

TABLE No. 2.

CLASSIFIED SUMMARY of NET EXPENDITURE ON NATIVE SCHOOLS during 1885.

| | £ | s. | d. |
|---|----------------|----------|----------|
| Village-school salaries | 10,169 | 1 | 1 |
| Teachers' allowances for special objects | 195 | 5 | 10 |
| Teachers' removal allowances | 224 | 0 | 0 |
| Books and school requisites | 386 | 4 | 10 |
| Prizes for regular attendance | 127 | 13 | 4 |
| Standard prizes | 43 | 15 | 0 |
| Bonus for passing higher standard | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Planting sites | 12 | 12 | 5 |
| Repairs and small works | 239 | 10 | 7 |
| Inspector | 500 | 0 | 0 |
| Inspectors' travelling expenses | 220 | 18 | 0 |
| Travelling expenses of District Superintendents and other officers.. .. . | 47 | 11 | 9 |
| Board of girls with teachers | 14 | 0 | 0 |
| Subsidies for games | 3 | 13 | 2 |
| Subsidies for music | 10 | 4 | 0 |
| Sundries (including sewing material, £127 1s. 8d., and deducting refunds for sewing material, £130 14s. 10d., and refund from Te Makarini Trustees, £12 2s. 9d.).. .. . | 106 | 12 | 11 |
| Boarding-schools, higher education, and apprenticeship | 1,492 | 13 | 6 |
| Travelling expenses of scholars sent to boarding-schools.. .. . | 40 | 1 | 6 |
| Buildings, fencing, furniture, &c. | 4,235 | 12 | 11 |
| School at Chatham Islands | 182 | 11 | 8 |
| | <u>£18,255</u> | <u>8</u> | <u>2</u> |

NOTE.—Of the above total, £211 9s. 9d. was paid from Native reserves funds, leaving a net Government expenditure of £18,043 18s. 5d.

TABLE No. 3.

AGES of the CHILDREN on the BOOKS of the NATIVE VILLAGE SCHOOLS at 31st December, 1885.

| Age. | Boys. | Girls. | Total. | Percentage. |
|-------------------------------------|-------|--------|--------|-------------|
| Under five years | 37 | 36 | 73 | 3.38 |
| Five and under ten years | 665 | 518 | 1,183 | 54.74 |
| Ten and under fifteen years | 457 | 348 | 805 | 37.25 |
| Fifteen years and upwards | 56 | 44 | 100 | 4.63 |
| Totals | 1,215 | 946 | 2,161 | 100.00 |