

[Form A—No. 20.]

Loudoun.....*COUNTY.*

ANNUAL REPORT of the Superintendent of Schools for year ending July 31, 1894.

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1st. Date of Annual Meeting of County or City School Board for reviewing the work of 1893-'94.

Ans. August 14th

2d. Were the accounts of Treasurer laid before the County or City Board at this meeting and duly examined?

Ans. They were carefully examined by the Co. Supt., aided by the Dist. Clerks.

Was their condition satisfactory?

Ans. Yes, entirely so.

3d. Were the Records of the District Boards all laid before the County Board and duly acted on according to law?

Ans. They were examined by the Co. Supt., who reported results to the Co. Bd.

What was their condition as to accuracy and neatness?

Ans. All accurate. Some of them not very neatly kept.

4th. Were the Accounts of District Boards compared with those of County Treasurer by the County Board, as required by law?

Ans. Yes, through the Co. Supt. & Dist. Clerks under order of Co. Bd.

What was the result?

Ans. They agreed in all respects

5th. Was the annual settlement made with the County Treasurer by the County Board, as required by law?

Ans. Under order of the Co. Bd the settlement was made by the Co. Supt. & Dist. Clerks assisted by a Commissioner of Accounts.

Was this settlement satisfactory?

Ans. Yes. The work was done very carefully.

6th. Report any irregularities which may have been discovered in the proceedings of any Board, or in the acts of any officer, together with such action as was taken by the County Board in regard thereto.

Ans. No irregularities were discovered. The Board did not find it necessary to adjust any difficulties or to correct any abuses.

7th. Do your District Boards hold regular meetings, and how often?

Ans. They do not. They meet only when business requires attention.

8th. State the number of Institutes for white teachers held during the year, and the number of teachers present at each; also, the number of Institutes for colored teachers held during the year, and the number of teachers present at each.

Ans. 5 for W.T. and 5 for C.T. - These meetings were of one day each, held on Saturdays; were well attended & interesting, but I have no record of the numbers present

9th. Were all of your teachers supplied with the revised edition of the Virginia School Register, and were these registers all returned at the close of the session to the District Clerks, as required by law?

Ans. All but one were supplied with the Va. Register. Clerks report them returned.

10th. Were the salaries of all of your teachers promptly paid at the close of each school month during the term?

Ans. Yes. Taxes were not paid last year as promptly as usual and a few of the teachers by request held their warrants for several weeks during the months of January & February

L. M. Shumate

Sept. 5th, 1894.

Superintendent of Schools.