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NEW ZEALAND.

## NATIVE SCHOOLS

(FURTHER PAPERS RELATING TO).

*Presented to both Houses of the General Assembly by Command of His Excellency.*

Mr. R. J. GILL to the UNDER SECRETARY, Native Department.

SIR,—

Native Office, Wellington, 18th September, 1877.

I have the honor to submit, for your information, returns showing the attendance of Native and half-caste children receiving education at the several schools established or subsidized by the Government during the past financial year, together with a statement in detail of the sums expended for educational purposes during the same period.

The number of children entered on the various school-rolls receiving education on the 30th June last was 1,131 boys and 789 girls. The average daily attendance during the quarter being 791 boys and 565 girls.

The attendance during each quarter is shown as under:—

	NUMBER OF CHILDREN ON SCHOOL-ROLLS.			AVERAGE DAILY ATTENDANCE.		
	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.
September, 1876 ... ..	1,062	682	1,744	712	470	1,182
December, 1876 ... ..	1,027	663	1,690	700	482	1,182
March, 1877 ... ..	1,081	732	1,813	757	509	1,266
June, 1877 ... ..	1,131	789	1,920	791	565	1,356

The schools at which these children attend may be classed—

1. *Village Day Schools*.—Of these, there are 50 in fair working order, 42 in the North and 8 in the South Island, attended by 1,000 boys and 638 girls; giving employment to 48 masters, 38 mistresses, and 6 pupil-teachers. The expense of these 50 schools during the year has been—including salaries, school furniture, books, and all incidental expenses other than the erection and repair of buildings—£6,928 17s. 3d., being at the rate of £4 4s. 7d. per annum for each pupil.

2. *Provincial District Schools*.—26 boys and 18 girls received education at these schools, the expense being £184 0s. 4d., equal to £4 3s. 10d. per annum for each child.

3. *Private Day Schools*.—6 boys and 7 girls attended these schools, the cost being £79, or £6 1s. 6d. for each pupil.

4. *Public Institutions and Schools at which children are educated, boarded, and clothed*.—There are 13 of these schools, attended by 99 boys and 126 girls; the sum paid as capitation, &c., for the year being £3,386 17s., equal to £15 1s. per child per annum. These schools afford a superior education to deserving boys transferred from village schools.

The sums expended on Maori education, under the supervision of the Native Office, during the year have been—

From public moneys—	£	s.	d.
Salaries of teachers ... ..	5,692	6	1
School fees ... ..	260	7	6
Capitation to boarding schools ... ..	3,154	5	0
Books, school furniture, fittings, &c. ... ..	1,218	4	10
Erection and repairs of buildings ... ..	4,442	4	9
Management, inspection, travelling, &c. ... ..	624	19	5
	<u>£15,392</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>7</u>
Contributions from Natives—	£	s.	d.
Towards salaries, &c. ... ..	464	12	2
„ erection of buildings ... ..	572	19	0
	<u>1,037</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>2</u>
	<u>£16,429</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>9</u>

Much sickness during the year has prevailed in many Native districts, and has greatly interfered with the regular attendance of children at school. I have, &c.,

The Under Secretary, Native Department.  
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RICHD. JOHN GILL,  
Secretary for Native Schools.



RETURN showing Number of Children entered on School Register, with average Attendance, &c.—continued.

DISTRICT.	SCHOOL.	TEACHER.	SEPTEMBER QUARTER.				DECEMBER QUARTER.				MARCH QUARTER.				JUNE QUARTER.			
			Children on School Register.		Average Attendance.		Children on School Register.		Average Attendance.		Children on School Register.		Average Attendance.		Children on School Register.		Average Attendance.	
			Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.
AUCKLAND—continued.	East Coast ...	...	28	6	14	5	3	15	2	15	2	13	2	15	1	14	1	
	Kawakawa	R. T. Curtis	28	6	14	5	3	15	2	15	2	13	2	15	1	14	1	
	Waioataini	F. A. Green	28	9	25	8	30	11	26	8	35	12	32	10	33	11	31	
	Aku Aku	W. F. Browne	25	20	14	16	20	17	17	16	26	19	19	15	24	17	15	
	Tokomaru	R. Warner	18	17	15	13	15	22	10	16	37	20	11	7	22	17	11	
	Tologa Bay	S. Parker	14	10	7	8	4	8	4	11	4	5	3	14	4	7	2	
	Whakato	F. J. Carrington	18	9	6	3	7	6	6	3	13	6	5	2	17	5	3	
	Wairoa	R. T. McRoberts	24	18	14	10	20	21	12	15	20	15	10	7	21	15	10	
	Omahu	W. D. Lysnar	25	19	3	2	23	13	1	3	23	27	8	9	...	...	...	
	Te Aute Institute	...	35	...	32	...	34	...	32	...	35	...	33	...	36	...	34	
HAWKE'S BAY :—	Wairoa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	Neptea	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	Te Aute Institute	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	Girls' School	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	St. Joseph's Providence	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	St. Mary's Meance	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	Matatara	T. Lewis	11	3	5	3	10	4	7	3	9	4	6	3	10	5	8	
	Iruharua	R. Donaldson	33	13	21	7	37	16	25	10	43	22	27	10	45	22	26	
	Parikino	H. N. Nickless	11	1	4	1	16	1	10	1	12	1	2	1	9	1	3	
	Awahuri	E. M. Menzies	14	10	9	7	17	12	9	8	12	8	6	4	13	9	4	
WELLINGTON :—	Wellington City	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	Wellington College	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	Te Aro	Provincial School	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	Bowden and Porritt	...	2	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	A. Boughton	...	7	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	Waitara West	Provincial School	4	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	Waitara East	Provincial School	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	Huirangi	Provincial School	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	Oakura	Provincial School	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	TABANAKI :—	Waitara	J. Cutling	8	6	7	5	7	6	4	9	5	7	4	8	5	7	3
Arahura		S. Fittall	10	3	8	2	12	4	8	3	11	3	9	3	8	4	6	
Little River		H. J. Reeves	15	10	13	9	14	10	12	9	14	10	13	9	16	11	13	
Otago Heads		W. S. Lucas	23	15	16	11	21	17	11	15	19	17	13	16	17	16	15	
Waikouaiti		M. Moloney	21	13	17	10	21	14	17	11	21	17	17	12	22	18	13	
Flint's Bush		Provincial School	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Taieri Ferry		Provincial School	8	7	6	6	8	7	7	6	8	8	7	7	8	9	8	
Taieri Beach		Provincial School	7	2	5	3	5	2	7	3	7	3	4	2	7	3	4	
Purakanui		Provincial School	2	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	3	1	2	1	3	1	1	
Riverton		Provincial School	12	16	8	12	19	17	9	10	13	8	9	9	12	14	8	
OTAGO :—	Ruapuke	J. F. H. Wohlens	7	7	5	6	6	4	4	5	5	4	7	4	7	4	7	
	The Neck	A. W. Traill	16	19	8	11	20	20	10	11	17	16	8	8	8	4	6	
	Port Chalmers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
WELLINGTON :—	Waitara West	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	Waitara East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	Huirangi	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	Oakura	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	Waitara	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	Arahura	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	Little River	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	Port Chalmers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	Waikouaiti	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	Stewart's Island	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
			1,062	682	712	470	663	700	482	1,081	732	757	509	1,131	789	791	565	

RETURN showing Amount Expended on Education of Natives, during Year 1876-77.

District.	School.	Teacher.	Salaries.	Capitation.	Erection and Repair of Buildings.	Books, School Furniture, &c.	Total.	Recoveries from School Committee.	Remarks.
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
AUCKLAND:— Mangonui	Ahipera	G. Masters	22 16 0	...	273 0 0	32 19 0	328 15 0	...	
	Kaitiaki	R. H. Dunn	150 16 8	...	155 0 0	14 3 2	319 19 10	4 14 0	
	Peria	J. F. Capper	165 16 8	...	111 2 6	62 5 9	339 4 11	22 11 6	
	Awanui	E. D. W. Matthews	129 3 4	...	...	15 9 6	144 12 10	...	
	Pukepoto	C. M. Masters	190 8 4	...	7 0 0	38 6 9	235 15 1	...	
	Te Ngaere	E. C. Cornes	130 0 0	...	125 13 6	11 1 0	266 14 6	5 5 6	
	Waitapu	C. P. Hill	130 0 0	...	...	7 15 0	137 15 0	4 10 0	
	Waima	J. Moore	120 0 0	...	...	20 16 4	140 16 4	17 19 0	
	Oriwa	J. Harrison	147 10 0	...	15 0 0	35 12 11	198 2 11	17 19 0	
	Pakia	G. E. Woods	140 0 0	...	...	30 0 9	170 0 9	18 0 0	
Hokianga	Whirinaki	J. Mitchell	117 13 9	...	66 0 0	88 15 9	272 9 6	4 11 6	
	Lower Waihou	C. H. Lundon	10 10 9	...	151 5 0	17 2 3	178 18 0	...	Also £50 paid direct by School Committee.
	Upper Waihou	A. Faithfull	...	...	...	17 2 3	17 2 3	...	Also £50 paid direct by School Committee.
	Waimate	Mrs. Hickton	...	6 0 0	...	...	6 0 0	...	
	Oromahoe	E. M. Tabuteau	102 10 0	...	...	38 15 6	141 5 6	24 0 0	
	Watomio	D. Lorrigan	140 0 0	...	111 12 0	4 5 10	255 17 10	...	
	Taumarere	J. Tautari	...	457 0 0	...	16 17 6	473 17 6	...	
	Mangakakia	S. Calkin	130 0 0	...	...	0 5 0	130 5 0	28 9 8	
	Te Ti	W. H. Simcox	29 3 4	...	34 1 0	15 1 9	78 6 1	...	
	Ohaeawai	E. Watling	15 9 8	...	266 14 0	22 11 6	304 15 2	...	
Kaipara...	Waikare	Miss Stephenson	...	...	287 6 9	...	287 6 9	...	
	Kaikohe	Hirini Taiwhanga	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 6 0	...	
	Otamatea	R. Haszard	150 0 0	...	144 15 0	28 15 0	323 10 0	...	
	Kaihu	H. W. Baker	...	...	250 9 0	17 10 0	267 19 0	185 19 0	
	Orakei	G. Collins	120 0 0	...	110 12 3	26 1 2	256 13 5	...	
	Grammar School	...	...	15 0 0	...	...	15 0 0	...	
	St. Stephen's Institute	...	100 0 0	446 9 0	...	155 3 0	701 12 0	...	
	St. Mary's Institute	...	...	73 2 0	...	...	73 2 0	...	
	Rev. T. Chapman	...	...	17 1 8	...	...	17 1 8	...	
	Rev. H. H. Lawry	...	...	19 0 0	...	...	19 0 0	...	
Auckland	Auckland College	...	...	22 16 0	...	...	22 16 0	...	
	Karakariki	Rev. C. H. Schnackenberg	...	127 13 8	...	...	127 13 8	...	
	Kawhia	Rev. C. H. Schnackenberg	...	50 0 0	...	...	50 0 0	...	
	Aotea	Rev. C. H. Schnackenberg	40 0 0	12 10 0	...	...	12 10 0	...	
	Taupiri	M. Tarawhiti	...	...	...	37 10 0	77 10 0	...	
	Fararwai	Provincial School	...	6 15 0	...	...	6 15 0	...	
	Huarua	C. A. Ogilvie	...	12 0 0	...	...	12 0 0	...	
	Mercer	Provincial School	...	...	150 0 0	...	150 0 0	...	
	Alexandra	Provincial School	...	12 0 0	...	...	12 0 0	...	
	Rangiaowhia	Provincial School	...	6 0 0	...	...	6 0 0	...	
Bay of Plenty	Kihi Kihi	Provincial School	...	15 0 0	...	...	15 0 0	...	
	Whareroa	W. H. Quinlan	70 0 0	...	21 3 0	4 5 1	95 8 1	...	
									£50 contributed by Natives towards erection of School Buildings.



