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PREFACE

The scale of a building, heights of fittings and sizes of furniture should be closely related to the physical size of the users. Publication by the Education Society of Thailand of anthropometric data on Thai children makes it possible to arrange this Paper which presents certain of the data in a form suitable for use by those engaged in the design of Thai schools.

The data published by the Education Society comprise the measurements of 101,921 children in twelve regions of Thailand and form an adequate basis for the preparation of the material given here.

It should be noted that it is not the purpose of this Paper to advise on the design of furniture or buildings or to settle the distribution pattern of furniture of different sizes in the class-rooms: this is the function of the architect and is a subject that has been well described elsewhere. (1), (2), (3) and (4).

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