

**ELEVENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE
BOARD OF EDUCATION, TOGETHER WITH
THE THIRTY-SIXTH
ANNUAL REPORT OF THE
COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS,
OF RHODE ISLAND, JANUARY, 1881**

Published @ 2017 Trieste Publishing Pty Ltd

ISBN 9780649057498

Eleventh Annual Report of the Board of Education, Together with the Thirty-Sixth Annual Report of the Commissioner of Public Schools, of Rhode Island, January, 1881 by Various

Except for use in any review, the reproduction or utilisation of this work in whole or in part in any form by any electronic, mechanical or other means, now known or hereafter invented, including xerography, photocopying and recording, or in any information storage or retrieval system, is forbidden without the permission of the publisher, Trieste Publishing Pty Ltd, PO Box 1576 Collingwood, Victoria 3066 Australia.

All rights reserved.

Edited by Trieste Publishing Pty Ltd.
Cover @ 2017

This book is sold subject to the condition that it shall not, by way of trade or otherwise, be lent, re-sold, hired out, or otherwise circulated without the publisher's prior consent in any form or binding or cover other than that in which it is published and without a similar condition including this condition being imposed on the subsequent purchaser.

www.triestepublishing.com

VARIOUS

**ELEVENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE
BOARD OF EDUCATION, TOGETHER WITH
THE THIRTY-SIXTH
ANNUAL REPORT OF THE
COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS,
OF RHODE ISLAND, JANUARY, 1881**

ELEVENTH ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
BOARD OF EDUCATION,
TOGETHER WITH THE
THIRTY-SIXTH ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS,
OF
RHODE ISLAND,
JANUARY, 1881.

PROVIDENCE:
E. L. FREEMAN & CO., PRINTERS TO THE STATE,
1881.



CONTENTS.

- I. REPORT OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.
- II. RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR FREE PUBLIC LIBRARIES.
- III. REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF THE SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF.
- IV. REPORT OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE STATE NORMAL SCHOOL.
- V. REPORT OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF THE STATE NORMAL SCHOOL.
- VI. SEMI-ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF THE STATE NORMAL SCHOOL.
- VII. ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF THE STATE NORMAL SCHOOL.
- VIII. REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS.
- IX. APPENDIX.

	PAGE.
Names of School Officers and Teachers.....	3
Apparatus	18
Appropriations and Expenditures.....	21
Attendance, Absenteeism, Truancy and Compulsory Education..	23
Condition of Schools.....	30
Discipline.....	34
District Boundaries.....	36
Duties of Parents and Citizens.....	37
Education.....	42
Educational Meetings.....	49

6720

76..

.3 (RECAP)

623380

Evening Schools.....	50
Examinations and Promotions.....	52
Free Libraries.....	56
Gradation.....	59
Hygiene.....	60
Manners and Morals.....	63
Primary Schools.....	69
Rules and Regulations.....	75
School Houses.....	82
Size of Schools.....	85
Studies.....	86
Supervision.....	100
Teachers.....	104
Text Books.....	118
Town System.....	123
Trustees.....	127
Statistical Tables.....	130
Text Books, Table No. 11.....	142
School Superintendents, Table No. 12.....	144
Index of Appendix By Towns.....	145
Index of Appendix by Topics.....	147

ELEVENTH ANNUAL REPORT

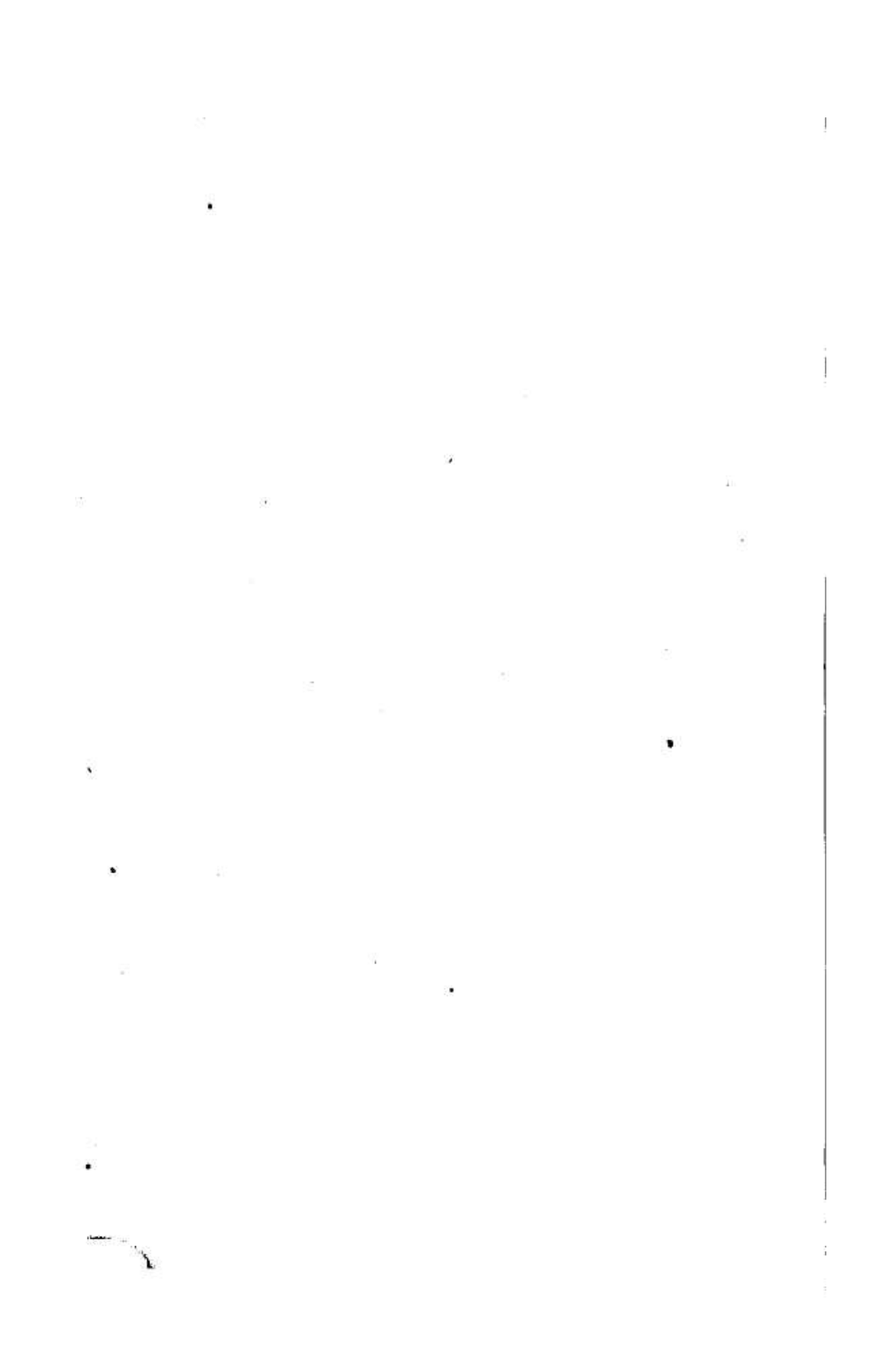
OF THE

BOARD OF EDUCATION

OF

RHODE ISLAND,

1880.



REPORT.

To the Honorable General Assembly of the State of Rhode Island :

The State Board of Education respectfully submits this its Eleventh Annual Report.

In addition to the four required by law, two special meetings have been held during the year. Of the various matters of routine, as also of the special subjects that have claimed and received attention, the most are such as call for no particular notice here. Many topics moreover upon which this Board would, under other circumstances, feel called upon and desirous to offer considerations and suggestions to your Honorable Body from year to year, are so fully and so well treated by the State Commissioner, in his successive annual reports, and commonly quite in the spirit and in the line which the Board itself would be disposed to adopt, that further discussion of them would be likely to involve needless repetition and reiteration.

One important function of this Board is the oversight and general direction of the State Normal School. Upon this branch of its work a special report is as usual herewith submitted.