

session in 1887 was 1,930, being a decrease of 444 under those attending some of the terms in 1886. The following are the enrolments, attendances, &c., for the year 1887 :—

	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	
Enrolments ...	1,173	1,228	1,370	1,195	Average, 1,297·4
Attendances ...	13,154	13,206	18,638	14,383	Total, 59,381
Average attendance ...	612·3	661	769·8	711·8	Or 725·9, nightly average.

The occupations of the students attending the College during at least one session of the year were as follow : Accountants, 13 ; agents, dealers, &c., 22 ; architects' assistants, 40 ; artillerymen, 5 ; barman, 1 ; blacksmiths, 10 ; boilermakers, 14 ; bootmakers, 7 ; bookbinders, 2 ; boxmaker, 1 ; bricklayers, 19 ; builders, 10 ; butcher, 1 ; cabinetmakers, 3 ; carpenters, &c., 137 ; cement-tester, 1 ; chemists, &c., 39 ; Civil servants, 6 ; clergymen, 7 ; clerks, 229 ; coachbuilders, 9 ; coiner, 1 ; coopers, 2 ; curators, 2 ; compositors, 5 ; dressmakers, 3 ; decorators, 3 ; dentists, 6 ; draughtsmen, 31 ; drapers, 13 ; electricians, 4 ; engineers, 116 ; engine-drivers, 4 ; engravers, 6 ; farmers, 8 ; farriers, 2 ; feather-dresser, 1 ; firemen, 3 ; fitters and turners, 13 ; frame-maker, 1 ; gardeners, &c., 6 ; glass-stainers, &c., 4 ; grooms, &c., 5 ; grocers, 5 ; hairdresser, 1 ; hatter, 1 ; ironmongers, 13 ; jewellers, 7 ; journalists, 2 ; labourers, 6 ; ladies, 326 ; lithographers, 10 ; machinists, 3 ; mariners, 10 ; masons, &c., 38 ; matting-maker, 1 ; miller, 1 ; messengers, 26 ; modellers, 12 ; moulder, 1 ; musicians, 2 ; mineral-water maker, 1 ; operators, 6 ; painters, 47 ; pattern-makers, 9 ; photographers, 7 ; plasterers, 18 ; plumbers, 41 ; policemen, 4 ; printers, 14 ; potters, 2 ; railway employés, 3 ; reporter, 1 ; saddler, 1 ; salesmen, 13 ; shipwrights, 8 ; slaters, 3 ; signwriters, 13 ; stationer, 1 ; stereotyper, 1 ; storemen, 5 ; students, 243 ; surveyors' assistants, 23 ; tailors, 41 ; teachers, male, 34 ; teachers, female, 89 ; tinsmiths, 5 ; upholsterers, 4 ; veterinary assistants, 3 ; warehousemen, 6 ; wool-scurers, 2 ; wool-sorters, 2 : total, 1,930.

Branch, Suburban, and Country Technical Schools.

There were 751 individual students entered in these schools. The following are the enrolments, attendances, &c., for the year 1887 :—

	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.
Enrolments ...	545	496	529	556
Attendances ...	4,361	4,119	6,042	5,356
Average attendances ...	319·9	283·4	313·4	356

The following shows the average enrolments in country classes :—

District and Subject.	Average Enrolment.	Average Nightly Attendance.	District and Subject.	Average Enrolment.	Average Nightly Attendance.
Lawrence—			Coogee—		
Agriculture	13	8·2	Drawing	8·7	5·1
Physics	6	4·2	Petersham—		
Grafton—			Drawing	39·2	17·8
Physiology	4·2	3	Granville—		
Chemistry	5·2	3·3	Geometry	5	4·5
Physics	2·6	2·4	Mechanical drawing	4	3·7
Freehand	2·6	1·3	Parramatta—		
Geometry	2	1·9	Geometry	3·5	2·4
Perspective	1·5	1	Bathurst—		
Metallurgy	2	2	Mineralogy	4·7	3·1
Newcastle—			Geology	6·2	4·5
Mineralogy	6	4·1	Botany	5·2	3·4
Metallurgy	7	4·7	Chemistry	4·7	3·3
Geology	10	6·4	" practical	3	2·6
Chemistry	7	5·3	Physics	21·7	12·4
Mechanical drawing	13	8·2	Mathematics	5·2	3·4
Shorthand	28	22·4	Drawing	20·5	11·1
Building-construction	7·5	4·7	French	33	22·1
Freehand	14·7	11·1	Goulburn—		
Perspective	12·2	7·8	Mineralogy	4	2·1
Geometry	13	7·4	Geology	3·5	3
Plattsburg—			Chemistry	23	9·3
Model-drawing	12·2	9·6	" practical	4·2	2·3
Perspective	8·5	7·8	Mathematics	13·7	7·1
Lambton—			Drawing	66·2	22·8
Model-drawing	9·7	6·9	Architectural drawing	7·7	4·5
Geometry	8·5	6	Mechanical	4	3·3
West Maitland—			Morpeth—		
Drawing	35·2	15	Freehand drawing	22	13·9
Mathematics	13	8·8	Model	11	6·2
Singleton—					
Drawing	22·5	15·6	Total	591	353·5