

Daniel Smith

SCHOOL INSPECTION RETURNS

TEACHER'S RETURN

County.....York.....
Parish.....Queensbury.....
Date.....October 15th 1844

Signature of] Richard T. Ketchum
Teacher]

No.....Received.....Oct. 15th 1844

.....S. Z. Earl..... Inspector

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TEACHER'S RETURN

To be delivered to the Inspectors of Schools.

| COUNTY | PARISH | DISTRICT NAME | |
|---|------------|---------------|--|
| York | Queensbury | No. 5. | |
| Teacher's Name | Sex | Age | Married or Single |
| Richard T. Ketchum | Male | 18 | Single |
| | | | Date of original licence, and of licence for present School, 18. |
| Average number of Scholars in daily attendance. | | | |
| SUMMER | | WINTER | |
| Boys | Girls | Boys | Girls |
| 10 | 8 | 10 | 8 |
| SCHOOL HOURS | | | |
| SUMMER | | WINTER | |
| Six hours | | | |

Books and Apparatus used in the School -- Dilworth, Murray, and Fenning's spelling books, Old & New Testament, English Reader, Walkingame's Arithmetic, Murray & Tennics English Grammar, Pinnock's Chatechism of Geography, and the Lack Board.

Ranches of Education taught -- Spelling, Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, English Grammar, and Geography.

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF THE SCOLARS

| No. | NAMES | Ages | | No. | NAMES | Ages | |
|-----|---------------------|------|-------|-----|------------------|------|-------|
| | | Boys | Girls | | | Boys | Girls |
| 1 | Brymer Ephraim | 10 | | 21 | Manuel Elizabeth | | 8 |
| 2 | Brymer Lavinia | | 13 | 22 | Manuel Emiline | | 6 |
| 3 | Brymer Sidney | 6 | | 23 | Parent David | 12 | |
| 4 | Christy Mary Ann | | 13 | 24 | Parent Solomon | 10 | |
| 5 | Cameron William | 16 | | 25 | Parent Abigail | | 12 |
| 5 | Cameron Peter | 13 | | 26 | Parent Emma | | 10 |
| 7 | Cameron Abraham | 10 | | 27 | Parent Lidia | | 9 |
| 3 | Cameron Benjamin | 9 | | 28 | Parent Edward | 6 | |
| 2 | Cameron Arthur | 8 | | 29 | Parent Sarah Ann | | 5 |
| 2 | Cameron Benjamin | 5 | | 30 | Quigg John | 8 | |
| 1 | Cameron George | 6 | | 31 | | | |
| 1 | Cameron Daniel | 7 | | 32 | | | |
| 3 | Cameron David | 6 | | 33 | | | |
| 2 | Earls Hester | | 9 | 34 | | | |
| 1 | Elliot Margaret | | 6 | 35 | | | |
| 1 | Morehouse Georginna | | 11 | 36 | | | |
| 1 | Morehouse Frederick | 8 | | 37 | | | |
| 1 | Morehouse John | 8 | | 38 | | | |
| 1 | Manuel George | 10 | | 39 | | | |
| 1 | Manuel Cornelius | 9 | | 40 | | | |

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Note.--This Return is to be filled up in the handwriting of the Teacher of each school receiving pecuniary aid from Government, at the first convenient opportunity after its receipt, and to be kept ready for delivery to the Inspector on his arrival.

INSPECTOR'S RETURN

To accompany the Teacher's Return.

| COUNTY | PARISH | DISTRICT NAME |
|---|------------|--|
| York | Queensbury | No. 5 |
| Estimated Parish Population of all ages. } - - { | | |
| | 1373 | Ditto under 16 years. |
| | | 335 Males. 294 Females. |
| Estimated number of Children between 6 and 16 in the School } - - { | | |
| | | District who do not attend Schools or have no means of receiving instruction, } None. Free 3 |

1. Teacher's Name? Richard T. Ketchum
- Religious profession of the Teacher, and of the majority of the Children? Church of England, Majority pupils Baptist.
- How long in charge of School? 3 months
2. Contributions for the support of the Teacher beyond the Government allowance, and how paid? about £30 including board £15.0.0 for him paid by the proprietors exclusive of board
3. Names of the Trustees of Schools for the Parish? George Morehouse, Louis Hueston and George Ingraham.
4. School House, Public or Private Property, and by whom provided? Built by the inhabitants on the public Highway.
- Dimensions? 16 x 15 x 7½ feet.
- Has the Teacher any other accommodations connected with the School? None
- Suitableness of Furniture, or destitution of what may be essentially necessary? Well provided with writing Desks and Benches.
5. Number of Children present on the day of Inspection, distinguishing Boys and Girls? 10 Boys & 5 Girls
- Are the Children supplied with Books including Bibles and Testaments, and in what manner? The Parents have supplied the pupils with Books sufficient for their present wants.
- Has Scriptural instruction been imparted, and with reference to any and what particular forms? No Catechism, The Scripture is used as a reading Book only.
- What Branches of Industry, if any, are taught, distinguishing Boys and Girls? None
- What methods of discipline are resorted to; and, if any, what modes of correction or punishment for disobedience or misconduct, and whether rewards are given? Whipping for wilful disobedience
Admonition for minor offences.
No rewards are given.
6. The nature and extent of the Instruction given to the Children--the method in which imparted, orally or otherwise? The Children are taught in Classes. The Senior Class were good readers, they paying proper attention to the pauses, Emphasis and cadence and from their answers to questions put to them from their reading lessons showed a correct knowledge of the subject then operating