

3. WORK OF THE HIGHEST AND LOWEST CLASSES.

Highest—Boys' School: Mathematics—Geometry (Godfrey and Siddons), algebra (Hall and Knight), arithmetic (Pendlebury), trigonometry (Pendlebury), all to Junior Scholarship standard. English—Nesfield's Manual and English Past and Present; Shakespeare's King Lear; Carlyle's Sartor Resartus: Junior Scholarship standard. Latin—Livy, Hannibal's First Campaign; Virgil, Æneid I; Prose Composition and Sight Translation (Millington); Cæsarian Prose (Simpson); Bradley's Arnold; Kennedy's Revised Latin Primer; Horton's History of the Romans; Gow's Companion to the Classics; Creighton's Rome: Junior Scholarship standard. French—Le Bourgeois Gentilhomme (Molière); Charles XII (Voltaire); Voyage de M. Perrichon; Selections from Modern French Verse (Berthon); Blouet's Prose Composition; Brachet's Grammar; Stedman's Grammar Questions; Idioms, Phonetic Transcript, &c.: Junior Scholarship standard. Science—Mechanics and hydrostatics (Tutorial), to Junior Scholarship standard; heat (Tutorial), to Junior Scholarship standard; chemistry (Jago), to Matriculation standard; physiology (Furieux), to Matriculation standard. History (Ransome), to Matriculation standard. Geography (Gill, &c.), to Matriculation standard. *Girls' School*: English grammar—Junior Scholarship syllabus; text-book, Nesfield's English Grammar Past and Present. English literature—Milton's Samson Agonistes; Carlyle's Sartor Resartus, Book I. Latin—Kennedy's Revised Latin Primer; Bradley's Arnold, to exercise 40; Horace's Odes, Book I; Livy, Book I, to chapter 16; Cæsar, Book II. French—General grammar, based on Wellington College French Grammar; Berthon's Specimens of Modern French Verse, Part I; Le Chateau de Bois Dormant (Lectures pour Tous). Mechanics—Statics and Dynamics; Text, Elements of Statics and Dynamics (Loney). Trigonometry—Pendlebury's Elementary Trigonometry, to page 218, omitting inverse rotation. Arithmetic—Whole subject, Junior University Scholarship standard. Algebra—Junior University Scholarship syllabus; Hall and Knight's Elementary Algebra. Geometry—Godfrey Siddons, Books I to IV. Botany—Junior Scholarship syllabus; Denby and Lucas's Botany; Notes.

Lowest.—Boys' School: Reading, writing, spelling, composition, and recitation, more advanced than for Standard VI; Nesfield's Manual of English Grammar and Composition; Dickens's Christmas Stories; Tennyson for the Young. Arithmetic—Southern Cross, Standard VI. Drawing—Freehand and geometrical. History—Macmillan's Intermediate Reader. Geography—Imperial Geography (S.C. series), Standards V and VI. Science—Elementary Physiology (Murché) and Elementary Chemistry (Jago). *Girls' School*: English—Grammar—Nesfield's Grammar, Standards IV, V, and VI; easy parsing and analysis; literature—L'Allegro, Il Penseroso; Ivanhoe (Nelson's Supplementary Reader); Stronach's English Literature, chapters 7 to 10 inclusive; history—The Tudor Period; Mrs. Buckley's History; geography—Southern Cross Geography, Standards IV, V, and VI, British possessions only; physical geography—definitions, agents of change, climate. Mathematics—Arithmetic—L.C.M., H.C.F., decimals, vulgar fractions, area, proportion, simple interest; geometry—Godfrey and Siddons's Elementary Geometry, propositions 1 to 10, and very easy exercises; practical work to exercise 165; algebra—Hall and Knight's Elementary Algebra, to page 75. Science—Murché's Animal Physiology, Parts I, II, and III. Latin—Macmillan's Shorter Latin Course, Part I to end of section 38. French—Hogben's Méthode Naturelle, to end lesson 36. Drawing—Model drawing of simple forms; brushwork—Simple designs from flowers, &c. Sewing—Samplers or simple garment.

GISBORNE HIGH SCHOOL.

GENERAL STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS for the Year ended 31st December, 1905.

<i>Receipts.</i>			<i>Expenditure.</i>		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
Balance at beginning of year	2,838	15 6	Office salary	25	0 0
Receipts from Government—			Other expenses of management	4	17 9
Government grants for building, furni- ture, &c.	119	8 4	Printing, stationery, and advertising	3	10 4
Capitation under Manual and Technical Instruction Regulations	23	12 3	Government grants for furniture and fittings	115	0 4
Subsidy on voluntary contributions— manual and technical instruction	51	12 0	Purchases and new works	161	9 8
Current income from reserves	150	0 0	Fencing, repairs, &c.	19	15 0
Interest on moneys invested and on un- paid purchase-money	135	1 0	Advanced to technical classes	62	16 0
Paid by School Commissioners	457	0 6	Technical classes	153	7 3
Interest on current account	1	8 0	Insurance	9	7 1
Voluntary contributions—manual and technical instruction	54	2 0	Balance Hawke's Bay Education Board	275	7 9
Grant from Hawke's Bay Education Board on account of teachers' classes and capita- tion on same	24	18 6	Balance at end of year	3,025	6 11
	<u>£3,855</u>	<u>18 1</u>		<u>£3,855</u>	<u>18 1</u>

W. MORGAN, Secretary.