9. Diplomas of degrees in the University of New Zealand were presented in 1886 to four gentlemen who have been students of this college, namely, to Mr. Arthur Gifford, B.A., the degree of Master of Arts, with first-class honours; to Mr. C. Z. Clayton, B.A., the degree of LL.B.; and to Messrs. H. L. James and Walter Kerr, the degree of Bachelor of Arts.

10. The number of graduates of the University of New Zealand whose names are on the college register, and who are therefore entitled to vote in the election of members of the College Council, is at present 19; of whom 8 are *ad eundem*.

11. An audited statement of the accounts is hereunto annexed.

I have, &c.,
G. Maurice O'Rorke,
Chairman of the College Council.

The Hon. the Minister of Education.

Receipts and Expenditure of the Auckland University College for the Year ending 31st December, 1886.

Receipts.	£	s.	d.	*Expenditure.*	£	s.	d.
To Bank balance, 1st January	387	13	7	By Salaries—			
Cash in hand	14	5	1	Professors..	2,651	17	0
Fixed deposit	2,000	0	0	Registrar	150	0	0
Statutory grant	4,000	0	0	Lecturer on anatomy	150	0	0
Interests on fixed deposit	100	0	0	Chemical attendant	100	12	6
				Natural-science attendant	84	0	0
				Caretaker	26	0	0
				Housekeeper	26	0	0
				Repairs and fittings	155	10	2
				Furniture	31	11	4
				Apparatus	1	10	6
				Stationery	9	5	11
				Printing	72	8	6
				Advertising	36	12	3
				Cleaning, lighting, and firing	38	5	11
				Miscellaneous	20	0	10
				Public account, refund	409	11	4
				Agent-General, remitted	25	8	9
				Insurance	11	4	1
				Scholarship	100	0	0
				Interest	0	18	6
				Charges on Sinclair and Gillies Scholarship Account	0	6	2
				Chemistry	101	17	9
				Natural science	71	15	9
				Lecture requisites	24	0	8
				Endowments	16	19	9
				Fixed deposit	2,000	0	0
				Bank of New Zealand	173	9	11
				Cash in hand	3	13	7
				Cash for January, 1887, payment ..	8	17	6
	£6,501	18	8		£6,501	18	8

Examined, with the books and vouchers. The charges on Sinclair and Gillies Scholarship Account are to be refunded in 1887. In lecture requisites a sum of £50 must be treated as an advance to Professor Thomas, to be duly accounted for. Of payments of £409 11s. 4d. to the Public Account, and £25 8s. 9d. to the Agent-General, I am furnished with no particulars: the Treasury Department can probably supply information and vouchers. The accounts are otherwise passed as correct.—L. A. Durrieu, Auditor, 23rd March, 1887.

Sinclair and Gillies Scholarship Account to 31st December, 1886.

Capital Account.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Amount received for the Trust	3,000	0	0	Lent on mortgage	3,000	0	0

Revenue Account.

1886.	*Receipts.*	£	s.	d.	1886.	*Expenditure.*	£	s.	d.
Jan. 1.	To Balance in hand	225	17	3	Dec. 31.	By Scholarships—			
Mar. 6.	Interest from Auckland Agricultural and Pastoral Association	56	5	0		T. H. Green	100	0	0
July 16.	Ditto	56	5	0		T. E. Wilson	100	0	0
Oct. 21.	Ditto	56	5	0		Advertising	2	5	0
Nov. 15.	Ditto	56	5	0		Miscellaneous	9	16	6
						Balance	238	15	9
		£450	17	3			£450	17	3
1886. Dec. 31.	To Balance Bank of New Zealand ..	£238	15	9					
	Interest due, £56 5s.								

Examined.—A small error, 6s. 2d., between this account and the general account will be adjusted in following year; otherwise correct.—L. A. Durrieu, Auditor, 23rd March, 1887.

[*Approximate Cost of Paper.*—Preparation, *Nil*; printing (1,500 copies), £1 15s.]

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