch | 00 |
| 3464 | Gowanda, N. Y | Union School Library | 18.57 |  | Sch | 330 |
| 3165 | Gravesend, N. Y | School Librars, District No. | 1850 | Free | Sch | 60 |
| 3165 | Great Neck, N. Y | School Library, District No. 7 |  |  | Scl | 350 |
| 3407 | Greenbush, N. Y. | School Library, District No. 1 | 1860 | Free.. | Sc | 315 |
| 3468 | Greene, N. Y | Union School Library ............ |  | Free.. |  | 1,170 |
| 3469 | Grecn Island, N. Y | School Library, District No. 23 (Watervliet). | 1856 | Free.. |  | 145 |
| 3470 | Grecnport, N. Y | Union School Library. |  | Free.. | Sch | 400 |
| 3171 | Greenville, N. Y | Greenville Academy | 1816 | Free.. | Scl, | $354$ |
| 3172 | Greenwich, N. Y | Circulating library ........ | 1877 | Sub... | Soc 1 | 1,362 |
| 3473 3474 3 | Groten, N. ${ }^{\text {Y }}$ | Union School. District No. 8 | 1837 | Free.. | Sch | 730 693 |
| 3475 | Hamilton, N. ${ }^{\text {Y }}$........ | Colgato $\Delta$ cademy | 1873 | Fre | Si | 1,50 J |

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|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  | 駕 |  |
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| 3476 | Mamilton. N | Madison Unirersity | 1820 |  | Col | 18.090 |
| 347 | 1lamilton, ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | Beta Theta Society | 1880 | Free | Soc' | 1,000 |
| $3+18$ | Hamiton, N. I | Union School Libra | 1856 | Free |  | 500 |
| 3479 | Hammondsport, N . | Hammondsport Librar | 1884 | Sub... | Gen | 940 |
| 34.0 | liancock, N. ${ }^{\text {J }}$. | Union School Library |  | Free.. | Sch | 350 |
| 3481 | Hartwick Seminary, N. Y. | Hartwick Seminary | 1815 | Free.. | $\mathrm{Scl}$ | 4, uc0 |
| 3182 | Hastings - on • Mudson, N. Y. | School Library, District No. 4 (Greenbargh). |  |  |  | - 400 |
| 3483 | Maгana, N. F.......... | Cook Academ5.. | 1872 | Free.. | Sch | 1,200 |
| $3 \pm 24$ | Havana. N. | Havana Library | 1873 | Sub. | Ge | 1,400 |
| $34=5$ | Haverstraw, X. Y ....... | Mountain Institute |  |  |  | 300 |
| 3480 | Haverstraw, $\mathrm{N} . \mathrm{Y}$ | School Library, Dist | 1850 |  | Sch |  |
| 3487 | Hempstead, N. Y | Hempstead Institute | 1861 | Free.. |  | 1,000 |
| 3488 | Hempstead, N. F | School Librars, District No. 1. | 1849 | Free.. |  | 1,354 |
| 3483 | High Falls, N. Y. | School Library, District No. 1 (Marbletown). |  |  |  | 3 CO |
| 3490 | Highland Falls, N. Y | Morgan Circulating Library. | 1884 | Sub... | Soc'1 | 1,161 |
| 3491 | Highland Falls, N. Y... | School Library, District No. 2 |  |  |  | 515 |
| 3492 | Himrods, $\mathrm{N} . \mathrm{Y}$......... | Genrgic Librar ${ }^{*}$ | 1855 | Free.. | Gen | 2, 0.j0 |
| 3493 | Holland Patent, N. Y | Union School, District No. | 1872 | Free.. | Sch | 1,100 |
| $249 \pm$ 3495 | Holler, N.Y | Union School Library | 1868 | Free.. |  | 64.9 |
| 3495 | Homer, N . | Acarlemy and Union School, District 0.1. | 1819 | Free.. |  | 1,850 |
| 2496 | Hoganslurg, N. Y...... | School Library, District No. 1 (Bombar). |  |  | Sc | 350 |
| 3497 | Inonsic Falls, N. Y. | School Library, District No. 1 | 1863 | Free.. | Sch | 92.5 |
| 3498 | Hornellsville, N. Y | Free Academy |  | Free | Sch | 382 |
| 3493 | Hornellsrille, N. ${ }^{\text {Y }}$ | Hornell Library | 1868 | Free.. | Gen | 7,300 |
| 3500 | Hornellsville, N. Y | Railroad Young Men's Christian Association | 1882 | Sub | I. M | 530 |
| 3501 | Hudson, N. F | Franklin Library* | 1837 | Sub. | Gen | 4,674 |
| 3502 | Hudson, N. Y | Hudson A cadeniy* |  |  | Sch | 300 |
| 3503 | Hudson, N. Y............ | Young Men's Christian Associa. tion. | 1866 | Free.. | Y. M . | 1, 650 |
| 3504 | Huntington, N. ${ }^{\text {I }}$...... | Northport Literary Union | 1882 | Sub. |  | 300 |
| 3505 | fluntington, N. Y....... | Public Library | 1875 |  |  | 2, 300 |
| 35013 | Huntington, N . | Cuion School Library | 1858 | Free |  | 900 |
| 3507 | Hurley, N. | School Library, District No. 4 | 1840 |  |  | 302 |
| 3508 | Irvington, N. Y | School Library, District No. 2 (Greenburgh). |  |  |  | 1,600 |
| 3509 | Ithaca, N. Y | Cornell Library ................. | 1860 | Free.. | Gen | 13, 851 |
| 3510 | Ithaca, N. Y | Cornell Universit | 1863 | Free | Col | 54, 840 |
| 3511 | Ithaca, N. ${ }^{\text {I }}$ | Higle School Librar | 1875 | Free.. | Sch | 1,774 |
| 3512 | Jamaica (L.I.), N. Y... | School Library, District 1 |  |  |  | 1, 000 |
| 3513 | Jamestown, N. Y...... | Citṣ Library*. | 1877 | Sub... |  | 800 |
| 3514 | Jamestown | Union School and Collegiato In. stitute. | 1866 | Free.. |  | 2, 521 |
| 3515 | Jamestown, N. Y | Younglien's ChristianAssociation | 1875 | Sub. | Y. T . | 1,300 |
| 3516 | Jericho, N. Y | Nchool Library, District No. 15... |  |  |  | 468 |
| 3517 3518 | Johnstown, N | Tnion School, District No. $4 . .$. | 1869 | Free.. | Sch | 3, 000 |
| 3518 | Jorlan. N, Y | Free Academy ............. | 1865 | Free.. | Sch | 950 |
| 3519 | Katonah, N. Y | Villaç Library | 1880 | Sub... | Gen | 1,000 |
| 3520 | Kenserille, N. Y | Union School Library | 1870 | Free.. | Sc | 1, 000 |
| 3521 | Kingsborough, X. Y.... | School Librars, District No. 17 (Johnstown). | 1846 |  |  | 367 |
| 35.2 | Kingston, N. Y | Kingston A cademr |  |  | Sch | 1, 145 |
| 35.3 | Kingston, N | School Library, District No. 5 | 1774 |  |  | 1,770 |
| 35.4 | Kingston, $\mathrm{N} . \mathrm{Y} . .$. | Sapremo Court, Third Judicial District. | 1874 |  | L | 3, 000 |
| 3525 | Kingston, $\mathrm{N} . \mathrm{Y}$ | YouncMen's ChristianA ssociation |  |  | Y.M | 45\% |
| 35.20 | Knoxboro, X. ${ }^{\text {Y }}$ | School Library, District No. 13 ... |  |  | ${ }_{\text {Sch }}$ | 304 |
| 3307 | I.ancaster, $\mathbf{N}$. $\mathbf{Y}^{\text {r }}$ | School Library, District No. 8.... |  |  | Sch | 32.5 |
| 35.8 | Lansingburg, N. Y..... | School Library, District No. 1 |  |  | Sch | 1, 8 (1) |
| ${ }_{3} 3531$ | Lawrence Station, N. Y. | School Librars, District No. 15. | 1851 |  | Sc | $33{ }^{3}$ |
| 3531 | Lawrencerille, N. Y.... | Lamrencerille Academy | 1861 |  |  | 3 30 |
| 3532 | Le Ror, N. | Ingham University and Altonia Libraries. <br> Ladies' Library Association ...... | 1850 | Free.. Sub... | Col. | $3{ }^{3} 000000$ |
| 3533 | Le Roy, ${ }^{\text {N. }}$. ${ }^{\text {r }}$ | Le Roy Academic Institut | 1864 | Sub | Sch | 1,068 |
| 3534 | Lewiston. X. ${ }^{\text {Y }}$ | School Library, District No. | 1845 |  | Sch | 382 |
| 3535 | Lisle, N. Y | Academy and Únion School. | 1867 | Free.. | Sch | 44: |

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|  | Place． | Name of library． |  |  | ジす | Number of volumes． |
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| 3536 | Little Falls，N． | Union School Library | 1873 | Froo ．－ | Sch | 2，000 |
| 3537 | Little Falls，N． | Young Men＇s Christian Association | 1881 | Sub．．． | Y．M．C． 4 ． | $4: 8$ |
| 3538 | Little Valley， N | Union School，District No．3．．．．．． | 1881 | Free．． | Sch．．．．．．．． | 475 |
| 2339 | Lockport，N． Y ．．．．．．．． | Union School District Library．．．． | 1818 | Frce．． | Sch． | 4，100 |
| 3540 | Locust Viller，N．Y．．．．． | School Library，District No．4．．．． |  |  | Sch | 550 |
| 3511 | Long\％Island City，N．Y． | Fourth Ward School Library（As－ toria）． |  |  | Sc | 600 |
| 3542 | ${ }^{\text {L }}$ Lyons， $\mathrm{N} . \mathrm{T}$ | School Library，District No． $6 . . .$. |  |  |  | 1，500 |
| 3543 | Maccdon Center，N． Y. | Macerlon Academy | 1844 | Frec．． |  | 320 |
| 3544 | Malone，N．Y－．．．．．．．．．． | School District Librar | 1865 | Freo．． | Scl | 3，000 |
| 3545 | Manlius，N．Y ．．．．．．．．．．． | St．John＇s Military Scho |  |  |  | 300 |
| 3546 | Marion．N．Y ．．．．．．．．．．． | Collegiato Instituto | 1856 | Freo．． | Col | 0 |
| 3547 | Maspeth，N．Y．．．．．．．．．． | School Library，District No． 5 （Newtown）． | 1830 | Freo．－ |  | 550 |
| 3548 | Matteaman，N．Y．．．．．．． | Howland Circulating Library．．．．． | 18，2 | Sub． | Soc＇1 | 5，000 |
| 3549 | Mayville，N．Y ．．．．．．．．．． | Sclool Library，District Ño． 1 （Chantauqua）． | 1823 |  |  | 753 |
| 3550 | Mayvillo，N． $\mathrm{F} . . . . . .$. | Union Schoul Library＊．．．．．．．．．．． |  | Free．． | Sc | 90 |
| 3551 | Mechanicsville，N．Y．．． | Mechanicsville Academ | 1862 | Free．． |  | 400 |
| 3552 | Mechanicsvillo，N．Y．．． | Sohool Library，District No． 10 （Stillwater＇）． |  |  |  | 500 |
| 3553 | Medina，N． | Medina Academy． | 1850 | Freo．． | Sch | 1，400 |
| 3554 | Medina，N．Y | Young Mcn＇sChristian Association | 1879 | Frco．． | Y．M．С．$\triangle$ ． | 650 |
| 3555 | Mexico， $\mathrm{N} . \mathrm{Y}$ | Mexico Academy | 1826 | Free．． | Sch | 1，413 |
| 3556 | Mexico，N．Y | School Library，District No． | 1840 | Freo．． | Sch | 350 |
| 3557 | Middleburgh，N． | Acalemy and Union School | 1883 | Free．． | Sch | 525 |
| 3558 | Middletown， $\mathrm{N} . \mathrm{Y}$ | Public School Library | 1879 | Free．． | Sch | 3，472 |
| 3559 | Middletown，N．Y | Stato Homcopathic Asylum for the Insane． | 1877 | Freo．． | A．\＆R | 1，500 |
| 3560 | Milford，Y．N | School Library，District No． 1. | 1850 |  | Sch． | 450 |
| 3561 |  | School Library，District No． 7. |  |  |  | 700 |
| ${ }_{3563} 3$ | Moravia，N．Y <br> Toriuh | Union School，District No． 1. Sherman Academir | 1868 | Free．－ | Sch ．．．．．．．． | 710 |
| 3563 3564 | Moriah，N．Y <br> Morris，N．Y | Sherman Acadeny ．．．．．． <br> School Library，District | $\begin{aligned} & 1873 \\ & 1845 \end{aligned}$ | Froo．－ | Sch | 400 440 |
| 3565 | Morris， $\mathrm{N} . \mathrm{Y}$ | Union School Library |  | Free． | Sch | 05 |
| 3560 | Morrisville，N．Y | Chambers＇Loan Librar | 1867 | Sub．．． | Soc＇ | 550 |
| 3567 | Morrisville，N．Y | Madison County Law Library | 1866 | Freo．． | La | 627 |
| 3568 | Mt．Morris，N．Y | Union School Library | 1866 | Free | Sch | 1，700 |
| 3569 | Mountainrille， N ．Y | Houghton Farm Agricultaral Library． | 1876 | Freo．． |  | 600 |
| 3570 | Mit．Vernon，N．Y．． | School Librars，District No． 1 （Eastchester）． | 1850 |  | Sch | 475 |
| 3571 | Mrt．Vernon，N． Y ． | School Library，District No． 2 （Wastchestar） | 1872 |  | Sch | 1，245 |
| 3572 | Mt．Vernon，N．Y． | School Library，District No． 4 （Eastchester）． | 1856 | Free．． | Sc | 2，968 |
| 3573 | Mt．Vernon，N．Y． | School Library，District No． 5 （Eastchester）． | 1856 | Freo．． | Sch． | 720 |
| 3．74 | Mt．Vernnn，N． Y | Wartburg Orphans＇Farm School． | 1866 | Freo．． | A．\＆R | 500 |
| 3575 | Nanuet，N．Y | School Library，District No． 7 （Clarkstown）． | 1839 |  |  | 27 |
| 3576 | Nanuet， $\mathrm{N} . \mathrm{Y}$ | School Library，District No． 8 （Clarkstown）． | 1830 |  | Sch． | 390 |
| 3577 | Naples，N．Y | Naples A cademy＊．．． | 1862 | Froe．． | Sch | 1，365 |
| 3578 | Nowark，N．Y | Union School and Academy | 1849 | Free．． | Sch． | 1， 200 |
| 3579 3580 | Newark Valley，N．Y． Nev Berlin N | Public Library |  | Frco．． | Gen | 621 |
| 3580 3581 3 | New Berlin，N．Y． | New Berlin Academy Sailors＇Snug Harbo | 1880 | Free．． | Sch | 600 1,850 |
| 3 382 | Now Brighton，N． | School Library，District No． 3 （Castleton）． | 1855 |  | Sch | 810 |
| 8583 | Newburg，N．Y | Free Library | 1852 | Free．． | Gen | 15， 229 |
| 3584 | Newburs，N．Y | Gormly Sominary．． | 1875 | Free．． | Sch | 503 |
| 3585 | Newburs， $\mathrm{N} . \mathrm{Y}$ | Law Library，Šcond Judicial District． | 1880 | Freo．． | Law | 1，500 |
| 3586 | Newburg，N．Y | School Library，District No． 1 （New Windsor）． | 1835 | Freo．． | Sch | 450 |
| 3587 | Now＇urg，N．Y | Siglar＇s Preparatory School ．．．．． |  |  |  | 450 |
| 3588 | Nowburg，N．Y | Thenlogical Seminary | 1805 | Frce．． | The＇l．．．．． | 3，500 |
| 3589 3590 | $\underset{\text { Newburg，}}{\text { New }}$ Hartford， | Young Men＇s Christian Association | 1881 | Free．－ | F．M．C．A． | 1，300 |
| 35951 | Now Paltz，N． Y ． | New Paltz Academy＊． | 1837 | Fice．． | Sch． | 500 |

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Table IVI.-Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 rolumes, \&̧. - Continued.

|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  | 产 | Number of volunes. |
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| โ639 | Now Fork, N. I. (135 Greenwich st.). | First Ward Free Circulating Li. brary. | 1863 | Froo.. | Soc'l. | 715 |
| 3640 | New York, N. Y....... | Fire Points House of Industry... |  |  | A. \&R.. | 1, COO |
| 3641 | New York, N. Y. $(49$ Bond st. and 135 2d аге.). | Free Circulating Library and Ottendorfer Branch. | 1880 | Freo.. |  | 21, 62 |
| 3642 | Now York, N. Y. (01 Park st.). | Free Reading Room and Library.* | 1869 | Free.. | Soc'l.... | 2, 400 |
| $3 \mathrm{C4} 3$ | New York, N. I. (140 E. 4th st.). | Freie Dcutsche Schule |  |  | Sch | 00 |
| 3644 | New York N. T....... | French Protestant Institution. |  |  | Sch | 0 |
| $36 \pm 5$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { New York. N. } \overline{\mathrm{Y}} .403 \mathrm{~W} . \\ & 20 \text { th st.). } \end{aligned}$ | General Theological Seminary of Church. | 1820 | Free | Th | 19,000 |
| 3646 | $\text { New York, N. } \overline{\text { N. (137 }}$ | German Hospital and Dispensary. | 1858 | Free.. | Med.. | 3,000 |
| 3647 | New York, N. F. (111- <br> 110 E. 58th st.). | German Liederkranz of the City of New Tork. | 1864 | Free.. | Soc'1.. | 4,000 |
| 2018 | New York, స.. I. (26 State st.). | German Lutheran Emigrant House. | 1873 | Free |  | 400 |
| 3649 | Ner Fork, N. I. (70 Ludiow st.). | Gilbert Library of New Fork County Jail. | $18 i 5$ | Free. | A. \& R | 1,000 |
| 3650 | New Jork, N. F........ | Grand Lodge, Free and Accepted Masons. | 1870 | Free.. | Masonic.. | 10, 000 |
| 651 | New Fork, N. F. (2238 3d. are.). | Harlen Library................... | 1826 | Sub. | Soc'1 | 12,000 |
| 3652 | New York, N. Y. (129th st. and 4th ave.). | Harlem Library, | 1864 | Free.. | I. O.O.F.. | 2,000 |
| 3653 | New York, N. Y....... | Harmonie Social Club* | 1860 | Free. | Soc'1 | 10, 000 |
| 3654 | New York, N. Y. (301 Mott st.). | Health Department | 1873 | Free. | San. Sc | 2, 527 |
| 3655 | New York, N. Y. $(206$ E. Broadway.). | Hebrew Free School Association. | 1884 | Free. | Soc'1.. | 2, 801 |
| 3656 | New York, N. Y........ | Hebrew Orphan Asrlum | 1871 | Free.. | A. \& R | 2,000 |
| 3657 | New York, N. Y. | Home for the Friendless of the American Female Guardian Society. |  |  | \& | 325 |
| 3658 | New Fork, N. Y. (Ward's Island.). | Homœopathic Hospital........... |  |  | Med | 676 |
| 3659 | New York, N. Y....... | Hospital of New York Society for the Relief of Ruptared and Crippled, Library for Crippled Children. |  |  | A. \& R. | 695 |
| 3000 | New Fork, N. T. ${ }^{203}$ Mulberry st.). | House of Dctention ............... | 1875 | Free.. | A. \& R. | 600 |
| 3661 | New York, N. ${ }^{\text {V }}$ | House of Refu | 1850 | Sub... | A. \& R | 4, OSG |
| 3662 | New York, N. $\mathbf{Y}$ | House of Rest. | 1852 | Free.. | A. \& | 500 |
| 3663 | New York, N. Y. (216 West 25th st.). | Huguenot Societs of America | 1833 | Free.. |  | 400 |
| 3664 | New York, N. I . | Industrial Schools of the American Female Guardian Society. |  |  | A. \& R. | 3,000 |
| 3665 | New York, N. Y........ | Institution for the Improved In. struction of Deaf-Mates. |  |  | Sch. | 561 |
| 3666 | New York, N. Y.. | Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb. |  |  | Sch | 3,197 |
| 3667 | New York, N. Y. (156 Leonardst.). | Italian School Circulating Librars. | 1874 | Freo.. | Sch. | 455 |
| 3668 | New York, N. Y. (161st st., near Tenth are.). | John MacMallen's School | 1860 | Freo.. | Sch. | 500 |
| 3669 | New York, N. Y....... | Law Institute. | 1826 | Freo. | Law | 34, 000 |
| ¢671 | New York, N. Y. 8890 | Leake and Watts Orphan House. | 18,0 |  |  | 25,000 |
| 3672 | Fifth are., bet. 70th and 71st sts.). <br> New York, N. Y | Linnean Society of New York | 1878 |  | Soc' 1. | , |
| 673 | New York, N. Y. (147 Fifth are.). | Lotos Club .................... | 1870 | Free. | Soc'l | 1,000 |
| 3674 | Now York, N. Y....... | Lunat e Asylum for Females, Protestant Episcopal City Mis- |  |  |  | 1,000 |
| 3675 | New York, N. Y. (908 Third ave.j. | sion Society. <br> Maimonide's Library, Independent Order B'nai B'rith. <br> *From a return for 1884. | 1852 | Free.. | .. | 26,840 |

Table IVI．－Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 volumes，so．－Continued．

|  | Place． | Name of library． | E． \＃ \＃ \＃ \＃ |  | \％ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 36．0 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { New Tork, 2. F. (213 } \\ & \text { West 32d st.). } \end{aligned}$ | Manbatton $\triangle$ cademy |  |  | Sch．．．．．．． | 1，000 |
| 3677 | Nem York，N．Y．．．．．．． | Manlattan Colleg |  |  | Col | 6， 200 |
| 3678 | New York，${ }^{\text {a }}$ | Mfaxitime Exch | 1873 |  |  | 1，100 |
| 3679 | New York，N．F．$(57$ Broadwar）． | Medico－Legal Nociety of New lork． | 1873 | Free．． |  | 1，200 |
| 3080 | New York，N．Y．（19 Astor place．）． | Mercantile Library Association．． | 1820 | Sub．．． | Mer | 210， 431 |
| 3681 | New York，N． | Metropolitan Museum of Art． | 1872 | Sub．．． | Sci． | 1，371 |
| $3 ⿺ 𠃊 ⿻ 丷$ | New York．N．Y．（Gor－ erner＇s Island）． | Military Serrice Institution | 1879 | Free．． |  | 5，000 |
| 3683 | New York，N．Y．（Les－ ilgtonare．and 66thst．）． | Mt．Sinai Hospital，Modical Library． | 1855 | Free．． | Med | 300 |
| 3684 | New Yo：k，स．Y．．．．．．．．． | National Board of Firo Under－ witers． | 1872 | Free．． | Soc＇1． | 560 |
| 3685 | Nom Iork．N．Y．（12 West 3 ist st．）． | New York Academy of Medicine． | 1847 | Free．． | Med | 30， 000 |
| 3086 | New York，N．I．（64 Madison are．）． | New York Genealogical and Bio－ graphical Society． | 1869 | Free．． | Hist＇l | 3，000 |
| 2087 | Nem Yorb, N. Y. (170 | New York Historical Society．．．．． | 1804 | Sub．．． | Hist＇l | 75， 000 |
| 2088 | New York，N．I．$(8 \mathrm{~W}$. 10th st．）． | New York Hospital． | 1706 | Free．． | Ifed | 16，000 |
| 2089 | New York．N．T，（34th st．，and Ninth are．）． | New Fork Institution for the Blind． | 1831 |  | Sch | 4， 727 |
| 2030 | Now York．N．Y．（176th st．，and Tenth are．）． | New York Juvenile Asslum．．．．．． | 1852 | Free． | A．\＆ F | 1，300 |
| 3691 | New York，Ni．Y．．．．．． | New Fork Press Cluh | 1873 |  | Soc＇1 | 2，000 |
| 3692 3593 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Ner York, in. } \\ & \text { Sew } \end{aligned}$ | New York Produce Exchang | 1874 | Free | Mrer | 3,000 80,000 |
| 3523 | Nety Tork，N．X．（67 Tniversity place．）． | New York Society Library． |  |  | Soc | 80，000 |
| 3694 | New Yotk，N．Y．（426 E．2fth st．）． | New York Training School for Nurses，Bellerne Hospital． |  |  | Sch | 450 |
| 3095 | Nem York，N．Y．（60 and 68 E ．4th st．）． | New York＇aurnverein Bibliothek | 1853 | Free．． | Soc＇l． | 4， 860 |
| 2656 | New York， T ． F ． | Normal Colleg |  |  |  | 50 |
| 3697 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { New York, N. Y. }(63 \\ & \text { Second st.). } \end{aligned}$ | Olivet Church Library | 1883 | Free．． | Soc | 1， 80.3 |
| 3633 | New York，X．Y．（201 E． 23 d st．）． | Opthalmic Fospital of New York． | 1871 | Freo．． | Med | 850 |
| 3690 | Now York，N．Y．．．．．．．． | Orplan Asrlam Society of the City of New York． |  |  | A．\＆ | 400 |
| 3700 | Now York， N ．Y． | Orphans＇Home and Asslum of the Protestant EniscopalChurch． |  |  | A．\＆P | 368 |
| 3701 | New Fork，N．F．（805 Broadway）． | Packard＇s Business Collego | 1858 |  | Sch | 600 |
| 37 C 2 | New York，N．F．（23 Center st．）． | Presurterian Board of Foreign Missions． | 1831 |  | The＇ | 5，000 |
| 3703 | New York．N．T．（ 65 Bible Fiouse．）． | Prison Association of N゙ow York． | 1540 | Freo．． | Soc＇ | 2， 000 |
| $37 \mathrm{C4}$ | New York，N．Y．（60 Third ave．）． | Pnblic Charities and Correction， City Prison． |  |  | A．\＆R | 060 |
| 3705 | New York，N．Y | Penitentiary |  |  | A．\＆R | 1，400 |
| 3700 | New York，N．Y． （Blackwell＇s Island）． | Wo | 1875 | Free．． | A．\＆K． | 1，610 |
| 3707 | New York，N．Y．．．．．．． | Rutgers Female College．． |  |  | Col | ＋ $\cos$ |
| 3708 | New York，N．Y．（308 Malberryst．）． | St．Barnabas＇Free Library | 1861 | Free．． | A．\＆R． | 630 |
| 37.9 |  | St．Bridget＇s Academy |  |  |  | 300 |
| 3710 | New Yorlk，27．Y．（605－ 6i3 5th st．）． | St．Francis＇Horpital． | 1865 | Free | Soc | 1，035 |
| 3711 | New Tork，${ }^{\text {N }}$ | St．Joseph＇s Sodalit | 1882 | Tree．． | Soc ${ }^{1}$ | 500 |
| 3712 | Now York，N．Y．（283 <br> E．10th st．）． | Si．Mark＇s Chapel Library | 1884 | Free．． | Suc | 3，000 |
| 3713 | New York，N．${ }^{\text {F }}$ | St．Vincent＇s Industrial School |  |  | A．\＆R | ¢ 90 |
| 3714 | New York，N．Y．（504 | Sheltering Alma | 1870 | Free | A．\＆I | 500 |
| 3715 | New York，N．Y．．．．．．． | Society for Medico－Scientific In． restigation． | 1883 | Free．． | 3ned ．．．． | 2， 000 |
| 3716 | New Fork：N．X．（135 E．42d street）． | Societr for the Relief of Ruptared and Crippled． | 1863 | Frea．． | A．\＆R．． | 1， 242 |

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|  | Place. | Name of library. | 宫 |  | 譶 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\begin{gathered} 3717 \\ 271 \end{gathered}$ | New York, N. $\mathbf{Y}$ <br> New | Society of St. Johnland ........... <br> Snperior Court of the city of | $\begin{array}{\|l\|l} 1870 \\ 1872 \end{array}$ | Free | Soc'l. Law. | 1,800 3,000 |
| 3719 | New York, N | ew York. |  | Free |  |  |
| 3720 | New York, N. N . ${ }^{\text {P }}$ (1200 | Union Theological Sem | 1838 |  |  |  |
| 3721 | New York, N. | United States Naval Lyceum | 1833 | Su | Soc | 5, $3<0$ |
| 3722 | $\mathrm{N}_{\text {New }}^{\text {Jard). }}$ York, N. T | University Clab Libra | 1879 | Free.. | Soc |  |
| 3723 | New York, N . Y . ....... | University of the City of New | 1832 | Free.. |  | 5, 250 |
| 3724 | New York, N . Y | Johnston | 1860 |  | La | 4,000 |
| 3725 | New York, N. Y. (10th avenne, corner 156th street). | Washington Heights Librar | 1867 | Free.. |  |  |
| 3726 | New York, N. Y. (75 W. 55th street). | Weil's, Mrs. Leopold, School for Young Ladies. |  |  | Sch | 700 |
| 3727 | New York, N. Y | West Side Railroad Reading | 1872 | Fre | Soc | 500 |
| 3728 | New York, N. Y. (125th street and Saint Mark's place). | Wiison Mission Circulating Li. brary. | 1880 | Freo.. | Soc | 650 |
| 3729 | New York. N. Y. (19 Clinton Place). | Woman's Librar | 1846 | Botl | Soc'1 | 3,000 |
| 3730 | New York, N. ${ }^{\text {Y }}$. ...... | Xavier Union of the City of New | 1871 | Free.. | Soc | 13,746 |
| 3 | New York | Young Ladies' Christian Union... | 1859 | Free.. | Soc'l | ${ }^{600}$ |
| 3732 | New York | Young Men's Christian Associa- | 185\% |  |  |  |
| 3733 | New York, N. Y | Young Men's Christian Associa- | 1884 | Fre | ¥.M. C. | 300 |
| 3734 | Nem York, N. Y ....... | Young Men's Christian Associa- | 187 | Sub... | Х.M.C.A | 1,300 |
| 3735 | New York, N. Y. (721 Lexington a renue). | Young Men's Hebrew $\Delta$ ssocia. tion. | 187 | Both | oc' | 8,000 |
| 3736 | New York, N. Y. (222 and 224 Bowery). | Young Men's Institate ........... | 188 | Free | Soc'1 | 999 |
| 3737 |  | Young Women's Christian Asso. clntion * | 1871 | Fre | Soc | 9,000 |
| 3738 | Niagara Falls, N. Y | School Librars, Distric |  | Free.. |  |  |
| 3739 | North Brooktield, N. Y . | Union School Library .......... | 1883 |  |  |  |
| 3740 | North Chili, N. Y ...... | The A. M. Chesbrough Semi- |  |  |  |  |
| 3741 | North Granville, N. Y.. | Granville Military Academy .... |  |  | Sch ...... |  |
| 3742 | North (P. Ohore, West N (P. O. West New Brichton). | Young Men's Christian Associa. tion. |  |  | Y. М. С.A. | 900 |
| 3743 | North Tarrstown, N. Y. | Union School, District No. | 1876 | Free. | Sch . | 479 |
| 3744 | Norwich, N. Y | Academy and Union Sc |  |  |  |  |
| 3745 3746 3 | Norwich, N Nuda, N. | Circulating Library Association.. | 1875 |  | Sch | 1,800 |
| 3747 | Nyack, N. ${ }^{\text {N }}$ | N yack Librars ...... | 1873 | Sub. |  | 2,300 |
|  | N yack, N. $\frac{1}{}$ | Nyack Seminary............. |  |  | Sch | ${ }_{3}^{700}$ |
| 3749 | Ny | School Library, District No. (Clarkstown). | 1839 |  |  | 325 |
| 3750 | Njack, N. Y ..... | School Library, District No. 4 | 1839 | Free | Sch . | 500 |
| 3751 | Oakfie | Cary Collegiate Semin | 1860 |  |  | 59 |
|  | Ogdensharg, N. Y | Educational Institute* |  | Free.. |  |  |
| ${ }_{3754}^{3753}$ | Orydensburg, N . Y. | Ocydensburg Library of Education. | ${ }_{1871}^{1865}$ | Frree |  | 4,400 3,000 |
| 3755 | Olean, N. Y | School Library, District No. |  | Freo |  | 1,026 |
| ${ }_{3757}^{3756}$ |  | School Library, District No. 3 | 1884 |  | Sch | 409 420 |
| 3758 |  | Union School, Distric |  |  |  | 00 |
| 3759 | Onondaga Valley, N. Y. | Onondaga Academy | 1813 | Fre |  | 1,319 |
| ${ }_{3761}^{3700}$ | Osswego, | City Library | 1554 |  |  |  |
| 3762 | Oswego, N. | State Normal and Training Schooi. |  | Freo.. | Sch | 1,475 |

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|  | Place. | Name of library. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { d } \\ & \text { d } \\ & \text { 品 } \\ & \text { d } \\ & 0 \end{aligned}$ |  | - |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 3763 |  | School Library, District | 1847 |  |  | 400 |
| 3764 | Ovid | Union School Library |  | Free.. |  | 1,113 |
| 3765 | Owego, | Free Library ... |  | Free.. |  | 5,100 |
| 3766 | Oxford, N. Y | Oxford Academy .......... |  |  |  | 1,500 |
| 3767 | Oxford, $\mathrm{N} . \mathrm{Y}$ | School Librarr, District No. | 1810 | Free.. | Sc | 400 |
| 3768 | Orford, N. Y............ | School Library, District No. 2 |  |  |  | 416 |
| 3769 3770 | Palatine Bridge, N. Y... | Union School, District No. $2 \ldots .$. | 1857 | Free.. | Sch | 980 570 |
| 3770 | Palisades, N. Y .......... | School Library, District No. 1 (Orangetown). | 1839 |  |  | 570 |
| 3771 | Palmyra, N. Y | Classical Union School*........... | 1848 | Freo.. | Sch. | 1,913 |
| 3772 | Patchogue, N. Y......... | Union School, District No. 24 (Brookhaven). | 1870 | Free.. |  | 500 |
| 3773 | Peekskill, N. Y | Military Academy................ | 1835 |  | Sch | 1,000 |
| 3774 | Peekskill, | Mohegan Laka School |  |  |  | 400 |
| 3775 | Peekskill, N. Y | St. Gabriel's School |  |  |  | 0 |
| 3776 | Peekskill, N. Y | School Library, District No. 7 (Cortlandt). | 1840 |  |  | 300 |
| 3777 | Peekskill, N. Y | Union Free School, District No. 8 (Cortlandt) | 1840 |  | Sch | 815 |
| 3778 | Penn Yan, N. Y. | Penn Yan Academy, School District No. 1. | 1859 | Free.. | Sch | i, 600 |
| 3779 | Perry, N. |  | 1852 |  | Sch | 931 |
| 3780 | Phelps, N. | Union School Library | 1865 |  |  | 0 |
| 3781 | Phœnix, N. | Academv and Union Scho | 1861 | Free.. |  | 0 |
| 3782 | Piermont, N | Library Association | 1878 | Freo.. | Gen | 2,000 |
| 3783 | Pike, N. Y | Pike Seminary | 1855 | Free | Sc | 300 |
| 3784 | Pine Plains, | Seymour Smith Academy |  |  |  | 315 |
| 3785 | Plattsburg, N. Y | D'Yonville Convent* | 1860 | Free.. | Sch | 565 |
| 3786 | Plattsburg, N. Y. | Library and Lyceum Association. | 1865 | Sub |  | 630 |
| 3787 | Pleasantville, N. Y...... | School Library, District No. 9 (Mt. Pleasant). |  |  |  | 394 |
| 3788 | Pompey, N. Y | Pompey A cademy* | 1803 |  | Sch | 430 |
| 3789 | Port Byron, N. Y | Free School and Academy |  |  | Sch | 852 |
| 3790 | Port Byron, N. Y ....... | School Library, District No. 1 (Mentz). |  |  |  | 890 |
| 3791 | Port Chester, N. Y. | Library and Reading Room*. | 1876 | Free :- | Gen. | 1,316 |
| 3792 | Port Chester, N. Y. | School District Library. |  |  |  | 1, 800 |
| 3793 | Port Jerris, N. Y. | Free Library | 1882 |  |  | 2,500 |
| 3794 | Port Richmond, N. Y... | Union School, District No. 6 (Nor thfield). | 1860 | Freo.. |  | 600 |
| 3795 | Port Washington, N. Y. | School Library, District N |  |  | Sch | 500 |
| 3796 | Port Washingtun, N. Y. | School Library, District No. |  |  |  | 409 |
| 3797 | Poughkeepsie, N. Y .. | City Library. | 1840 | Free.. |  | 14, 240 |
| 3798 | Poughkeepsie, N. Y | Lyudon Hall Scho |  |  |  | 300 |
| 3799 | Poughkeepsie, N. Y | Military Institute | 1863 | Free.. | Sch | 500 |
| 3800 | Punghkeepsie, N. Y | St. Dtary's School |  |  | Sch | 800 |
| 3801 | Puughkeepsie, ${ }^{\text {N. }} \mathbf{Y}$ | Vassar Brothers' Institute | 1881 | Free.. |  | 461 |
| 3802 | Punghkeepsie, N. | Vassar Cullege | 1865 | Free | Col | 15, of |
| 3803 | Puughkeepsie, N. Y | Young Men's Christian Association | 1866 | Free.. | Y. M |  |
| 3804 | Prattsburg, N. $\mathbf{Y}$........ | Franklin Academs and Union | 18.3 | Free.. |  | 1, 361 |
| 3805 | Pulaski, N. $\mathrm{Y} . . . . . . . . . .$. | Pulaski A cademy (Richland) |  |  |  | 456 |
| 3806 | Pulaski, N. Y............ | Union Free School, District No. 8 (Cortlandt). |  |  | Sc | 800 |
| 3807 | Randolph, N. Y | Chamberlain Institute. | 1855 | Free.. | Gen | 1,350 |
| S308 | Red Creek, N. | Union Seminary |  |  | Sch | 324 |
| 3809 | Red Hook, N. Y....... | Iistrict schoul Library* |  | Free. | Sch | 150 |
| 3810 | Rensselacrville, N. Y... | Rensselacrrille Academy |  |  | Sch | 40.5 |
| 2311 | Khinebeck, N. Y | Starr Institute | 1862 | Sub... | Sch | 3,778 |
| 3312 | Phinebeck, ${ }^{\text {N }}$ Y | Union School Library | 1812 | Free .. |  | $5 \% 2$ |
| 3813 | Riverhead, N. | Village Library Associ | 1874 | Sub... | Gen | 650 |
| 3814 | Rochester, N. Y | Academy of the Sacred He | 1849 | Freo.- | Sch | 1,270 |
| 3815 | Rochester, N. Y | City Hospital Library | 1883 | Free.. | Soc' | 2,045 |
| 3816 | Rochester, $\mathrm{N} . \mathrm{Y}$ | Court of Appeals. | 1849 | Freo.. | Law | 12, 000 |
| 3817 | Rochester, N. Y | Public School Centra | 1863 | Free .. | Sch | 14. 219 |
| 3818 | Rochester, N. Y | Reynolds Library | 1884 | Free.. | Gen | 14,000 |
| 3819 | Rochester, $\mathrm{N} . \mathrm{Y}$ | Rochester Orphan Asslum........ | 1838 | Free -- | A. | 1, 200 |
| 3820 | Rochester, N. ${ }^{\text {Y }}$ | Rochester Theological Seminary.. | 1851 | Frre -- | The | 20,590 |
| 3821 3822 | Rochester, Rochester, N, , Y | Swift's Warner Observato | 1850 | Free.. | Sci | 21,790 |

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|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  | 䍓 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 3823 | Rochoster, $\mathrm{N} . \mathrm{Y}$ | Ner Yorl, Institation |  |  | Sch.. |  |
| 38 | Rochester, N. Y | Young Men'sChristian Association. | 1880 | Sab | T. M.C.A. |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 389 \\ & 38 \\ & 38 \end{aligned}$ | Rome, N. X.... <br> Rome N. Y | St. Peter's A cademy |  |  | Sch. | 1, 550 |
| 3827 3827 | Rome, N. Y | Young Mien's Cliristian Associa- | 1873 | Froth.: |  | 2,000 |
| 3828 | Rondout, N. $\mathbf{Y}$ | School Library, District No. | 50 |  | Sch. | 998 |
| 3829 | Rondout, N. | Olster A cademy and School Dis- | 1870 | Fre | Scl | 915 |
| 3830 | Rondoat, N. Y | Young Men | 1850 | Freo | M | 800 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 3831 \\ & 3832 \end{aligned}$ | Roslyn, N | Bryant Circulat Union School, | 1879 | Sub... | Soc'1 | 55 |
|  | Rushiville, N | Union School' Library* | 1868 | Freo.. |  | 459 |
| ${ }_{3835}^{3834}$ | Rye, N. Y \% | School Library. District No. 3. | ${ }_{1882}^{1860}$ | Free.. | Sch | 75 |
| 3836 | Salem, N . Y | Washington Academy *. |  |  | Sch |  |
| 3837 | Sandy Creek | Union School Library |  |  |  |  |
| 3838 | Sandy | School Library, District No. 1 (Kingsbury). | 1868 |  |  | 712 |
| 3839 | Saratoga Springs, N. X.. | Saratoga A thenæura. | 1885 | Sab. | Gen | 200 |
| 3840 | Saratoga Spring | School Library, District No. 1 |  |  |  |  |
| 3841 | Saratoga Sprin | Stevens Circulating | 1874 | Sub... | Soc' | 00 |
|  | Saratoga Springs, N. $\mathbf{Y}$ | Tomple Grove Seminar | 1856 |  |  | (000 |
| 3843 384 | Saratoga Springs, 1 | Union School, District No. $1 . . . . .1$ |  | Free.. | Y. ${ }_{\text {Sch }}$ | 1,742 2,000 |
| 3845 | Schaghticoke, \%. T | School Library, District No | 1876 |  |  |  |
| 8846 | Schenectady, N. Y. | Fourth Judicial District Law L | 1866 | Freo.. | Law ...... | 00 |
| 3847 | Schenectady | Onion Classical Institute .. |  |  | Sch. | 54 |
| 3848 | Schenectady, N. | Union Colleg | 1795 | Free.. | Col. | 24,038 |
| 3849 <br> 3850 | Schenectady, N. ${ }^{\text {Schenectady, }} \mathrm{N} . \mathrm{Y}$ |  | 1797 |  | Law | ${ }^{1,159}$ |
| 3851 | Schenectady, N. | Medical Collego (at Albany).. | 1839 |  | Med | 5, 000 |
| 3852 | Schenectady, N. Y | Philomathean Society | 1793 | Froe.. |  | 8,300 |
|  | Schenectady, N. Y | Union School Library... | 1854 | Free.. | Sch | 3, 001 |
| 3854 | Schenectady, N. Y. | Young Men's Christian Associa- | 1867 | Fsee.. | Y. M. | 1, 400 |
| 3855 | Schoharie, N. X | Academy and Union School. | 1837 | Free | Sch |  |
| 57 | Schoharie, N Schuylersvile, $\dddot{\text { N. }}$ | Schoharie County Law Library |  | Free. | - | 50 |
| 3858 | Scotia, N. X ...... | School Library, District No. 2 |  |  | Sch. | 7 |
| 2859 | Seneca Falls, N | Educational Institat |  | Free | Sch |  |
| 3260 | Shakers, N. Y ....... | School Library, District No. 14 | 1863 |  |  |  |
| 3861 | Sheboygaz | Library Association*. |  | Sub |  |  |
|  | Sherman, N. Y | Union School, District ${ }^{\text {d }}$ | 1870 | Free.. |  | 1,500 |
| 3863 384 | Sidney, is. | Union School and Aca |  | Free. |  |  |
|  | Sing Sing, N. X | Mt. Ploasant Military Academy |  |  | Scl | 12,093 |
| 3866 | Sing Sing, N. Y | Ossining Institu |  |  |  | 1, 540 |
|  | Sing Sing, N. Y | Private Home for Nervous Invali |  |  |  |  |
|  | Sing Sing, N. X | St. John's School, Waverly Club | 1869 | Sub |  | (0) |
|  | Sing Sing, | Stâe Prison | 1842 |  | A. |  |
| 3870 | Sing Sing, N. | Union School, District No. 1 (Os- | 18 | Free |  |  |
| 3871 | Skaneateles, N. Y | Urion School and Academy | 1860 | Fre |  | 1, 1300 |
| 38 | Sodus, N. ${ }^{\text {Somers }}$ N. ${ }^{\text {P }}$ | Sodus A cade |  |  |  |  |
| 3874 | Springfield, N. | School Library, District No..... 3 | 1856 |  | Sc | 300 |
| 3875 | Spring rille, N | Grititith Insti | 1880 | Free.. | Sch |  |
| 3877 | Springzile, | Public Library .......... | ${ }_{1847}^{1830}$ |  |  | ${ }_{316}$ |

*From a retarn for 1884.

Table XVI.-Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 volumes, $\& \cdot c$.-Continued.

|  | Placo. | Name of library. |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 3878 | Stamford, N. Y | Judson Circulating Library Asso. | 1871 | Free.. | Soc'l. | 2,000 |
| 3879 | Stamford, N. Y | School Libibrary, District No. |  |  |  | 04 |
| 3880 | Stamfordville, $\mathbf{N}$. $\mathbf{Y}$ | Christian Biblical Institute. | 1869 | Free.. | The'l.... | 1,940 |
| 3881 | Stapleton, N. Y .......... | School Library, District No. I (Southfield). | 1852 |  | Sch | ${ }^{1} 25$ |
| 2882 | Stapleton, N. F ......... | School Library, District No. 2 (Middletown). | 1850 |  | Sch....... | 1,300 |
| 3883 | Stillwater, N. Y.......... | Union School, District No. 6 ...... | 1880 | Free.. | Sch....... | 480 |
| 38884 | Suspension Bridge, N. Y | Niagara University.......... | $1856$ | Both.. | Col ........ | 6,000 |
| ${ }^{3885}$ | Suspension Bridge, N. Y | Union School Library | 1851 | Free.. | Sch........ | 1,195 |
| 3886 | Syracuse, N. Y........... | Central Library**... | 1856 | Free.. | Gen ....... | 15, 889 |
| 3887 3888 | Syracuse, N. Y | Court of Appeals. | 1849 | Free.. | Law ....... | 10, 420 |
| 3888 3889 | Syracuse, N. Y | High School Libraig. | 1856 | Free.. | Sch ........ | 1,400 |
| 3890 | Syracuse, ${ }^{\text {S }}$ N. ${ }^{\text {S }}$ | New Xork A sylum for Id | 1885 | Fr | A. \& R..... | 355 |
|  | Syracuse, | onondaga County Orphan White Library. | 185 |  |  | 1,220 |
| 389 | Syracuse, | St. John's School |  |  | Sch....... | 500 |
| 3892 | Syracuse, N. Y | Syracuse University | 1871 | Free.. |  | 15,000 |
| 3893 | Syracuse, N. Y | College of Medicine |  | Free | Med.... | 1,200 |
| 3894 | Syracuse, N. Y........... | Young Men's Christian Association. | 1858 | Free. | Y. M.C.A. | 1,110 |
| 3895 | Syracuse, N. Y. | Yoang Men's Christian Associa. tion, railroad branch. | 1880 | Free.. | Y.M.C.A. | 300 |
| 3896 | Tarrytown, N. Y | Miss Bulkley's School |  |  |  | 500 |
| 3897 | Tarrytown, N. | Starr's Military Institu |  |  | Sch | 500 |
| 3898 | Tarrstown, N. Y........ | Union School, District No. 1 (Greenburgh). | 1864 | Free.. | Sch ....... | 2,200 |
| 3899 | Tarrstown, $\mathrm{N} . \mathrm{Y}$ | Young Men's Lyceam ............. | 1866 | Both.. | Soc'l...... | 2,000 |
| 3900 | Tiroili, N. Y ............. | Trinity School...................... | 1867 | Freo.. |  | 450 |
| 3901 | Tompkinsville, $\mathrm{N} . \mathrm{Y} . .$. | School Library, District No. I (Middletown). | 1856 |  | Sch....... | 545 |
| 3902 | Tompkinsville, N. Y.... | Yonng Men's Christian Associa. tion. | 1883 | Sub... | Y. M.C.A. | 500 |
| 3903 | Tonawanda, N. $\mathbf{V}$ | Union School Library, District | 1880 | Free.. | Sch | 700 |
| 3904 | Tonawanda, N. Y | Union School Library, District | 1874 | Free. | Sch | 1,300 |
| 3905 | Trenton, N. | Barneveld Library. | 1875 | Sub. | Soc'l | 1,930 |
| 3906 | Troy, N. Y | Catholic Male Orphan Asy | 1869 |  | A. $\&$ | 490 |
| 3907 | Troy, N. Y | High School Library..... | 1854 | Free.. |  | 691 |
| 3508 | Tros, N. Y................ | Marshall Infirmary, General Library. |  |  | Soc'1...... | 00 |
| 3909 | Troy, N. F | Medical Library ............... |  |  | Med | 500 |
| 3910 | Troy, N. Y | Railioad Young Men's Christian Association. | 1881 | Sub... | Y.M.C.A | 800 |
| 3911 | Troy, N. F . | Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute.. | 1824 |  | Sci. | 4,600 |
| 3912 | Troy, N. Y.. | Rensselaer Society of Civil Engineers. | 1873 | Free.. |  | 650 |
| 3913 | Troy, N. Y | St. Mary's Academy*............ |  |  | Sch ....... | 800 |
| 3914 | Troy, N. Y | St. Joseph's Provincial Seminary. | 1864 |  |  | 8,700 |
| 3915 | Troy, N. | School Library, District No. 1 (Brunswick). |  |  | Sch | 360 |
| 3916 | Troy, N. | Troy Academy .................... |  |  |  | 2,125 |
| 3917 | Troy, N. | Troy Female Sominary | 1838 | Free.. | Sch ........ | 1, 664 |
| 3918 | Troy, N. Y | Troy Orphan Asylum | 1864 | Free.. | A. \& R.... | 600 |
| 33) 9 | Troy, N. Y | Young Men's Associa | 1834 | Free.. | Gen | 27, 210 |
| 392.) | Trumansburg, N. Y..... | Trnmansburg Academy and Union Schonl, District No. 1. | 1855 | Free.. |  | 550 |
| 3921 | Unadilla, N. Y | Unadilla A cademy.... | 1850 | Free.. | Sch | 459 |
| 3922 | Union Splings, N . Y | Oakwood Seminary* |  |  | Sch | 700 |
| $39: 3$ | Uhiun Springs, N. Y .... | School Library, District No. 2 (Springport). | 1866 |  | Sch | 454 |
| 3924 | Utica, N. Y | City Library ....................... | 1838 | Free.. | Gen ...... | 10,479 |
| 3925 | Utica, N. Y | Law Library | 1876 | Free |  | 5,000 |
| 3926 | Utica, N. Y | Oneida Historical Society | 1876 | Sab... | Hist'l | 1,441 |
| 3927 | Utica, N. Y ............... | St. Vincent's Protectorate, Madonne's Library. | 1806 | Free. | A. \& R.... | 1,500 |
| 3228 | Utica, $\mathbf{N} . \mathbf{Y}$ | State Lunatic Asylum, Medical | 1844 |  | Med | 3,500 |
| 3923 | Utica, N. Y .............. | Utica Academy.. | 1853 | Free.. | Sch........ | 733 |

Table XVI．－Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 wolumes， § $^{\circ} \mathrm{c}$ ．－Continued．

|  | Place． | Name of library． |  |  | 践 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 31 | Utica，I． U U |  | $\begin{aligned} & 1861 \\ & 1879 \end{aligned}$ |  | A. \&R.... | 664 700 |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Young } \\ & \text { tion. } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 3932 \\ & 3933 \end{aligned}$ | Fernon，N．Y <br> Victor，N．Y | Union School，Distur | $\begin{array}{\|c\|c\|} 1839 \\ 1872 \end{array}$ | Free．． |  | 535 |
|  | Walden，X． | Free Library | 1850 | Free． |  | 00 |
| 3935 | Walde | School Library，District No． 13 |  |  |  | 350 |
| 3936 | Walton，N．${ }^{\text {r }}$ | Union School Libr | 53 | Free．． | Sch | 1， 000 |
|  |  | Walworth A cademy Library．．．．． |  |  |  | 400 400 |
| 3938 | Wappinger＇s Falls，N．Y | Union School，District Nio． 1 （Poughkeepsie）． |  | Free．． |  |  |
| 3939 | Wappinger＇s Falls，N．Y | Union School，District No． $2 \ldots \ldots$ ． |  |  | Sch ．．．．．．． | 560 |
| 3940 | Wappinger＇s Falls， $\mathrm{N} \cdot \mathrm{Y}$ | Union School，District N |  |  |  |  |
| 3941 | Wappinger＇s Falls，N． N ． Y | Wappinger＇s Falls Circulating Li－ brary and Reading Room． | 1867 | Sub．．． |  | 0 |
| 3942 |  | Union School Library | 1853 | Free．． |  |  |
|  | Warmicie， | Warwick Institute＊ |  |  |  | 1，250 |
| ${ }_{3945}^{3944}$ | Waterford，N．${ }_{\text {W }}$ | School Library，District No． 1. | ${ }_{1853}^{1835}$ | Frea．． | Sch | 1，900 |
|  | Watertown， N | Public School Library |  |  |  |  |
| 3947 | Watertown，X． N ． | Young Men＇s Christian Associa－ | 1869 | Sub．．． | I．${ }^{\text {M }}$ |  |
| 3948 | Waterville， N ． X ． | Union School and Academs，Dis－ | 1874 | Free | Sch | 1，040 |
| 39 | Watkin | Academy and Union Scho |  | Free．． |  |  |
| 3950 | Watkins，N | Library Aspociation | 1871 |  |  | ， 800 |
| ${ }_{3952}^{3951}$ | Weedsport， W ． | Schivo Shiool Library．．．．．．．．．．．． |  | Free．． | Sch | ${ }_{737} 7$ |
|  |  | 硡 |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 3953 \\ & 3954 \end{aligned}$ | Wellsville，N．Y．．．．．．．．． | School Library，District No． 1 | 1869 | Free．． | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Soc'l } \\ & \text { Sch. } \end{aligned}$ | $\xrightarrow{1}, 485$ |
| 3955 | Westche | New Tork Catholic Pr | 1864 |  |  |  |
|  | Westchester，N． | Roys＇Boarding School |  |  |  | 1，000 |
| 3957 3953 | Westchester， N. | School Library．District ${ }^{\text {Union School }}$ District No | 1851 |  |  |  |
| ${ }_{3959}$ | Westchester，，．${ }^{\text {Weld，}}$ ． | Westfield A cademy，District No． 1. | 1868 | Free．． |  | 1， 1,700 |
| 3960 | West New Brighton， | School Library，District No． 2 | 1847 |  |  | 1，119 |
| 3961 | West Point，M．Y ．．．．．．． | United States Mrilitary Academy ． |  |  |  |  |
| 3962 | Westloort， N ． | Union School Liutary | 1866 | Free．． | Sch． |  |
| 3963 | West Troy，N．Y．． | School Librars，District No． 1 |  |  |  | 1，002 |
| 3964 | West Tros， N. | School Library，District No． 9 | 1860 | Free | Sch． | 400 |
| 3965 | West Troy，N． F | Waterrliet Arsenal | 1840 | Fre |  |  |
| ${ }_{3}^{3966}$ | West Winitield， | Union School，District | 1850 |  |  |  |
|  | Whitehall，N． Y | Union Schoul，District No． 11. |  | Free． |  | 1，400 |
| 3968 | White Plains， | Alexander Lustitate，Kappa Li－ | 1860 |  |  | 3，000 |
| 3969 | White Plains，N．Y | Lsceum Library | 187 | Sub | Soc＇1 | 1，200 |
| ${ }_{3970}^{3970}$ | Whito Plains，N．Y | School．Library，Distri | 185 | Ere |  |  |
| 3972 | Whitestown， N ．${ }^{\text {P }}$ | School Librars，District No． 2 | 185 |  |  |  |
| －3973 | Whitestown， N | School Library，District N |  |  | Sch | 洓 |
| 3975 | Willard，N． | Schooi Liurary，District No． |  | Freo | A． |  |
| 3976 | Wiliiam＇s Bridge，X． Y ． ．． | Schonl Library，District No． 2 | 1835 |  |  | 350 |
| 3977 | Wilson， N | Collesiate In | 45 |  | Scl | 1，000 |
|  | Wimdsor，N． | Windsor A cadem |  | Freo．． |  | 034 |
| －1379 | Wolcott，N．Y． | Union School，District No． 1 | 1859 | Both．． | Sch | ${ }^{638}$ |
| 3981 | Worceater， N ． Y | Circulating Library ．．． | 1880 | Sub． | Suc＇ 1 | 350 |
|  | Yates，，． Y ． | Yates Academy＊ |  |  |  |  |
| 3983 | Yonkers，N． Y | English，French，and German Day sichool． |  |  | Sch－．．．．．． | 00 |
| 3984 | Yonke | Lsceum Libra | 186 | Fre | Soc＇l ．．．．．． | 6 |
| $1986$ | Yonkers，${ }^{\text {P }}$ | Yublic Library ．．．．． | 188 |  |  |  |

Table XVI.-Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 rolumes, s.c.-Continued.

|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 3987 | Asheville, I. C | P | 1878 | Sub. | Gen | 1,400 |
| 3988 | Bingham School, N . | Bingh |  |  |  | 2,000 |
| 3989 | Chapel Hill, N. C... | University of North | 1795 | Free.. |  | 8,000 |
| 3990 | Chapel Hill, N. C......... | Agricultural and Mechanical |  |  |  | 2,000 |
| 3991 | Chapel Hill | Dialectic Society |  |  | Soc'y | 7,000 |
| 3992 | Chapel Hill, N. | Law Department | 1881 | Free.. | Law | , 350 |
| 3993 | Chapel Hill, N | Medical School |  |  |  | 500 |
| 3994 | Chapel Hill, N. | Philanthropic Societ |  |  | Soc' | 7, 000 |
| 3995 | Charlotte, N. C | Biddle Vniversity ................. | 1867 | Free. | Col....... | 3, 120 |
| 3996 | Charlotte, N. C | Young Men's Christian Association. | 1874 | Free.. | Y. M. C.A. | 563 |
| 3997 | Concord, N. C. | Scotia Seminary.. | 1870 | Free.. | Sch. | 1,100 |
| 3998 | Davidson College, N. C.. | Daridson College |  |  |  |  |
| 3999 | Davidson College, N.C.. | Society Libraries (2)............ |  |  | Soc' | 7, 000 |
| 4000 | Farmington, N. C ...... | Farmington Male and Female Academy.* |  |  |  | 400 |
| 4001 | Fajetteville, N. | Cross Creek Lodge, No. 4, I. O. O. F. | 1846 |  | I. O.O.F.. | 2, 000 |
| 4002 | Fayetterille, N. C | State Normal School............... | 1878 | Free.. |  | 760 |
| 4003 | Garibaldi, N. C.-.... | St. Mary's College | 1881 | Sub. .- | C | 1,000 |
| 4004 | Greensborough, N. C | Bennett Seminary |  |  |  | 1,500 |
| 4005 | Greensborough, N. C | Greensboro' Female College...... |  |  | Col ........ | 2,000 |
| 4006 | Henderson, N. C | Elismorth School. |  |  | Sch | 550 |
| 4007 | High Point, N | Blair High School |  |  |  | 1, 050 |
| 4008 | Eing's Mountain, N. | King's Mountain High Schoo |  |  |  | 600 |
| 4009 | Kiuston, N.C | Graded School Library |  |  |  | 600 |
| 4010 | Lenoir, N. C. | Pioneer Library. | 1874 | Sub. .- |  | 1,100 |
| 4011 | Lumberton, N | Whitin Normal School |  |  |  | 450 |
| 4012 | Mt. Pleasant, | North Carolina College | 1859 | Free.. | Co | 920 |
| 4013 | Murfreesborough, N.C.. | Chowan Baptist Female Institute |  |  |  | 1,200 |
| 4014 | New Berne, N. C. <br> New Garden, N. | Graded School Free Library.... Fripnds' School | 1842 | Free.. | Sch | 1,000 1,500 |
| 4016 | Newton, N.C. | Athenæum Library of Catawbs | 1854 | Free.. | Soc' $\quad$ ' | 2,000 |
| 4017 | Oak Ridge, N. O | Oak Ridge Literary and Commer. cial Institute. |  |  | Sch | 1,000 |
| 4018 | Osford, N.C | Horner School..................... |  |  | Sch | 800 |
| 4019 | Oxford, N. | Oxford Female Seminary, Clio Society Library. | 1880 |  | Soc' | 00 |
| 4020 | Oxford, N. C | Oxford Orphan Asylum | 1874 | Free.. | A \& R | 1,300 |
| 4021 | Raleigh, | Insane Asylum of North Carolina | 1856 | Free.. | A | 450 |
| 4022 | Raleigh, N. C. | Institution for the Deaf, Dumb, and Blind (Kelly Library). |  | Free.. |  | 1,315 |
| 4023 | Raleigh, N | Peace Institute. |  |  |  | 1, 200 |
| 4024 | Raleigh, | Raleigh Circulating Library .. | 1885 | Sub. .- |  | 500 |
| 4025 | Paleigh, N. | St. Augustine Normal School ..... | 1875 | Fre | Sch....... | 500 |
| 4026 | Raleigh, N. | Shaw University .................. |  |  |  | *3, 000 |
| 4027 | Raleigh, | Estey Seminary |  |  |  | *500 |
| 4028 | Raleigh, N | State Library | 1831 |  | State | 45, 000 |
| 4029 | Raleigh, N | State Penitentiary. | 1880 | Free.. | A. \& R.... | 705 |
| 4030 | Raleigh, N. | Supreme Court Library | 1831 | Free.. | Law | 6, 000 |
| 4031 | Rutherford College, N.C. | Rutherford College.... | 1833 | Free.. | Col........ | 4,000 |
| 4032 | Rutherford College, N.C. | Newtonian Societ | 1853 | Free.. | Soc', | 400 |
| 4033 | Rutherford College, N.C. | Platonic Society | 1873 | Free | Soc' | 5, 417 |
| 4035 | Sparta, N. C | Alleghanian Literary So |  |  |  | +400 |
| 4036 | Salisbury, N. | State Colored Normal Schoo |  |  |  | 800 |
| 4037 | Salisbury, N. C | Zion Wesley College |  |  | Col | 3,000 |
| 4038 | Trinity College, N. C. | Trinity College Columbian Libr's. | 1846 | Free.. | Soc'y | 3,900 |
| 4039 | Wake Forest, N. | Wake Forest College | 1879 | Sab... | Col | 8, 400 |
| 4040 | Warrenton, N. C | Warrenton Female Institute | 1841 | Freo.. | Sc | 1,500 |
| 4041 | Wilmington, N. C | Library *Association*.............. |  | Sub |  | 2, 600 |
| 4042 | Wirston, N.C | Winston Graded School Library.- |  |  | Sch | 2,500 |
| 4043 | Tadkin College, N. C. | Yadkin College................... |  |  | Col | 500 |
| 4044 | Ada, Ohio | Ohio Normal Eniversity.......... | 1871 | Freo.. |  | 4,000 |
| 4045 | Ada, Ohio | Adelphian Library. | 1880 | Sub... | Soc', ${ }^{\text {S }}$. ${ }^{\text {co. }}$ | 320 |
| 4046 | Ada, Ohio | Franklin Library | 1871 | Free.. | Soc' ${ }^{\text {d }}$ | 834 |
| 4047 | Ada, Ohio | Union School Library .-.......... | 1882 | Free.. | Sch....... | 300 |
| 4048 | Akron, Ohio - | Buchtel College, Bierce Library... | 1871 | Free.. | Col ........ |  |
| 4049 4050 |  | Public Library ${ }^{\text {Pnterprise Academy* }}$ | 1866 | Freo.. | Gen ........ | 8, 700 |

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Table XYI.-Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 rolumes, f.c.-Continued.

|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  | も゙ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Allia | Pr | 1885 | Frc |  |  |
|  | Amherst, Ohio. | South Antherst Librar | 1865 |  |  |  |
| ${ }_{4}^{4053}$ | Ashland, Ohio .......... | Probic School Library. |  | Frie.. |  | 0 |
| 4055 | Ashtabuia, Onio | Public Library | 1837 | Sub |  |  |
| 56 | Ashtabala, Ohio | Social Library Associ | 1830 | Sub... |  | 1,591 |
| 57 | Athens, L Lio | Asplum for the insa | ${ }_{150}^{185}$ | ${ }_{\text {Free }}$ Sub |  | 3,001 |
| 59 | Athens, Ohio | Public School Library |  |  |  | ${ }_{430}$ |
| 60 | Athens, Ohio | Young People's Christian Associ- | 1865 | Freo. |  | 500 |
| 4081 | Austinbarg, Chio | Grand River Institute Disprata- | 1863 | Free.. | Soc'y | \%00 |
| 4062 | Near Barnesville, Ohio.. | Oliney School |  |  |  |  |
|  | Barnesville, Ohio | Public and Schon | 1880 | Sab... | Gen |  |
| 40 | Bellaire, Ohi | Pubric School | 1870 | Free.- |  | 000 |
| ¢ 4060 | Berea, Ohio. | Qaidwin Universiry | 1850 |  |  |  |
| 4067 | Berea, Ohio. | I'lirenocosnian Literary So. | 1857 | Free. |  | 7 |
| 4068 | Ber | German Walla | 1866 |  | Col | 3,000 |
| - | Bowling Green, | Library Associatio |  | Sub. | G |  |
|  | Bryan, Ohio | Dryan Liura | ${ }_{1}^{1882}$ | Sub | So | 400 |
| 4072 | Cadiz, óhio | Public Library | 1880 | Sab | Gen. | , 225 |
| 4073 | Canal Dorer, Ohio | Dover Library |  | Freo.. |  |  |
| 4075 | Canion, Onio | Public Scliool Libra |  |  | sc | 1,881 |
| 4076 | Cardington, Ohi | Ladies' Public Libra | 1878 | Snl | Soc |  |
|  | Carthage, Ohio | Lougriew Asplum | 18 | Free.. | A. | 1,875 |
| 4078 | Central College, Obio | Library of Central College Acad- | 1842 | Freo.. |  |  |
| 4079 | Chiilicothe, Ohio. | Public Library .................. | 1853 | Free. | Gen | 10,000 |
|  | Cincinnati, Ohio | Cincinnati Hospital Library ....... | 181870 | Free.. |  |  |
| 4082 | Cincinnati, Obio | Cincinnati Observatory | 1843 |  |  | 3, $6 \pm 3$ |
| 4083 | Cincinnati, Ohio (Col- | Cincionati Sanitarium. | 1873 | Free |  |  |
| 4084 | Cincinnati, Ohio. | Cir | 1870 | Free |  | 2,800 |
|  | Cincinnati, Ohio. | Cincinnati Turngem |  |  | Soc |  |
| 4086 | Cincinnati, Ohio | Cincinnati Wesleyan Colleg | 1868 | Free.. |  |  |
| 4088 | Cincinnati, Ohio -1.70. | Day Scho |  |  |  | 3,000 |
|  | West Seventh st.). |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4080 | Cincinnati |  |  |  | Sch | - |
| 4091 | Cincinnati, Ohio. | Historical and Philosophical So. | 1831 | Sab... | Histi. | a9, 270 |
| 40 | Cincinnati, Olio | House of Refu | 1850 |  | A. \& |  |
|  | Cinciniati, Ohi | Hughes' High | 835 | Fr |  |  |
|  | Cincinuati, Ohio | Lave Theological Seminary....... |  |  |  |  |
| ${ }_{40}$ | Cincinnati, Ohio | Lav School of Cincinnati Colle se* | ${ }_{1819}^{1074}$ | Free. |  |  |
|  | Cincinnati, Ohi | -w Chut | 1850 |  |  |  |
| 4098 | Cincinnati, Ohin | Ohio Mrechanics' Insti |  |  |  |  |
|  | Cincinnati, ohio | Public Librar |  | Free.. | Gen |  |
| 4100 | Cincinuati, | Mussey Medic Library. | 1815 | Fre |  | 3 |
| 4101 | Cincinnati, Oli | Religious and Theological Library | 1863 | Free. | The'1 | 5,15 |
| 4102 | Cincinnati, Obio | Pulte Medical Colleg | 1872 |  |  |  |
| 4103 | Cincinnati, Ohio | St. Francis Ecclesiastical College. |  |  |  |  |
| 4105 | Cincinnati, Cincinali, Ohio | St. Joseph's College St. Xarier College. | 1873 184 | Srb.. | ${ }_{\text {Col }}$ | ${ }^{3}$ 5,3 |
|  | Cincinnati, Ohi | W students Lior | $1 \times 6$ |  |  |  |
| ${ }_{4108}$ | Cincinati, Ohio | Yoong Men's Christian Associa. | 1848 | $\stackrel{\text { Free.: }}{ }$ | I. M.C.A. | 3, 3 , 000 |
|  |  | ${ }^{\text {tion. }}$ |  |  |  |  |
| 1 | Circleville, Ohio | Pablic Library | $\begin{aligned} & 1835 \\ & 1869 \end{aligned}$ | Free.. |  | $3,=00$ |
|  | From a reta | a Also 40,382 |  |  | 1807. |  |

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|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 4111 | Circlerille |  | 1859 | Free.. | Sch | 550 |
| 4112 | Clermontrille | Clermont Acadei | 1839 | Free.. | Sch........ | 1,500 |
| 4113 | Clereland, Ohio | Adelbert College of Western Reserve University. | 1826 | Free.. | Col ........ | 9,000 |
| 4114 | Clereland, Ohio | Medical Department of Western Reserve University. | 1843 | Free.. | Med...... | 4,000 |
| 4115 | Cleveland, Oh | Phi Delta Society.............. | 1830 | Free.. | Soc' | 1,500 |
| 4116 | Cleveland, Ohio | Philozetian Societ | 1828 | Free.. | Soc'y ..... | 1,500 |
| 4117 | Cleveland, Ohio | Brooks Military Academy*........ |  |  | Sch........ | 1,300 |
| 4118 | Cleveland, Ohi | Calvin College........................ | 1873 | Free.. | Col ........ | 1, 225 |
| 4119 | Cleveland, Ohio | Case Library | 1848 | Sub .. | Gen | 20,000 |
| 4120 | Clereland, Oh | Cleveland City | 18.6 | Free.. | Med | 1,121 |
| 4121 | Cieveland, Ohio | Clereland Law Librar | 1870 | Sub... | Law...... | 7,141 |
| 4122 | Cleveland, Ohio. | Germania Turnverein |  |  | Soc'l....... | 475 |
| 4123 | Cloreland, Ohio. | Hahnemann Library of the Homeopathic Hospital College. | 1849 | Free .. | Med....... | 500 |
| 4124 | Cleveland. Ohio, (1020 Prospect street.) | Miss Mittleberger's School for Giris. |  |  | Sch....... | 1,000 |
| 4125 | Cieveland, Ohio.......... | Orphan Asylum, Independent Order B'nai B'rith. | 1870 |  | A. \&R.... | 800 |
| 4126 | Cleveland, Ohi | Protestant Orphan Asylum........ | 1870 |  | A. \& R.... | 1,000 |
| 4127 | Cleveland, Ohio | Public Library ...................... | 1868 | Free.. | Gen ...... | 45,905 |
| 4128 | Cleveland, Ohio.........- | Saint Vincent's Charity Hospital. | 1866 | Free.. | Med.\&Gen | 350 |
| 4129 | Cleveland, Ohio, (16 Wainut street.) | Walnat Street Charch Home Library. | 1870 | Free.. | Soc'l...... | 800 |
| 4130 | Cleveland, Ohio.......... | Western Reserve and Northern Ohio Historical Society. | 1867 | Freo.. | Hist. \& Sci. | 7,500 |
| 4131 | Cloreland, Ohio | Young Men's Christian Association. | 1867 | Freo.. | Y.M.C.A. | 500 |
| 4132 | Clereland, | Young Men's Christian Association Railway Library. | 1885 | Free.. | Y. 31. C.A. | 500 |
| 4133 | College मilll, Ohio | Belmont College, Philomathean Society Library. | 1845 |  | Soc'y | 1,500 |
| 4134 | Co'linwood, Ohio | Lake Shore Reading-Room of the Foung Men's Christian Association. | 1883 | Freo.. | F. M.C.A. | 325 |
| 4135 | Columbus, Ohi | Capital Unirersity................... | 1852 | Sub... | Col | 3,781 |
| 4136 | Columbus, Ohio | Evangelical Lutheran Seminary.. | 1880 | Free.. | The'l..... | 5,700 |
| 4137 | Colambus, Ohio | Columbus Art School and Association. | 1878 | Free.. | Soc'l....... | 300 |
| 4138 | Columbas, Ohio.......... | Colambus Barracks (Post) Library. | 1875 | Freo.. | Gar....... | 403 |
| 4139 | Columbus, Ohi | High School Library* .............. | 1853 | Free.. |  | 1,000 |
| 4140 | Columbus, Ohio.......... | Insane Asylum .......... ......... | 1877 | Free.. | A. \& R.... | , 600 |
| ¢141 | Columbus, Ohio.......... | Ohio Institution for the Education of the Blind. | 1837 | Free.. | Sch ....... | 3,000 |
| 4112 | Columbas, Ohio.......... | Ohio Institution for the Education of the Deaf and Dumb. | 1829 |  | Sch | 2,000 |
| 4143 | Columbas, Ohio.......... | Ohio State Board of A griculture.. | 1860 | Free.. | Sci. | 1,500 |
| 4144 | Columbus, Ohio.......... | Ohio State Law Library |  | Free.. | Law | 18, 000 |
| 4145 | Columbus, Ohio........... | Ohio State Library . | 1817 | Free.. | State | 53, 500 |
| 4146 | Columbus, Obio.......... | Ohio State Unirersity .............. | 1873 | Free.. | Col ........ | 5,500 18,500 |
| 4147 | Columbus, Ohio. | Public Library and Reading. Room. | 1872 | Free.. | Gen ........ | 18,509 |
| 4148 | Columbus, Ohio.......... | Railway Young ITen's Christian Association. | 1876 | Free.. | Y. M. C.A. | 1,100 |
| 4149 | Colnmbus, Ohio | Saint Joseph's Cathedral Library. | 18.2 | Free.. | His.\& Th'l | 5,000 |
| 4150 | Columbus, Obio. | Saint Vincent's Orphan Asylum.. | 1878 | Freo.. | A. \& R.... | , 301) |
| 4151 | Columbus, Ohio | Smythe's Circulating Library.... | 1878 | Sub | Soc ${ }^{\text {d }}$ | 1,000 |
| 4152 | Columbus, Ohio. | Starling Mídical College .......... | 1870 |  | Mitd ...... | 1,800 |
| 4153 | Columbus, Ohio | State Penitentiary Library* | 1867 | Freo | A. \& R.... | 7,052 |
| $415 \frac{4}{4}$ | Crestline, Ohio | Public Schonl Library... | 1885 | Free | Sch....... | . 300 |
| 4155 | Dayton, Ohio | Cooper Academy *.................. | 1813 |  | Sch....... | 1,000 |
| 4156 | Dayton, Ohio | Darton Asylnm for the Insane, Patients' Library. | 1886 |  | A. \& R.... | 892 |
| 4157 | Dayton, Ohio | Jewett Library ................. | 1858 |  | Med ....... | 1, 055 |
| 4158 | Dayton, Ohio | Dajton Law Library Association. | 1869 | Sub. | Law | 3, 500 |
| 4159 | Dayton, Olio ............ | Dayton Tarngemeinde:........... |  |  | Soc'l....... | 6 450 |
| 4160 | Dayton, Ohio ............ | National Mrilitary Home, Putnam Library. | 1868 | Free.. | Soc'l....... | 6,455 |
| 4161 | Dayton, Ohio | Thomas Library | 1869 | Free.. | Soc'l...... | 8,327 |

Table XVI．－Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 rolumes，g． c. Continued．

|  | Place． | Name of library． | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 苞 } \\ & \text { 荜 } \\ & \text { E } \end{aligned}$ |  | 㩊 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 4162 | Daston， 0 | Public Lib | 184 | Free |  | 21，232 |
| ${ }_{4163}^{4163}$ | Dayton，Ohio | Saint Mary＇s Institut | 1864 |  |  |  |
| 4165 | Dayton，Ohio | Young Men＇s Christi | 882 | ．． | Y．M． $\mathrm{C} . \mathrm{B}$ ． | 300 |
| 4166 | Defiance，Ohio | Library Association ．．． | 1807 | Sab．．． |  | 00 |
| 4167 | Defiauce，Ob | Public School Library |  |  |  |  |
| 4168 | Delaware，Ob | Girls Industrial Home Librars．． |  |  |  |  |
|  | Delaware， | Sturges Library． |  |  |  | 13，780 |
| 4170 | Delaware，Oh | Monnett Hall Librar | 1809 | Free．． |  | 1，650 |
| 4171 | Dennison，Ohio． | P．C．and N．L．Railway Reading |  |  |  |  |
| 4172 | Dresten，Ohi | Public School Lib |  |  |  | 13 |
|  | East Liverpo | Teachers＇Libra |  | Free．－ |  |  |
| 4174 | Eaton，Ohio | Publie School L | 1860 | Free．． |  | 525 |
| ${ }_{4175}^{4175}$ | Elyria，Ohio | Elyria Library． | 1881 | Froo．． |  | ， 600 |
|  |  | ess C |  |  |  |  |
| 4177 | Fayette，Ohio | John Ogilen | 1881 | Free．． |  | 800 |
| 4178 | Flat Rock，Ohio | Ebenezer Orphan Ins | 1880 |  |  | 800 |
| 4180 | Franklin，Ohio（box 165）． | Public Library and Young Men＇s | 1874 | Sub．．． |  | 1，800 |
| 4181 | Fremont，Ohio | Bircliard Library | 1874 |  |  |  |
| 4182 | Gallipoli | Gallia Academy | 1800 |  |  |  |
|  | Gallipo | Union School Librar | 1860 |  |  |  |
| 4184 | Gambia，Ohio | Kenjon Colleg |  |  | Col | 20，000 |
| 4185 | Gambier，Ohio | Theological Seminary of the Dio－ | 1828 | Freo．． |  | 7，600 |
| 4186 | Garettsrille，Ohio | Garrettsrille，Library | 1881 | Sab．．． | Ge |  |
|  | Garettssille，Ohio | Public School Library |  |  |  |  |
| 4188 | Glendale，Ohio． | Glendale Female College Alumnæ | 1879 | Sub．． |  |  |
| 4189 | Gle | Glendale LJ | 3 | Sab |  |  |
| 4190 | Granville，Ohio | Denison Unive |  |  |  |  |
| ${ }_{4192}^{419}$ | Granville，OLio | Caliopean |  |  |  |  |
| 4193 | Granville，Ohio | Granville Female Co |  |  | Col |  |
| 4194 | Granville，Ohio ． | Granville，Ohio，Historical Society． | 1885 | Fr |  | 2，000 |
| 4193 | Granville，Ohio | Young Ladies＇Institate，Suciety |  |  | Soc＇ | 800 |
| 4196 | Hamilton，Ohio | Lane Free Libra | 1867 | Free．． |  |  |
| 4197 | Harlem Springs， | Harlem Springs College |  |  |  |  |
| 4198 | Hasesville，Ohio． | Vermillion Iustitute，Library of | 1846 |  | Soc＇ |  |
| 4199 | Hillsboroagh，Ohi | Highland Institut | 57 |  |  | 400 |
|  | Hillsborough，O | Hillisborough Female College | 1857 |  |  |  |
| ${ }_{4}^{4201}$ | Hillsborough，Ohi | Hillsborough Public Library | 1877 | Free．． |  | 50 |
| ${ }_{4203}$ | Hiran，Ohio | Hiram College－．．．．． | 1857 | Sua ． |  | ，070 |
|  | Hiram，Ohio | He |  |  |  |  |
| 42v5 | Hiram，Ohio ．．．．．．． | Young Men＇s Christian Associa－ | 1875 | Frco．． | Y． | 350 |
| 4200 | Hopedale，Ohi | Hopedale Normal Colle | 1552 |  |  |  |
| ${ }_{4207}$ | Hudson，Ohio | Union School Libr |  | Free．－ |  | 300 800 |
| ${ }_{4}^{4208}$ | Iludson，Ohio．． | Western Reserve Academ | 81 | Free．． | Sch |  |
|  | 1veria，Ohio ．．． | Library Association and College Library． | 1884 |  |  |  |
| 4210 | Ironton， | Brigss＇Library Institut | 1880 | Free．． | Ge |  |
| 4212 | Jackson，Ohio | Reading，Room | 1883 | $\underset{\substack{\text { Freee．} \\ \text { Free．}}}{\text { Fer }}$ | Gen． | 30 |
| 4213 | Jefferson． | Public Libra | 1847 |  |  |  |
| 4214 | Kent，Ohi | Railway Library As |  |  | Soc |  |
| 4216 | Lancaster，Ohio | Free Library and Reading | 78 |  | Gen | ${ }_{3}^{3,155}$ |
| 4217 | Lebanon，Ohio． | Mrechanics＇Institut | 1861 | Sub． |  | 500 |
| q218 | Lebanon，Ohio． | National Normal University | 1855 |  |  | ， 00 |
| 420 | Lee， | Wells Libr |  |  |  | 200 |
| 422 | 号 | Mansfield L | 1872 |  |  | 500 |
| 422 | Makietta，Ohio．．． | High School Library | 1850 | Free．． | Sch． | 450 |

Table XVI．－Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 rolumes，\＆c．－Continued．

|  | Place． | Name of library． | ت0 0 0 0 0 0 0 |  | \％ ご5 ご |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 4223 | Marietta，Ohio | Marietta College | 1835 |  |  |  |
| 4224 | Marietta，Ohio | Alpha Kapp | 1839 |  | Soc＇ |  |
| 4225 | Marietta，Ohio | Psi Gamma Society | 1839 |  |  | 00 |
| 4226 | Marietta，Ohio | Marietta Library | 1829 | Sub |  | 2， 800 |
| 4227 | Martin＇s Ferry，Ohio．．．． | Martin＇s Ferry Library Associa－ thon． | 1876 |  |  | 597 |
| 4228 | Marssrille，Ohio | Marysville Library．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 1874 | Sub | Soc＇l．．．．．． | 900 |
| 4220 | Marysville，Ohio | Odd Fellurs＇Librarr．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． |  |  | I. O.O.F.. | 400 |
| 4230 | Massilon，Ohio．． | Skinner Brothers＇Circulating Li－ brarr．＊ | 1866 | Su | Soc＇l．．．．．． | 500 |
| 4231 | Massilon，Ohio | Union＊School Library | 1827 | Free．． | Sch | 90 |
| 4232 | Medina，Ohio | Medina Circulating Library | 1877 |  | Soc＇ | 50 |
| 4233 | Minster，Ohi | St．Mary＇s Institute，Boarding School of the Visitation． |  |  |  | 500 |
| 4234 | Morror，Ohio | Public Library of Salem Township | 18 ¢ 5 | Free．． | Gen | 64 |
| 4235 | Mount Union，Ohio | Fairmont Chilifen＇s Home ．．．．．．． | 1876 | Free．． | A．${ }^{\text {c }}$ | 450 |
| 4236 | Mount Enion，Ohio ．．．．． | Mt．Cnion Cuilege＊ | ${ }^{1846}$ |  | Col | 6，000 |
| 4237 4238 | Mount Enion，Ohio．．．． | Cosmian Suciety． | 1876 1832 | Sub．．． | Soc | 1， 000 |
| 4239 | Mount Union，Ohio | Repnblican Societ | 1854 | Sub |  | 800 |
| 4240 | Newark，Ohi | Ladies＇Circulating Libra | 1872 | Sub | Soc | 1， 548 |
| 4241 | Newark，Ohio．．．．．．．．．．． | Licking County Pioneer Historical and Antiquarian Societr． | 1867 | Free |  | 480 |
| 4242 | Nerrark，Ohio． | Foung Men＇s Christian dissocia－ tion． | 1876 | Free．． | F．M．C．A． | 300 |
| 4243 | New Athens，Ohio | Franklin College，Jefferson Liter－ arr Societs | 1829 | Both．． | Soc＇${ }^{\text {d }}$ | 31 |
| 4244 | New Concord，Ohio | Maskingum College．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 1837 |  |  | 00 |
| 4245 | New Concord，Ohio | Erouthaian Society | 1854 | Free．． | Soc | 350 |
| 4246 | New Concord，Ohio | Union Literaty Socie | 1840 | Free．． | Soc＇5 | 410 |
| 4247 | New Lexington，Ohio．．． | High School Library | 1880 | Free．． |  | 300 |
| 4248 | New Londun，Obio．． | Paddy＇s Run Free Librar | 1852 | Free．． | Gen | 800 |
| 4249 | New Vienna，Ohio | Library Association | 1878 | Sub．．． | Ge | 614 |
| 4250 | Norwalk，Ohio | Public School Library ．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 1840 |  |  | 500 |
| 4251 | Norwalk，Ohio | Young Men＇s Library and Read－ ing Room Association． | 1866 | S | So | 5，000 |
| 4252 | Oberlin，Ohio | Oberlin College． | 1834 | Sub．．． | Col | 13， 819 |
| 4253 | Oberlin，Ohio | Union Library Ass | 1857 | Sub | So | 6， 471 |
| 4254 | Oberlin，Ohio | Theological Seminary | 1835 | F | The | 2，000 |
| 4255 | Oxfurd，Ohio | Miami Tniversity | 1824 |  | Col | 7，000 |
| 4256 | Oxford， 0 | Oxford Female College Alamnæ Library． | 1881 | Sub． |  | 2，000 |
| 4257 | Oxford，Ohio | Public School Library．．．．．．．．．．． |  | Free ．－ | Sch | 300 |
| 4258 | Oxford，Ohio | Western Female Seminary | 1854 |  |  | 3， 908 |
| 4259 | Painesrille，Ohio | Lake Erie Seminary | 1859 |  |  | 2，500 |
| 4260 | Painesrille， 0 | Temperance Society and Young Men＇s Christian Association． | $\begin{aligned} & 1877 \\ & 1867 \end{aligned}$ | Sub． | Soc＇ | 2，000 |
| 4261 | Perrysbarg，Ob | Way Library | 1881 | Free | Gen | 2，100 |
| 4262 | Perrssrille，Ohio | Greentown A cademy Library ．．．． | 1870 |  |  | 350 |
| 4263 | Perrjsrille，Ohio． | Excelsior Literary Society Li－ brary． | 1868 |  | Soc＇ 5 | 1，600 |
| 4264 | Perrysville， 0 | Public Library Aasociation． | 1880 |  | Gen | 350 |
| 4265 | Pioua，Ohio | High School Library | 1860 |  | Sch． | 600 |
| 4266 | Pleasant Ridge，Ohio | Library Association ．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 1879 | Sub |  | 858 |
| 4267 | Pleasantrille，OLio． | Pleasantrille Collegiate Institute． |  |  |  | 2，000 |
| 4268 | Plymouth，Ob | Public School Librars |  | Free | Scl | 459 |
| 4269 | Poland．Ohio | Poland Union Seminary | 1862 |  | Sch | 1．Our |
| 4270 | Puıit Clinton，Ohio | School and Public Lib | 18.0 | Free． | Ge | 430 |
| 4271 | Portsmouth，Obio | Public Librars | 1879 | Free．． | Ge | 7，1：0 |
| 4272 | Richtiela，Ohio | Central High School Library | 1873 | Free．． |  | 35 |
| 4273 | 1：io Grande，Ohio | Rio Grande College | 1876 | Free． | Col | 570 |
| 4274 | Ripley，Ohio． | Union school Lilrary | 1857 | Free． | Sch | 800 |
| 4275 | Savannah，Ohi | Sarannah Academa | 18：8 | Free． | Sch | 3 CO |
| 4276 | Scio，Onio | Scio College Libraries | 1866 | Free | Col | 1，000 |
| 4277 | Scio，Ohio | Scio Comniercial Colle |  |  | Col | 1，500 |
| 4278 | Sidner，Ohio | Monumental Library | 1875 | Free．． | Ge | 2，000 |
| 4279 | Sidney，Ohio | Sidnes Library Associatio | 1869 | Free | Ge | 788 |
| 4280 | Smith ville，Ohio． | Smithille Normal School |  |  | S | 800 |
| 4281 | Smithrille，Ohio．．．．．．．．． | Ladies＇Hall | 1866 | Free ．－ |  | 400 |
| 4282 | Smithrille，Ohio．．．．．．．．． | Philo Societr | 1870 | Fri |  | O |
| 4283 | South diow Lyme，Ohio． | Nem Lyme Institat | 1882 |  | Sch | 550 |

＊From a return for 1884.

Table XVI.-Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 volumes, fc.-Continued.

|  | Place. | - Name of library. |  |  | - |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 4284 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4285 | South New Lyme, Ohio. | Ladies' Literary |  |  |  | 20 |
| 4286 | South Salem, Ohio...... | Salem Academy |  |  |  | 00 |
| 4287 | Springfield, Ohio. | Public Library | 1872 | Free.. | Gen | 12, 037 |
| 4288 | Springfield, Ohio | Wittenberg Colle | 1847 | Sub... |  | 8, 000 |
| 4289 | Springfield, Ohio......... | Excelsior Library | 1845 | Free.. | Soc', | 3, 000 |
| 4290 | Springfield, Ohio......... | Philosophian Socie | $1847$ |  | Soc'y..... | *3,500 |
| 4291 | Steubenville, Ohio | I. O. O. F. Library …............ | $188 \cdot 1$ | Sub... | I. O.O.F.. | 3, 000 |
| 4292 | Steubenville, Ohio | Steubenville Public School Li. brary. | 1881 | Free.. | Sch....... | 1, 612 |
| 4293 | Tiffin, Ohio | College of Ursuline Sisters....... |  |  | Col | 0 |
| 4294 | Tiffin, Ohio | Heidelberg Colleg | 1850 | Free.. |  | 6, 000 |
| 4295 | Tiffin, Ohio | Excelsior Literary Society | 1859 | Free.. | Soc', | 1,781 |
| 4296 | Tifin, Ohio | Heidelberg Literary Society.- | 1859 | Frce | Soc', | 1,000 |
| 4297 | Tiftin, Ohio | Theological Seminary.............. | 1852 | Free | The'l | 2,000 |
| 4298 | Tiffin, Ohio | Tiffin Public Library | 1880 | Sub... | Gen | 1,900 |
| 4299 | Tiffin, Ohi | Tiffin Public School 1 | 1865 | Free.. | Sch | 400 |
| 4300 | Toledo, Ohi | Public Library. | 1873 | Tree.. | Gen | 23, 000 |
| 4301 | Troy, Ohio | Kelly's Circulating Library | 1868 | Sub... |  | 500 |
| 4302 | Troy, Ohio | Union School Library |  | Free.. | Sch | 1,312 |
| 4303 | Twinsburg | Twinsburg Library | 1851 | S | Gen | 560 |
| 4304 | Urbana, Ohio | Central Ohio Scientific Associa. | 1874 | Free.. |  | 350 |
| 4305 | Urbana, Oh | Library Association | 1872 | Sub | Soc |  |
| 4306 | Urbana, Ohio | Urbana University | 1833 | Freo |  | 6,000 |
| 4307 | Wapakoneta, 0 | Union School Libra | 1882 | Freo.- | Sch | 300 |
| 4308 | Wanseon, Ohio | Public Library | 1875 | Sui | Ge | 1,500 |
| 4309 | Wellington, Ohi | Library Association | 1874 | Sub | Gen | 1, 928 |
| 4310 | Wellsville, Ohio | Cleveland and Pittsburgh Railroad Readine Room A ssociation. | 1867 | Sub... | Soc | 1,588 |
| 4311 | Westerville, Ohio. | Otterbein University | $\dagger 1847$ | Free.. | Col ....... | 4,000 |
| 4312 | Westerville, Ohio. | Philomathean Literary Society. | 1858 | Free.. | Soc'y ..... | 3,000 |
| 4313 | Westerville, Ohio. | Philophronean Society | 1857 | Free.. | Soc'y | 836 |
| 4314 | West Farmington, Ohio. | Western Reserve Seminary | 1855 | Free.. |  | 781 |
| 4315 | West Farmington, Ohio. | Adelphian Society..... |  | Snb... | Soc' | 300 |
| 4316 | West Salem, Ohio....... | Urith Leatherman Library Association of the M. E. C. | 1882 | Sub... | Soc | 323 |
| 4317 | Wilberforce, Ohio. | Wilberforce Library | 1876 |  | Ge | 4,000 |
| 4318 | Wilberforce, Ohio. | Wilberforce University | 1872 | Free.. |  | 4, 000 |
| 4319 | Wilmington, Ohio | High School Library |  | Freo.- |  | 300 |
| 4320 | Wilmington, Ohio | Wilmington Colleg | 1870 | Free.. | Col | 1,130 |
| 4321 | Wilmington, Ohio | Wilmington Library | 1879 | Sub... |  | 470 |
| 4322 | Windham, Ohio | Library Association | 1852 | Sub | (ren | 500 |
| 4323 | Woodstock, Ohio | Woodstock Library Association. | 1874 | Sub | Gen | 610 |
| 4324 | Wooster, Ohio | People's Library. | 1883 |  | G | 320 |
| 4325 | Wooster, Ohi | University of Woos | 1870 | Sub | Col | 10,300 |
| 4326 | W yoming, Ohio | W yoming Village Library | 1883 | Sub | Soc' | 1,210 |
| 4327 | Xenia, Ohio | Public Library |  | Sub | Gen | 5,200 |
| 4328 | Xenia, Ohio | United Presbyterian Theological Seminary | 1794 | Free.. | The | 4,000 |
| 4329 | Fellow Springs, Ohio | Antioch College | 1854 | Free.. | Col | 6, 000 |
| 4330 | Yellow Springs, Ohio | Union Literary Society, ....... |  |  | Soc' | 600 |
| 4331 | Youngstown. Ohio. | Youngstown Library Association. | 1858 | Free.. | Gen | 2,477 |
| 4332 | Zanesville, Ohio | Athenærum ........................ | 1828 | 3otb.. |  | 9,000 |
| 4333 | Zanesville, Ohio | Buckingham Library of Patnam Seminary. | 1845 | Both. | Gen | 7,000 |
| 4334 | Albany, Oreg | Albany Collegiate Institute. |  |  |  | 500 |
| 4335 | Albany, Oreg | Odd Fellows' Library | 1877 | Free.. | I. O. O. F. | 623 |
| 4336 | Corrallis, Oreg | Corvallis College, Adelphian Literary Society. |  |  | Soc'y .... | 1,000 |
| 4337 | Cove, Oreg. | Ascension School. |  |  | Sch | 1,200 |
| 4338 | East Portland, Oreg | Public School Library |  | Free | Sch | 300 |
| 4339 | Eugene City, Oreg. | University of Orego | 1876 |  | Col | 1,256 |
| 4340 | Eugene City, Oreg... | Laurean and Eutaxian Societies | 1878 | Sub... | Soc' | 1,197 |
| 4341 | Forest Grove, Oreg .. | Pacific University and Tualatin Academy. | 1853 | Sub... | Col | 5,400 |
| 4342 | Fort Klamath, Oreg... | Post Library |  | Free .. | Gar....... | 500 |
| 4343 | McMinnville, Oreg.... | McMinnville Saptist College | 1852 | Free.. | Col ......... | 600 |
| 4344 | Philomath, Oreg.. | Philomath College | 1868 | Free.. | Col ........ | 600 |
| 4345 | Portland, Oreg. | Bishop Scott Grammar Schoo |  |  | Sch. | 1,500 |

*From a retarn for 1884. $i^{/}$,
i $\uparrow$ Dostroyed by fire and re-established in 1870.

Table XVI.-Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 rolumes, \&.c.-Continned.

|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  | 哭 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 4346 | Portland, Ore | Catholic Library A | 1865 | Sub. | Soc'1 | 2,000 |
| 4347 | Portland, Ore | Library Associatio | 1864 | Sub |  | 13, 436 |
| 4348 | Portland, Oreg | Public School Library | 1876 | Freo.. | Sch | 476 |
| 4349 | Portland, Oreg | St. Helen's Hall...... |  |  | Sch. | 750 |
| 4350 | Portland, Oreg | State Medical Society | 1874 | Sub... | Med | 400 |
| 4351 | Salem, Oreg.. | Academy of the Sacred |  |  |  | 2,800 |
| 4352 4353 | Salem, Oreg | Stato Library........ | 1850 | Free.. | State....- | 12,000 |
| 4353 4354 | Salem, Oreg.... | Willamette University........ | 1844 | Free.. | Col | 3,000 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 4354 \\ & 4355 \end{aligned}$ | The Dalles, Ore Allegheny, Pa | Wascoe Independent Academ | 1860 |  |  | 2, 300 |
| 4356 | Allegheny, Pa | Public Schooi Library | 1872 | Free.. |  | 10, ${ }^{2}$, 8000 |
| 4357 | Allegheny, P | Theological Seminary of the Reformed Presbsterian Church. |  |  | The'l..... | 2, 700 |
| 4358 | Allegheny, Pa | Theological Seminary of the United Presbyterian Church. |  |  | The'l | 3,100 |
| 4359 | Allegheny, Pa | Western State Penitentiary ...... | 1840 |  | A. \& R.... | 6, 500 |
| 4360 | Allegheny, Pa | Western Theological Seminary of the Presbyterian Church. | 1827 | Free.. | The'l..... | 25,000 |
| 4361 | Alleghens, Pa | Western University of Pennsylvania. |  |  | Col ....... | 5,000 |
| 4362 | Allentown, Pa | Academy of Natural Science, Art, and Literatore.* | 1872 | Both. | Sci | 3,500 |
| 4363 | Allentown, Pa | Female College |  |  | Col ....... | 00 |
| 4364 | Allentown, P | Mulienbera College | 1867 | Free.. | Col ........ | 3,000 |
| 4365 4366 | Allentown, P | Enterpean Society |  |  | Soc', | 2, 000 |
| 4366 | Allentown, | Sophronian Society | 1867 | Sub | Soc'y ${ }^{\text {Soc. }}$ ' | 1,500 |
| 4387 | Altoona, Pa | Mechanics' Library and Reading Room Association. | 1858 | Su |  | 6,000 |
| 4368 | Altoona, Pa | Mountain City Business College.. |  |  | Col .... | 538 |
| 4369 | Altoona, Pa | Railroad Men's Christian Association. | 1883 | Sub... | Y.M.C.A. | 435 |
| 4370 | Annville, Pa | Lebanon Valley College........... | 1874 | Free.. | Col ....... | 2, 150 |
| 4371 | Annville, P | Kalozetean Literary Society. ...... | 1876 | Free.. | Soc', | 359 |
| 4372 | Annville, | Philokosmian Literars Society | 1866 |  | Soc'y ..... | 425 |
| 4373 | Ashland, P | High School. | 1880 | Both | Sch....... | 600 |
| 4374 | Avondale, | A vondale Library | 1885 |  |  | 350 |
| 4375 | Beatty, Pa | St. Vincent's Colleg | 1846 |  | Col | 24, 000 |
| 4376 | Beattr, P | St. Xavier's Academy | 1847 | Sub. |  | 1,000 |
| 4377 | Beaver, P | Bearer Coll | 1874 |  | Col | 1,000 |
| 4378 | Deaver lalls | Genera College | 1880 | Free.. | Col | 1, 000 |
| 4379 | Bellefonte, P | Centre County Law Library* | 1866 | Freo.. | Law | 500 |
| 4380 | Bellefon | Yonng Men's Christian Association. | 1869 |  | Y. M.C.A. | 1,500 |
| 4381 | Berwick, Pa | Young Men's Christian Associa. | 1878 | Sub. | I.M.C.A. | 3,503 |
| 4382 | Bethlehem, Pa | Bishop Thorp School* |  |  | Sch. | 00 |
| 4383 | Bethlehem, P | Malin Library of Moravian Litera- | 1882 |  |  | 1,370 |
| 4384 | Bethlehem, Pa | Moravian Archives ............... | 1742 | Free.. | Hist'1 | 2,250 |
| 4385 | Bethlehem, Pa | Moravian Seminary. | 1749 | Free.. | Sch | 6, 000 |
| 4386 | Bethlelhem, Pa | Moravian Theological Seminary - |  |  |  | 5,500 |
| 4387 | Bethlehem, Pa | Yound Men's Missionary Society. |  | Sub |  | 1, 000 |
| 4388 | Birmingham, $P$ | Mountain Seminary.... | 1857 |  |  | 1,200 |
| 4389 | Blairsville, Pa | Ladies' Seminary |  |  |  | 650 |
| 4390 | Blairsville, Pa | Irving Literary Society |  | Sub... |  | ¢00 |
| 4391 | Dlairsville, Pa | Yonnir Hen's Christian Association. | 1882 | Both.. | Y. 3. C.A. | 405 |
| 4392 | Bloomsburg, Pa | Columbia Connty Law Library ... | 1868 |  | Law | 710 |
| 4393 | Bloomsburg, | State Normal Nehool | 18 C9 | Free.. | Sch | 1,160 |
| 4394 | Blossburg, Pa | Public School Library | 1874 |  |  | 300 |
| 4395 | Bradford, Pa | Public School Librar | 1883 | Free.. |  | 1,575 |
| 4396 | Bradford, Pa. | 'enperances Realing Room....... | 1879 | Free.. | Soc'1...... | 1,000 |
| 4397 | Brownsville, P | Woman's Christian Temperance Union Public Library. | 1885 | Sub... | Soc'1...... | 800 |
| 4398 | Bramfieldvilla, P | Amity Library Association | 1878 | Sub... | Soc'l...... | 700 |
| 4399 | Bryn Mawr, Pa | Bryn Mawr College | 1885 | Free.. | Col | 3,000 |
| 4400 | Buckingham, P | Hughesian Library Company | 1874 | Sub... |  | 1, 415 |
| 4401 | Butler, Pa | St. Paul's Orphan Home | 1867 | Free .. | A. \& R.... | 360 |
| 4402 | Butler, Pa | Witherspoon Institute | 1850 | Free | Sch ........ | 300 |
| 4403 4404 | California, P | State Normal School | 1884 | Free | Sch \& R...... | 800 1,200 |

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|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Cann |  |  |  |  |  |
| ${ }_{4106}$ | Cannonsburg | Public Library |  |  |  | 1,600 |
| 4407 | ${ }_{\text {Canton, }} \mathrm{Pa}$ | Public School -i................. | ${ }_{1874}^{1876}$ | Free. | Sch....... | 300 |
| 4409 | Carisise, Pa. | Camberland County Law Library* |  | Freo.. |  | 2,200 2,400 |
| 4410 | Carrisle, Pa | Dickiuson College | 1783 | Sub... |  | 8,485 |
| 4411 | Carlisle, Pa | Belle Lettres Society | 1786 | Sub |  |  |
| 4412 | Carlisle, Pa | Union Philosophical So |  |  |  | 10,681 |
|  | Carlisle, Pa | Hamilton Library Associa | 1879 | Freo.. |  | 520 |
| 41 | Carrollton, | St. Benedict's E. B. Association... | 1884 |  |  | 300 |
| 4416 | Catawissa. Pa. | Public School Library | 1881 | Freo.. | Sch ....... | 300 |
| 44 | ${ }_{\text {Chambersburg, }}$ C | Franklin County Law Libr | 1865 | Free.. |  |  |
| 4419 | Chambersburg, Pa | Franklin Library Associatio | 1878 | Sub... | Gen |  |
|  | Chambersburg, Pa | Wilson Female College | 1870 | Free.. | Col | 00 |
|  | Chester, Pa | Chester A cadem |  |  |  |  |
|  | Chester, Pa | Mechanics' Librar | 1873 |  |  | 3, |
| ${ }_{4424}^{4423}$ | Chester, ${ }^{\text {Cor }}$ Springa, | Pennsylvania Military Aca | 1879 | Freo.. |  | ${ }^{1}$, 200 |
| 4425 | Chester Springs | Soldiers' Orphan School | 1866 |  |  | 1,200 |
|  | Clarion, Pa | Carrier Seminary Public Library | 1872 | Sub | Sch |  |
| 4428 | Collegeville, P | Penneylvania Fermale Coileg | 1851 | Free.. |  |  |
| 4429 | Concord ville, Pa | Maplewood Institute. |  |  | Sch | 2,000 |
| 4430 | Conshohocken, P | Franklin Literary Society of Public Schools. | 1872 | Free.. | Soo | 24 |
|  | Coudersport | Coudersport Lil | 1843 | Sub. | Soc |  |
|  | Danville, Pa | State Hospital for the |  |  | Sch |  |
| 4434 | Daston, Pa . | Dayton Soldiers' Orphan School*. | 1872 | Free.. | A. ${ }^{\text {d }}$ |  |
| 4435 | Derry, Pa .. | Railroad Men's Christian Associ- | 1882 | Freo.. | у. M.C. |  |
| 4436 | Dismont, P | Western Pennsylvania Hospital |  | ree | A. | 1,0 |
| 4437 | Downingtown, P | Chester Valley Aca | 1870 |  |  |  |
|  | Downingtown, | Downingtown Librar | 1876 | , |  |  |
| 44439 | Downingtown, | East Caln Lisrar |  |  | Sch |  |
| 41 | Doylestown, Pa | Library Company | 1856 |  | Gen | 4,600 |
| 4442 | Drifton, Pa.. | Industrial School for Mriners and |  |  |  |  |
| 4443 | Easton, Pa | Finley's Circula | 1880 | Sub. | Soc'1 | 00 |
|  | Easton, Pa | Lafayette Colleg |  |  |  | 19,946 |
| ${ }_{4446}$ | Easton, | Easton Liety Libr | 181i |  |  |  |
| 4447 | Easton, Pa | Young Men's Christain | 1869 | Freo.. | ¢. $\mathrm{M}, \mathrm{C}$. | 1,000 |
|  | Ebensburg, Pa | Dauntless Fire Com | 1872 |  | Soc' |  |
| 44 | Edin burough, Pa | State Xormal School. | 18 | Fres |  |  |
| 44.50 | Elders Ridge, Pa | Classical and Normal A cademy... |  |  |  |  |
| 4451 | Erie, Pa | City Library | 1867 | Sub... | Gen | 8 |
| 4453 | Erie, Pa | Mt. Benedict's A cadomy* | 1867 | Freo |  |  |
| 4454 | Er | Young Men's Christain Associa- |  |  | Y. M.C. ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | ¢,000 |
| 55 | Factorsville | Kerstnne Aca | 1869 | Fr |  |  |
|  | Fallsington, | Fallsington Library | 1802 | Sub |  |  |
| 58 | Frankford, | Library and Reading Room |  |  |  |  |
| 4459 | Freeland (P.O., Colloge- | Vrsinus College | 187 |  |  | 8,000 |
| 4460 | Germantown, Philadel. phia, Pa. | Boarding and Day School for Young Ladies (Mrs. M. E. Ste- |  |  | Sch ... | 1,200 |
| 4461 |  | Friends', Free Library and Re | 1869 | Fre | Soc' 1. | 13,000 |
| 4462 | Ger | Germantown ${ }_{\text {ing }}$ |  | Free. |  |  |
|  | ghia, Pao |  |  |  |  |  |

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|  | Place, | Name of library. |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 4463 | Germantown, Philadel- | Jewish Foster Home and Orphan Asclam* |  | Freo.. | A. \& R.. | 350 |
| 4464 | Germántown, Philadel- | Library and Historical Society.... | 1870 | Sub... | Hist'l | 4,317 |
| 4165 | phia, Pa. Germantown, Philadel. phia, Pa . | Orphan Home and Asylum for the Aged. |  |  | A. \& R.... | 1,000 |
| 4466 | Germantown, Philadelphia, Pa . | Workingmen's Clab............... | 1877 | Freo.. | Soc'l | 2,000 |
| 4407 | Germantown, Philadel. phia, Pa. | Young Mon's Christian Association. | 1872 |  | Y. II.C.A. | 2,500 |
| 4468 | Gettysburg, Pa.......... | Lutheran Historical Society ...... | 1816 | Free.. | Mis | 0 |
| 4469 | Gettysburg, Pa... | Pennsylvania College | 1832 | Free.. | Col......... | 9,000 |
| 1470 | Gettysurarg, Pa | Philomathean Society | 1872 | Free.. | Soc', | 5, 2.53 |
| 4471 | Gett5sburg, P | Phrenakosmian Socie | 18\%2 |  | Soc' | 6,747 |
| 4472 | Gettysburg, P | Theological Seminary (Lutheran). | 1826 | Fr | Tha' | 12,000 |
| 4473 | Greensburg, | Seminary for Young Ladies and Men. |  |  |  | 1, 200 |
| 4174 | Greensburg, Pa | Underwood Library (High School) | 1884 |  | Sch. | 02 |
| 4475 | Greenville, Pa | Thiel College | 1870 | Sub... |  | 5,000 |
| 4476 | Greenville, P | Society Libraries | 1870 |  | Soc' | ], 500 |
| 4477 | Grove Uity, | Grore City College |  |  |  | 2,000 |
| 4478 | Harfurd, Pa | Soldiers' Orphan School | 1805 | Freo.. | A. \& | 350 |
| 4479 | Harlersville | Cassel's Library | 1830 | Free.. | Gien | 6,900 |
| 4480 | Harrisbnrg, Pa | Dauphin County Law Library * .. | 1865 | Free.. | Law | 500 |
| 4481 | Hartisburg, Pa. | Dauphin County Historical Society. | 1867 | Sub... | Hist | 3,000 |
| 4482 | Earrisburg, Pa | Pablic School Library Association | 1876 | Sub... | Sch. | 600 |
| 4483 | Harrisburg, Pa | State Agricatural Soc | 1851 | Free.. |  | 2,000 |
| 4484 | Harrisburg, Pa | Stato Library | 1816 |  | State | 60, 000 |
| 4485 | Harrisburg, Pa | State Lunatic Hospita | 1851 | Free.. | A. \& P | 1,500 |
| 4486 | Harrisburg, Pa | Young Men's Christian Associa- tion. | 1855 | Freo.. | Y. M.C.A. | 2, 350 |
| 4487 | Hatboroug | Union Library..................... | 1755 | Sub... | Soc' | 10, 164 |
| 44888 | Haverford, Pa. | Haverford College ................. |  |  |  |  |
| 4430 | Haverford, Pa | Everett Society.. | 1833 | Free.. | Col.\&Soc'y | 15, 530 |
| 4491 | Haverford, P | Logaman Society ............ . |  |  |  |  |
| 4492 | Hazleton, Pa. | Young Men's Christian Association. | 1876 | Sub... | F. M.C. $\Delta$. | 1,000 |
| 4493 | Hereford, | Treichlersville School ......... |  |  | Sch | 400 |
| 4494 | Hoboken, | Allegheny County W orkhouse | 1870 |  | A. \& | 1,100 |
| 4495 | Holmesburg, P | Thomas Holme Free Library-.... | 1880 |  | Gen. | 1,530 |
| 4495 | Honesdale, Pa | Law and Library Association*... | 1899 | Free.. | Law | 1,500 |
| 4497 | Honesdal | School Library | 1878 | Free.. | Sch | 7, 298 |
| 4498 | Honeybrook, P | Waynesburg Library Association. | 1863 | Sab... | Ger | 800 |
| 4499 | Huntingdon, Pa | Normal College................... | 1876 | Free.. | Sch | 1,52ı |
| 4500 | Hantingdon, Pa......... | Pablic School Lib | 1884 |  |  | 700 |
| 4501 | Huntingdon Valley, Pa. | Sickel Library | 1880 | Sub... | Soc' | 1, 534 |
| 4502 | Indiana, Pa | State Normal Schoo | 1875 | Fr | Sch | 1, 300 |
| 4503 | Jefferson, Pa | Monongahela College .............. |  |  | Col | 310 |
| 4504 | Jenkintown, | Friends' Library of | 1830 | Free.. | Soc'1 | 400 |
| 450.5 | Jersey Shore, | Eclectic Institate. | 1835 | Free.. | Sch. | 10,000 |
| 4.506 | Johnstown, Pa | Cambria Library Associa | 1870 | Sub... |  | 6, 029 |
| 4507 | Jamon | Uniontown Soldiers' Orphan School. | 1884 | Sub. | A | 400 |
| 4.508 | Kennett Square, $\mathbf{P}$ | Union Library.................... | 1854 | Sub... | Gen. | 900 |
| 4509 | King of Prnssia, Pa.... | Union Library of Upper Merion.. | 1853 | Snb... | Soc' | 2, 023 |
| 4510 | Kingston, Pa............ | Bennett Library of Wyoming Seminary. | 1844 | Sub... | Sch | 2, 400 |
| 4511 | Kittanning, Pa. | Book Club | 1874 | Sub... | Soc'1 | 403 |
| 4512 | Kutztown, Pa | Kerstone State Normal School, Ieference Library. | 1866 | Free. | Sch | 1,843 |
| 4513 | Katztown, Pa | Keystone Literary Society.... |  |  | Soc'y . . . . | 1,000 |
| 4514 | Katztown, P | Philomathean Literary Society |  |  | Soc' | 1. 000 |
| 4515 | Lancaster, Pa | Franklin and Marshall College.... | 1853 | Free.. | Col | 3,556 |
| 4516 4517 | Lancaster, Pa ........... | Diagnothian Society Goethean Society | 1835 | Free.. | Soc' | 5, 000 4,227 |

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|  | Place. | Name of library. | 䔍 |  | 喭 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 4518 | La | Tinner | 186. | Sa |  | 3,000 |
| 4519 |  | Linnæan Scientific and Historical | 1862 |  | Sci.\&Hist'l | 200 |
| 4520 | Lancaster, Pa | Mechanics' Library Society | 1828 | Both.. |  | 7,000 |
| 4521 | Lancaster, Pa | Theological Seminary (German | 1825 |  |  | 10,000 |
| 4523 | Lancaster, P | Young Mren's Christian Association | 1872 | Both.. | 7. M. | ${ }^{6} 8$ |
| 4532 | Lebanon, Pa | James Coleman Memorial Liurary. | 1881 | Free. |  | 00 |
| 4555 | Lebanon, Pa | Public School Library .............. | 1881 |  | Sch | 1, 12000 |
| 4526 | Lewisbnrg, P | University Lib | 1853 |  |  | 12,000 |
| 4527 | ${ }_{\text {Lewisburg, }}$ | Euepian Societ | ${ }_{1850}^{1850}$ |  |  | 550 600 |
| 4529 | ${ }_{\text {Lewisburg, }}$ | Unirersity Female | 1853 |  |  | 1,400 |
| 4530 | Lewisbarg, Pa | Young Men's C'hristian Association |  |  | F. M.C.A. | 200 |
| 31 | ${ }_{\text {Lewistown, }} \mathrm{Pa}$ | Library Association ............. | 1870 | Sub... |  | 3,000 |
| ${ }_{4533}^{4532}$ | Lincoln University, Pa. | Lincoln Unirersity .............. | ${ }_{1794}^{1856}$ | Free. | Col....... |  |
| 4534 | Lock Haven, | Central State Normal Schoo |  |  | Sch | $\stackrel{\text { 2, }}{1}$ |
| 4535 | Lock Haven, Pa | Clinton County Law Librar | 1866 | Free.. | Law | 800 |
| 4537 | Lock Laven Grove, | Liock Haven Librar | 18689 |  |  | 1, 200 |
| 4538 | Loretto, Pa | Saint Aloysius Acad |  |  |  |  |
|  | Loretto | Saint Francis Colleg |  |  |  | 4, 000 |
| 45 | Mansfield, | State Normal schoo | 1862 | Free.. |  | 4,500 |
| 4512 | Marieta, Pa, | Lrceum of Natural History ..... | 1872 |  |  | ${ }_{350}$ |
|  |  | Indian Training Schoo |  |  |  |  |
|  | Hanch | Public Library and Literary A sociation. | 1884 |  |  |  |
| 4544 | Meadrille, Pa | Alleghen Colleg | 1820 | Fre | Col, | 12,000 |
| ${ }_{4546}$ | Mreadville, Pa | Ahegheny Literary | 1834 | Free.. |  | 1,0.0 |
| 4547 | Meadrille, | High School Lilirary | 1854 | Sub |  |  |
| 4518 | Meadville, P | Library art and Historical dsso- | 1863 | Sub |  | 0 |
| 4549 | Meadrille, Pa | Theological School. |  |  | Sch. | 18,000 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 4550 \\ & 4551 \end{aligned}$ | Mechanicsbarg, | Library and Literary Association. | 1572 | Sub | Gen |  |
| 4552 | Media, Pa | Delaware County Institate | 1833 |  |  | 2,500 |
| 4553 | Meria, Pa | Miedia A cadem ${ }^{\text {a }}$ |  |  |  |  |
| 455 | Millers ${ }^{\text {cille, }}$ | State Normal School, Pago Library. | 185 | Sub. |  | 2000 |
| 4555 | Millersmill | Hish School Library .............. | ${ }_{1883}^{1857}$ |  |  |  |
| 4557 | Morganza, P | State Reform School Libibra | 1876 | Fre | A. ${ }^{\text {d }}$ | 80. |
| 4558 | Mount Pleasant, Pa | Western Pennsylrania Classical | 1873 | Free.. | Sch. | 1,400 |
| 4559 | Marresville, Pa | Laird Instituto. | 1865 | Sab | Sch. | 639 |
| $456{ }^{\circ}$ | Mjerstown, Pa .. | Palatinate College, Society Libra- |  |  | Soc'y |  |
| 4561 |  | Natrona Libr | 1882 | Freo |  |  |
|  | New Bed ford, Pa | St. Mars's Librar | 64 |  |  |  |
|  | Nerv Berim, Pa | Union Seminary, Excelsior So- | 55 | Free.. |  |  |
|  | New Rerlin, Pa | Neocosmian Society | 1858 | Free .. | Soc'y |  |
| ${ }_{4}$ | New New Lebanon, Pa | Yonng IIen's Library Association. <br> , | 185 |  |  |  |
| 4567 | New Wilmington, P | Westminster College |  |  |  | 5.4 |
| ${ }_{4569}^{4565}$ | Nerrinimington, Pa | Society Libraries | 1870 | Fre | Sch. |  |
| 4570 | Norristorn, Pa | Library Company . | 1705 |  | Gen |  |
| 451 | Norristown, Pa | McCann Librar | 1884 | Free.. |  |  |
| ${ }_{4573}$ | rristown, Pa | Montgomery CountrLa | 1869 | Free.. |  |  |
|  | Norristown, | Treemospital for the In | 183 | Free.. |  |  |
| 4575 | North East, Pa | St. Mary's Preparatory Coilege |  |  | Col........ | 3,600 |

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|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 4576 | Ogontz, | School for Young I |  |  |  |  |
| 4577 | Oley, Pa | Oley Academy.... |  |  |  | 4, 300 |
| 4578 | Orwell, P | Orwell Library A | 1876 | Sub |  | - |
| 4579 | Overbrook, | Seminary St.Charles, of Borromeo. | 1833 | Freo | The | 15,500 |
| 4580 | Oxford, Pa | Oxiord Library | 1794 |  |  | 2,000 |
| 4581 | Philardelplia, Pa | A cademy of Natural Sciences. | 1812 | Free.. | s.i | 40,000 |
| $4{ }^{2} 2$ | Philadelphia, Pa........ | American Daptist Historical Societr. | 1853 | Free.. | Hist'l.... | 7,100 |
| 4583 | Philadelphia, Pa........ | American Baptist Publication Society. | 1840 |  | Soc'1...... | 3,000 |
| 4584 | Philadelphia, Pa | American Entomological Society- | 1859 | Free.. | Sci | 1,593 |
| 4585 | Philadelphia, Pa | American Pbilosophical Society.- | 1743 |  |  | 50, 000 |
| 4586 | Philadelphia, Pa........ | American Sunday School Union, Editorial Library.* | 1824 |  |  | 10,000 |
| 4587 | Philadelphia, Pa | Apprentices' Librar | 1823 | Free.. | Soc'1. | 18, 000 |
| 4588 | Philadelphia, Pa | Athenæum Library | 1814 | Sab... |  |  |
| 4589 | Philadelphia, Pa | Board of Trade. | 1833 | Free.. |  |  |
| 4590 | Philadelphia, P. | Broad Street Acarlemy | 1863 | Freo |  | 4,003 |
| 4591 | Philadelphia, Pa | Burd Orphan Asylum | 1862 |  |  | 4, 000 |
| 4592 | Philadelphia, ${ }^{\text {Pa }}$ | Byberry Library* | 1793 | Sub... | Soc'1...... | 2, 500 |
| 4593 | Philadelphia, Pa. (322 Chestnut st.). | Carpenters' Company ............. | 1735 | Free.. |  | 5,000 |
| 4.94 | Philadelphia, Pa ....... | Catholic Philopatria | 1850 | Free.. | Soc'1 | , 500 |
| 4595 | Philadelphia, Pa. | Charter Oak Library | 18.5 | Free. |  | 300 |
| 4596 | Philadelphia, Pa. (914 North Broad st.). | Children's Homœpatbic Hospital. | 1879 | Free.. | A. \& | 307 |
| 4597 | Philadelphia, Pa........ | Christ Church Hospital. | 1772 | Free.. | A. \& R... | 2,000 |
| 4.998 | Philadelphia, Pa | Christian Hall Library Company. | 1871 |  | Soc'l....... | 6,000 |
| 4539 | Philadelphia, Pa........ | Church of the Holy Apostles Parish Librarr. | 1873 | Free.. | Soc'l....... | 950 |
| 4600 | Philadelphia, Pa . | College of Physicians. | 1789 | Free.. | Med | 37, 048. |
| 4601 | Philadelphia, Pa. (Taconv.) | Disston Library | 1834 | Sub... | G | 1,600 |
| 4092 | Philadelphia, Pa.. | Eastburn Mrariners' Librar |  | Free .. | Soc' | 350 |
| 4603 | Philadelphia, Pa......... | Eastern State Penitentia | 1830 |  | A. $\alpha^{1} \mathrm{R} .$. | 7,862 |
| $460 \pm$ | Philadelphia, Pa........ | Edwin Forrest Home | 1873 |  | Soc'l...... | 7,000 |
| 4605 | Philadelphia, Pa........ | Educational Hom | 1873 | Frree.. | A. \& R... | 475 |
| 4606 | ${ }_{\text {Philadelphia, }} \mathrm{P}$ | Engineers' Club .... | 1877 | Free.. Free.. |  | 3, 000 |
| 4603 | Philadelphia, Pa | Franlzlin Institut | 1824 |  | Sci | 24, 240 |
| 4609 | Philadelphia, P | George Institue..................... | 1872 | Sub |  | 5, 000 |
| 4610 | Philadelphia, Pa | German Society of Pennsylvania.. | 1817 | Sub | Soc'1...... | 22, 000 |
| 4611 | Philadelphia, P | Girard College* |  |  | Col ....... | 8,512 |
| 4612 | Phiiadelphia, Pa. | Girls Normal School ............... |  | Free.. | Sch ....... |  |
| 4613 | Philadelphia, Pa | Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania, F. A. A. M. | 1787 | Free.. | Masonic .. | 5,000 |
| 4014 | Philadelphia, Pa | Hahnemann Međical Collego and Hospital. | 1860 | Sub. | Med | 5,000 |
| 4015 | Philadelpuia, Pa. (629 Walnutst.). | Hirst Free Law Library........... | 1885 | Free.. | Law | 2,706 |
| 4616 | Philadelphia, Pa........ | Historical Society of Pennsrlvania | 1824 | Free.. | H | 28,162 |
| 4617 | $\begin{gathered} \text { Philadelphia, } \\ \text { Valnut st.). } \end{gathered}$ | Home Teaching and Free Circullating Library for the Blind. | 1883 | Free.. | Soc | - |
| 4518 | Philadelphia, Pa | House of Correction, Employment and Keformation. | 1881 | Free.. | $A \& R$. | 500 |
| 4619 | Philadelphia, Pa. (2001 | Institution for the Plind. | 1833 | Free. | Sch | 3, 000 |
| 4520 | Philadelphia, Pa.. | Institution for the Deaf and Dumb | 1233 | Free.- | Sch | 3,000 |
| 401 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Philadelphia, Pa. (1010 } \\ & \text { Torth Second st.). } \end{aligned}$ | James Page Library Company ... | 1841 |  |  | 1,000 |
| 4022 | Philadelphia, Pa. (cor. Girard are. and Day st.). | Konsington Literary Institate*. | 1852 | Sub. | Soc' | 509 |
| 4623 | Pbiladelphia, Pa | Ia Salle College | 1868 | Sab... | Col | 4, 0¢0 |
| $462 \pm$ | Philadelphia, J? | Law Association | 1802 | Sub. |  | 19, 11: |
| 46.5 | Philadelphia, Pa. (1J20 | Library Association of Friends.. | 35 | Free. | Soc'l....... | 9, 301 |
| 4023 | Philadelobia. Pa | Library Company of Philadelphia. | 1731 |  | Gren | 150, 0. 0 |

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|  | Flace. | Name of library. |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 4627 | Philadelphia, Pa. (1106 | Masonic Home Library | 1885 | Free.. | Soc'l. | 35 |
| 4628 | Philadelphia, Pa | Mechanics' Institute of South- | 1852 | Sub | So | 5, 000 |
| 4629 | Philadelphia, Pa. (603 Fairmont are.). | Medical Library of the Northern Dispensary. | 1816 | Freo.. | Me | 700 |
| 4630 | Philadelphia, Pa........ | Memorial Fiee Library of Mt. Airy | 1885 | Free.. | Gen |  |
| 4631 | Philadelphia, | Mercantile Library Company | 1821 |  |  | 152, 000 |
| 4632 | Philadelphia, | Moyamensing Literary Institnte.. | 1853 | Freo.. |  | 6, 900 |
| 4633 | Philatelphia, Pa | Mt; St. Joseph's Library | 1858 | Sub |  | 3, 000 |
| 4634 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Philatelphia, Pa. (1104 } \\ & \text { Walnut st.) } \end{aligned}$ | Mutual Library Company | 1879 | S | So | 43,400 |
| 4635 | Philadelphia, Pa ....... | N | 1858 | Free.. | A. | 2, 850 |
| 4636 | Philadelphia, Pa | North Broad Street Select School. |  |  |  | 350 |
| 4637 | Philarelphia, | Northern Home | 1853 | Free.. | A. | 1,200 |
| 4638 | Philadelphia, I | Numismatic and Antiquarian So- cietr. | 1857 | Sub... |  | 7, 500 |
| 4639 | Philadelphia, Pa. (140 North Sixth st.). | Odd Fellows' Library............. | 1846 | Sub... | I. O.O.F.. | 12,000 |
| 4610 | Philadelphia, Pa.. | Pennsylvania Board of Prblic Charities. | 1869 | Free.. | Soc'1. | 800 |
| 4641 | Philadelphia | Pennsylvania Horticultural Society | 1827 | Freo.. | Sci | i, 050 |
| 4642 | Philadelphia, | Pennsylrania Hospital | 1763 | Free.. | Mer | 15, 000 |
| 4643 | Philadelphia, P | Pennsylvania Hospital for the Insane, Department for females. | 1841 | Freo.. | A. \& R | 2, 200 |
| 464 | Philadelphia, | Department for males | 1860 | Free.. | A. \&R | 2,047 |
| 46 | Philadelphia, P | Philadelphia City Institu | 1851 | Free.. | Soc'l. | 9,0 2 2 |
| 4647 | Philadelphia, | Philadelphia College of Pharmacy. | 1821 | Freo.. | Sci | 4, 200 |
| 4648 | Philaclelphis, I | Philadelphia County Prison* | 1844 | Free.. | A. \& | 2, 000 |
| 4649 | Philadelphia, P | Philadelphia DivinitySchool (Protcstant Episcopal). | 1857 | Freo.. | The | 9,090 |
| 4650 | Philadelphia, Pa | Philadelphia Hospital ............ | 1808 | Free.. | Med | 3, 802 |
| 4651 | Philadelphia, Pa | Philadelphia Maritime Exchange. | 1875 | Free.. |  | 500 |
| 4052 | Philadelphia, P | Philadelphia Seminary. | 1871 | Free.. |  | 1,800 |
| 4653 | Philadelphia, P | Philadelphia 'Turngemeinde....... | 1849 | Free.. | Soc' | 1,06: |
| 4654 | Pliladelphia, Pa | Post No. 2, Grand Army Republic. | 1871 | Free.. | Soc | 1,000 |
| 10.55 | Philadelphia, Pa | Preshjterian Board of Publication. | 1838 | Free.. |  | 3, 000 |
| 4650 | Philadelphia, Pa | Presbyterian Historical Society.. | 1852 | Free.. | His | 20, 000 |
| 4657 | Philadelphia, Pa | Presbsierian Home for Widows and Single Women. | 1875 | Free.. | A. \& I | 800 |
| 4658 | Philadelphia, Pa | Public School Libraries |  | Freo.. | Sch | 8,757 |
| 4659 | Philadelp | Roxborough Lyceam | 1857 | Freo.. |  | T00 |
| 4660 | Philadelphia, Pa | St. George's Library. | 1882 | Free.. | Soc | 500 |
| 4661 | Philadelphia, Pa . | St. Timothy's Workingmen's Club and Instituto. | 1873 | Su | So | , 200 |
| 4662 | Philadelphia, Pa. (1811 Walnut street), | Social Art Club | 1874 | Free .. | Soc' 1 | , 000 |
| 4663 | Philadelphia, 1’a. (765 South Second street). | Sonthwark Library | 1831 | Sub |  | 9,740 |
| 4664 | Pliladelphia, Pa ........ | Spring Gardon Instit | 1850 | Free.. | ci | 13, 000 |
| 4665 | Plitadelphia, P | 'Teachers' Instituto . . | 1867 | Sub... |  | 9, 426 |
| 4666 | Philarlelphia, | Thenlogical Seminary (Evangelical Lutheran). |  |  |  | 17,000 |
| 4667 | Philadelphia, Pa. (Sixteenth street, above Cberry). | Tliree Mouthly Meetings of Friends. | 1742 | Free.. | Soc'l...... | 8, 634 |
| 4568 | Philadelphia, Pa | Unirersal Peace Union | $1806$ | Free.. | Soc'1...... | 1,003 28,004 |
| 4670 | Philadetphia, P | Stille Merlical Library | 1878 | Freo.. | Med | 7, 510 |
| 4671 | Philatelphia, Pa | Wagner Free Institute of Science | 1855 | Free | Sci | 6, 000 |
| 4672 | Philadelphia, Pa. ( 40 Ludlow street). | West Philadelpha Institute | 1853 | Sub |  | (0, 009) |
| 4673 | Philadelphia, Pa | k | 1870 | Sub... | Med | $8: 0$ |
| 46.4 | Pbiladelphia, Pa. |  | 1870 | Free | Sch | 1,050 |

[^119]Table XVI.-Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 rolumes, fc.-Continued.

|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  | 筞 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 4675 | Philadelphia, | William Penn Ch |  |  | Sch | 00 |
| 4676 | Philadelphia, Pa | Woman's Hospital. | 1863 | Free | Med.\&Gen | 2,000 |
| 4677 | Philadelphia, Pa. (1117 Arch street). | Women's Cbristian | 1875 | Free | Soc'1 | 1,946 |
| 4678 | Philadelphia, Pa ........ |  | 1854 | Sub... | T. M.C.A. | 5, 600 |
| 4679 4680 | ${ }_{\text {Philadelphia, }}$ Pha | Zoological Society <br> Library Association | $1870$ |  | Sci......... | 300 800 |
| 4681 | Phœnisrille, P | Young Men's Literary | 1857 | Sub... | Soc'1....... | 2,300 |
| 4682 | Pittsburg, Pa | Allegheny County Law Library | 1867 | Free.. | Lav | 15, 000 |
| 4683 | Pittsbarg, Pa | Bishop Bowman Institute |  |  |  | 15,000 |
| 4684 | Pittsburg, Pa | Catholic Collego of the Holy Ghost | 1873 | Sub... | Col | 3, 000 |
| 4685 | Pittsourg, Pa | Catholic Library.. | 1868 | Sab... | Soc'l...... | 2, 500 |
| 4686 | Pittsbarg, Pa | Central Tarn Assoc | 1871 | Free.. | Soc'l....... | 400 |
| 4687 | Pittsburg, Pa........... | Chamber of Commerce. | 1876 | Free.. | Mer ...... | 550 300 |
| 4688 | Pittsburg, Pa ............ | Curry Institute and Union Business College.* |  |  |  | 0 |
| 4689 | Pittsburg, Pa | Engineers' Society of Western Pennsrlvania. | 1881 | Free.. | Sci | 1,150 |
| 4690 | Pittsburg, Pa | High School Library.............. | 1855 | Free.. | Sch | 2,000 |
| 4691 | Pittsburg, Pa | Homœopathic Medical and Surgical Hospital and Dispensary. |  | Free.. | 1 | 400 |
| 4692 | Pittsburg, Pa | Library Association | 1851 | Sub. | Gen | 19, Oco |
| 4693 | Pittsburg, P | St. Crsula's Academy |  |  |  | 2, 000 |
| 4694 | Pittsburg, Pa | Teacher's Library ................ | 1885 | Sub... |  | 2, 500 |
| 4695 | Pittsbarg, Pa | Young Men's Christian Association | 1871 | Free.. | Y M.C.A. | 1,500 |
| 4596 | Pittston, Pa | Library Association | 1873 | Free.. | Gen | 500 |
| 4697 | Pleasant Mount, | Academy Library Associatio |  |  | Sch | 400 |
| 4698 | Pottstown, Pa | Public School Library | 1876 | Free.. | Sch....... | 1,600 |
| 4699 | Pottstown, P | Young Men's Christian Association | 1878 | Free .. | 下. M.C.A. | 600 |
| 4700 | Pottsrille, Pa | Gorren Post No. 23, Grand Army Repablic. | 1874 | Free.. | Soc'1...... | 800 |
| 4701 | Pottsrille, Pa. | Pottsrille 4 thenæum. | 1877 | Sab... | Gen | 3,500 |
| 4702 | Pottsrille, Pa. (Center street). | Public School Library* | 1850 | Free.. |  | 1,200 |
| 4703 | Pottsville, Pa | Schnylkill County Law Library .. | 1861 | Free.. | Law | 2, 702 |
| 4704 | Quakertown, | Richland Library Company | 1795 | Sub... | Gen | 2, 400 |
| 4705 | Reading, P |  | 1843 |  |  | 3, 500 |
| 4706 | Reading, P | High School Library. | 1879 | Free.. | Sch | 800 |
| 4707 | Reading, | Reading Library | 1808 | Sub. |  | 7,000 |
| 4708 | Reading, Pa | Spencer F. Baird Naturalist's Association. | 1882 | Free.. |  | 341 |
| 4709 | Reidsburg | Reid Instituto | 1867 | Free.. | Sch | 500 |
| 4710 | Rimersbarg | Clarion Collegiate Institut | 1884 | Sub... | Sch | 425 |
| 4711 | St. Mary's, P | St. Mary's Benedictine Priory * ... | 1854 |  |  | 1,000 |
| 4712 | Scranton, P | Welsh Philusophical Society and Free Library. | 1863 | Both. | Gen ...... | 2, 000 |
| 4713 | Scranton, Pa. | School of the Lackamana | 1873 | Free.. |  | 1, 800 |
| 4714 | Scranton, Pa | Young Men's Cbristian Association, Railroad Nepartment. | 1881 | Sub. | Y. M.C.A. | 900 |
| 4715 | Selin's Grove, P | Missionary Institute.......... | 1858 | Free.. | The'l | 2,500 |
| 4716 | Selin's Grov | Clionion Literary Society | 1866 | Free.. | Soc'y | 600 |
| 4717 | Sewickler, Pa. | Public Library | 1873 | Both.. |  | 2, 500 |
| 4718 | Sharon, P | Public School Library | 1877 | Free.. |  | 867 |
| 1719 | Sharpsburg, Pa | Pablic Library of Yonng Men's Christian Association. | 1881 | Fr | Y. M.C.A. | 450 |
| 4720 | Shenandoah, Pa | School District Library..... | 1881 | Free.. |  | 1,196 |
| 4721 | Shippensburg, Pa....... | State Normal School, Philomathean Society. | 1876 | Free.. | Soc's | 325 |
| 4722 | Shoemakertown, Pa. | Cheltenham A cadem J ........... |  |  | Sch | 300 |
| 4723 | Somerset, Pa . | Somerset County Law Libray*. | 1865 | Free.. | Law | 500 |
| 4724 | South Bethlehem, Pa... | Lechanweki Clab. | 1885 | Free. | Soc'l.. | 900 |
| 4725 | South Bethlehem, Pa . | Lehigh Unirersity | 1878 | Free. | Col | 61, 000 |
| 4726 | South Hermitage, Pa ... | P'equea Presbyterian Church Library. | 1871 | Free.. | Soc'1 | 1, 200 |
| 4727 | Starracca, Pa ...........- | Starruca Library | 1879 | Sub. | Gen | 600 |
| 4728 | State College, Pa. (P. O.). | Pennsylvania State Colleg |  |  | Col | 3,500 |
| 4729 4730 | State College, Pa.(P. O.). | Cressen Literary Society * - ... |  | Free.. | Soc', | 1,290 |

Table XVI.-Statistics of public liöraries numbering 300 volumes, \& ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{c}$. - Continued.

|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  | ¢ ¢ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 4731 | Strasburg, Pa | Public School Libra | 1874 | Free. |  | 0 |
| 4732 | Stroudsburg, P | Brown's Circulating Libra | 1865 | Sub. | Soc'1 | 763 |
| 4733 | Stroudsburg, P | Library Association | 1832 | Sub | Gen | 1, 360 |
| 4734 | Sugar Grore, Pa | Hoptin's Librars of Sugar Grore | 1884 | Free.. |  | 950 |
| 4735 | Susquehanna, Pa | Library Association of Susque- | 1861 | Sab... | Gen | 3, 021 |
| 4736 | Swarthmore, Pa | Swarthmore College .............. | 1881 | Free.. | Col | 7,415 |
| 4737 | Swarthmore, Pa | Delphic Literary Societ | 1873 | Sub... | Soc' ${ }^{\text {d }}$ | -997 |
| 4738 | Swarthmore, Pa | Ennomian Literary Society | 1874 | Sab |  | 825 |
| 4739 | Tarentum, Pa | Odd Feilows' Librars, | 1870 | Sub.. |  | 950 |
| 4740 | Tidioute, Pa | Eden Lodge Library, I. O. O. F .... | 1875 | Free.. | I. O. O.F.- | 400 |
| 4741 | Tidioute, Pa | Union and Normal High School Library. * | 1872 | Free.- |  | 913 |
| 4742 | Titusrille, P | Clark's Commercial College* |  |  | Sch | 0 |
| $5: 43$ | Titusrille, P | Titnsville Librars | 1877 | Sub |  | 3,500 |
| $474 \frac{1}{2}$ | Torresdale, P | Iustitute of the Sacred Heart |  |  |  | 1,000 |
| 4745 | Towanda, Pa | Susquehanna Collegiate Institute. | 1854 | Sub. |  | 1,100 |
| 4746 | Toranda, P | Towanda Librars. ................- | 1878 | Sab |  | 1,038 |
| 4747 | Trappe, Pa | Washington Hall Collegiate Institute, Phi Kappa Tan Society. | 1856 |  |  | 1,633 |
| ¢ 48 | Troy, Pa | Graded and High School | 1863 | Free.. |  | 750 |
| 4743 | Uniontown, | Book Clab* | 1868 | Sab... | Soc' | 6 |
| 4759 | Uniontown, | Pablic School Library ........... | 1879 | Free.. | Sc | 549 |
| 4751 | Upland, Pa | Bucknell Library of Crozer Theological Seminary. | 1868 | Free.. | The | 9,000 |
| 4753 | Tilanova. Pa | Tillanora Library | 1842 | Sub. |  | 2,500 |
| 4753 | Warren, Pa | Library Associa | 1871 | Sub... | Gren. | 4, 800 |
| 4754 | Washington, P | Citizens' Library | 1870 | Both.. |  | 6, 500 |
| 4755 | Washington, P | Trinity Hall |  |  | Sch | *400 |
| 4759 | Washington, P | Washington County Law Library* | 1871 | Free.. | La | 1,332 |
| 4757 | Washington, P | Washington Female Seminary.... |  |  |  | 5000 |
| 4758 | Washington, | Washington and Jefferson College. | 1802 | Free.. |  | 5,200 |
| 4759 4760 | Washington, P TVaterford | Reading-Room Library | 1855 | Free.. | Soc | 4, 344 |
| 4761 | Waynesburg, | Waynesburg Colleg | 1856 | Free.. | Col | 2,000 |
| 4762 | Weatherby, P | Presbyterian Congregational Li- | 1885 | Free.. | So | 350 |
| 4763 | West Chester, Pa | Birmingham Friends' Jeeting Li- |  | Free .. | Soc'1 | 640 |
| 4704 | Fest Chester, Pa | Chester County Law and Miscellaneons Library | 1862 | Sub.'. | Law \& Gen | 1, 010 |
| 4765 | West Chester, Pa | Friends' Library Association ... |  | Sub... | Soc'l | 751 |
| 4766 | West Chester, Pa | Librare Association | 1873 | Sub... | Gen | 2.050 |
| ¢ 767 | West Chester, Pa | State Normal Sch | 1871 | Free.. |  | 3,600 |
| 4768 | West Gror | Free Library | 1873 | Free. | G | 1, 100 |
| 4769 | Westtown, Pa | Westtown Boarding Sc | 1799 | Free.. |  | 3,900 |
| 4770 | White Haren, Pa | Public Schnol Library | 1883 | Free | Sc | 300 |
| 477 | Wilkes Barre, Pa | Hospital Libray | 1801 |  |  | 300 |
| 4772 | Tilkes Barre, Pa | Law and Librarr Assoc |  |  | Gen \& Law | 3, 500 |
| 4773 | Wilkes Barre, P | Saint Nisholas Library | 1875 | Sub... |  | 500 |
| 470 | Wilkes Barre, P | Wyoming Athenæum. |  |  | Soc 1 | 1,500 |
| 475 | Wiikes Barre, | Wyoming Historical and Geolog. ical Society. | 1858 | Free.. | Histle Sci | 5,200 |
| 476 | Tilkes Barre, Pa | FoungMen's Christian Association | 1871 | Free.. | F. IL. C.A. | 1, 0 cos |
| 4717 | Wilkinsburg, Pa | Saint Stephen's Parish Library... | 1884 | F | Socl | ${ }_{2} 500$ |
| 4779 | Williamsport, Pa | Lycoming County Law Associa- | 1870 | Sub... | Law | 1,000 |
| 4780 | Williamsport, Pa | School District Lib | 1883 |  |  |  |
| 4781 | Williamsport, Pa | Toung Mex's Christiandssociation | 1865 | Sub... | I. Ir.C.A. | 1,309 |
| $47 \times 2$ | Womelslorf, Pa | Brthay Orphans' Home | 1863 | Free -- | A. \& R. | 309 |
| 4783 | York, | Cassat Library, Fork Collegiate Institute. |  |  | Sch ....... | 3.000 |
| 4784 | Fork, Pa | Frauklin Iustitute | 17:9 | Free.. | Gen | 500 |
| 4785 | York, | United Library Association | 1873 | Both.. | Gen | 3, 000 |
| ¢7\%6 | York, P | York Connty Law Librars* | 1283 | Treo.. | Lav | 2,000 |
| 4787 | York, Pa. | Young Men's Christiandssociation | 1867 | Freo. | 1. M. C.A. | 500 |

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| 4790 | Apponaag |
| 4791 |  |
| 4792 | Ashton, |
| 4793 | Barrington |
| $479+$ | Bristol, R. |
| 4795 | Bristol, l |
| 4796 | Bristol, R. I |
| 4797 | Burrelliville, |
| 4798 | Carolina, R. |
| 4799 | Central Falls, |
| 4800 | Centredale, R. |
| 4801 | Chepa |
| 4802 | Cranston, R. I., (P. 0 Howard.) |
| 4503 | East Greenwich, P. |
| 4804 | East Greenwich, R |
| 4805 | East Providence Centre, R. I. |
| 4806 | Exeter, R.I. |
| 4807 | Fort Adams, P |
| 4808 | Foster Centre, |
| 4809 | Greenville, |
| $4 \times 10$ | Jamestown, R. |
| 4811 | Kingston, R. I |
| 4812 | Little Comptor |
| 4813 | Lonsdale, R. I |
| 4314 | Manville, R.I |
| 4815 | Middletown, R O., Newport). |
| 4816 | Nerport, R . |
| 4817 | Newport, R . |
| 4818 | Nemport, R. |
| 4819 | Newport, R. |
| 480 | + |
| 4821 | New Shoreham, R. (Block Island). |
| 4822 | North Smithfield, R.I., (P. O., Woonsocket). |
| 4823 | Olnevrille, R. |
| 4824 | Pascoag, |
| 482. | Pawtucket, R. I |
| 4826 | Pawtucket, R. I |
| 4327 | Pawtucket, R. |
| 4325 | Peacedale, R |
| 4823 | Phenix, F. I. |
| 4830 | Pontiac, R.I |
| 4831 | Providence, R. |
| 4832 | Providence, A |
| 4833 | Providence, P . |
| 4334 | Providence, R . |
| 4835 | Providence, R. |
| 4833 | Providence, R . |
| 4837 | Providence, R. |
| 4833 | Providence, R . |
| $4 \times 39$ | Provilence, R. |
| 4840 | Providence, R . |
| 4.41 | Providence, R . |
| 4812 | Providence, R. I. (235 Benefit st.) |
| 43 | Providence, |
| 4814 | Providence, |
| 845 | Providence, R. |


| Name of library. |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Anthony Lyceum L |  | Free. | Soc' 1 | 1,741 |
| Free Library | 1840 | Free.. | Gen | 2, 000 |
| Free Library |  | Free.. | Gen | 819 |
| Ashawar Libra | 1872 | Free.. | Gen | 2, 370 |
| Ashton Library | 1869 | Sub... | Gen | 683 |
| Public Library | 1880 | Free.. | Gen | 3, 451 |
| Rogers Free Library | 1877 | Freo.. | Gen ...... | 8, 432 |
| St. Mary's Total Abstinence Socicty. | 1872 | Freo.. | Soc'l....... | 435 |
| Young Men's Christian Association | 1863 | Sub. | Y.M. C.A. | 2,600 |
| Library Association ................ | 1862 | Snb... | Gen ...... | 506 |
| Public Library | 1881 | Free.. | Gen ....... | 1, 015 |
| Freo Public Library | 1882 | Freo.. | Gen | 1,500 |
| Union Free Library | 1863 | Free.. | Gen | 1, 883 |
| Manton Library | 1847 | Sub... |  | 1, 0С0 |
| Phodo Island State Pris | 1838 | Free.. | A. \& R.... | 1,500 |
| East Greenwich Academy | 1802 | Free.. | Sch. ...... | 2, 500 |
| Free Library. | 1869 | Free.- | Gen | 2, 400 |
| East Providence Free Library ... | 1819 | Free.. | Gen ....... | 1,016 |
| Manton Free Library | 1881 | Free.. | Gen ...... | 1,151 |
| Post Library |  | Free.. | Gar | 1,150 |
| Foster Manton | 1806 | Sub... |  | 1, 250 |
| Public Library | 1882 | Free.. | Gen ...... | 1,760 |
| Jamestown Philomenian Library- | 1842 | Free.. | Gen | 1,775 |
| Freo Library | 1875 | Free | Gen | 2, 800 |
| Free Public Library | 1878 | Free.. | Gen | 1, 050 |
| Library and Meading Room Association. | 1849 | Sub... | Gen ....... | 3, 5 C0 |
| Manville Library ................... | 1873 | Freo.. | Gen | 1, 606 |
| Free Library, District No. $1 . . . . .$. | 1876 | Free.. | Gen ....... | 1,150 |
| Nemport Fistorical Soc | 1853 | Sub... | Hist'l..... | 3, 500 |
| People's Library | 1870 | Free.. | Gen ....... | 25, 650 |
| Redwood Library and Athenæum. | 1730 | Sub... | Gen | 31, 700 |
| Rogers High School Library...... | 1873 |  | Sch ........ | *700 |
| Ward's Circulating Library | 1874 | Sab... | Soc'l....... | 1,600 |
| Island Free Library ........ | 1876 | Free.. | Gen ...... | 1,820 |
| Slatersville Reading Room and Library. | 1848 | Sub... | Gen ....... | 1,600 |
| Free Library Assoriation........ | 1875 | Free.. | Gen | 1,425 |
| Iadies' Pascoag Library Association. | 1876 | Sub... | Soc'l ....... | 1,100 |
| Enterprise Lodge J̌o. 22, 工. O. O. F. | 1885 | Free.. | I. O.O.F.. | 580 |
| Freo Public Library. | 1876 | Free.. | Gen....... | 9,313 |
| High School Library | 1855 | Free.. | Sch | 460 |
| Narragansett Library Association | 1855 | Free.. | Gen. | 3,320 |
| Pawturet Valley Free Library... | 1884 | Free.. | Gen........ | 2, 700 |
| Free Library ...................... | 1884 | Free.. | Gen........ | 940 |
| Arnold's Circulating Library | 1853 | Sub... | Soc'l....... | 4, 42: |
| Broadway Circulating Library | 1876 | Sub... | Soc'l....... | 625 |
| Bromnson Ljceum. | 1858 | Free.. | Soc'l...... | 1,000 |
| Brown University | 1768 |  | Col -...... | 62,800 |
| Butler Hospital for the Insane* | 1847 | Free.. | A. \& R.... | 2, 500 |
| Davis' Circulating Library | 1849 | Sab... | Soc'l | 6,000 |
| English and Classical School | 1864 | Free.. | Sch | 1,200 |
| Franklin Lrceam*... | 1831 | Sub... | Soc'l....... | 9,00:) |
| Friends' School. | 1819 | Snb... | Sch. .-.... | 6, 300 |
| Globe Circulating Library. |  | Sub | Soc'l...... | E60 |
| Gregory's Circulating Library.... | 1881 | Sub. | Soc'l....... | 3, 5 co |
| Miss Gardner's School for Young People. |  |  | Sch....... | 500 |
| Providence A thenæum | 1836 | Sub. | Gen | 44, 582 |
| Public Library -.............. |  |  |  | 33, C47 |
| Pablic School Libraries (3) |  | \}Ireo.. | Sch | 2, 200 |

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|  | ce. | Name of library. |  |  | \% |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Rhode Is | 1822 |  | Hist |  |
| 4847 | Providence, | Rhode Island Hospit | 1868 |  |  | 000 |
| 4818 4849 | Providence, R. | Rhode Island Medical Society --- Rhodo |  | Freo.. | Med | ${ }^{4,593}$ |
| 4850 | Providence, R. I | Rhode Island State Normal School | 1871 | Free.. | Sch | 1,200 |
| 4851 | Providence, R. R . | State Board of Health | 1878 | Free.- | San. | 500 |
| 4853 | Providence, | Union for Christian | 1868 | Free.. |  | 3, 3 3000 |
| 4854 | Providence, R | Woonasquatucket Libra | 1875 | Free.. | Soc' |  |
| 4855 | Providence, R. I | Young Men's Chiristian Associa- | 1853 | Sub... | T.M.C.A. | 4,000 |
| 4856 | Ri | Free Pabli | 1881 | Free.. |  |  |
|  | Tiverto | Whitridge Hall | 1875 | Fre | Ge | 1,487 |
| 4858 | Valles Farls | Yreo Public Libra |  | Free.. | Gen |  |
| 4859 | Warren, R. | Greorge Hail Free Librar | 1871 | Free.- | Gen | 500 |
| 4861 | Warwick, R. | Crompton Free Library. | 1872 | Free.: | Gen ...... | 3, 091 |
| 4862 | Warwick, R. | Old Warwick Library |  | Free.. |  | 1,706 |
| 4863 | Westerly | Pawcatuck Library | 1847 |  |  |  |
| ${ }_{4865}^{4864}$ | Wickford, R. | Wickford Library | ${ }_{1863}^{1872}$ | Sub... | Gen |  |
| 4866 | Blufton, S. C. | Polytechnic and Industrial Insti- |  |  |  | 1,500 |
| 4867 | Cedar Springs, S. | South Carolina Institation for the |  |  | Sch. | 3,197 |
| 4808 | Charleston, | Deaf, Dumb, and | $a 1784$ | Sub... |  |  |
|  | Charleston, | Charleston Female Semin |  |  | Sch |  |
| 4877 | Charleston, S. | Charleston Library Societ | 148 |  |  |  |
| 4872 | Charlestnn, S. | College of Charlesto | 1838 | Free.. | Col | 8,500 |
|  | Charleston, S | Medical Society of Soutb |  | Free | M |  |
| 4874 | Charleston, S. | Protestant Episcopal Society for | 1810 | Free .. |  | 1,800 |
| 4875 | Charleston, S. | Wallingford A cadeny. |  |  |  |  |
| 4876 | Charleston, | Young Men's Christian Association | 1854 | Snb | Y. M. C.A |  |
|  | Cheraw, | Cheraw Lrceum | 1875 | ${ }_{\text {Fre }}$ | Soc |  |
| 4879 | Columbra, S. C | Benedict Institate | 1872 |  |  | 1,500 |
|  | Columbia, , | Columbia Female |  |  |  |  |
| 4882 | Columbia, S. | Graded School Library. | 1883 | Bot |  |  |
|  | Columbia, S. | oyterian Theological Semi- |  |  |  | 22,000 |
| 83 | Colnmb:a, S. C | State Library |  | Free.. | State | 36,000 |
| $488 \pm$ | Columbia, S. C | Sonth Carolina Coilege. | 1865 | Free.. |  | 27, 5 , 000 |
| 4886 | Due West, S. ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | Due West Female College |  |  |  |  |
| 488 | Due West, | Erskine College | 1839 | Freo. | Col | 1,500 |
|  | Due West, S. | Euphemian | 1839 | Sub |  | 2,500 |
|  | Due West, | Philomathean. | 8 |  |  |  |
| 4890 | Florence, ${ }_{\text {Fro }}$ | Library Assoc | 8 |  | Ge |  |
| 4892 | Geoi getown, S | Win rav Indioo Society | 1755 | Free.. | So | 2, 500 |
| 4893 | Greenrille, S. C | Felton's Circulating Libr |  | Sub |  | 00 |
|  | Greenrille, S. ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | Female Conle | 1856 | Free.- |  | 1,000 |
|  | Gremille, S. | Furman Univer |  | Fr | Col |  |
| 4897 | Newberrs, S. C | Society Librari |  | Free.. |  | 1,10 |
|  | Orangt burg | Clafin University | 1870 | Free.. | Col | 1,500 |
| 4900 | Spartanbarg, C. H., | Kennedy Library.. | 1883 |  |  |  |
|  | Spartanburg, | Wufford Colle |  |  | Col | 6,000 |
|  | mter, S. C | Lilrary Associat | 188 | Sub. | Gen |  |
|  | Walhala, S. C | Walhala Female |  |  |  |  |
| 4905 | Yorkville, S C | King's Monntain Military Institute |  |  |  | 500 |
| 4906 | A thens, Tonn. | Grant Memorial Oniversity |  |  |  | 2,250 |
|  | thr ns, Tenv | Society Libraries (4) |  | Snb |  | 1,109 |
| 4809 | tol, Tenn | King College |  |  | Soo' y ..... | ${ }_{930}$ |
|  | *From a r | for 1884. |  |  |  |  |

Table IVI.-Slatistics of public libraries mumberiny 300 rolumes, is.-C'ontinmerl.

|  | Place. | Fame of library. |  |  | 筞 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 4910 | Bristol, Tenn. | Sullins College |  |  |  | 0 |
| 4911 | Mristol, Tenn. | Monntain Tiew Soci |  | Sul)... |  |  |
| 4912 | Chattanooga, Tenn | Joung Men's Christian Association. | 1552 | Sub | Y.Mi.C.A. | 1, 601 |
| 4913 | Clarkville, Tenu. | Southwestern Presbyterian Uni. |  |  |  | 3, $5<0$ |
| 4914 | Clarkrille, Tenn | versity. <br> Sterart Societ |  |  |  |  |
| 4915 | Clarkrille, Tear | Waskington Iiriog Society |  |  | Soc' 5 | 1,500 |
| 4916 | Collierville, 'Tenn | Bellerne Female College* |  |  |  | 300 |
| 4917 | Columbia, Tenn | Colarnbia Athenieus | 1852 | Free.. |  | 5, 000 |
| 4918 | Culleoka, Tenn | Readina Clnb | 1870 | Sab... |  | 1, 000 |
| 4919 | Franklin, Tenn | 'Tennesseo Female Colle |  |  | Col | 503 |
| 4929 | Friendsrille, Tenn | Friendsrille Academy. | 1855 | Tree.. |  | 0 |
| 49.1 | Fullens, Tenn.- | Warren College |  |  | sch | 1,300 |
| 4922 | Gallatin, Temn | Howard Female Coll | 1856 | Fr | Sc | 400 |
| 4923 | Henderson, Te | Henderson Masonic Male and Female Institnte. ${ }^{\text {a }}$ |  |  |  | 300 |
| 4924 | Hirrassee College, Tend. | Hirrassee Collece | 1849 | Sab. | Col | -. 300 |
| 4925 | Humboldt, Tein ....... | Odd Fellows' Male and Female Collere. |  |  | Sch | 600 |
| 4926 | Jackson, Tenn. | Free Library | 1885 | Free.. | Ger | 1,100 |
| 4927 | Jackson, Tenn. | Memphis Conference Female In. stitute. | 1854 | Free.. |  | 4,000 |
| 4928 | Jackson, Tenn. | Public School Library | 1824 | Free.. | Sch | 350 |
| 4929 | Jackson, Tenn... | Southrrestern Baptist University. | 1874 | Free.. | Col | 3,000 |
| 4930 | Knosville, Tenn. | Knorville College | 1876 | Free.. |  | 1,200 |
| 4931 | Knosville, Tenn | Public Library of Knoxrille a | 1860 | Sub... |  | 3,729 |
| 4932 | Knorrille, Tenn | Tennessee School for the Deaf and Dumb. |  |  |  | 600 |
| 4933 | Knoxrille, Tenn | Cniversity of Tennessee........ | 1807 | Freo.. | Col....... | 00 |
| 4934 | Lebanon, Tenn | Cumberland University |  |  |  | 10, 000 |
| 4935 | Lewisburg, Tenn | Iewisburg Institut | 1884 |  |  | 1, 000 |
| 4936 | Lexington, Tenn | Lexington Academ |  |  | Sch | 1,000 |
| 4937 | Loudon, Tenn | Loudon High School |  |  |  | 350 |
| 4938 | McKenzie, Tenn | Bethel College |  |  | Col | 700 |
| 4939 | McKenzie, Tean | Mr Tyeire Institute | 1381 | Sub... | Sch | 472 |
| 6840 | MoMinnville, Ten | Cumberland Femalo | 1855 | Free |  | 2,000 |
| 4941 | McMinnville, Ter | Library Association | 1876 | Sub |  | 1, 500 |
| 4942 | Maryville, Tenn. | Freedmen's Normal Institute |  |  |  | 1. 250 |
| 4943 | Marysille, Tenn | Maryrille College. | 1819 | Freo.- |  | 6, 000 |
| 4944 | Meniphis, Tenn | Christian Brothers' Co | 1872 |  | Col | 3,500 |
| 4945 | Memphis, Tenn | Manrelian Literary Clu | 1874 | Free. | Soc' | 6, 253 |
| 4946 | Memphis, Tenn | Leddin's Business College. | 1865 | Free.. | Sch | 784 |
| 4947 | Memphis, Tenn | Lo Moyno Normal Iostitute |  |  |  | 1,314 |
| 4918 | Memphis, Tenn | Le Moyno Puhlic Library ......... | 1875 | Free .. |  | 1,520 |
| 4949 | Memphis, Tenn | Bar and Law, Library Association | 1874 | Sub... | Law ...... | 6, |
| 4459 | Memphis, Tenn | (u, 1 Fellows' Library .............. | 1878 | Freo.. | I.O.O.F.- | 2. 500 |
| 4951 | Memphis, Tenn .... | YouncMen's ChristianAssociation | 1884 | Sub.. | Y. ${ }^{\text {PI.C.A. }}$ | Te0 |
| 4953 | Mrossj Creek, Tenn. | Carson College ${ }^{\text {Colnmbian }}$ Societ | 1860 | Free.. |  | 4 |
| 4935 | Mossy Creek, Tenn. | Philonathean Society | 1853 | Free.. | Soc' | 350 |
| 49.55 | Nashville, Tenn | Central Tennesseo College | 1870 | Sub... | Col | 2, 150 |
| 49.56 | Nashrille, Tenn | Mrcharry Medical Colleg | 1880 | Free. |  | 200 |
| 4957 | Nashrille, Tenn | Fisk Tnireisity ........... | 1870 |  | Col | 3, 125 |
| 4938 | Nashville, '1enn | Masouic Librare Associ | 1281 | Free.. | Masonic | 1, $£ 35$ |
| 4959 | Nashrille, Tenn | Montgumw Pell Academy | 1882 | Sul. | Sch | 3 C 0 |
| 4960 | Nashrille, Tenn | lioger Winhams University |  |  |  | 3,000 |
| 4961 | Nashrille, Tenn | State Librare | 1851 | Free | Stat | 30, 000 |
| 4962 | Nashrille, Ten | Tennessce School for the Blind |  |  | Sch | 500 |
| 4963 | Nashrille, Ten | Unirersity of Nashrille, State |  |  | Col ........ | 500 |
| 4964 | Nashrille, Tenn ........ | Agatheridan Literary Society. |  |  | Soc', | 2,000 |
| 4965 | Nashrille, Tenn ......... | Erosnphian Literary Society.. | 1881 |  |  | 5,000 |
| 4906 4967 | Nashrille, Tern | Tanderbilt University |  |  |  | 10,000 |
| 4967 | Nashville, Tenn | Ward's (W. E.) Seminary for Young Ladies. |  |  |  | 2,000 |

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Table XVI.—Slatistics of public librarics numbering 300 volumcs, fc.-Continued.

|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  | \% <br> Ј゙ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 4368 | Nashvilie, Tenn. (261 Church street). | Foung Men's ChristianAssociation | 1870 | Sub... | Y. M. C. $\triangle$. | 4,200 |
| 4969 | Pulaski, Tenn .......... | Young Men's ChristianAssociatio | 1880 | Free.. | T.M. C.A. | 500 |
| 4970 | Rugby, Tenn | Hughes Free Public Library ...... | 1880 | Free.. | Gen...... | 6,195 |
| 4971 | Sewanee, Tenn | University of the South, Hodgson Library | 1868 | Free.. | Col | 16,000 |
| 4972 | Shellyrville, Ten | Eakin Library .................... | 1881 | Su |  | , 755 |
| 4973 | Snithville, Tenn | Pure Fountain Colle |  |  |  | 500 |
| 4974 | Spencer, Tenn | Burritt Collego |  |  | Col | 1,000 |
| 4975 | Tusculum, Ten | Greenerille and Tusculum College | 1865 | Free. | $\mathrm{Col}$ | 5, 820 |
| 4976 | Tusculum, Tenn | Society Libraries (3)............ |  | Sub... | Soc' | 3, 000 |
| ${ }_{4977}^{4978}$ | Winchester, 'Te Austin, Tex | Mary Sharp College |  |  | Col | 1,038 |
| 4979 | Austin, Tex | State Lunatic Asylum | 1861 | Free.. | A. \& | 350 |
| 4980 | Austin, Tex | Stuart Female Seminar |  |  | Sch | 500 |
| 4981 | Austin, Tex | Supreme Court |  | Freo | Law | 8,300 |
| 4982 | Austin, Tex | Texas German and English Academy. |  |  |  | 600 |
| 4983 | Austin, Tex | Tillotson Institute... | 1881 | Free.. | Sch | 00 |
| 4984 | Austin, Tex | Unirersity of Texas | 1884 | Free.- | Col | 5,000 |
| 4985 | Brownsville, Tex | Church Library. | 1853 | Free.. | Soc | 4, 000 |
| 4986 | Brownsville, Tex | Public School Libra | 1884 | Free.. | Sch | 360 |
| 4987 | College Station, 'Tex.... | A gricultural and Mechanical ColTege of Texas. | 1880 |  |  | 2, 051 |
| 4988 | Comanche, Tex | Comanche College |  |  | Sch | ,116 |
| 4989 | Dallas, Tex. (808 Main street). | Public Library ... | 1880 | Free.. | Ge | 800 |
| 4990 | Dallas, Tex.............. | Young Mon's Christian Associa- | 1885 | Free.. | Y.M.C.A. | 300 |
| 4931 | Fort Clarls, Tex. (P. O., Brackettville). | Post Library |  | Free. | Gar | 1,694 |
| 4992 | Fort Concho, Tex. | Post Library* | 1873 | Free.. | Gar. | 66 |
| 4993 | Fort Davis, Tex | Post Library | 1867 | Freo.. | Gar | 2, 060 |
| 4994 | Fort Worth, Tex | Texas Wesleyan Colle |  |  | Sc |  |
| 4995 | Galveston, Tex | Public Library | 1871 | F | Gen | 5,600 |
| 4997 | Georgetown, Tex | Southwestern Unive | 1873 | Free.. | Col | , 000 |
| 4998 | Georgetown, Tex | Alamo Society | 1883 | Free.. | Soc'y | 350 |
| 4999 | Georgetown. Tex | San Jacinto Societ | 1883 | Freo.. | Soc'y | 750 |
| 5000 | Honey Grove, Tex | High School Library |  |  | Sch | 1,000 |
| 5001 | Honey Grore, Tex | Walcott Institute. | 1881 | Free.. |  | 300 |
| 5002 | Houston, Tex. | Houston Lyceam* | 1854 | Sub... | Soc'l | 2,500 3,500 |
| 5004 | Huntsville, Tex. | Sam Houston Nor | 1880 | .. | A. | 1,500 |
| 5005 | Independence, Te | Baylor University |  |  | Col | 2, 500 |
| 5006 | Marshall, Tex. | Bishop College. |  |  | sc | 600 |
| 5007 | Marshall, Tex | Wiley University | 1875 | Freo.. | Sch | 1,200 |
| 5008 | Prairie Lea, Tex | Grange Library |  | Sub... | Soc | 395 |
| 5009 | Rio Grande, Tex | Post Library, Kinggold Barracks* | 1842 | Free.. |  | 1,500 |
| 5010 | San Antonio, Tex | Literary and Scientific Association | 1884 | Sub... | Soc' | 3,000 |
| 5011 | San Antonio, Tex. | St. Mary's College.................. | 1860 | Treo.. |  | 2,000 |
| 5012 | San Antonio, Tex | Ursuline Convent |  |  | Sch | 500 |
| 5013 | Sherman, Tex..... | Austin College | 1850 | Freo.. |  | 3,000 |
| 5014 | Sulphur Springs, Tex... | Central College |  |  |  | 400 |
| 5015 | Tehuacana, Tex ........ | Trinity University* | 1870 | Fre |  | 1, 00 |
| 5016 | Tehuacana, Tex ......... | Plilosophronian Society |  |  | Soc'y | 450 |
| 5017 | Tehuacana, Tex ........ | Ratoo Gonic Society * |  |  | Soc' | 400 |
| 5018 | Tehuacana, Tex ........ | Timothean Theological Soci- |  |  | The | 1,000 |
| 5019 | Waxahachie, To | Marvin College............... | 1871 | Free.. | Col | 800 |
| 5020 | For' Douglas, Utah ( 1 . O., Salt Lake City). | Post Library.. | 1862 | Free. | Gar | 00 |
| 5021 | Ogden City, Utah.. | City Library |  |  | Gen. | 500 |
| 5022 | Provo City, Utah | Brigham Yonng Academy | 1876 |  | Sch | 73 |
| 5023 | Logan, Utah. | Cache Yalley Seminary... |  |  | Sch | 500 |
| 5024 | Salt Lake City, Uta | Citry Library | 1850 | Freo. | Ge | 5,000 |
| 5025 | Salt Lake City, Uta | Deseret Museu | 1870 |  |  | 600 |
| 5026 | Salt Lake City, Utal | Fireman's Library | 1871 | Free.. | Soc' | 1,031 |
| 5027 | Salt Lake City, Utah | Masonic (Public) Li | 1877 | Bot | Masoni | 6, 821 |
| 5028 | Salt Lake City, Utah. | Odd Fellows Library | 1878 | Fr | I. 0.0. | 1,580 |

* Froma a roturn for 1884。

Table XV1.-Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 rolumes, $f$ c.-Coutinued.

|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  | 离 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 5029 | Salt Lake Cits, Utain. | Rowland Hall. |  |  | Sch | 00 |
| 5030 | Salt Lake City, Utah. | Salt Lake A cademy | 1873 | Freo | Sch | 500 |
| 5031 | Salt Lake City, Utah.... | Snencer Smith Library, St. Mark's School | 1870 | Free.. |  | 1,446 |
| 5032 | Salt Lake City, Utah. | Cnirersity of Deseret. | 1874 | Free.. |  | 3,6.1 |
| 5023 | Salt Lake City, Utah. | Utah Library | 1852 | Free.. |  | 4,000 |
| $503 \pm$ | 13arnet, Vt | Ladies' Library | 1872 | Sub. | Soc'1 | 600 |
| 5035 | Barre, T t | Goddard Seminary | 1871 | Free.. |  | 1,400 |
| 5036 | 13ellows Falls, V | St. A gnes'Hall. |  |  |  | ${ }_{4} 60$ |
| 5037 | Bennington, V t | Free Library. | 1805 | Free.. | Gen | 4.036 |
| 5038 | Bradford, Vt | Merrill Librar | 1848 | Free.. |  | 1, 700 |
| 5039 | Bradford, V | Public Librar | 1875 | Sub... |  | 1,510 |
| 3040 | Brandon, Vt | Ladies' Book Cl | 1869 | Sub. | Soc' | 1, 050 |
| 5041 | Brattle borough, | Free Library | 1882 | Free.. | Gen | 4, 700 |
| 5042 | Brattle ${ }^{\text {a }}$ orough, | Fermont Asylum for the Insane*. | 1834 | Free.. | A. \& | 1,121 |
| 5043 | Burlington, Vt | Fletcher Free Library | 1874 | Free.. | Gen | 18,600 |
| 5044 | Burlington, V | Parish Library, First Unitarian Church. | 1823 | Free.. | Soc | 1,350 |
| 5045 | Burlington, V | University of Vermont | 1800 |  | Col | 35, 000 |
| 5046 | Burlington, | Termont Episcopal Institut | 1857 | Free.. | Gen. | 4, 000 |
| 5.047 | Calais, Vt | Calais Circulating Library. | 1836 | Sub... |  | 700 |
| 5048 | Carendish, | Fletcher Town Liurars. | 1868 | Free.. | Gen | 4,235 |
| 5049 | Chelsea, Vt | Chelsea Ladies' Library | 1884 | Sub... | Soc'1 | 460 |
| 5050 | Chelsea, | Library Association* | 1840 | Sub... |  | 550 |
| 5051 | Cornwall, | Lane Library A ssocia | 1560 | Free.. |  | 1,200 |
| 5052 | Dan | Foung Ladies' Library Associa- | 1879 | Free.. | So | 050 |
| 5053 | Derbr, T t | Public Library* | 1884 | Sub... | Gen | 426 |
| 5054 | Dorset, Vt | Public Library | 1871 | Sub... | Gen | 389 |
| 5055 | East Calais, | East Calais Circulating Library | 1864 | Sub... | Soc' | $58 \%$ |
| 5050 | East Dorset, | Library Aissociation | 1870 | Free.. | Gen | CCO |
| 5057 | Fairfax, Vt | New Hampton Institution |  | Free.. |  | 3, cco |
| 5058 | Felchrille, | Library Association of Reading | 1865 |  |  | ${ }^{\text {5is }}$ |
| 5059 | Grafton, Vt | Public Library | 1858 | Free.. |  | 1, 000 |
| 5060 | Hartford, Vt | Library Association | 1875 | Sub... |  | cuo |
| 5161 | Hyde Park. | Lamoille Central A cademy |  |  |  | 300 |
| 5063 | Irasburg, V | Library Association | 1867 | Sub... | Gen | 300 |
| 5063 | Johnson, | State Normal Schoo | 1867 | Free.. | Sch | 900 |
| 5C64 | Lowell, Vt | Library Association | 1865 | Sub... | Gen | ¢03 |
| 5065 | Ludlow, Vt | Village Library.. |  | Sub... | Gen | E03 |
| 5006 | Lunenburg, | Cutting's Library | 1854 | Free.. |  | 14,009 |
| 5067 | Lrndon Centre, | Lsndon Institato | 1870 | Free.. |  | 618 |
| 5068 | Mianchester, | Burton's Pastoral Librar | 1853 |  |  | 575 |
| 5069 | M | Philomathic Library, Burr \& Burton Seminars |  |  | Soc | 1,000 |
| 5070 | Middlebars, $T$ | Ladies' Library Association ..... | 1866 | Sub... |  | 2,500 |
| 5071 | Middlebury, Ft | Middlebury College... |  |  |  | 1,600 |
| 5072 | Middlebury, Vt | Sheldon Art Muse | 1881 | Free.. | Soc'1 | 2,000 |
| 5073 | Middletown Spriugs, Vt | Lidies' Library Associa | 1875 | Sub | Soc | 500 |
| 5074 | Montpelier, Vt.......... | State Library .......... | 1825 |  |  | 18, 610 |
|  | Montpelier, Vt.......... | Vermont Methodist Seminary and Female College, Alumni Library | 1883 | Free.. | Col | 1, 200 |
| 50:6 | Montpelier, Vt. | Washingtor County Grammar School. |  | Free.. | Sch | 2, 950 |
| 5077 | Nembury, $\overline{\text { t }}$ | Newbary Seminary | 1834 | Free.. | Sch | 1,200 |
| 5078 | Newbury, Vt | Village Li ibrary | 1872 | Sub... | Gen | 850 |
| 50,9 5080 | Newfane, $\overline{\text { dt }}$ | Fayeiteville Library Association | 1870 |  | Gen | 494 |
| 5080 5081 | New Haren, | Lampson Library | 1869 | Free.. | Gen | 85 |
| 5082 | Northicld, V | Lorwich Associatio | 1884 | Sub. | Gen | , |
| 5083 | Norwich, Vt | Library Association | 1880 | Sub. |  | 1, 0 |
| $508 \pm$ | Peacham. Vt | Jurenilo Library Society | 1810 | Sub. | Soc'1 | 1, 146 |
| 508.5 | Post Mills Village, Vt... | Jeabody Library | 1830 | Free.. | $\stackrel{\mathrm{G}}{\mathrm{G}} \mathrm{n}$ | \%, 0:30 |
| E0e6 | Poultner, Vt........ | Truy Conference Acaderay |  |  | Sch. | 1,109 |
|  | Proctursville, | Fletcher Tonn Library | 1870 | Frea.. | Grı | 4, (16) |
| \%089 | Quechee. Vt | Liurary Society. | 1858 | Snb | Ge | 1, 4-4 |
| 5090 | Randolph, Vt | State Normal School | 1850 | Free.. |  | , 0 co |
| 5091 | Rochester, V t | Lecture and Library Association | 1875 |  |  | - 487 |

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Table XVI.-Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 volumes, foc.-Continued.

|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  | \% |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 5092 | St. Albans, V t | Vermont Central Library Asso- | 1856 | Sub. | Gen | 2,5000 |
| 5093 | Saxton's River, Vt | $\checkmark$ ermont |  |  |  |  |
| ${ }_{5094}^{5094}$ | St. Johnsburs, Vt...... | St. Johnsbury A | 1870 | Free .. |  | 12,000 |
|  | South Woodstock, | Green MountainPerkinsA cademy, |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 5096 \\ & 5097 \end{aligned}$ | Springfield, Vt <br> Stratiči, $\nabla$ t | Town Library. <br> Harris Library | 1851 | Free. <br> Free. | Gon | 105 |
| 5698 | Thetiord, | Latham Memorial | 1875 | Free | Gen |  |
| 5099 5100 | Vergennes, ${ }_{\text {Ver }}$ Vt........... | Vermonnt Reform Sehool | 1865 | Sree... | Gen | 22, 500 |
| 5101 | Waitsfield, $\nabla t$ | Library Association. | 1866 | Sub... |  | 386 |
| ${ }_{5102}^{5102}$ | Waterbury Center, Vt.. | Green Mountain Seroinary | 1868 | Free.. |  | 1,200 |
| ${ }_{5103}^{5104}$ | West Randolph, Vt .. <br> Westminster, Vt | Ladics' Circulating Library ...... |  |  |  | 300 517 |
| 5105 | Willinaustown, Vt | Social Library | 1803 |  | Soc'l | 2,000 |
| 5106 | Windsor, Tt | Library A ssocia | 1882 | Free.. | Soc'1 | 4,480 |
| 5107 5108 |  | State Prison ................. |  |  |  |  |
| 5109 | Abingdon, $\nabla$ a | Norman Williams Prblic Library. | 1885 | Free.. | Gen | 4,400 |
| 5110 | Abingdon, Va | Martha W ashington College. Eu- | 1870 | Frec.. | Soc' | 1,000 |
| 5111 | Alesandria, Va | Alexandria Libra | 1794 | Sub. | Gen |  |
| 5112 | Alexandria, Va (near) .- | Clarens Home school |  |  |  |  |
|  | ${ }^{\text {Alexandria, }}$, V | St. John's A cademy | 1849 | Free.. |  | 1,100 |
| 5114 | Ashland, Va | Randolph Macon College and Societv Libraries. | 1834 |  | Col., Soc'y | 10,000 |
| 5115. | A ${ }^{\text {clett's, }}$ V | Mt. Pisgah Alamni | 1875 | Sub | Soc |  |
| 5116 | Bethel Academy, | Beo Literary Societ, Bethel | 1872 | Free.. |  | - $\begin{array}{r}\text { 5, } \\ 1\end{array}$ |
| 5118 | Blacksburg, Va . | Virginia Acricaltaral and Me. | 1872 | Free | Sci | , 200 |
| 5119 | Brentsville, Va | Brentsrille Sem |  |  |  |  |
|  | Charlottesrille, | Pantops A cademy |  |  |  | 000 |
| 5121 | Charlottesrile, | YoungMen's Christain Association | 1882 |  |  |  |
| 5123 | Christiansburg, Va | Montgotery Female Colie |  |  | C | 1,000 |
| 5124 | Crozet, T a | Miller Manual Labor Schoo |  |  |  | 1,000 |
| ${ }_{51}^{51}$ | Daston, ${ }^{\text {Va }}$ | Shenandoah Institut | 837 | Free | Sch | 4.580 |
| ${ }_{5127}$ | Emory, Va | -mulliopean So |  |  |  | 2,000 |
| 5128 | Emory. Va. | Hermesian | 1839 | Free .. |  | 7,000 |
| 5129 | Fort Monroe, Va | Artillery Sch | 1824 | Free.. | Sci | 5,900 |
|  | Fort Monroe, Va | Post Library | 1824 | $\mathrm{Fr}^{\text {r }}$ | G | 2,470 |
| ${ }_{5132}^{5131}$ | Hampden Sidney, ${ }^{\text {Ha }}$ | Hampden Sidney College Philanthropio Societ | ${ }_{1807}^{1783}$ | $\stackrel{\text { Free }}{\text { Free }}$ | So |  |
| 5133 | Hampden Siduey, ${ }^{\text {Va... }}$ | Union Society | 1789 | Free.. |  |  |
| 5134 | Hanpden Sidney, | Union Theological Seminary. | 18 | ${ }_{\text {Free }}$.- |  |  |
| 5136 | Hanpton, | Mormal and Agricultural | 18 |  |  |  |
| 5137 | Lexington, Va. | Franklin Society and Library | 1816 | Su |  | 7,000 |
| 5138 | Lexington, $\mathrm{\nabla}$ a | State Librars, Virgina Mrilitary | 183 | Free | Col | 8,800 |
| 5139 | Lesington, V | Washington and Lee Universitr |  | Both.. | Col | 18,0 |
|  | Lsneliburg, Va | TnungMen'sChristianAssociation | 189 |  |  |  |
| ${ }_{5142}$ | Mitatell Station, Va.... | Mit Weicome High Scho | 1871 | Free.. | Soci | 4,687 |
|  | Va. | unteor Soldiers (Southern |  |  |  |  |
| 514 | New Market, Va | Lee LiterarySociety, Polstechnio | 1870 | Free | Soc'y | 500 |
| 5144 | Nor | Law Library Asso | 1880 | Sub |  |  |
|  | folk, | Norfolk Library | 1870 | Sub... |  |  |
| 5147 | Norfoll', Va .... | Webster Scientific and Literary |  |  |  | 3,000 |
| 5148 | Petersbarg, $\mathrm{Va} . . . . . . .$. | Petersburg Benevolent Mechanic | 186 | Free .. | Soc | 4,372 |

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a Not in active operation.

Table XVI．－Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 volumes，s．c．－Contınued．

|  | Place． | Name of library． |  |  | ¢ \％ む゙ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 5149 | Petersbarg，Va | Southern Female Colleg | 1862 |  | Col | 1，100 |
| 5150 | Petersburg，Va | Virginia Normal and Collegiate Institute． | 1883 | Free．． |  | 625 |
| 5151 | Petersburg，Va ．．．．．．．．． | Foung Men＇s Christian Associa－ tion． | 1875 | Free．． | Y．M．C．A． | 2，000 |
| 5152 | Richmond，Va | Academy of the Visitation＊．．．．．． |  |  | Sch | 1，567 |
| 5153 | Richmond， Va | Colored High and Normal School． |  |  |  | 400 |
| 5154 | Richmond，Va | Higih School Library． | 1872 | Free．． |  | 300 |
| 5155 | Richmond，Va | Masonic Librars． | 1830 | Free．． | Maso | 1，700 |
| 5156 | Richmond，Va | McGill Catholic Union | 1873 | Sub．．． | Sor＇l． | 500 |
| 5157 | Richmond， Va | Old Dominion Business Colle |  |  |  | 00 |
| 5158 | Richmond， Va | Richmond Colleg | 1867 | Free．． | Col | 8，000 |
| 5159 | Richmond， F | Richmond Institu | 1868 | Free．． | The＇ | 3， 200 |
| 5160 | Richmond， Va | State Library | 1822 | Free．． | State | 45， 000 |
| 5161 | Richmond， V a | State Lavt Librar， | 1823 | Free． | Latr | 9， 429 |
| 5162 | Richmond，V | Virginia Historical Socie | 1831 | Sub | Hist＇l． | 13， 883 |
| 5163 | Richmond，Va | Young Men＇s Christian Associa－ tion． | 1855 | Sub | Y．M．C．A． | 3，300 |
| 5164 | Rural Retreat， | Rural Male and Female Seminary＊ |  |  | Sch | 00 |
| 5165 | Salem， Va | Rioanoke Colleg | 1853 | Sub |  | 16，000 |
| 51.66 | Salem，Va | Demosthenean Library | 1850 | Free．． | Soc＇ | 700 |
| 5167 | Stanton， | Augusta County Law Library As－ sociation． | 1852 | Sub．．． |  | 1，600 |
| 5168 | Staunton， | Augusta Female Seminary＊．．．． |  |  | Sch | 2，000 |
| 5169 | Staunton， | Staunton Female Seminary（Zeno－ bian Literary Society）． | 1872 | Free．． | Soc＇y | 500 |
| 5170 | Staunton，$\nabla$ | Virginia Female Institute | 1880 | Free．． | Sch | 340 |
| 5171 | Staunton， | Virginia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind． | 1840 | Free |  | 600 |
| 5172 | Staunton，Va | Foung Men＇s Christian Associa－ tion． |  | Sub． | I．M．C．A． | 1，426 |
| 5173 | Suffolk，Va | Suffolk Collegiate Institute＊ |  |  | Sch | 300 |
| 5174 | Taylorsville，V | Hanover Academy． |  | Free．． | Sch | 1，800 |
| 5175 | Theological Seminary， $\nabla$ a． | Theological Seminary of the Prot－ estant Episcopal Church． | 1823 | Fre |  | 12，000 |
| 5176 | University of Virginia， Va． | University of Virginia．．．．．．．．．．．． | 1825 | Doth．． | Col | 47，000 |
| 5177 | University of Virginia， $\nabla$ a． | Leander McCormick Observa－ tory． | 1882 | Free．． | Sci | 600 |
| 5178 | Williamsburg，Va ． | College of William and Mary | 1693 | Free．． | Col | 7，000 |
| 5179 | Williamsburg，Va | Galt Library，Eastern Lunatic Asylum． |  | Free．． | A．\＆ | 635 |
| 5180 | Woodstock， | Foung Men＇s Christian Associa－ | 1876 | Both．． | Y．M．C．A | 500 |
| 5181 | Wrtherille，Va | Law Librar | 1876 | Free．． |  | 00 |
| 5182 | Wytherille，Va | Library Association | 1881 | Sub．．． | Soc＇ | 600 |
| 5183 | Wrtherille， | Trinity Hall Female Colleg |  |  | Sch | 455 |
| 5184 | Cheney，Wash | Cheney Academ5．．．．． |  |  | Sch | 300 |
| 5185 5186 | Darton，Wash ．．．．．．．．．． | Library Association | 1882 | Sub．．． | Gen | 700 |
| 5186 | Fort Canley，Wash．（P． 0．，Astoria，Oreg．）． | Post Library． | 1864 | Free．． | Ga | 412 |
| 5187 | Olympia，Wash ．．．．． | Tacoma Lib |  | Both．． | Soc＇l． | 1，500 |
| 5188 | Olympia，Wash．．．． | Territorial Library | 1854 |  | Ter， | 1，200 |
| 5189 5190 | Port Gamble，Wash | Circulating Librar | 1878 | Sub．．． | Soc＇l | 600 |
| 5191 | Port Sattle，Wash | University of Wash | 1884 |  | Col | 350 2,260 |
| 5192 | Seatile，Tash | tors． | 1872 | Sub |  | 3，000 |
| 5193 | Seattle，Wash | Young Men＇s Christian Associa－ | 1883 | Fre | Y． $1 . \mathrm{C}$ | 352 |
| 5194 | Spokane Falls，Ta | Library Association |  | Sub． | Gen | 556 |
| 5195 | Steilacoom，Wash． | Normal Academy |  |  |  | 800 |
| 5196 | Tacoma，Wash． | Annie Wright Semina | 1884 | Free |  | 600 |
| 5197 | Tacoma，Wash | Mercantile Library | 1885 | S | Mer | co） |
| 5198 | Vancouver，Wash | Holy Angel＇s College |  |  |  | 1，000 |
| 5199 | Fancourer，Wash | St．James＇Circulating I | 1870 | Sub | Soc | ¢53 |
| 5200 | Walla Walla，Wash | St．Paul＇s Church | 1875 | Free |  | ＊1，500 |
| 5201 | Walla Walla，Wash．． | Whitman College | 1882 | Both | Col | 1，976 |

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Table XVI.-Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 rolumes, $\S c .-C o n t i n u e d$.

|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  | 突 |  |
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| 5202 | Bethany, | B |  |  |  | 2.00 |
| 5203 | Charleston, | State Librar | 1863 |  | La | 6,009 |
| 5204 | Fairmont, $W$ W. $V$ | High School Librar | 1879 | Free |  | 340 |
| 5205 | Fairmont, W. Va........ | State Normal School............... | $1870$ |  | Sch ........ | 800 |
| 5206 | Harper's Fetry, W. Va.. | Storer College, Roger William's Library. | 1869 | Free.. | Sch | 3,500 |
| 5207 | Huntington, W. Va | Marshali College................... | 1868 | Free.. |  | 700 |
| 5208 | Eeyser, W. Va........... | Young Men's Christian Associa. tion, Railroad Department. |  |  | Y. M. C.A. | 300 |
| 5209 | Morgantown, W. Va | Morgantown Seminary .......... | 1869 | Free.. | Scb | 00 |
| 5210 |  | West Virginia Historical Society |  | Free.. |  |  |
| 5211 | Morgantown, W. Va | West Virginia University........ | $1867$ | Free.. | Col …..... | 8,000 |
| 5212 | Moundsrille, W. Va. | West Virginia Penitentiary ...... | 1882 | Freo.. | A. \& P.... | 564 |
| 5213 | Romney, W. Va......... | Institution for the Deaf and Damb, and the Blind. | 1874 | Free.. |  | 734 |
| 5214 | Romney, W. Va | Literary Society of Romney...... | 1819 | Sub... | Soc'1 | 2, 000 |
| 5215 | Shepherdstown, W. Va.. | Shepherd College. | 1873 | Free |  | 300 |
| 5216 | West Libertr, W. Va | State Normal Schoo |  |  |  | 350 |
| 5217 | Weston, W. Va | West Virginia Hospital for tho Insane. | 1864 | Free .- | A. | 300 |
| 5218 | Wheeling, W. | Public Librar | 1882 | Free | Ge | 8, |
| 5219 | Wheeling, W. Va....... | Wheeling Female College ......... |  |  | Sch $\ldots$...... | 50 |
| 5220 | Wheeling, W. Va ....... | Young Men's Christian Association. |  | Free.. | X.M. C.A. | 00 |
| 5221 | Appleton, Wis | Appleton Library of Lawrence University. | 1853 | Free.. | Col | 10, 740 |
| 5222 | Appleton, | Fourth Ward School Library | 1880 | Free.. | Sch | 75 |
| 5223 | Appleton, | Ryan High School Library | 1880 | Free |  | 90 |
| 5224 | Baraboo, Wis | Young Men's Christian Associa- | 1882 |  | Y. M. C.A. | 460 |
| 5 | Bearer Dam, Wis | Free Public Library | 1884 | Frea.. | Gen. | 2,025 |
| 5226 | Bearer Dam, Wis | Wayland University |  |  |  |  |
| 5227 | Beloit, Wis | Beloit College | 1848 |  |  | 12, 840 |
| 5228 | Beloit, Wis | Society Libraries |  |  |  | 1,000 |
| 5229 | Beloit, Wis | Foung Men's Christian Association. | 1882 | Free.. | Y. M. C.A. | 500 |
| 5230 | Berlin, Wis | Migh School Library | 1875 | Free.. | Sch | 700 |
| 5231 | Black Rirer Falls, Wis. | Black River Falls Library. | 1868 | Free |  | 1,250 |
| 5232 | Bloomington, W | Blonmington Library | 1874 | Sub... |  | T00 |
| 5233 | Boscobel, Wis | High School Library | 1875 | Freo.- |  | 700 |
| 5234 | Burlington, W is . | High School and Teachers' Library.* | 1872 | Free.. |  | 500 |
| 5235 | Delaran, Wis | Wisconsin School for the Deaf. | 1852 |  | Sch | 1, 000 |
| 5236 | De Pere, Wis | Salmon Libra |  |  |  | \%3 |
| 5237 <br> 5038 | Edgu Claire, | Free Library | 1875 | Free.. | Gen | 3, 000 |
| 5239 | Eransrille, Wis | School Distriet Librar | 18,8 | Free.. |  | 350 |
| 5240 | Fond du Lac, Wis | Free Library | 187 | Free .. | G | 7,500 |
| $\bigcirc 241$ | Fond du Lac, Wis | High School Li | 1876 | Free .. | Sch | 325 |
| 5242 | Fort Atkinson, Fi | High Schoal Library | 1866 | Free.. | Sch | - 300 |
| 5243 | Fox Lake, Wi | Wisconsin Femalo |  |  | Col | 1,230 |
| 524 | Franklin, Wis | Mission luouse Library | 1862 |  | The | 4, 000 |
| 5245 | Galesville. Wis | Galesrille Unirersity. | 1859 | Fr | Col | 3, 000 |
| 5246 | Genera, Wis Hudson, Wis | Lako Genera Seminar | 1874 |  |  | 801 1,400 |
| 3248 | Janesrille, Wis | Institution for the Blind | 1014 |  |  | 1. 700 |
| 5249 | Janesville, Wis | Public Library | 1863 | Free |  | S, 0.0 |
| -250 | Janesville, Wis | Rock County 'Teachers' Library. |  |  | Specia | 30 |
| 5251 | Kerrannee, Wis | Library Association .... | 1875 | Sa | Gen | 900 |
| 5252 | La Crosse, Wis | La Crosse Business College |  |  | Col | $4{ }^{3} 5$ |
| 6253 | La Crosse, Wis. | YoungMen's Library Association* | 1868 | Sub... | So |  |
| 5.55 | Lake Genera, Wis. | Lake School Librar' - ............. |  | Free.. |  | 80. |
| 5056 | Lake Genera, Wis | ake <br> thean Reference Library. <br> Public library $\qquad$ | 1884 | Sree.. |  | 50 |
| 5257 | Lake Genera, Wis. | Young Men's Christian Associa- |  |  | I. Mr | 350 |
| 5258 | Lancaster, Wis | High School Library. | 1870 | Free.. | Sch.. | 200 |

* From a return for 1834.

Table XVI. -Statistics of public libraries numbering 300 volumes, \&.c.-Continued.

|  | Place. | Name of library. |  |  | 河 |  |
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| 5259 | Madison, W | Department of Public Instruction. |  | Frce.. | Speci | 2, 000 |
| 5260 | Madison, W | Frees Library | 1875 | Frce.. |  | 9,000 |
| 5261 | Madison, Wi | Luther Seminary Library | 1876 | Free.. | The' | 1,000 |
| 5262 | Madison, Wis | Stato Historical Society | 1849 | Free .- | Hist'l | 116, 750 |
| 5203 | Madison, Wis | State Library ...................... | 1839 | Free.. | Lav. | 18,954 |
| 526t | Madison, Wis | University of Wisconsin, General Library. | 1819 | Free.. | Col. | 14, 436 |
| 5205 | Madison, Wis | Woolman dstronomical Library | 1883 | Freo.. |  | 1,5c0 |
| 5266 | Manitowoc, Wis | Jones Library | 1868 | Sub |  | 2, 000 |
| 5267 | Marshfield, Wis ........ | St. Lawrence College |  |  |  | 1,750 |
| 5268 | Mendota, Wis. (near Madison). | State Hospital for the Insan | 1860 | lree.. | $A \& 1$ | 2,650 |
| 5269 | Milton, Wis ............. | Nilton College, Daniel Dajocock Librars. | 1870 | Free.. | Col | 1,693 |
| 5270 | Milton, TTis | Orophilian Lyceum............ | 1866 | Free.. | Soc' 5 | 00 |
| 5271 | Milwaulsee, Wi | Concordia College |  |  | Sch | 500 |
| $5 \cdots 2$ | Milwaukee, Wis | Franklin Square Librar | 1885 | Sub... | Soc'l...... | 1,100 |
| 5273 | Milwaukee, Wis | German and English Aca | 1853 | Freo.. |  | 1,000 |
| $527 \pm$ | Milwankae, Wis | Grand Lodge Liourary | 1813 |  | Masonic .- | 1,500 |
| 5275 | Milwaukee, Wis | Industrial School for |  |  | A \& R. | 575 |
| 5276 | Milwankee, Wis | Marquette College. |  |  |  | * 850 |
| 5277 | Milwankee, Wis | Milwaukee College |  |  | Col ........ | 3,136 |
| 5278 | Milmanker, Wis | Mayer's Commercial College...... |  |  |  | 2, 081 |
| 5279 | Milwaukee, Wis | Milwankee Law Library Association. | 1862 |  | La | 2, 750 |
| 5280 | Milwaukee, Wis | National German-American Teachers' Seminary. |  |  | Sch. | 400 |
| 5281 | Milwaukce, Wis. | National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers (Northwestern Branch). | 1866 | Free.. | Soc'l.. | 4,392 |
| 5282 | Milwaukee, Wis | Public Library | 1878 | Free.. | Gen | 34, 687 |
| 5283 | Milwaukee, W | Public Museuar of the city of Milwaukee. | 1883 | Free.. |  | 788 |
| 5284 | Milwankee, Wis | Public School Libraries (6) ........ |  | Free.. | Sch....... | 4,137 |
| 5285 | Mllwaukec, Wis | Public School Teachers' Library- | 1874 | Frce | Special ... | 775 |
| 5286 | Milwankee, Wis | St. Mary's Convent Day School .. |  |  |  | 300 |
| 5287 | Milwankee, Wis | St. Mary's Institute............... | 1855 |  |  | 1,500 |
| 5289 | Milwaukee, Wis | William Schleif's Select School |  |  | Sch | 1, 500 |
| 5290 | Milwaukee, W is | Young Men's Christian Association, Railroad Department. | 1883 | Free.. | Y.M. C. A. | 500 |
| 5991 | Nashotah, Wis. | Nashotah Theological Seminary.. | 1842 | Free.. | The'l | 10,500 |
| 5292 | Nicolett, Wis | High School Circulating Library. | 1879 | Frce.. |  | 585 |
| 5293 | Oconto, Wis .... | High School Library | 1880 | Free.. |  | 300 |
| 5294 | Oscoola Mills, W Oshkosh, Wis... | Village Library.... | 1877 1868 | Frea. | Gen ${ }_{\text {Gen }}$ | 1, 350 |
| 5296 | Oshkosh, Wis. | State Normal Schoo | 1818 | Freo.. |  | 1,650 1,600 |
| 5997 | Oshkosh, Wis | Young Men's Christian Associa- | 1883 | Tree.. | Y. M.C.A. | 500 |
| 5293 | Perraukee, Wis | Public Library | 1872 | Both | Gen | 450 |
| 5999 | Platterille, Wis | Wisconsin State Normal School . |  |  | Sch | 700 |
| 5300 | Platteville, W is | Young Men's Library Association | 1868 | Sub... | Soc' | 1,400 |
| 5301 | Prairie du Chien, Wis .. | Sacred Heart College | 1880 | Sub... | Sch | 4, 000 |
| 5302 | Prairie du Sac, Wis | Sauk County Teachers' Library . | 1881 | Free.. | Spccia | 360 |
| 5303 | Prescott, Wis. | Free High School. | 1880 | Free.. | Sch | 000 |
| 5304 | Racine, Wis ... | The Home School |  |  | Sch | 2,000 |
| 5305 | Racine, Wis | Junction Library Association | 1879 | Sub... | Soc'1 | と00 |
| 5306 | Racine, Wis | Public School Library | 1857 | Free.. | Sch | 1,243 |
| 5307 | Racine, Wis | Racinc College | 1852 | Freo.. | Col | 8, 200 |
| 53.08 | Racine, Wis | Grammar Schoo | 1852 | Free.. |  | 500 |
| 5303 | Tacine, Wis | Young Men's Christian Associa- | 1880 | Free.. | Y. M. С.A. | 1,000 |
| 5310 | Pipon, Tis | Public Library | 1883 | Sub. | Gen | 900 |
| 5311 | Ripon, Wis | Ripon College | 1863 | Sub. |  | 5,800 |
| 5312 | River Falls. Wi | State Normal School | 1875 | Free.. | Sch | 1,498 |
| 5313 | Rochester, Wis | Rochester Seminary |  |  | Sch | 480 |
| 5314 | Saint Francis, Wis | Catholic Normal School | 1875 | Free.. | Sch | 600 |
| 5315 | Saint Francis, Wi | Seminary of St. Francis of Sales. | 1850 |  | The' | 11, 000 |
| 5316 | Sauk City, Wis | Public School Library | 1850 | Freo.. |  | 508 |
| 5817 | Shawano, Wis | High School Library | 1880 | Free.- | Sch | 400 |
| 518 | Shewoygan, Wis | Business Men's Associat | 1885 | Freo | Soc' | 1,205 |

* From a retarn for 1884 .

Table XVI.-Slatistics of public libraries numbering 300 rolumes, fo.-Continued.

*From a return for 1884.
Table XVII. - Statistics of training schools for nurses for 18ed-8:) from replies to inquirics by the Gmited States Burcau of Education.

|  | Namo. | Location. |  |  | Superintondent. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Salary paid pupils. | Conditions of admission. |
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|  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | \% | 9 | 16 | 1 | 18. | $11: 3$ | 14 |
| 1 | Hartford Mospital Training School for Nursos. | Hartford, Conn . . . . . . | 1877 | 1877 | Lcander Hall |  | 20 | 8 | 107 | 39 | 2 | 50 | $\$ 10$ a month the first year; \$14 a month the recond. | Age, 21-35; good size and weight and a fair school edncation. |
| 2 | Connecticut Training School for Nurses. | New Haven, Conn .... | 1873 | 1873 | Miss Croomer......... | 7 | 41 | 18 |  | 111 | $1 \frac{1}{2}$ |  | \$182 during ontire course of studs. | $\Lambda$ go, 23-40; good moral character and sound health. |
| 3 | Illinois 'Training School for Nurses. | Chicago, IIl. (304 Monore st.). | 1880 | 1881 | M. E. Brown, m. D ..... | 5 | 55 | 23 | 97 | 38 | 2 | 22 | \$8 a month the first yoar; \$12 a month the second year. | Age, 21-35; good hoalth and fair education. |
| 4 | Flower Mission Training School for Nurses. | Indianapolis, Ind.... | 1883 | 1883 | Miss A.R.Hunt |  | 14 | 5 |  | $\cdots$ | 2 | 53 | $\$ 18$ a month the first ycar; \$12 a nenth the socond, with board. | $\Lambda$ ge, 21-35; good common school education. |
| 5 | Boston City Hospital Training School for Nurses. | Ioston, Mass | $a 1880$ | 1878 | G. II. M. Rowe, m. I . .. | 15 | 65 | 18 | 229 | 88 | 2 | 50 | \$10 a month for the firsi y oar; p14 a month for socond; mraduates, $\$ 20$ to $\$ 35$ a month. | Age, 23-35; fair cducation, sound health, and good moral charactor. |
| 0 | Boston Training School for Nurses (Massachnsetts (ieneral Hospital). | Boston, Mass . . . . . . . | 1875 | 1873 | Miss $\Lambda$ nma C. Maxwell | 15 | 44 | 16 | *360 | 150 | 2 | 50 | $\$ 10$ a month the first year; \$14 a month the second year. | $\Delta$ go, 25-35; good health and fair education. |
| 7 | 'Training School for Nurses (New England Hospital for Women and Children). | Boston, Muss. (Codman avenue, Roxbmy district). | $a 1863$ | 1872 | Miss Marcia E. Billings | $b 1$ | 18 | 12 | 180 | 84 | 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 50 | $\$ 1$ a week for first six months; $\$ 2$ a week second six months; and $\$ 3$ a woek for the last six months. | $\Delta$ ge, 22-35; good roference as to charactor and disposition; good hoalth; and a good common school education. |

Table XVII.-Statistics of training schools for nurses for 1884-' 25 , \&.c.- Continued.

|  | Namo. | Location. |  |  | Superintendent. |  |  | Graduates in 1885. |  |  |  |  | Salary paid pupils. | Conditions of admission. |
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|  | 1 | $\mathfrak{2}$ | 3 | 4 | - 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 |
| 8 | Worcester City Hospital Training School for Nurses. | Worcester, Mass...... |  | 1883 | Miss GeorgeannaRussell. | (a) | 10 | 4 | 13 | 4 | 2 | 50 | $\$ 10$ a month for the first vear; \$14 a month for the sec- | Ago, 22-35; satisfactory testimonials and replies to questions. |
| 9 | Farrand Training School for Nurses.* | Dotroit, Mich......... | 1883 | 1884 | Emma A. Hodkinson. | 3 | 12 | $\cdots$ | 12 | $\ldots$ | 2 | 48 | ond year. $\$ 6$, \$3, and $\$ 10$ a month | Age, 25; good education and health. |
| 10 | Minnesota College Hospital Traiuing School for Nurscs. $b$ | Minneapolis, Minn.... |  | 1883 | C. II. Huntor, M. D..... | 4 | $\cdots$ | 2 | 3 | 2 | $1 \frac{1}{2}$ | 22 | Nono .................. | Ago, 22-40; cortificate of sound health and good character. |
| 11 | Northwestern Iospital Training School. | Minneapolis, Minn.... | 1883 | 1883 | Mrs. Sallio B. Norton. | 2 | 5 | 2 | 23 | 5 | 1 | 50 | $\$ 1$ a week and board and washing. | Ago, 21-35; cortificates of sound hicalth and good moral character. |
| 12 13 | St. Louis Training School for Nurses. | St. Louis, Mo. (1510 Lafayette aro.). | 1883 | 1884 | Miss Emma Louiso Warr. | (a) | 13 | . | 28 | $\ldots$ | 2 | 50 | $\$ 10$ a month the first year; \$12 a month the second. | $\Delta$ ge, under 35; good education; certificates of good charactor, sound heallh, and capacity for dnties. |
| 13 | Training School for Nurses (Orange Memorial Hospital). | Orange, N. J.......... | 1884 | 1882 | Mrs. Dascombe ....... | 3 | 11 | 4 | 25 | 8 | 2 | 50 | $\$ 90$ for first year; $\$ 144$ for second year. | Ago, 20-40; common school education, good moral character, good health, and natural fitness. |
| 14 | Paterson Training School for Nursos (Ladies' 11 ospital $\Delta \mathrm{s}$ - socialinn). | Paterson, N. J. (Market st.). | c1871 | 1882 | Miss Clara S. Weeks. . | $d 1$ | 6 | 1 | 8 | 2 | 2 | 50 | $\$ 9$ a month the first year; \$14 a month the second. | Age. 25-35; good common sehool education, and certificates of good moral and mental qualificationsand good health and fitnces for duties. |

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Table XVII.—Siatistics of training schools for nurses for 1884-'85, \&c.-Continued.

|  | Name. | Location. |  |  | Superintendent. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Salary paid pupils. | Conditions of admission. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1 | $\mathfrak{2}$ | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 |
|  | Rochester City Hospital Training School for Nurses. | Rochester, N. Y....... | 1881 | 1880 |  | 6 | 19 | 7 | 42 | 19 | 2 | 52 | \$10 a month........... | Age, 20-35; common school edncation, good health, and moral char- |
|  | Training School for Narses.* | Cannonsburg, Pa ..... |  | 1884 | William C. Bane, m. D., secretary. | 3 | 6 | 3 | 12 | 3 | .. | 10 |  | acter. <br> Satisfactory evidence of educational and personal qualification. |
| 28 | Nurses' Training School (Philadelphia Hospital). | Philadelphia, Pa ...... |  | 1885 | Miss Alice Fisher .... | 2 | 36 |  |  |  |  | 50 | \$8 to \$9 a month to those engaging to remain in the service of the hospital. | Age, 21-35; good character, fair education, and sound health. |
| 99 80 | Nurse Training School of the Woman's Hospital. | Philadelphia, Pa. (North College avenuo and 22d street). | a1861 | 1863 | Dr. A. E. Tyng........ |  |  |  | 212 | .... | 2 | 50 | $\$ 10$ a month. | Age, 24-40; good health and moral character, and fitness for duties. |
| 30 | Pennsylvania Hospital <br> Training School for Nurses. | Philadelphia, Pa...... | 183. | 1882 | Richard Cadbury, steward of hospital. | 1 | 6 15 | 4 | 13 | 13 | 1 | 51 | \$13 a month............ | Ago, 21 and over; good character and fair intelligence. |
| 31 | Philadelphia Lying-in Charity and Nurse School. | Philadelphia, Pa...... | 1832 | 1832 | Miss Emily Robinson. | 4 | 15 | 4 | 600 | .... | 2 | 40 | \$5 a month............. | Age, 22-32; average common school education, and aptitude fer the work. |
| 32 | South Carolina Training School for Nurses. | Charleston, S. C....... | 1883 | 1883 | Miss Eugenio A. Hurd, principal. | 1 | 10 | $\ldots$ | 12 | $\ldots$ | 2 | $\ldots$ | $\$ 5$ a month the first vear; \$10 a month the second year. | Age, 22-35; good education and certificate of good character, health, |
| 63 | Mary Fletcher Hospital Training School for Nrurses. | Burlington, Vt........ | 0 | 1882 | A. J. Willard, A. M., M. D. | 6 | 12 | 6 | 27 | 13 | 2 | $\cdots$ | $\$ 10$ a month the first year; \$15 a month the second year. | Age, 20-40; certificates of sound health and good moral character, a satisfactory education, and payment in advance of a fee of $\$ 10$ for the session. |


Table XVII.-Memoranda.

| Name. | Location. | Remarks. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Baltimore Training School for Nurses (Woman's Medical College of Baltimore). | Ealtimore, Md | This achool, which held its firat session in 1884, was not continued in 1885 , and fo motlikuly to to menmed |
| Traning School for Nurses (Blockley Almshonse) Training School for Nurses of the Rhode Island Hospital | Philadelphia, Pa Providonce, I. | See Nurses' Training School (Philadclphia Hospital), identical. |

Table XVIII. - Statistics of institutions for the deaf and dumb for 1884-85; from replies to inquirics by the Unitcd Staies Iburau of Education.

|  |  |  |  |  |  | Instru | ctors. | $\begin{gathered} \text { Numl } \\ \text { stru } \\ \text { the } \end{gathered}$ | tion ear. | er inuring |
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|  | Name. | Location. | Tear of foundation | Under what control. | Principal. |  |  | F H | 㳫 | - |
|  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | r | 8 | 9 | 10 |
| 1 | Alabama Tnstitution for the Deaf and Dumb and | Talladega, Ala............. | 1860 | Stato .. | Joseph II. Johnson, M | 7 | 0 | 57 | 30 | 27 |
|  | Arkansas Deaf-Mute Institute ...................... | Little Rock, Ark | 1808 | State .......... | Jobn C. Littlepago | 8 | 1 | 79 | 47 | 32 |
| 4 | Institution for tho Deaf and Dumb and the Blind.- | Berkeley, Cal.............. | 1860 | Stato | Warring Wilkinson, M. | 10 | 2 | 133 | 81 | 5 |
|  | Institute for the Education of the Mute and the Blind. | Colorado Springs, Colo.... | 1874 | State | D. C. Dudley, A. m .................... | 5 | 2 | 46 | 26 | 20 |
| 5 | American Asslum for the Education of the Deaf and Dmmb. | Hartford, Conn | 1816 | Board of directors. | Job Williams, m. A . | 15 | 1 | 209 | 125 | 84 |
| 6 | Whipple's Home School . . . . . . . .-.................. | Mystic River, Conn | 1869 | Private....... | N. F. Whipplo | 1 |  | 14 | 10 |  |
| 7 | Florida Blind and Deaf-Mute Institute | St. Augustine, Fla | 1885 | State | Park Terrell. | 2 | 0 | 8 | 7 |  |
| 8 | Georgia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb ........ | Cave Spring, Ga ........... | 1846 | Board of tras- | Wesley O. Connor | 6 | 3 | 96 | 55 | 1 |
| 0 | Chicago Day Schools for Deaf-Mutes ch.... | Chicago, Ill | 1875 | Board of edu- | Rev. Philip A.Emery, M. A., D. D... | 6 | 2 | 50 | 20 | 30 |
| 10 | Voice and Hearing School for the Deaf | Englewood, Il | 1883 |  | Miss Mary McCowen | 5 | 0 | 27 | 17 | 0 |
| 11 | Illinois Institution for the Education of the Deaf and Dumb. | Jacksonville, 111 | 1830 | State ......... | Philip G. Gillctt, A. M., LL. D | 30 | 1 | 501 | 324 | 237 |
| 12 | Indiana Institution for Educating the Deaf and Dumb. | Indianapolis, Ind | 1844 | State ......... | Eli P. Baker, superintendent ..... | 18 | 6 | 374 | 204 | 170 |
| 13 | Iowa Institution for the Deaf and Dumb. | Council Bluffs, Iowa | 1855 | State ......... | II. C. Hammond, superintendent .. | 14 | 2 | 270 | 157 | 113 |
| 14 | Kansas Institution for the Education of the Deaf and Dumb. | Glatie, Kans | 1862 | St | S. T. Walker, superintendent...... | 11 | 1 | 190 | 102 | 88 |
| 15 | Kentacky Institution for Deaf-Mntes ............. | Danville, Ky | 1823 | Stato | W. K. Argo, A. B., superintendent. | 10 | 2 | 131 | 73 | 58 |
| 16 | Louisiana Institution for the Education of the Deaf and Dumb.* | Baton Rouge, La... | 1852 | State | T. G. Forguson, A. M ................ | 3 | 1 | 50 | 28 | 22 |
| 17 | Portland School for the Deaf | Portland, Me | 1876 | City .-......... | Miss Ellen L. Barton. | 5 |  | 45 | 26 | 19 |
| 18 | F. Knapp's Instituto $b$.-......................... | Baltimore, Md ............. | 1877 | Privato....... |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 10 20 | Maryland School for the Colored Blind and DeafMutes. <br> Maryland School for the Deaf and Dumb | Baltimore, Md. (258 Saratoga st.). <br> Frederick, Md | 1872 1867 | State | Froderick D. Morrison, A. M., superintendent. <br> Charles W. Eiy, m. A ................. | 3 10 |  | 19 99 | 13 54 | 6 4.5 |


Table XVIII．－Statistics of institutions for the deaf and dumb for 1884－85，fo．－Continned．

|  | Namo． | Location． |  | Under what control． | Prinoipal． | Instructors． |  | Number underin－ strnetion during the year． |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { \&i } \\ & \text { 鿓 } \\ & \text { 品 } \\ & \text { H } \end{aligned}$ |  | 等 | 襉 | ¢ ¢ g ¢ ¢ |
|  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | \％ | 8 | （1） | 10 |
| 48 49 | Western Ponnsylvania Institution for the Instruc－ tion of the Deaf aud Dumb． <br> Rhode Island School for the Deaf $\qquad$ | Wilkinsburg，Pa．．．．．．．．．．． Providence，R． | 1876 | Privatecorpo－ ration． State board of | Rev．John G．Brown，D．D．．．．．．．．． <br> Katherine H．$\Delta$ ustin $a$ <br> ．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 8 4 | 3 0 | 145 34 | 98 18 | 47 18 |
| 50 | South Carolina Institution for the Education of the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind． | Cedar Spring，S．C．．．．．．．．－ | 1849 |  | Newton F．Walker，supt．．．．．．．．．． | 3 |  | 00 | 31 72 | 20 |
| 52 | Texas Deaf and Dumb Asylum ．．．．．．． | Anstin，Tex | 1857 | State． | W．Shapard，suporintendent | 9 | $b 2$ | 146 | 87 | 5 |
| 53 | Virginia Iustitutios for the Education of the Doaf and Dumb and the Blind． | Staunton，Va ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 1839 | State | Thomas S．Doyle ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 11 | 2 | 11 | 9 | 2 |
| 54 | West Virginia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb and the Bliud． | Romney，W．Va | 1870 | Board of re－ gents． | John Collins Covell，m．D．．．．．．．．．．． | 4 | 2 | 75 | 42 | 3 |
| 55 | Wisconsin School for the Deaf－．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | Delavan，Wis ．－．．．．．．．．．． | 1852 | Stato ．．．．．．．． | John W．Swiler，M．A．，sapt | 13 | 1 | 215 | 134 | 81 |
| 58 | Milwankee Day School for Doaf Children | Milwaukeo，Wis．（corner Prairie and State sts．）． | 1883 | Wis．Phono－ logical Ins． | Paul Binne | 2 |  | 11 | 6 |  |
| 57 | St．John＇s Catholic Deaf－Mute Institute． | St．Francis Station，Wis．．． | 1876 | R．C．．．．．．．．．． | Rev．Charles Fessler． | 3 | 0 | 45 | 28 | 17 |
| 58 | Dakota School for Deaf－Mutos．．．．．．．．．．． | Sioux Falls，Dak ．－．．．．．． | 1880 | Trustees | James Simpson，superintendent ．． | 2 | 1 | 37 | 28 | 9 |
| 59 | A．Graham Bell＇s School for Deaf Children | W ashington，D．C．（1234 Sixteenth st．）． | 1883 | Private．． | A．（irahan Boll，PII．D | 2 | 0 | 6 | 4 | 2 |
| 60 | Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb．．．．．． | Washington，D．C． | 1857 | Corporate ．．．． | E．M．Gallaudet，PII．D．，LL．D．，prest． | 14 | 3 | 106 | 86 | 20 |
| 61 | National Deaf－Mute College $c$ | Washington，D．C | 1864 | National．．．．．． | E．M．Gallaudet．PH．D．，LL．D．，prest． |  |  |  |  |  |
| 62 | Now Mexico School for the Deaf and Dumb | Santa Fó，N．Mex | 1885 | Privato．．．．．． | Lars M．Larson，B．A |  |  |  |  |  |
| 63 | Deseret School for Deaf－Mutes． | Salt Lako（iity，Utah | 1884 | University of Deseret． | Heary C．White，A． 1 |  |  |  | 9 | 5 |
| 64 | Washington School for Defcctive Youth | Tacoma，Waslu．Ter | 1885 | Private．．． | Rev．W．D．McFarland，director ．－ | 2 | 0 | 9 | 4 | 5 |

Table XVIII．－Statistics of institutions for the deaf and dumb for 1884－＇85，f．c．－Continued． Note．$-\times$ indicates an affirmative answor and also the branches taught．

|  | Name． | 㻤 | $\left.\right\|_{\substack{0 \\ 0 \\ \hline}}$ |  | Branches taught． |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Librars． |  | Property，income，\＆c． |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | 送 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 荡 |  |  |
|  | 1 | 11. | 12 | 113 | 14. | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | H1） | （2） | 120 | 928 | 43 | 94 | 935 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 129 |
| 1 | Nlabama Institution for the Doaf and Dumb and the Blind． <br> Arkausas Deaf－Muto Institnto． | 5 7 | 210 | 2 | $x$ $\times$ | $a \times$ $c \times$ | $x$ | $\times$ | ．．． | x | 0 0 | 0 $\times$ | 0 | 500 80 | 5 | 17 95 | $6 \$ 75,000$ 50,000 | $b \$ 18,000$ 17,780 | b\＄100 | b $\$ 16,000$ 23,100 |
| 3 | Institution for the Deaf and Inmb and the IBlind．． | 6 | 279 | 4 | $x$ $\times$ $\times$ | $\underset{\times}{c \times}$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\stackrel{\times}{0}$ | 0 | $\times$ | 0 | b1，000 |  | 130 | 6350，000 | 644，000 | 6800 | l44， 000 |
| 4 | Institate for the Education of tho Muto and the Blind． | 8 | 75 | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 250 | 25 | 13 | 645， 000 | b22，000 | 0 | b23， 000 |
| 5 | American Asylam for the IEducation of the Deaf and Dumb． |  | 2，300 | $\cdots$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |  | $\cdots$ | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ＊2，000 | $\cdots$ | 26 | 250， 000 |  |  | ＊52，715 |
| 6 | Whipple＇s Homo School ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 21 ${ }^{\frac{1}{1}}$ | 71 | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | 0 | 500 | 50 | 20 | 8， 000 | 1， 050 | 3，000 |  |
| 7 | Florida Blind and Dead－Mnte Institnte |  | $\bigcirc$ |  | $\times$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | b16，000 |  |  |  |
| 8 | Georgria Institution for the Deaf and Du |  | 377 | 3 | 0 | $c \times$ | $\times$ | － | － | X | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1， 000 | 30 | 67 | 40，000 | 17，000 | 0 | 15， 814 |
| 0 | （hicago Day Schools for 1）eaf－Mutesd． |  | 138 |  | ${ }^{x}$ | $\stackrel{\times}{x}$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | ej， 000 |  | 4，163 |
| 10 | Voico and Mearing sehool for the Deaf－－．．．．．．．．．．． |  | 34 |  | $f \times$ | $g \times$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11 | Illinois Institution for the Education of the Deaf and Damb． | 6 | 1，803 |  | $\times$ | $g \times$ | $\times$ |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | 7，181 | 431 | 40 | 400， 000 | 98， 000 | 0 | 38， 000 |
| 12 | Iudiaur Institution for Educating the Doaf and Dumb． | 7 | 1，597 | 10 | $f \times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | －．． | $\times$ | 0 | $x$ | $\times$ | 3，400 | 10 | 103 | 504， 070 | 58，947 | 0 | 57， 003 |
| 13 | Iowa Institution for the Doaf and Dinnb．．．．．．．．．．．－ |  | 657 | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |  | $\times$ | 0 | 0 | $\times$ | － 575 |  | 160 | 30， 000 | 57，400 | 0 |  |
| 14 | Kansas Institution for the Education of the Deaf and Dunb． | 7 | 440 | 0 | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |  | $\times$ | 0 | 0 | 0 | 200 | 0 | 170 | 125， 000 | 32， 000 | 0 | 37， 500 |
| 15 | Kentucky Institution for Deaf－Mutes ．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 7 | 842 |  |  | $\stackrel{\times}{x}$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |  |  |  |  | 1，500 | 0 | 60 | 140，000 | 30，000 | 0 | 30， 000 |
| 16 | Louisiana Institution for the Education of tho I）eaf and Dumb．＊ | 8 |  | 0 | 0 | $\times$ |  |  |  | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 375 | 12 | 2 | 25，000 | 10，000 | ．．．．．．． | 7，850 |

TABL XVII
TAble XVIII.-Statistics of institutions for the deaf and dumb for 1884-855, fe.-Continued.


branches; Jatin and drawing are also tanght.
o 'his report inchales tho oral branch of this institn o 'This report inehndes tho oral branch of this institn $p$ l)rawing and oil painting aro also taught.
$q$ Congressional appoporiation.

- An organization within the Columbia Institntion; 8 Territorial approprlation.
 $i$ Inchntes appropriation from connty.
$j$ Income from all sources.
In

This institntion has two branches, one sitnated at
Brooklyn (510 Honry street), and one at 'Throgg's

> tho branches.
> $l$ Includes appropriation from cities and comnties.
a School for hearing yonth, with classes for deaf-mutes. $c$ 'These statistics are for both departments of the ind Articnlation and lip-reading are the basis of instrmetion in this institntion.
e Higher branches are also tinght $f$ For the two years 1883 and 1881.

'TABLE XVIII.-Memoranda.
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Institution for tho Instruction of tho Deaf and

Table XIX.-Statistics of institutions for the blind for 1884-'85; from
Note. $-\times$ indicates the.employments taught;

|  | Name. | Location. |  | Superintendent. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| 1 | Alabama Institution for the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind. | Talladega, Ala.. | 1860 1859 | Joseph H. Johnson, M. D., principal. | State ....... | 16 |
| $\stackrel{2}{3}$ | Arkansas School for the Blind * Institution for the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind. | Little Rock, Ark <br> Berkelcy, Cal... | 1860 | Otis Patten | $\begin{aligned} & \text { State ......... } \\ & \text { State ....... } \end{aligned}$ | e40 |
| 4 | Institute for the Education of the Mute and the Blind. | Colorado Spr'gs, Colo. | f1874 | D. C. Dudley, A . M., principal. | State ....... | 2 |
| 5 | Florida Blind and Deaf-Mute Institnte. | St. Augustine, Fla. | 1885 | ```Park Terrell,``` | State |  |
| 7 | Georgia A cademy for the Blind.. Mlinois Institution for the Edu- | Macon, Ga....... Jacksonville, III | $\begin{aligned} & 1852 \\ & 1849 \end{aligned}$ |  | State Stato | 36 |
| 7 | cation of the Blind.* | Jacksonville, 1. | 1849 | lips, m. D. |  | 30 |
| 8 | Indiana Institute for the Educa. tion of the Blind. | Indianapolis, Ind | 1847 | H. B. Jacobs ...... | State ....... | 30 |
| 10 | Iowa College for the Blind ...... | Vinton, Iowa ... | 1853 1868 | Thomas F. M'. Cune. м. a., principal. | State State | 35 19 |
| 10 | Kansas Institution for the Eda cation of the Blind.* | W yandotte,Kans | 1868 |  | State | 19 |
| 11 | Kentucky Institution for the Educatios of the Blind. | Lonisville, Ky | 1842 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Benjamin B. Hun- } \\ & \text { toon, A. ı. } \end{aligned}$ | State | 22 |
| 12 | Louisiana Institntion for the Blind and Industrial Home for the Blind.* | Baton Rouge, La | 1871 | P. Lane........... | State | 4 |
| 13 | Maryland Institution for the In. struction of the Blind. | Baltimore, Md.. | 1853 | Frederick D. Morrison, s. A. | Corporation. | $k 11$ |
| 14 | Maryland School for the Colored Blind and Deaf-Mutes.* | Baltimore, Md. (258 Saratoga street). | 1872 | Frelerick D. Morrison, M. A. | State | 6 <br> 89 |
| 15 | Perkins Institution and Massachusetts School for the Blind. | Boston, Mass ... | 1829 | M. Anagnos ...... | Corporation and State. | 89 |
| 16 | Michigan School for the Blind*. | Lansing, Mich.. | 1880 | J. F. McElroy, A.M. | State | 26 |
| 17 | Minnesota School for the Blind $n$ | Faribault, Minn. |  | James J. Dow .... |  | 11 |
| 18 | Mississippi Institution for the Education of the Blind. | Jackson, Miss .. | 1852 | W. S. Langley, M. D. | State | 14 |
| 19 | Missouri School for the Blind o.. | St. Louis, Mo ... | 1851 | John T. Sibley, A. M., M. D. | State | 21 |
| 23 | Nebraska Institute for the Blind. | Nebraska City, | 1875 | J. B. Parmelee ... | State | 10 |
| 21 | New York State Institution for the Blind. | Batavia, N. Y... | 1867 | drthar G. Clement | State | 41 |
| 22 | New York Institution for the Blind. | New York, N.Y. | 1831 | William B. Wait .. | State | 37 |
| 23 | North Carolina Institution for the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind $n$ | Raleigh, N.C... | 1849 | Hezekiah A. Gudger, M. A., principal. | State . | 11 |
| 24 | Ohio Institution for the Education of the Blind.* | Columbus, Ohio | 1837 | G. L. Smead, M. A.q | State | 1:25 |
| 25 | Oregon School for the Blind ..... | Salem, Oreg. | 1883 | C. E. Moor .-.... |  | 63 |
| 26 | Pennsvlvania Institution for the Instruction of the Blind. | Philadelphia, Pa | 1833 | William Chapin, A M. | Corporation. | 63 |
| 27 | Sonth Carolina Institution for the Education of the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Cedar Spring, } \\ & \text { S.C. } \end{aligned}$ | 1855 | Newton F. Walker | State | 3 |

*From Report of the Commissioner of Education $f$ Department for the blind opened in the fall of for 1883'-84.
a Collar making is also taught.
b See Table XVIII.
1884.
c Upholstery is tanght.
d Musio is taught.
e For both departments.
$h$ Brush making is also taught.
$i$ In State warrants.
$\$$ Includes $\$ 2.918$ for building.
cofficers and teachers only.
replies to inquiries by the Cnited States Bureau of Elucation．
0 signifies no or none；．．．．indicates no answer．

| $\stackrel{\text { ゼ }}{0}$ |  |  | Employments tanght． |  |  |  |  |  | Library． |  | Propertr，income，\＆c． |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | 药 |  |  |  | Number of volumes. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 12 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 |  |
| 2 | 30 | 63 |  | $a \times$ | ．．． | $\times$ |  |  | 400 | 50 | （b） | （b） |  |  | （b） | 1 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 5 \\ & 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 40 \\ & 32 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 190 \\ & 123 \end{aligned}$ | × | $\times$ | $\times$ | $c \times$ | dx | $\times$ | （b） |  | $\frac{\$ 20,000}{(b)}$ | $\$ 12,153$ <br> （b） | $(t)^{\$ 0}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \$ 16,274 \\ & e 44,800 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 15,100 \\ (b) \end{gathered}$ | $\frac{2}{3}$ |
| 0 | 19 | 23 |  |  | $\times$ |  |  |  | 97 | 15 | （b） | （b） | 0 |  | （b） | 4 |
| 2 | 136 |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | （d） | $\times$ | 516 | 50 | 116，427 | 26，750 | 1，627 | 8， | 27， 852 | 7 |
| 2 | 126 | 700 | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | 1，025 | 8 | 375， 500 | 29，000 |  | 29， 291 | 24， 919 | 8 |
| 8 | 151 | 561. | $\times$ | 夫 | $\times$ | $g \times$ |  | $\times$ | 1，330 |  | 250，000 | 28，000 | 3，000 | 31，000 | 31，000 | 9 |
| 3 | 72 | 186 | $h \times$ | $\times$ |  |  | （d） | $\times$ | 500 | 50 | 100，000 | 13，900 | 0 | 13， 900 | 13，900 | 10 |
| 6 | 77 | 468 | $\times$ | $\times$ |  | （c） |  | $\times$ | 1，300 | 50 | 100，000 | 30， 5 ¢¢9 |  | 30，569 | 28,992 | 11 |
| 4 | 22 | 60 | $\times$ | $\times$ |  | $\times$ | $\wedge$ | $\cdots$ | 800 | 20 | 12，000 | i10， 000 | 1，000 | 9，000 | j10，418 | 12 |
| 9 | 65 | 293 | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $d \times$ | $\times$ | 800 | 50 | 339，400 | 15， 250 | 2，974 | 18，224 | 18，804 | 13 |
| 3 | 21 | 125 | $\times$ | $\times$ |  |  |  |  |  |  | （b） | （b） | （b） | e10， 600 | （b） | 14 |
| 34 | 172 | 1，109 | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $m \times$ | （d） | $\times$ | 8，062 | 449 | 298，650 | 30，000 | 15，399 | l112， 553 | l131，010 | 15 |
| 1 | $\begin{aligned} & 50 \\ & 36 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 99 \\ & 76 \end{aligned}$ | $\times$ $\times$ $\times$ $\times$ | $\ldots$ | $\times$ |  |  | $\times$ <br> $\times$ <br> $\times$ | 975 | 20 | 78,000 20,000 | 132，000 | 0 | 132，000 | 8，443 | 16 |
| 3 | 35 |  | $\times$ | $\times$ |  | $\times$ |  |  | 500 | 12 | 50， 000 | 10，000 |  |  |  | 18 |
| 3 | 90 | 5 ¢ิ | $g h$ x |  |  |  |  |  | 1，500 | 200 | 250，000 | 28，000 | 0 | 28，000 | 26，000 | 19 |
| 1 | 29 | C2 | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |  | （d） | $\times$ | 300 |  | 15，000 | 9，500 |  | 9， 500 | 8，998 | 20 |
| 3 | 134 | 600 | $\times$ |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 1，800 | 17 | 371，481 |  | 3，436 | 40，736 | 44．171 | 21 |
|  | 247 |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |  | ${ }^{\text {p }} \times$ |  |  |  |  |  | 147， 102 | 140， 694 | 22 |
| 7 | 60 |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\ldots$ | $\times$ | （d） | $\times$ | 500 | 50 | （b） | （b） |  | 38,000 | （b） | 23 |
| $k 7$ | 190 | 1，244 | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |  | $\times$ | $r \times$ |  |  | 500，000 | 54， 000 |  | 51，000 | 54.000 | 24 |
| 120 | ${ }_{197}^{12}$ | 1，${ }^{15}$ | $\times$ | $\cdots$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $d \times$ | $\begin{aligned} & \times \\ & \times \\ & \times \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 250 \\ 2,700 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 40 \\ 200 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5,000 \\ 182,306 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 7,000 \\ 43,500 \end{array}$ | 5，${ }^{0} 95$ | $\begin{array}{r} 7.0 c 0 \\ 95,740 \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} 7.550 \\ 78, z 81 \end{gathered}$ | ${ }_{26}^{25}$ |
| 1 | 15 | 63 | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | sx | $\times$ | $\times$ |  |  | （b） | （b） | （b） |  | （b） | 27 |

lInclnding changes of investments．
$m$ Knitting and basket making also taught．
$n$ These statistics，which are for the jear $1882-$＇ 83 ， are the latest receired from this institution．
－Of the school for the blind；of the institute， 1853.
$p$ Carpet wearing and rug making also taught．
$q$ Since succeeded by H．P．Fricker，M．D．
$r$ Hand and machice knitting also taught．
$s$ Brush and mat making also taught．

## Table XIX.-Statistics of institutions

NOTE. $-\times$ indicates the emplosments taught;

|  | Name. | Location. |  | Superintendent. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| 28 | Tennessee School for the Blind.. | Nashrille, Tenn. | 1846 | Loyal A. Bigelow. | State | 19 |
| 29 | Texas Institution for the Blind** | Austin, Tex ${ }_{\text {Sta }}$ | 1858 | Frank Raines, M. D | State | 27 |
| 30 | Virginia Institation for the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind. | Staunton, Va.... | 1839 | Thomas S. Dosle, principal. | State | c6 |
| 31 | West Virginia Institution for the Deaf and Damb and the Blind. | Romney, W. Va. | 1870 | John C. Corell, M. A., principal. | State | 4 |
| 32 | Wisconsin Institution for the Education of the Blind.* | Janesville, Wis . | 1850 | Mrs. Sarah F. C. Little, M. A. | State | 26 |

[^121]for the blind for 1884-' 85 , \&c.-Continued.
0 signifies no or none ; .... indicates no answer.


Table XX.-Statistics of schools and asylums for fecble-minded children for
NoTr. - x indicates

|  | Name. | Location. |  | Superintendent. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 1 | California Association for the Care and Training | Vallojo, Cal . | 1884 | J. Henry Applegate, |
|  |  | Lakeville, Conn. | 1858 |  |
| 3 | Illinuis Asylum for Feeble-Minded Children $* .$. | Lincoln, IIl | 1865 | William B. Fisb, M. D.. |
| 4 | Indiana Asylum for Feeble-Minded Children ... | Knightstown, Ind. | 1879 | Dr. John W. White... |
| 5 | Iowa Institution for Feeble-Minded Children ... |  | $\begin{array}{\|l\|l\|} 1876 \\ 1866 \end{array}$ |  |
| 6 | Kentucky Institution for the Education and Training of Feeble-Minded Children. | Fraukfort, Ky .. | 1860 | John Q. A. Stewart, M. d. |
| 7 | Fanily Home Schoul for Nerrous and Delicate | Amberst, Mass | 1883 | Mrs. W. D. Herrick |
| 8 | Privato İs, ${ }^{\text {a }}$ (itution for the Education of Feeble- | Barre, Mass... | 1848 | Geo. Brown, M. D., and |
| 9 | Minded Youth. <br> Hillside School for Backward and Feeble Chil- | Fayrille, Mass.. | 1870 | Mrs. C. W. Bown. <br> Mesdames Knight and |
| 10 | dren. <br> Massachusetts School for the Feeble-Mindel... | Sonth Boston, Mass (723 Eighth st.). | 1848 | Green. <br> $\Delta$ sbury G. Smith, M. D. |
| 11 | Private School and Home for Feeble-Minded | 耳a\|amazoo, | 1884 | C. T. Wilbur, 从r |
| 12 | Minnesota School for Triots and Imbeciles...... | Faribault, Minn. |  |  |
| 13 | New York State Custodial Asylum for Feeble. Minded Women. | Newark, N. Y .. | 1878 | Cyrus C. Warner |
| 14 | Idiot Asplum, Randall's Island............. |  |  |  |
| 15 16 | New York Asylum for rdiots | Syracuse, N. Y. <br> Columbus, Ohio | $\begin{aligned} & 1851 \\ & 1857 \end{aligned}$ | James C. Carson, m. D <br> Gustavas A. Doren, |
| 17 | Pennsylvania Training School for Feeble-Minded Children. | Elwyn, Pa ...... | 1852 | Isace N. Kerlin, 3r. D .. |

[^122]18ミ4－®5；from replies to inquirics by the Cnited States Bureau of Education．
the branches taught．

| Number of instructors andother employes． | Namber of in－ mates． |  |  | Branches taught． |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 类 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\underset{\sim}{\tilde{z}}$ | 会 | $\begin{gathered} \text { ت゙ } \\ \frac{0}{0} \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  | 号 |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { E. } \\ & \text { \# } \\ & \text { E } \\ & \text { U } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 |
| 9 | 6 | 7 | 13 |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | ．．．． | $\times$ | 0 | a\＄2， 160 | $a \$ 1,440$ |
|  |  |  | 102 |  | $b \times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |  |  |  |  | 16， 536 |  |
| 15 | 172 | $\begin{array}{r} 138 \\ 41 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 310 \\ 84 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & (c) \\ & (c) \end{aligned}$ | $\times$ $\times$ $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ $\times$ $\times$ | $\times$ |  |  | $\times$ | 228 | $\begin{array}{r} 56,000 \\ d 30,000 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 56,000 \\ d 30,000 \end{array}$ |
| 50 | 164 | 95 | 259 |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |  |  |  |  | 42，080 | 41，700 |
| 27 | 87 | 65 | 152 |  | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |  |  |  | 91 | 29， 634 | 20，631 |
| 3 | 8 | 2 | 10 | （c） | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |  |  | $\times$ | 1 | 2，500 | 2， 500 |
| 31 | 44 | 25 | 69 | （ce） | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |  |  | 160 |  | ＊ 44,800 |
| 0 | 2 | 3 | 6 | $c \times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 18 |  |  |
| 34 | $\varepsilon 6$ | 61 | 147 | （e） | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | ．．．．． |  | ．．．．． | 25，000 | 25，000 |
| 9 | 6 | 19 | 25 | （e） | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |  | $x$ |  | 6，000 | 8，000 |
| 18 | 64 | 32 | 96 | （ce） | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | 8 |  | ＊ 12,263 |
| 16 | 0 | 140 | 140 | （e） | $\times$ | $\times$ |  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 20，000 | f3，377 |
|  | 205 | 168 | 373 | （e） |  | $\times$ |  |  |  |  | $\times$ |  | 72， 838 | 71， 565 |
| 122 | 443 | 278 | 721 | （ce） | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |  |  |  | 114， 725 | 111， 711 |
|  | 298 | 205 | 503 | （ce） | $b \times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ | $\times$ |  |  |  | 107， 637 | 90,490 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

d This includes the report of the Soldiers＇Orphans＇Home．
$e$ Farious industries are tanght．
$f$ For three months only．

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Benefactions.


Table XXI.-Statistics of educational benefactions for the year 1884-'85; from

| Organization to which intrusted. |  | Benefactor. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Name. | Location. | Name. | Residence. |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| universities, sc.-Cont'd. Wabash College $\qquad$ | Crawfordswille, Ind. | Jacob Harman............. |  |
| IIartsville Colloçe ....... Union Christian College | Hartsville, Ind....... <br> Merom, Ind | Various persons |  |
| Moore's Hill Collego .. | Moore's Iill, Ind |  |  |
| Parsons Collego. | Fairfield, Iowa. ... $\{$ | Through Presbyterian.. Board of Aid. Other friends. |  |
| Upper Iowa University...... lowa College | Fayette, Iova....... <br> Grinnell, Iowa | Central Congregational | Brooklyn, N. |
| Lenos College ... | Hopkinton, Iowa.... | Mrs. T. M. Sinclair | Cedar Rapids, Iowa. |
| Iowa Wesleyan Unirersity .. | Mt. Pleasant, Iowa. | Timothy Whiting |  |
| Cornell College . . . . . . | Mt. Vernon, Iowna... | Many persons |  |
| Oskaloosa College. | Oskaloosa, Iowa |  |  |
| Penn College College. | Oskaloosa, Iowa <br> Tabor, Iowa .... | Various persons |  |
| Western College. | Toledo, Iowa.......\{ | Mrs. Charles Masen ........ <br> D. D. Weimar, and others . | Toledo, Iowa $\qquad$ <br> Blair, Nebr $\qquad$ |
| Eaker University .. | Baldwin, Kans.... $\{$ | Mrs. Anna P. Emerson.... <br> Many persons | Yates Center, Kans |
| Colloge of Emporia | Emporia, Kans.... $\{$ | Citizens $\qquad$ <br> Synod of Kansas. | Emporia, Kans...... |
| Highland University | Highland, Kans..... | J. P. Johnson and others.. | Highland, Kans..... |
| Ottawa Unirersity.. <br> Washburn Collere | Ottawa, Kans <br> Toneka, Kans | Baptist churches |  |
| Berea Collego...... | Derea, Ky ..... | Numerous friends |  |
| Centre College. | Danville, Ky...... $\{$ | Mrs. Laura D. Roy. <br> A. G. Grundy <br> W. H. Mitchell <br> Mrs. E. G. Turpin. <br> Dr. H. M. Skillman. <br> Mrs. M. M. Basset. <br> Others | Lebanon, K 7. <br> Lebanon, Kv. <br> Perryville, Ky <br> Perryville, K y <br> Frankfort, Ky |
| Georgetown College . | Georgetown, Ky .... |  |  |
| Contral Oniversity ........ | Riehmond, İy ...... |  |  |
| Leland University ............ | New Orleans, La.. $\{$ | $\left.\begin{array}{l} \text { Deaeon Holbrook Cham- } \\ \text { ber!ain (deeeased). } \end{array}\right\}$ | New Tork, N. Y.... |
| New Orleans University ..... | New Orleans, La.... | Various friends. |  |
| Straight University.......... | Now Orleans, La.... |  |  |
| Bowdoin College Bates College | Brunswiek, Mo <br> Lewiston, Me........ | William G. Means | Boston, Mass |

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replics to inquirics by the Cniled States Bureau of Education-Continued.


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Table XXI-Statistics of educational benefactions for the year 1884-85; from

| Organization to which intrusted. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Name. |

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| Organization to which intrusted. |  | Benefactor. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Name. | Location. | Name. | Residence. |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| LNSTITUTIONS FOR BUPERIOR Instruction of women. |  |  |  |
| Mills Seminary | Mills Seminary, Cal. | Rev. Leavitt H. Hallock | Portland, Me |
| Wesleyan Female College .. | Macon, Ga ........... | Oliver Hoyt ....... | Stamford, Conn |
| Silliman Female Collegiato Institute. | Clinton, La ........... | Presbstery of Louisiana .. |  |
| Mansfield Female College ... | Mansfield, La. | Various persons |  |
| Baltimore Female College... | Baltimore, Md |  |  |
| Abbot Academy .............. | Andover, Mass |  |  |
| Smith College.. | Northampton, MIass. | Horace H. Furness, LL. D. . |  |
| Mt. Holyoke Female Sem. inary. | South Hadley, Mass | Various persons |  |
| Wellesley College............ | Wellcsley, Mass . | $\left\{\begin{array}{l} \text { George Smith ........... } \\ \text { Stone estate .......... } \\ \text { Alumnn and friends. } \end{array}\right.$ | Wellesley, Mass . |
| Mrichigan Female Seminary.. | Kalamazoo, Mich . | Willard Dodge. | Kalamazoo, Mich ... |
| Albert Lea College .......... | Albert Lea, Minn... | Various persons |  |
| Howard Female College ..... | Fayette, Mo ........ | Various persons | Fayette, |
| Bishop Whitaker's School for Giils. | Reno, Nev .. | Various persons .......... | Connecticut, Massachusetts, New York, Ohio, and Pennsylvania. |
| Pennington Seminary <br> St. Agnes' School | Pennington, N. J | Various persons |  |
| Granger Place School. | Canandaigua, N. Y.. | § Miss Granger |  |
| Highland Institute ........... | Hillsbnrough, Ohio. | Mr. George Beecher and |  |
| Xenia College................ | Xenia, Ohio.. |  |  |
| Memphis Conference Fe - $\}$ | Jackson, Tenn | \{ Citizens. | Jackson, Tenn |
| Waco Female College........ | Waco, Tex... | President | Waco, Tex.......... |
| Vermont Methodist Seminary and Female College. | Montpelier, Vt....... | Monroe Blaisdell | Cambridge, Vt...... |
| Wisconsin Female Colloge... preparatory schools. | Fox Lake, Wis...... | $\left\{\begin{array}{l} \text { Major William J. Dawcs. } \\ \text { A. Avery ................... } \end{array}\right.$ | Milwaukee, Wis .... Beaver Dam, Wis... |
| Red Bluff Academy.. | Red Bluff, Cal....... | J. S. Cone |  |
| St. Helena Academy ......... | Saint Helena, Cal ... | $\left\{\begin{array}{l}\text { J. Lewelling ............... } \\ \text { Mrs. H. A. Weinberger. } \\ \text { Various persons........ }\end{array}\right.$ | Saint Helena, Cal ... Saint Helena, Cal <br> New York, N. Y.... |
| $\left.\begin{array}{l}\text { Presbyterian Collcge of the } \\ \text { Sonthwest. }\end{array}\right\}$ | Del Norte, Colo ..... | Through Presbyterian Board of Aid for Col- leges. |  |
| Connecticut Literary Institution. | Suffield, Conn |  |  |
| Academy of Richmond Counts Knox Academy | Augusta, Ga......... <br> Galesburg, Ill | Mrs. Emily H. Tubman ... <br> Henry Hitchcock, esq .... | Augusta, Ga |
| $\left.\begin{array}{l}\text { Evangelisch-Lutherisches } \\ \text { Collegium. }\end{array}\right\}$ | Mendota, Ill ....... | $\left\{\begin{array}{l} \text { Evančl Lutheran Chnrch } \\ \text { A suciety } . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . ~ \end{array}\right.$ | Mendota, Ill $\qquad$ Germany $\qquad$ |

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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
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| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| ENSTITUTIONS FOR SECONDARY instictction-Continued. |  |  |  |
| The Tobbins School. | Norfolk, Conn |  |  |
| Academy. |  |  |  |
| De Iand Academy | De Land, Fla |  |  |
| Cookman Institute ............. ${ }^{\text {Da }}$ Jacksourille, ${ }^{\text {Fl }}$ |  |  |  |
| Fiorida Institute | Live Oak; Fla....... | Through American Baptist | New York, N |
| Atlanta Seminary ........... Atlanta, Ga......... Through American Baptist New Fork, N. Y . | Atlanta, Ga | Through A merican Baptist | New Fork, N. Y.. |
| Spelman Seminars.......... Atlanta, Ga......... Through American Baptist Nerr York, |  |  |  |
| Mount Zion Seminary ....... Mount Zion, Ga..... James Mitchell, D. D ...... ${ }^{\text {atianta, }}$ |  |  |  |
| White Sulphur Springs High School. | White Sulphur Springs, Ga. | Trustees and teacher and Mrs. B. F. Tigner. | White Sulpbur Springs, Ga. |
|  |  | United Presbsterian Edneational Board. |  |
| Union Acallemy of Southern Illinois. | Anna, Ill. |  |  |
| German-American Academy. | Chicago, Ill |  |  |
| Geneseo Collegiate Institute. | Geneseo, Ill.. | Throngh Presbyterian Board of Aid for Colleges and Academies. |  |
|  | Cedar Rapids, Iowa. |  |  |
| Denmark Academy .......... Denmark, Iowa ..... Various |  |  |  |
| $\left.\begin{array}{l}\text { Saint Vincent's Presentation } \\ \text { Convent. }\end{array}\right\}$ Dubuque, Iowa ...... $\left\{\begin{array}{l}\text { J. Row } \\ \text { P. Rod }\end{array}\right.$ |  |  |  |
| Kossuth Academy........... | Kossuth, Iowa. | Various persons |  |
| Freedmen's Academy of Kan. Dunlap, Kans.sas. |  |  |  |
| Bethany Academy Jackson Academy | Lindsborg, Kans.... | Various persons ........... | Near Lindsborg .... |
|  | Jackson, Ky ......... | A. G. P. Dodge............. | New York, N. Y .... |
| State University............. Louisville, Ky ...... ......................................... |  |  |  |
| Princeton Collegiato Institute | Princeton, Ky ...... | $\left\{\begin{array}{l}\text { General Associated Board } \\ \text { of Aid for Colleges. } \\ \nabla \text { arious persous .......... }\end{array}\right.$ | Chicago, I |
| Baldwin Seminary........... | Baldwin, La ........ | Mrs. M. G. Fitch and others | Baldwin, La |
| Gilbert Seminary............ | Winsted, La ......... | $\left\{\begin{array}{l} \text { W. L. Gilbert .............. } \\ \text { Methodist Freedmen's } \\ \text { Aid Society. } \end{array}\right.$ | West Winsted, Conn |
| East Maine Conference Seminary. | Bucksport, Me...... |  |  |
| Eaton Family and Day School Derwick Academy | Norridgawock, Me.. South Berwict | Francis B | Lexington, Mas |
| McDonogh Institute...... | McDonogh, Md..... | $\left\{\begin{array}{l}\text { Dr. Z. Barnum (deceased) } \\ \text { Vorious persons .......... }\end{array}\right.$ | Baltimore, Md |

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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Name. | Location. | Name. | Residence. |
| 1 | 2 | S | 4 |
| INSTITUTIONS FOR SECONDARY INSTHL゙CTION-Continued. |  |  |  |
| The Penn School. | Frogmore, S. C. | (Mrs. M. R. Tomne......... <br> Mrs. A. N. Lincoln. <br> 1. K. Darrab <br> Mrs. II. C. Jenks <br> Messrs. Cope and others <br> (Benczet Socicty). <br> (H. 1. 'lorne | Poston, Mass <br> Boston, Mass <br> Boston, Mass <br> Philadelphia, Pa <br> Philadelphia, Pa. <br> Stamford, Cnnn |
| Bloomington College... | Bloomington, Tenn |  |  |
| Churcb Hill Academy .. Warren College. | Charch Hill, Tenn.. <br> Fullen's, Tenn | Sereral persons. | Charch Hill, Tenn... |
| Washington College | Washington Col. lege, Tenn. | P. Smith | Daston, Ohio |
| Edwards A cademy | White Pine, Tenn | Varicus persons |  |
| Comanche College . | Comanche, Tex | $\left\{\begin{array}{l} \text { J. R.Flening } \\ \text { Citizens } \end{array}\right.$ | Comanche, Tex |
| Honey Grove High School... | Honey Grove, Tex. | Various persons <br> Mrs. C. C'. Bishop ......... | Now York, N. |
| Bishop College................ | Marshall, Tex | $\left\{\begin{array}{l} \text { Through American Eap- } \\ \text { tist Home Mission So } \\ \text { ciet. } \end{array}\right.$ | New York, N. Y.... |
| Summer Hill Seleet School... Brigham Academy. | Omen, Tex..... <br> Bakersfield, Vt | Horace Chilton Mrs. Sarah B. Jacobs. | Trler, Tex. Buston, Mass |
| Derby $\Delta$ cadem 5 .. | Derby Center, Vt |  |  |
| Essex Classical Institute. | Essex, Tt.. | $\left\{\begin{array}{l}\text { Alumni } \\ \text { Miss Mary Fl }\end{array}\right.$ | Larlington, V |
| Lyndon Institute <br> Mit. Pisgah Academy | Lyndon Center, Vt <br> Aylett P. O., Va ... | D. P. Eall (deceased) | Lyndon, Vt . |
| Brentsville Scminary.......... | Brentsville, Va | Joseph B. Reid........... | Brentsrille, Va |
| Thyne Institute .-........... | Chase City, Va | James Brown, sr............ | Morning Sun, Ohio.. |
| Hartshorn Memorial College. | Richmond, Va | Joseph C. Hartshorn and others. | Newton Center, Mass. |
| Augustana College .......... | Canton, Dak....... | $\left\{\begin{array}{l} \text { The Citr of Canton....... } \\ \text { Rev. d. Wright.............. } \\ \text { Rer. Anderson (dec'd) } \\ \text { Rer. A. A. Sheie (dec'd). } \end{array}\right.$ | Rushford, Minn |
| Saint Bernard's Ursuline Convent. | \} Grand Forks, Dak. | S Grand Forks Building Co. <br> Citizens | Grand Forks, Dak Grand Forks, Dak. |
| Dakota Collegiate Institute.. | Siou= Falls, Dak .... | Farious persons ............ |  |
| Indian Enircrsity ........... | Maskogee, Ind. Ter. | $\left\{\begin{array}{l} \text { J.D. Rockefeller, and ra- } \\ \text { rious others througb } \\ \text { American Baptist } \\ \text { Home Mission Soc.). } \end{array}\right.$ |  |
| Wheelock Scminary ........ | Wheelock, Ind. Ter. | Various Sunday schools and missionary societies in the Northern States. |  |
| Albuquerque Academ5...... | New Albaquerque, N. Mes. | New West Education Commission. <br> (New West Elucation | Chicago, Ill......... |
| Las Vegas Acadmy.. | Las Tegas, N. Mex | Commission. <br> J. Raynolds. <br> (L. P. Brawern | Las Vegas, N. Mex. Las Tegas, N. Liex.. |
| St. Mark's School............. | Sait Lake City, Utah | Churches and Sunday schools in Eastern States. |  |
| Salt Lake Academy . | Salt Lake City, Utal | New West Education Conmission. | Chicago, Ill. |
| Salt Lake Coilegiate Instituto. | \}Salt Lake Citr, U゙tah | $\left\{\begin{array}{l} \text { Mrs. Eliza McKee........ } \\ \text { Through Presbyterian } \\ \text { Boaid of Aiul. } \end{array}\right.$ | St. Louis, Mo |

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[^0]:    ${ }^{1}$ According to the Revised Statutes of the United States, the purpose and duties of this Office shall be "to collect statistics and facts showing the condition and progress of education in the sereral States and Territories, and to diffuse such information respecting the organization and management of schools and school systems, and methods of teaching, as shall aid the people of the United States in the establishment and maintenance of efficient school systems, and otherwise promote the cause of education throughout the country."
    Again, it provides that "the Commissioner of Education shall present annually to Congress a report embodying the results of his investigations and labors, together with a statement of such facts and recommendations as will, in his judgment, subserve the purpose for which the Offee is established."

[^1]:    ${ }^{1}$ One of the great trials in the administration of the Omce has been the dropping of many pieces of work before they are concluded, for lack of means to complete them. An important demand is recognized and an attempt is made to meet it, but in the raidst of this work a greater and more im.

[^2]:    perative demand comes in, and what has been accomplished in respect to the former has to be laid aside for another opportunity, because there is not clerical force enough to accomplish both. But however great the disappointment arising from these delays and this non-publication of work, no work well done has proved wholly in vain. The portion of a plan accomplished and the data collected have proved valuable for reference in correspondence, and sometimes in advancing the work on the same reports undertaken elsewhere. The history of colleges and the history of normal schools, undertaken and advanced considerably towards completion, but stopped by other more imperative demands, have proved useful in aiding local efforts where local intercst has been sufficient to warrant the undertaking of similar histories.

    Several histories of colleges, etc., have appeared based on the work measurably completed here. The preparation of the history of Indian education, interrupted half a dozen years ago, has now been ordered completed by a resolution of the Senate.

[^3]:    ${ }^{1}$ The following is a complete list of the pablications of this Office, including those in course of preparation:

    ## Under Commissioner Barnard.

    Report of the Commissioner of Education, with circulars and documents accompanying the same; submitted to the Senate and House of Representatives, June 2,1868. Washington,1868. $8^{\circ} .40+$ 856 pp .

    Special Report of the Commissioner of Education on the condition and improvement of public schools in the District of Columbia, submitted to the Senate, June, 1868, and to the House with add:tions, June $13,18 \% 0$. Washington, 1871. $8^{\circ} .850 \mathrm{pp} .+$ various indexes.

    Valuable reports on technical education and education in Europe were also prepared, but were not ordered to be printed by Congress.

[^4]:    Circulars of Information of the Bureau of Education for the year $1873 . S^{\circ} .66 \mathrm{pp} .-$ Contents : No. 1. The training of teachers in Germany. 42 pp.
    No. 2. Elementary education in London. 24 pp .
    Circulars of Information of the Bureau of Education for the year $1870.5^{3} .340 \mathrm{pp}$.-Contents: No. 1. Training schools for nurses. 22 pp .
    No. 2. Proceedings of the Department of Superintendence of the National Educational Associ• ation in 1877 and 1879 , and of the conference of State college presidents held in Ohio in 1876. 192 pp.
    No. 3. Talue of common school education to common labor. 35 pp .
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    No. 5. American education as described by the French Commission to the International Exhlbition of 15:6. 35 pp .
    Circulars of Information of the Bureau of Education for the sear 1850. $8^{\circ} .624 \mathrm{pp}$.-Contents :
    No. 1. College libraries as aids to instruction. 23 pp .
    No. 2. Proceedings of the Department of Superintendence of the National Educational Association in 1880. 112 pp .
    No. 3. Legal rights of children. 96 pp .
    No. 4. Rural school architecture. 106 pp .
    No. 5 . English rural schools. 26 pp.
    No. 6. Teaching of chemistry and physics in the United States. 220 pp .
    No. 7 . The spelling reform. 36 pp .
    Circulars of Information of the Bureau of Education for the year 1881. $8^{\circ} .350 \mathrm{pp}$.-Contents:
    No. 1. Construction of library buildings. 23 pp .
    No. 2. Relation of education to industry and technical training in American schools. 22 pp .
    No. 3. Proceedings of the Department of Superintendence of the National Educational Association in 1881. 80 pp .
    No. 4. Education in France. 144 pp .
    No. 5. Causes of deafness among school children and the instruction of children with impaired hearing. 48 pp .
    No. 6. Effects of student life on the evesight. 30 pp .
    Circulars of Information of the Bureau of Education for the Jear 1852. 8. . 223 pp .-Contents:
    No. 1. Inception, organization, and management of training schools for nurses. 25 pp .
    No. 2. Proceedings of the Department of Superintendence of the National Educational Association for 1882. 112 pp .
    No. 3. The Universiţ of Bonn. 63 pp .
    No.4. Industrial art in schools. 33 pp .
    No. 5. Maternal schools in France. 14 pp.
    No. 6. Technical instruction in France. 63 pp .
    Circulars of Information of the Bureau of Education for the sear 1883. $8^{\circ}$. 240 pp .-Contents:
    No. 1. Legal provisions respecting the examination and licensing of teachers. tư pp.
    No. 2. Co-education of the sexes in the public schools of the Cnited States. 27 pp .
    No. 3. Proceedings of the Department of Superintendence of the National Educational Association, 1853. 81 pp .
    No. 4. Recent school law decisions. \&? pp.
    Circulars of Information of the Purean of Education for the rear 1884. $8^{3}$. T24 pp.-Cunients:
    No. 1. Meeting of the International Prison Congress at Rome in October, 15si. 11 pp.
    No. 2. The teaching, practice, and literature of short-hand. 182 pp .
    No. 3. Iliterscy in the Cnited States in 15.0 and 1580. with diacrans and observationf; with an appendir on National Aid to Educstion. 99 pp .

[^5]:    ${ }^{1}$ This paper was prepared by Dr. Philbrick after special correspondence and most thorough consideration of the whole subject, and at the close of his long life-work in education.

[^6]:    ${ }^{1}$ The committee regret to be obliged to except the State of Kentucky, from which, up to the present time, they have not been able to obtain a report or a copy of the school laws. This exception applies to one or two subsequent statements.

[^7]:    ${ }^{1}$ The following is the list of States, with the year in which the action was taken :
    Vermont, Michigan, New Hampshire, 1832; New York, Rhode Island, 18s3; Alabama, Kansas, Nebraska, Nevada, Wisconsin, Maine, Pennsylvania, Massachusetts, 1834; Iowa, Connecticut, Maryland, Oregon, Texas, and District of Columbia, 1835.
    [By an Act of Congress approved May 20, 18S3, instruction in the subjects referred to is now required to be given in the public schools of the Territories and of the District of Columbia, the Military and Naval Academies, and Indian and colored schools in the Territories.]

[^8]:    al7 cities, each containing 7,500 inhabitants or more, reported in 18\%; their aggregate population was $8,804,654$.
    6192 cities, of 7,500 inhabitants or more, reported in 15\%6; their aggregate population was $9,128,055$.
    c135 cities, of 7,500 inhabitants or more, reported in 1877; their aggregate population was $9,099,025$.
    d 218 citics, of 7,500 inhabitents or more, reported in 1878; their aggregate population tras 10,224,2\%0.

[^9]:    ${ }^{1}$ It would be interesting to compare this total with the amounts expended by the public for the support of criminals and paupers. In an address on this subject before the National Conference of Charities and Correction at St. Paul, ex-President Rutherford B. Hayes said :
    Our statistical information on this subject is neither full nor exact. An approximation is all that We can attempt. A careful estimate for the United States would probably show something like this :

[^10]:    ${ }^{1}$ The density of population in the states and Territories having more than 100 to a square mile is as follows: Rhode Island, 254.9; Massachusetts, 221.8; New Jersey, 151.7; Connecticut, 128.5; New York, 105.7; and the District of Columbia, 2,960.4; and in those having from 50 to 100 per squaro mile-Pennsylvania, 95.21 ; Maryland, 94.82 ; Ohio, 78.40 ; Delaware, 74.80 ; Indiana, 55.09 ; and Illinois, 54.96.

[^11]:    SEC. 1. The school comnistee of any city ortoinh riay clect any duly qualified person to serre as a teacher in the public schoo's of such city nt town during the pleasure of such committee: provided, such person has sested as a teacher in the pubices sclepols of such city or tomn for a period of not less than one year.
    , SEC. 2. This act shail take effect upon its passage.

[^12]:    ${ }^{1}$ This Office is much indebted for valuable aid to Mrs. S. B. Cooper, of San Francisco, well known for her able, self-sacrificing, and effectire labors in behalf of education.

[^13]:    ${ }^{1}$ During the progress of this Report the Senate called for a copy of the report of Dr. Sheldon Jackson on the schools of Alaska. I transmitted the same with the following letter, which, as it contains matter of permanent interest, I think it best to repeat in this place. Dr. Jackson's report gives full details of the work in Alaska. Six thousand copies of the report hare been ordered, and as soon as published copies may be obtained by application to members of Congress.

[^14]:    though the report is only a preliminary one-coming in the first few months of progress-it is brought as nearly as possible down to date, and is full in details of great value.
    It will be seen that I have not thought it best, with the smallness of the appropriation already made for the work, to begin the erection of school buildings, but in my opinion there is now in hand sufficient data on which to base estimates and to proceed to erect buildings. These, in my judgment, with the school-house, should include a residence for the family of the teacher.
    I have elsewhere recommended that $\$ 50,000$ should be appropriated for the next fiscal year.
    It only remains for $m e$ to add that I hare many evidences that the schools and the general agen: have been uniformly favorably received by the Alaskans, and that the only opposition has orizुinated with those who should have been the first and most constant to aid him and his work.
    I may be pardoned, perhaps, if Iadd that I have felt that in our nezlect to fulfill our solemn treaty promises with the Alaskans, our boasted free government has in their case been brought into u:1favorable comparison with the imperial government of autocratic Russia, and I have therefore taken special pleasure in endeavoring under the order of the Department to give the penple of those distant regions, even at this late day, the benefit of our common schools in the form be-t adapted to their good, and best calculated to teach them our ideas, and to introduce among them the knowledge of the blessings of our free institutions.

    I have the honor to be, very respectfully, your obedient servant,

[^15]:    * From Report of the Commissioner of Education for 1883-'84.
    $a$ This institution is open to both races, and the figures given are known to include some whites.
    $b$ Total for all departments.
    - Reported with normnl schools.

[^16]:    * From Report of the Commissioner of Education for 18S3-'S4.
    $a$ Total for all departments. $b$ In the special course for pastors.
    c For 1883-'84.

[^17]:    *From Report of the Commissioner of Educa- cIncludes cost of supervision.

    ## tion for 1883-'84.

    $a$ Estimated.
    $b$ Exclusive of balance on hend from last school $f$ These statistics are for the year 18s3-'84.
    јеаг.
    $d$ Assessed valuation.
    $e$ Exclusive of the value of furniture.
    $g$ For the winter term.

[^18]:    *From Report of the Commissioner of Educa- b Apparently for day schools only.
    tion for 1853-'84.
    $a$ Assessed valuation.
    cIncludes expenditure for rent and repairs.
    $d$ Based on average number belonging.

[^19]:    $i$ Including Horace Mann School for the Deaf. $j$ In 1883.
    \%Estimated.
    $m$ There was also an evening drawing school in which there were enrolled 186 pupils under seven teachers.
    $l$ Expenditures for school repairs and buildings $n$ Exclusive of evening schools.
    are notmade by the school board; hence the o For day pupils onls.
    apparent excess of expenditures over re- $p$ In the high schoal, 193 days.
    ceipts.

[^20]:    * From Report of the Commissioner of Educa- e Exclusive of pay of the clerk of the board and
    tion for 1883-' 84.
    $a$ These statistics are for the year 1883-'84.
    b In 1882.
    c Assessed valuation.
    $d$ Includes expenditure for repairs.
    of janitors.
    $f$ Based on enrollment.
    $g$ Average number of pupils for the year.
    $h$ Includes total amount paid forevening schools.
    $i$ This is the number between 5 and 15 as per assessor's enumeration.

[^21]:    *From Report of the Commissioner of Education $c$ Average number of teachers.
    for 1883-'84.
    a Assessed valuation.
    $b$ Includes cost of supervision.
    c Includes expenditures for repairs.
    d Estimated.
    $f$ For school purposes; also $3 \frac{1}{4}$ mills for building purposes.
    $g$ Exclusive of evening schools.
    $h$ For school purposes; also 2 mills for building purposes.

[^22]:    * From Report of the Commissioner of Educa- c Includes ineidental expenses for libraries.
    tion for 1883-'84. $\quad d$ Includes cost of supervision.
    $a$ These statistics are for the jear 1883-'84. e Assessed valuation.
    $b$ For the fall term.
    $f$ Average durstion of schools in days,

[^23]:    ${ }^{1}$ Circulars of Information of the Bureau of Education. No.1,1885. City School Systems in the United States. By John D. Philbrick, LL. D. Washington: Gorernment Printing Office. $18 s 5$.

[^24]:    ${ }^{1}$ In connection with this subject, see also table (p. cxyI) showing term of service, mode of appointment, compensation, etc., of the superintendents of a large number of cities.

[^25]:    a This summary contains the strictly normal students only, as faras reported. For the totalnumber of students, see the preceding summaries.
    $\dot{b}$ A department of an institution endowed by the national grant of land to agricultural colleges.
    c Receive an allowance from the State.
    $d$ One of these institutions is partially supported from the proceeds of the national grant of land to agricultural colleges, the normal school being part of an institution so endowed.
    $e$ Territorial appropriation.

[^26]:    ＊From Report of the Commissioner of Education for 1883－＇84．
    $a$ Exclusive of appropriations for permanent objects．
    $b \$ 20,500$ from the State and $\$ 0,000$ from the Peabody Fund．
    c For 1884.
    $d \$ 2,880$ from the State and $\$ 100$ from the county．
    $e$ Received annually from the State，being one－third of the income in this State from the Con－ gressional grant of land to agricultural colleges．
    $f$ Paid by State and city jointly．
    $g$ City appropriation．
    $h$ Succeeds the Milwauke（city）Normal School．
    $i$ Territorial appropriation．
    $j$ Territorial appropriation for 1834，which appropriation was expenced for public school building．
    $k$ Appropriation in common with other public schools of the city．

[^27]:    ${ }^{1}$ See the Bareau's Special Report on the Educational Exhibits and Conventions at the Torld's Industrial and Cotton Centennial Exposition, New Orleans, 1884-'85, Part II, pp. 349-392.

[^28]:    ${ }^{1}$ These are Wells, Elmira Female, Rutgers Female, Vassar, and Ingham University.

[^29]:    ${ }^{1}$ Dr. A. A. Stockton, of Saint John, Nerr Brunswick, in a letter to me calis attention to the fact that Mount Allison College, Sackrille, N. B., was omitted from a list of Canadian colleges admitting women, published in my Report for 1883-'84. Mount Allison College was, he says, "the first in Canada to admit ladies on equal terms with gentlemen, and the first to confer the degrees of B.A. and A. AT. upon ladies."

[^30]:    ${ }^{2}$ Four rears, if possible, should be giren to the preparatory course in Latin. "Two full years ought to be giren to preparation in Greek."

[^31]:    *Received degree of B.S.
    $\dagger$ Received degree of B. Mech. Arts.

[^32]:    * Not endowed witl national land grant.
    $a$ Including mechanic arts.
    $b$ Thirteen only for the time being; others in chemical laboratory during the rear.
    c Three in tspe-writing.

[^33]:    * Not endowed with national land grant.
    $a$ Details not reported.

[^34]:    ${ }^{1}$ The letters quoted were all received in March, 1886, while this Report was going to the press. As they describe work conducted during the period covered by this Report, it seemed proper to insert them here. These experiments are treated in extenso in Part II of the Special Report on Iudustrial and High Art Education in the United States, soon to be issued.

[^35]:    $a$ Reported with statistics of the deaf and dumb (see Table XVIII and summary). 6 In State warrants.
    c For both departments.

[^36]:    ${ }^{1}$ The penalties here referred to are a fine of from 11 to 15 franes and imprisonment for not more than 5 dars. A rticle 463 allows these penalties to be reduced at the discretion of the judge.
    2 Heoce, on the passing of this law, children ander the age of 13 can only be employed as half. timers in trades and agricnltare by the joint consent of the commune and of the department, unless, at or above the age of 11 , they have obtained the certificat d'etudes.

[^37]:    ${ }^{-1}$ Including teachers' seminaries, and deaf and dumb, blind, and orphan asylums. Of this sam, $12,155,513 \mathrm{M}$. were for salaries, etc.

[^38]:    ${ }^{1}$ The recognized class subjects are: English, drawing, geography, elementary science, and history, with needle-work for girls.
    ${ }^{2}$ Specific subjects: Algebra, Euclid and mensuration, mechanics, chemistry, physics, animal physiology, botany, principles of agricnltare, Latin, French, and domestic economy.

[^39]:    ${ }^{1}$ Subsequent information shows great educational advance in Montgomery.

[^40]:    ${ }^{1}$ These figures for general and normal pupils are from a written return. The report from the school to the State superintendent says that the roll-book shows for the year a total attendance of 203 pupils, 32 of them in the normal department.

[^41]:    ${ }^{1}$ The beginning of a "Mechanic Art Laborature," for giving instruction in practical mechanics, Was made in 1581 through an appropriation of $\$ 5,000$ of the amount given to the college for the year; this laboratory to be an auxiiiary to a general industrial education, and not to teach any particular trade. The laboratory has been since completed and equipped, and other improvements made.

[^42]:    ${ }^{1}$ Forty-siz of the pupils in music and art were enumerated in other classes also. Deducting these, with 9 discharged and 22 that failed to pass the entrance examination, the net attendance for the year was 334.

[^43]:    ${ }^{1}$ Mongolian and Indian children not under white guardians are not included in this appertionment.

[^44]:    ${ }^{1}$ A recent amendment of the constitution substantially disposes of the former city examining boards. and limits the power of examining and certifying teachers to county boards and county superintendents.

[^45]:    1 Hesperian College, Woodland, also admits primary pupils.
    ${ }^{2}$ Mills. Seminary, which has had almout collegiate rank, developed, at the opening of 1885-' $6 G_{1}$
    into a full-blown woman's college, retaining its seminary work.

[^46]:    ${ }^{1}$ The deputy superintendent of public schools, in San Francisco, after two visits to the University In 18s4-85, arraignz these statements a to facilitiez. and seems to show grpat room for dinbt an to
     1884-'85, pages 618 to 6'2.

[^47]:    a Time the graded schools were tanght.
    $b$ Time the ungraded schools were taught.
    c Note what is said respecting this under "State school system, general condition."

[^48]:    ${ }^{1}$ As to mortl influences in school, see further on a resolution adopted at the close of the State Teachers' Association.

[^49]:    ${ }^{1}$ The superintendent says it was materially increased.

[^50]:    $a$ The statisties of Meriden, New Britain, New Haren, and Norwalk are from special returns to this Bureau; those of other places from the tabies in the State report for $1884-95$, the average attendance giren for these other places being half the total of the arerage for winter and summer. The figures for New Haven include only the city proper.

[^51]:    ${ }^{1}$ Graduates of approved high schools are excused from this examination.

[^52]:    ${ }^{1}$ In the second case it may be after a year of systematic study at the college under direction of the faculty, followed by a successful examination for students of two years' standing.

[^53]:    $n$ These statistics, escept where otherwise noted, are for the year ending December 31 , 1555 . 3 Estimated. 1334 .
    c Tirse statistics, except where otherwise noted, are for the yea: ending December 31, 1188, $j$ ©ctool census of 1532 .
    eCensus of $1 *$ i.

[^54]:    ${ }^{1}$ Besides the 4 -rear engineering course, which leads to the degree of Eng. B., there is a special
    higher course cflyear for graduates of the former. This prepares for the degree of civil engineer.
    ${ }^{2}$ At the first mentioned, 71 matriculates, 34 graduates; at the second, 88,38 ; at the third, 89,31 .

[^55]:    $a$ This is the number of days in the Illinois school year, instead of the 100 days of some States. 6 This is the number of buildings occupied by schools.
    c Excluding the funds of the University of Illinois.
    $d$ Excluding the value of the property of the State educational institutions.

[^56]:    ${ }^{1}$ The president of the Chicago board of education strongly recommends the establishment in that eity of a training school for persons desiring to teach in the primary schools, and would require a certificate of qualification from such training echool before appointing any new applicants for positions as teachers in these primary schools. Mis recommendation was put on record for conside:ation, but does not appear to have been decisively acted on.

[^57]:    ${ }^{1}$ That this school and the St. Louis one have met or anticipated a real need, appears from the fact that, closely following them, have come others of like character in Boston, Baltimore, New Haven, Omaha, Philadelphia, and Toledo, with one at Tulane Univ ersity, New Orleans.

[^58]:    ${ }^{1}$ Several of these have been since secured.

[^59]:    ${ }^{1}$ Lucian I. Blake, Ph. D., a graduate of the Royal University in Berlin, and a pupil of Professor Helmholz, has entered upon the professorship of applied pinsics and electrical engineering in the Rose Polytechnic Institute. Terre Haute, Ind. He had dechined a similar associate professorship in the Johns Hopkins University.
    ${ }^{2}$ Word has come that the Beach Institute has been diseredited by He Illinois Board of Health "in view of the apparently irregular manner in which diplowas have been conferred by it."

[^60]:    $\boldsymbol{a}$ The statistics for Burlington, Cedar Rapids, and Ottumwa are. in the absence of direct information from those cities, taken from the Iowa Normal Monthly of November, 1884, and are said to be the figures of the preceding sehool year, 1883-'84.
    $b$ Including pormal and evening schools.

[^61]:    ${ }^{1}$ The figures in this summary hare been taken from the last printed report of the State superintendent, on account of many items being included therein which are not given in a return previously receired.

[^62]:    ${ }^{1}$ In the printed State report the increase in total expenditure is said to bs $\$ 50,954.79$; but this includes some balances not actually expended.

[^63]:    a From State report.
    6 From city report.
    c Arerage belonging.
    d Exclusive of evening schools.
    $c$ Four hundred and twenty pupils withdrawn after being enrolled at the beginning of the year, thus effecting the relation of the average attendance to enrollment.

[^64]:    (From reports of Hon. J. W. Patterson, State superintendent of public instruction,

[^65]:    ${ }^{1}$ President Arthur, Governor Abbott, and Judge Harlan, of the United States Supreme Courtu

[^66]:    Professor Martin mas born at Mount Holly, New Jerser, October 20, 1816, and graduated at Yale College in the class of 1837. Haring made a profession of Christian faith, he entered the theological seminary at New Haren immediately after gradua-

[^67]:    For statistics of this class of institutions, see Table VIII of the Appendix; for a summary of them, see a corresponding table in the report of the Commissiouer preceding.

[^68]:    ${ }^{1}$ The remular term is 4 years, but in 1882 the terms of the governor and other State officers wero 80 changed by the legislature as to make them begin January 1 instead of September 1 . Ifenco the miesent incumbeuts hare a littlo louger term.

[^69]:    a United States census of 1880, Pennsylvania taking no school consus.
    $\checkmark$ These inchude azademic as well as lower grado schools.
    c Not including Philadel phia.

[^70]:    ${ }^{1}$ State report gires this as 344 .

[^71]:    ${ }^{1}$ Mansfield Male and Female, Marrin, and Salado Colleges, and Waco University.

[^72]:    (From reports and returns of Hon. Bernaril L. Butcher, State superintendent of free schools, for the two years above indicated.)

[^73]:    ${ }^{1}$ Information comes of a unicersity at Mitchel, opened September, 1885 , under the auspices of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

[^74]:    1 For a detailed account of the proceedings of the educational bodies which held their sessions at New Orleans during the continuance of the World's Industrial and Cotton Centennial Exposition of 1881 -' 85 , see the Special Report of the Bureau of Education upon this subject.

[^75]:    $a$ The figures for enrollment, school population,
    attendance, number of teachers, \&c., are for
    1884-'85; all financial statistics, except aver-
    age monthly pay of teachers, are for 1883-'84.
    $b$ For the winter term.

[^76]:    $a$ State appropriation.
    $b$ From poll tax collected and retained in connties.
    $c$ Excludes the local funds of the city of Mobile, amounting to $\$ 20,540$.
    $d$ State apportionment.
    h For white schools only.
    $i$ Compensation of connty achool officers only.
    $e$ County apportionment, city and district taxes. $l$ For $1883-$ this table.
    $f$ Includes balance on hand from last school year. $m$ Estimated.
    $g$ Not included in State expenditure for schools.

[^77]:    $g$ Inchutes country setiools.
    $h$ Inchudes comitry and mill schools.
    $i$ hac-ludes report of ungraded schools. $j$ In ungraded achool.

[^78]:    cTn primary and grammar schooln Number of females employed in summor

[^79]:    * Froin Report of the Commissioner of Education for
    $a$ Includes special teacher.
    $b$ Includes 66 regalar substituto teachers and 1 Kinder-

[^80]:     23 E

[^81]:    a Jn primary and grammer achools.

[^82]:    18S3-'84.
    a A.verage number of teachers.
    $b$ Kmployed in both day anel eveniug schools.

[^83]:    
    $e$ In Portland schooitor which consists of three members In Roport of tho Commissioner of Education for

[^84]:    g For teacher of German and French. City superintendent is principal of tho high and nor j For teachers of German : males, $\$ 175$; females, $\$ 167$. Aho aso phincipals of prinary sehoons of ehemistry, $f$ For toachier of Gorman.
    b Monthly salaries.
    $c$ These statistics are for tho yoar 1883-'81.

[^85]:    $l$ Wrom sale of bonds．
    $m$ Not inclathe in schin $l$ Wrom salo of bonds．
    $m$ Not inceladed in seho
    $n$＇Twonty thousand dollars from louds sold，aud \＄9，Gut from tomporary loans．
    o Tuchindes n lonn of $\psi 42,292$
    p）Sites，buildings，rents，an
    p）Sites，buildings，rents，and repairs．

[^86]:    From Teeport of tho Commissioner of Edacation for
    $188: 3-8 \mathrm{~s}$ ． $\qquad$
    ＂l＇Thesos atntistica nre for the year 1883－＇84． e For library and npparatas．

[^87]:    

[^88]:    ${ }_{6}$ Itrins not nll reported.

[^89]:    $\rho$ Repairs, heating apparatus, and cleaning.

[^90]:    

[^91]:    $\boldsymbol{h}$ Thoso statistics are for the schoel ycar 1889-84. $j$ For use of books; tuition freo to those who pledge

[^92]:    $f$ Certificates at the end of the year of theory; diplo-
    mas at the end of two years.
    $g$ Work interrupted during this year by preparation of for the year 1893-'84.

[^93]:    - These figures are for the school Jear 1883-'84.

[^94]:    Includes special students in phonography, telegraphy,
    German, French, and Spanish.
    $g$ Churter of Genesee Wesley:u Sominary, with which $g$ Churter of Genesee Weslej:an Seminary, with which $h$ Date of reorganization.

[^95]:    For torm of six montlis in clay sehool； jScholarship for fill courso（timo un－ acconnts，of normal penmanship， or of atorography． a These statistics are lor the sehool year 1883－＇84．
    $b$ For lifo scholarship． c For commereinl courso．
    d For acholarship．
     $f$ IIt conmorein cought
    flyo yoars in length．

[^96]:    $h$ Formerly 1.S. Ashbridge and L. V. Smith's
    seliool. Miss Ashbridro writes under date of Marcl, 1885 : "With thisterm my
    connection with this school will clo se."

[^97]:    䔍

[^98]:    

[^99]:    

[^100]:    $c$ Ls T'ulane University' ; ehartered as the University of

[^101]:     $k$ All studonts on scholarships.
    $\boldsymbol{l}$ For students in scientific dopartment, see Tablo $\mathbf{X}$,
    $m$ Those are pursuing the commercial courso.
    $\boldsymbol{n}$ Facultios of arts, of 8 cienco, and of financo and cconomy.

[^102]:    

[^103]:    weeks.
    $g$ Winter t term, spring torm $\$ 10$.
    $h$ Reportod with classical depart
    $h$ Reported with classical department (see Tablo LX). *From Report of the Commissioner of Education for $b$ Value of laboratory, college museum, and furniture.

[^104]:    m"Master of philosophy." $n 4$ in course and 8 on examination. $o 4$ in course and 1 on examination. $p$ Conferred on examination.
    3 Thirse aro commercial diplomas.
    " "Mistress of arts."

[^105]:    1 Medical certificate
    iGraduate sin ladies' conuse.
    $j 12$ comnercialdiplomasand i wormal uiploma
    kMusical diploma.

[^106]:    a Mistress of English literatare.
    $b 5$ of these are commercial diplomas and 1 a normal diploma.
    $c$ Commercial diplomas.
    d "Master in pharmacy."
    c Graduates in theology.
    $f$ Degreo of "proficient."

[^107]:    a "Master of accounts."
    $b$ Graduates in theology.
    c Commereial dimlomas.
    dIncludes ? "bachelor of pedagogics," 14
    "principal in pedagogies," and 2 "bach-
    elor of inmestic art.
    e"Master of agricultural science."

[^108]:    g"Commercial diplomas."
    $h$ "Bachelor of applied chemistry."
    $i$ Graduates in theology.
    jD.D., ad eundem.

[^109]:    a'Graduate of agriculture."
    $b$ Degree of "graduate."
    $c 7$ of these are honorary.
    d This is S. T. D.

[^110]:    $a$ Honorary diploma.
    $b$ Diplomas conferring the title of "fall graduate."
    c2 received the degree of "full gradnate," and 10 are graduates in separate schools.
    d"Maid of arts."
    $e^{\text {"Master of English." }}$
    $f 5$ are "fall graduate," and 27 graduates in schools.

[^111]:    $*$ From a retarn for 1884.

[^112]:    * From a return for 1884

[^113]:    * From a roturn for 1884.

[^114]:    From a return for 1884.
    a Present number of volumes is not knomn；the library numbered 30,000 rolumes before the recent

[^115]:    ＊From a retarn for 1884.

[^116]:    *From a return for 1834.
    aIncluding John.C. Green School of Science and Astronomical Observatory Libraries.

[^117]:    * From a retura for 1834.

[^118]:    * From a return for 1884.

[^119]:    *Troin a return for 1884. a Report of only fire libraries each having 300 rolames or orer has been received.

[^120]:    $c$ Date of iucorporation of hospital.

[^121]:    * From Report of the Commissioner of Edacation for 1883-'84.
    $a$ Music is taught.
    $b$ Brush and mat making also taught.
    c Instractors only.

[^122]:    * From Report of the Commissioner of Education for 1883-'84.
    $a$ Estimated.
    $b$ Kiulergarten instruction is given.
    c Instruction in calisthenics and domestic duties is given.

