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REPORT.

Office of the Department of Education,
Wellington, 12th September, 1906.

MY LORD,—

I have the honour, in accordance with the provisions of "The Education Act, 1904," to submit to Your Excellency the following report upon the progress and condition of public education in New Zealand during the year ending the 31st December, 1905.

I have, &c.,
GEO. FOWLDS.

His Excellency the Right Hon. Baron Plunket,
Governor of New Zealand.

IN this Report and its proper Appendix, in the Inspector-General's Report (E.-1A) on the certificate and other examinations, the Reports of the Inspectors of Schools (E.-1B), a Report on the Training of Teachers (E.-1C), and the Report on the Organization of the Public-school Cadets (E.-1D) is contained all the information that is of public interest with respect to the administration of "The Education Act, 1904," "The Education Act Amendment Act, 1905," and "The Education Reserves Act, 1877," and also all the principal statistics relating to matters which are more fully dealt with in separate papers, as follows: E.-2, Native Schools; E.-3, Industrial Schools; E.-3A, Costley Training Institution; E.-4, School for Deaf-mutes; E.-5, Manual and Technical Instruction; E.-6, New Zealand University; E.-7, University of Otago; E.-8, Canterbury College; E.-9, Auckland University College; E.-10, Victoria College; E.-11, Canterbury Agricultural College; E.-12, Secondary Education; E.-13, Public Libraries.

PUPILS IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

In the schools throughout the colony the total average attendance, which in 1904 showed an increase of 3,459 over the previous year's return, rose in 1905 to 120,265, a number which exceeds the total for 1904 by 3,759. The increase for the year thus shown is greater than any occurring since the year 1894.

There has been a small increase in attendance throughout the year; a noticeable feature is that the falling-off during the second and third quarters of the year, due chiefly to the severity of the winter weather, has almost disappeared. The variation between the lowest and highest total attendance for the quarters of 1905 was only 796, as against 2,127 for the previous year. The attendance for the first quarter was 120,281; for the second, 120,126; for the third, 119,929; and for the fourth, 120,725.

TABLE A1.—SCHOOL ATTENDANCE AND YEARLY INCREASE FROM 1877 TO 1905.

[Up to 1893 the average attendance is the "strict" average, after that year it is the "working" average.]

Year.	School Attendance.					Yearly Increase on			
	Number belonging at Beginning of Year.	Number belonging at End of Year.	Average Attendance.		Average Attend- ance expressed as percentage of Roll-number.	Number belonging at Beginning of Year.	Number belonging at End of Year.	Average Attendance.	
			Fourth Quarter.	Whole Year.				Fourth Quarter.	Whole Year.
1877	..	55,688	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1878	50,849	65,040	49,435	45,521	..	..	9,352	..	..
1879	59,707	75,566	57,301	53,067	73·8	8,858	10,526	7,866	7,546
1880	68,124	82,401	62,946	60,625	74·6	8,417	6,835	5,645	7,558
1881	74,359	83,560	63,009	61,822	74·2	6,235	1,159	63	1,197
1882	76,309	87,179	66,426	63,709	73·6	1,950	3,619	3,417	1,887
1883	79,416	92,476	70,077	67,373	74·0	3,107	5,297	3,651	3,664
1884	84,883	97,238	74,650	72,657	75·1	5,467	4,762	4,573	5,284
1885	90,670	102,407	80,183	78,327	76·6	5,787	5,169	5,533	5,670
1886	95,377	106,328	83,361	80,737	76·1	4,707	3,921	3,178	2,410
1887	99,206	110,919	87,386	85,637	77·0	3,829	4,591	4,025	4,900
1888	103,534	112,685	90,849	90,108	79·3	4,328	1,766	3,463	4,471
1889	104,919	115,456	94,308	93,374	80·3	1,385	2,771	3,459	3,266
1890	108,158	117,912	96,670	94,632	79·9	3,239	2,456	2,362	1,258
1891	110,665	119,523	96,264	97,058	80·3	2,507	1,611	[-406]	2,426
1892	112,279	122,620	100,917	99,070	80·6	1,614	3,097	4,653	2,012
1893	114,305	124,686	99,872	98,615	78·5	2,026	2,066	[-1,045]	[-455]
1894	116,819	127,300	107,032	104,996	81·8	2,514	2,614	6,279	4,875
1895	119,900	129,856	108,708	108,394	82·8	3,081	2,556	1,676	3,398
1896	122,425	131,037	110,274	110,517	83·3	2,525	1,181	1,566	2,123
1897	123,533	132,197	111,952	112,323	83·9	1,108	1,160	1,678	1,811
1898	123,892	131,621	109,561	111,636	83·4	359	[-576]	[-2,391]	[-692]
1899	123,207	131,315	109,050	110,316	82·6	[-685]	[-306]	[-511]	[-1,320]
1900	123,416	130,724	111,498	111,747	84·1	209	[-591]	2,448	1,431
1901	122,725	131,351	112,354	111,797	84·1	[-691]	627	856	50
1902	123,456	132,262	111,556	113,711	84·9	731	911	[-798]	1,914
1903	124,095	133,568	114,232	113,047	83·9	633	1,306	2,676	[-664]
1904	125,150	135,475	117,965	116,506	85·5	1,055	1,907	3,733	3,459
1905	126,653	137,623	120,725	120,265	86·9	1,503	2,138	2,760	3,759

In the average of the weekly roll-numbers there is an increase of 2,189 for the year. The figures for 1904 were 136,282 and 138,471 for 1905. At the end of the year the number on the roll was 137,623, as against 135,475 for the previous year, an increase of 2,148.

Although the standard of regularity of attendance last year compared very favourably with that of any other country in the world, it was even higher for 1905—86·9 per cent., as compared with 85·5 per cent. for 1904, an increase of 1·4 per cent. In the first quarter the average daily attendance was 86·8 per cent. of the average weekly roll-number, in the second quarter 86·6 per cent., in the third quarter, 86·9 per cent., and in the fourth 87·1 per cent.

The increase in total average attendance was as usual much greater last year in the North Island than in the South. In 1899 the average attendance for the South Island was 56,486; in 1900 this fell to 56,111, in 1901 to 55,358; a recovery in 1902 brought it up to 56,110, and a further fall in 1903 reduced it to 54,422. In spite of the increase of 1,061 for 1904, and an additional 549 for 1905, the South Island has still 454 less than it had in 1899.

TABLE A2.—COMPARISON OF SCHOOL ATTENDANCE, 1904 AND 1905, NORTH ISLAND AND SOUTH ISLAND.

Districts.	Average Attendance.		
	1905.	1904.	Difference.
Auckland	27,507	25,722	1,785
Taranaki	4,252	4,092	160
Wanganui	10,774	10,391	383
Wellington	14,071	13,461	610
Hawke's Bay	7,629	7,357	272
Totals, North Island ..	64,233	61,023	3,210

TABLE A2.—COMPARISON OF SCHOOL ATTENDANCE, &c.—*continued*.

Districts.	Average Attendance.		
	1905.	1904.	Difference.
Marlborough	1,633	1,629	4
Nelson	4,831	4,712	119
Grey	1,381	1,384	- 3
Westland	901	927	- 26
North Canterbury	16,871	16,671	200
South Canterbury	4,501	4,444	57
Otago	17,438	17,397	41
Southland	8,476	8,319	157
Totals, South Island	56,032	55,483	549
Totals for colony	120,265	116,506	3,759

It will be seen from this table that there has been a very marked increase in average attendance in the Auckland District, placing it well ahead of other districts in this respect. The next largest increases shown are in the Wellington, Wanganui, Hawke's Bay and North Canterbury Districts, in none of which, however, is the rate of increase noted in the previous year fully maintained. The calculation of the daily attendance according to the working average came into force in 1894. In that year the attendance for the North Island was 46,830, and that for the South Island was 58,166. During the next five years there was an unbroken (but gradually diminishing) increase each year in the North Island, amounting altogether to 7,000. In the South Island, after an increase in the first two years of 1,515, there was a net falling-off of 1,670. During the subsequent five years the increase in the North Island was 7,193 and the falling-off in the South Island 1,003. For the whole period (1895–1905) the increase in the North Island has amounted to 30 per cent., and the decrease in the South Island to $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent., of the numbers in 1894.

Table A3 shows the average attendance for the year in each of the education districts of the colony, and also the regularity of attendance of the pupils on the school-rolls.

TABLE A3.—SCHOOL ATTENDANCE FOR 1905.

Education Districts	Roll-numbers.					Average Attendance for Whole Year.			Percentage of the Mean of Average Weekly Roll of Four Quarters.	
	Pupils at Beginning of Year.	Admitted during the Year.	Left during the Year.	Pupils belonging at End of Year.	Mean of Average Weekly Roll of Four Quarters.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	1905.	1904.
Auckland	29,008	14,325	11,694	31,639	31,673	14,645	12,862	27,507	86·8	84·9
Taranaki	4,532	2,090	1,670	4,952	4,977	2,289	1,963	4,252	85·4	83·9
Wanganui	11,448	5,765	4,727	12,486	12,583	5,692	5,082	10,774	85·6	84·2
Wellington	13,665	7,542	4,952	16,255	16,235	7,453	6,618	14,071	86·7	84·7
Hawke's Bay ..	8,285	3,625	3,040	8,870	8,986	4,026	3,603	7,629	84·9	84·5
Marlborough ..	1,803	654	561	1,896	1,923	864	769	1,633	84·9	83·9
Nelson	5,310	2,000	1,736	5,574	5,639	2,495	2,336	4,831	85·7	84·2
Grey	1,509	553	470	1,592	1,633	682	699	1,381	84·6	83·1
Westland	962	322	260	1,024	1,009	459	442	901	89·3	87·4
North Canterbury ..	18,058	7,238	5,911	19,385	19,568	8,789	8,082	16,871	86·2	85·1
South Canterbury ..	4,888	1,524	1,266	5,146	5,104	2,360	2,141	4,501	88·2	87·5
Otago	18,121	6,502	5,417	19,206	19,436	9,040	8,398	17,438	89·7	88·6
Southland	9,064	3,145	2,611	9,598	9,705	4,439	4,037	8,476	87·3	86·6
Totals for 1905 ..	126,653	55,285	44,315	137,623	138,471	63,233	57,032	120,265	86·9	..
Totals for 1904 ..	125,150	53,298	42,977	135,475	136,282	61,297	55,209	116,506	85·5	..
Difference	1,503	1,987	1,338	2,148	2,189	1,936	1,823	3,759	1·4	..

As regards regularity of school attendance in the several parts of the colony, it is a very gratifying fact that there has been a marked improvement in every district in the colony. Otago, which ever since 1901 has stood at the head of the list, still maintains that position with the fine percentage of 89·7, 1·1 per cent. higher even than last year. Westland, with a percentage of 89·3, and South Canterbury with 88·2 hold second and third places. Auckland, Wellington, and Wanganui have the highest percentages in the North Island. As a whole the South

Island shows a greater degree of regularity of attendance than the North, the respective rates being 87·5 per cent. and 86·4 per cent. of the average weekly roll. In 1904 the figures were 86·5 per cent. and 84·6 per cent. respectively.

TABLE A4.—CHILDREN OF MAORI AND MIXED RACES ATTENDING PUBLIC SCHOOLS, DECEMBER, 1905.

Education Districts.	Of Maori Race.			Of Mixed Race living as Maoris.			Of Mixed Race living as Europeans.			Total.			Number of Schools attended.
	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	
Auckland	682	532	1,214	53	45	98	404	368	772	1,139	945	2,084	203
Taranaki	26	22	48	2	..	2	26	16	42	54	38	92	17
Wanganui	177	113	290	3	4	7	20	43	63	200	160	360	44
Wellington	110	86	196	24	14	38	38	33	71	172	133	305	38
Hawke's Bay ..	249	155	404	15	22	37	81	68	149	345	245	590	44
Marlborough ..	4	2	6	3	4	7	15	4	19	22	10	32	4
Nelson	16	8	24	2	..	2	2	2	4	20	10	30	6
Grey .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Westland	8	6	14	2	2	4	1	..	1	11	8	19	4
North Canterbury ..	11	10	21	..	..	..	17	11	28	28	21	49	14
South Canterbury ..	4	10	14	..	..	..	6	4	10	10	14	24	3
Otago	11	16	27	3	4	7	26	19	45	40	39	79	13
Southland .. ..	..	1	1	12	11	23	51	47	98	63	59	122	17
Totals for 1905 ..	1,298	961	2,259	119	106	225	687	615	1,302	2,104	1,682	3,786	406
Totals for 1904 ..	1,187	854	2,041	146	111	257	594	554	1,148	1,927	1,519	3,446	390
Difference	111	107	218	-27	-5	-32	93	61	154	177	163	340	16

As will be seen from the above table the number of children of Maori and mixed race attending public schools has increased in 1905 by 340—namely, from 3,446 to 3,786; the number of such children in the Maori village schools is also greater by 109, rising from 3,754 in 1904 to 3,863 in 1905; while the number of scholars attending the Native boarding-schools has increased by 22, from 263 to 285. The total increase of pupils of Maori and mixed race in the colony thus amounts to 471, an advance of 6·3 per cent. on the number previously recorded.

TABLE B.—AGE AND SEX OF PUPILS, DECEMBER, 1905.

Ages.			Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Percentages for Five Years.				
						1905.	1904.	1903.	1902.	1901.
5 and under 6 years ..	..	..	5,864	5,323	11,187	8·1	7·8	7·8	7·6	7·9
6 " " 7 " " ..	..	..	7,397	6,728	14,125	10·3	10·3	10·4	10·3	10·4
7 " " 8 " " ..	..	..	8,060	7,561	15,621	11·4	11·5	11·3	11·2	11·3
8 " " 9 " " ..	..	..	8,170	7,628	15,798	11·5	11·5	11·5	11·5	11·4
9 " " 10 " " ..	..	..	8,195	7,652	15,847	11·5	11·4	11·5	11·3	11·4
10 " " 11 " " ..	..	..	8,080	7,510	15,590	11·3	11·5	11·5	11·3	11·5
11 " " 12 " " ..	..	..	8,094	7,359	15,453	11·2	11·1	11·1	11·1	11·2
12 " " 13 " " ..	..	..	7,649	6,930	14,579	10·6	10·7	10·6	10·8	10·5
13 " " 14 " " ..	..	..	6,081	5,342	11,423	8·3	8·3	8·2	8·4	8·2
14 " " 15 " " ..	..	..	3,002	2,412	5,414	3·9	4·0	4·0	4·4	4·3
5 " " 15 " " ..	..	..	70,592	64,445	135,037	98·1	98·1	97·9	97·9	98·1
15 and over .. ..	..	..	1,358	1,228	2,586	1·9	1·9	2·1	2·1	1·9
Totals .. ..	..	..	71,950	65,673	137,623	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0

Table B shows the age and sex of the pupils on the rolls of the public schools of the colony at the end of 1905 and the percentage of the roll at each age. It will be seen that whereas the percentage has remained fairly constant in the case of children from six to fourteen years, it is slowly increasing in the case of pupils from five to six years of age, and diminishing in that of pupils of fourteen years and over. This latter is probably due to the facilities for obtaining free education at secondary schools.

In Table No. 2 of the Appendix will be found particulars of the age and sex of the pupils arranged for each of the education districts.

The proportion of boys to girls is almost the same as for the previous five years, 52·28 per cent. as compared with 47·72 per cent. Taking the average for the last five years, it is found that for every 100 boys on the roll there were 92 girls.

INSPECTION AND EXAMINATION.

Table C1 is a summary for the whole colony of Table No. 3 in the Appendix, which shows the numbers in the several classes for the various districts. The pro-

portion of pupils in the preparatory classes, which has for years past been showing a gradual increase, shows a still further increase for the year from 27·97 to 28·28. The proportions in Standards I, V, and VI have also increased; those in II, III, IV, and VII show a slight decrease.

TABLE C1.—CLASSIFICATION BY PUPILS, DECEMBER, 1905.

Classes.	Boys.	Girls.	Totals.	Percentages for Five Years.				
				1905.	1904.	1903.	1902.	1901.
Preparatory	20,708	18,212	38,920	28·28	27·97	27·56	26·87	26·78
Standard I	8,597	8,001	16,598	12·06	11·55	11·82	11·68	11·44
Standard II	8,609	7,839	16,448	11·95	12·49	12·30	12·05	12·11
Standard III	9,111	8,331	17,442	12·67	12·73	12·75	12·64	12·98
Standard IV	8,580	7,977	16,557	12·03	12·38	12·28	12·60	12·73
Standard V	7,666	7,045	14,711	10·69	10·68	10·98	11·13	11·37
Standard VI	5,943	5,570	11,513	8·37	8·17	8·08	8·52	8·35
Standard VII	2,736	2,693	5,434	3·95	4·03	4·23	4·51	4·24
Totals.. .. .	71,950	65,673	137,623	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00

The tendency for the last few years has been for the number of children in preparatory classes to increase in undue proportion to the total number of children under eight years of age. The figures for 1905 indicate that this tendency has received a check, which there is reason to hope will not prove merely temporary. In the proportion of children enrolled in preparatory classes, a further increase of 0·31 per cent. is shown, but the returns record a much larger increase in the totals under eight years of age, in which an advance from 40,039 to 40,933 is to be noted, an increase of 2·19 per cent.

TABLE C2.—EXAMINATION STATISTICS FOR 1905.

Education Districts.	Number of Pupils.				Standard VI Certificates granted.		
	Total Rolls on Day of Annual Visit.	Present on Day of Annual Visit.	Present in Preparatory Classes.	Present in Standard VII Classes.	Proficiency.	Competency.	Total.
Auckland	31,613	30,019	10,979	150	1,512	171	1,683
Taranaki	4,984	4,704	1,475	72	150	45	195
Wanganui	12,295	11,752	3,760	240	537	140	677
Wellington	16,505	15,510	4,499	490	968	250	1,218
Hawke's Bay	8,865	8,238	2,516	139	319	142	461
Marlborough	1,913	1,833	453	33	99	18	111
Nelson	5,632	5,390	1,657	82	249	125	374
Grey	1,589	1,524	561	25	55	44	99
Westland	1,004	986	346	45	40	26	66
North Canterbury	19,590	18,556	5,641	374	705	433	1,138
South Canterbury	5,081	4,829	1,439	145	235	48	283
Otago	19,580	18,750	5,902	366	1,082	149	1,231
Southland	9,735	9,388	2,966	202	454	120	574
Totals	138,386	131,479	42,194	2,363	6,399	1,711	8,110

Table C2 gives the number of children on the rolls of the schools in each district and the number present at the time of the Inspector's annual visit, and also shows the number of certificates of proficiency and competency issued. It will be seen that the largest number of certificates has been issued by the Auckland, Otago, and Wellington Boards.

Table C3 shows the average ages of the children in the several standards at the time of the Inspector's annual visit, also the mean of the average ages in each case for the colony as a whole. The average age of those in Standard V, the "standard of exemption," was in Auckland and Westland 12 years and 7 months, and in Taranaki 13 years and 3 months, these being the lowest and highest respectively. For the colony, the average age of the children in this standard in 1905 was 12 years and 10 months, the same as that for the previous year.

The average age for the colony of the pupils in Standard VI at the time of the annual visit of the Inspector was 13 years 9 months, which is precisely the same as the average for the two preceding years. In range, the ages returned

by the several districts differ by 5 months only, the lowest age being found in Auckland, 13 years 7 months, and the highest in Hawke's Bay, 14 years 0 months. As to the age at which pupils in this standard obtained certificates of competency and certificates of proficiency respectively no precise information is available, but the average already given in conjunction with the proportion receiving one or other class of certificate in this standard—84 per cent. of those present—serves to show that the pupils failing to obtain such a certificate before attaining the age of fourteen years must be comparatively small.

TABLE C3.—AVERAGE AGE OF PUPILS IN 1905 AT THE TIME OF ANNUAL VISIT.

Education Districts.	Average Ages of the Pupils in each Class.								Mean of Ages.	
	P. Yrs. mos.	I. Yrs. mos.	II. Yrs. mos.	III. Yrs. mos.	IV. Yrs. mos.	V. Yrs. mos.	VI. Yrs. mos.	VII. Yrs. mos.	1905. Yrs. mos.	1904. Yrs. mos.
Auckland	7 3*	9 2	10 4	11 4	12 2	12 7	13 7	14 4	11 4	11 2
Taranaki	7 0	9 2	10 1	11 5	12 2	13 3	13 11	14 4	11 5	11 6
Wanganui	6 11	8 10	9 11	10 11	11 11	12 10	13 9	15 5	11 4	11 3
Wellington	6 11	8 8	9 9	10 11	11 11	13 0	13 9	14 7	11 2	11 2
Hawke's Bay	7 5	8 8	10 0	11 2	12 2	13 1	14 0	14 6	11 4	11 6
Marlborough	6 11	8 9	9 11	10 11	11 11	12 10	13 9	15 1	11 3	11 3
Nelson	6 11	8 10	9 10	11 0	12 1	12 11	13 9	14 9	11 3	11 3
Grey	6 9	9 1	9 10	10 10	11 10	13 0	13 9	14 5	11 2	11 4
Westland	7 4	9 1	9 7	11 2	12 2	12 7	13 10	15 6	11 5	11 6
North Canterbury	7 0	8 11	10 0	11 0	12 1	12 11	13 9	14 7	11 3	11 3
South Canterbury	7 0	8 10	9 11	11 0	11 10	12 9	13 8	15 0	11 3	11 2
Otago	6 11	8 11	9 11	11 0	12 0	12 10	13 9	15 0	11 4	11 4
Southland	7 1	8 10	9 10	10 10	11 11	12 9	13 8	14 10	11 3	11 3
Average for Colony ..	7 1	8 11	10 0	11 1	12 0	12 10	13 9	14 9	11 3	11 3
Range (difference between highest and lowest)	0 8	0 6	0 9	0 7	0 4	0 8	0 5	1 2	0 3	0 4

* Average for 1904.

TABLE D.—NUMBER OF PUPILS INSTRUCTED IN SEPARATE SUBJECTS, DECEMBER, 1905.

Education Districts.	Numbers belonging at End of Year.	English.	Arithmetic.	Drawing.	Singing.	Physical Instruction.	Geography.	History.	Nature Study and Elementary Science.	Handwork.	Needlework.
Auckland	31,639	31,639	31,591	31,381	29,829	30,033	16,449	13,813	26,501	21,727	9,867
Taranaki	4,952	4,952	4,952	4,952	4,607	4,952	2,650	2,014	4,509	3,459	2,041
Wanganui	12,486	12,486	12,486	12,409	11,080	12,381	7,532	5,701	10,736	10,489	4,843
Wellington	16,255	16,255	16,215	15,941	15,467	15,534	10,654	8,185	15,254	13,491	6,244
Hawke's Bay	8,870	8,870	8,834	8,824	8,363	8,622	5,691	3,934	8,229	5,645	3,475
Marlborough	1,896	1,896	1,896	1,860	1,783	1,860	1,237	1,020	1,335	1,422	767
Nelson	5,574	5,574	5,556	5,272	5,328	5,453	3,456	2,513	4,721	3,282	2,498
Grey	1,592	1,592	1,592	1,514	1,473	1,487	807	674	1,302	808	589
Westland	1,024	1,024	1,024	667	702	902	596	464	943	422	321
North Canterbury	19,385	19,385	19,312	19,074	18,242	18,267	11,446	9,095	17,599	11,315	8,591
South Canterbury	5,146	5,146	5,146	5,146	4,917	5,078	2,984	1,836	4,709	3,668	2,094
Otago	19,206	19,206	19,206	18,719	18,628	13,267	10,831	8,824	18,515	10,010	7,651
Southland	9,598	9,598	9,598	9,387	9,211	9,530	5,648	1,883	7,687	7,827	3,796
Totals for 1905	137,623	137,623	137,408	135,146	129,630	127,386	79,981	59,956	122,040	93,565	52,777
Totals for 1904	135,475	135,475	135,013	131,976	125,486	119,624	84,626	62,483	129,873	77,294	53,299
Difference	2,148	2,148	2,395	3,170	4,144	7,762	-4,645	-2,527	-7,833	16,271	-522

In Table D are given the numbers of children receiving instruction in the several subjects. For the purpose of this return reading, spelling, writing, and composition are grouped together under the heading "English," and some other alterations are made which are rendered necessary by alterations in the programme prescribed. "Object-lessons," for instance, disappears, as it has disappeared from the syllabus of instruction, and its place is taken by "nature-study," which is here grouped with "elementary science," from which in general it is not to be distinguished.

In English and arithmetic the numbers returned remain practically identical with the roll-numbers, following them in the upward grade; under the heading "physical instruction" a further marked increase is shown in the number receiving some definite course of training, and drawing and singing also include a somewhat larger proportion of the whole; but the most notable increase is again shown in the

addition to the number reported as receiving instruction in handwork of various forms, which brings the increase under this heading during two successive years to a total of nearly 43,000, an increase of over 30 per cent. of the roll-number. On the other hand, reductions are found in geography, history, needlework, and in nature-study and elementary science. Of these the decrease under the last heading, as the representative of the object-lessons and elementary science of the earlier returns, is much the greatest. This does not of necessity mean that less attention is given in the schools to such an all-important feature; it probably means in part that the instruction under this heading in the smaller class of school has taken a different form, definite lessons, which under the circumstances were often of doubtful value being now dropped, and their place taken more or less by such incidental cultivation of an interest in nature as may be secured in various ways—*e.g.*, by the teacher's informal chats, by the adaptation of other subjects to the purpose, and by the use of nature notebooks recording the children's own observations.

In part also the difference is explainable on the ground that in an increasing number of the larger schools science classes have, with an improvement in the methods adopted, been recognised under the Regulations for Manual and Technical Instruction as handwork classes, the relative positions of science and handwork being thus affected rather in name than in fact.

At the same time, from a comparison of the returns in the light of the practical alternation permitted in the schools between science and handwork as additional subjects of the course, some real sacrifice of the one to the benefit of the other must be taken to be denoted by the figures submitted.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The number of schools open at the end of 1905, counting 90 half-time schools as 45, was 1806, or 21 more than at the end of 1904.

In Table E1 the schools are classified, as for 1904, according to the yearly average attendance. The classification is in accordance with the grades in Part I of Schedule I to "The Public-school Teachers' Salaries Act, 1901," as re-enacted by "The Education Act, 1904."

TABLE E1.—NUMBER OF SCHOOLS, DECEMBER, 1905.

Grade.	Auckland.	Taranaki.	Wanganui.	Wellington.	Hawke's Bay.	Marlborough.	Nelson.	Grey.	Westland.	North Canterbury.	South Canterbury.	Otago.	Southland.	Total Number of Schools.	Total Number in 1904.
0 ..	26	2	21	17	12	32	22	12	14	10	2	17	16	203	181
1 ..	79	12	38	26	17	10	35	6	8	46	14	37	31	359	424
2 ..	63	11	13	19	7	2	10	1	2	24	16	32	19	219	378
3 ..	95	23	37	27	11	6	16	5	3	38	15	37	44	357	187
4 ..	44	8	18	12	7	2	9	..	1	24	12	20	11	163	168
5 ..	29	7	18	14	9	3	5	4	2	15	3	22	13	144	143
6 ..	15	..	13	6	10	..	6	..	..	7	4	13	5	79	79
7 ..	9	5	6	8	7	2	1	1	..	12	1	7	7	66	65
8 ..	6	..	5	3	3	3	1	1	..	5	1	6	5	39	38
9 ..	11	1	3	6	3	..	1	1	1	4	1	4	2	38	38
10 ..	5	..	3	..	1	1	3	..	1	5	1	2	3	25	24
11 ..	5	2	3	3	1	..	2	..	..	3	..	6	1	26	25
12 ..	3	..	1	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	9	9
13 ..	2	..	2	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	3	..	11	13
14 ..	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	2	..	2	1	8	7
15 ..	1	1	1	2	..	..	..	1	..	3	1	2	..	12	13
16 ..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	4	4
17 ..	4	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	2	..	3	1	14	14
18 ..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	5	5
19 ..	3	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	9	9
20 ..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	2
21 ..	1	..	..	3	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	6	6
22 ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	1
23 ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
24 ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
25 ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	1
26 ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
27 ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	1
Totals, 1905 ..	406*	73†	184‡	154	94	61	112	32	32	205†	74	219‡	160†	1,806	1,785
Totals, 1904 ..	391	73	178	152	92	60	118	33	32	204	74	221	157	1,785	..
Difference ..	15	..	6	2	2	1	-6	-1	..	1	..	-2	3	21	..

* Includes 72 half-time schools, counted as 36.
schools, counted as 1.

† Includes 6 half-time schools, counted as 3.

‡ Includes 2 half-time

In the next table the average attendance in each education district is shown in detail by a statement of the aggregate attendance at each group of schools under the classification in Table E1. The substituted average authorised by clause 2 (b) of the regulations relating to staffs and salaries has been taken in all cases where the Boards decided to avail themselves of it.

The number of small schools with an average attendance not exceeding twenty shows a further increase of 7 for 1905; the number, which was 555 for 1904, was 562 for 1905. The number of pupils attending these schools has increased by 249—namely, from 6,813 to 7,062.

TABLE E2.—AVERAGE ATTENDANCE FOR THE YEAR 1905 AT THE SCHOOLS AS GROUPED IN TABLE E1.

Grade.	Auckland.	Taranaki.	Wanganui.	Wellington.	Hawke's Bay.	Marlborough.	Nelson.	Grey.	Westland.	North Canterbury.	South Canterbury.	Otago.	Southland.	Totals.
0	244	15	156	124	98	145	189	82	81	87	14	133	102	1,470
1	1,329	214	601	414	245	137	402	86	123	709	218	582	532	5,592
2	1,502	279	289	406	159	49	260	30	48	547	379	733	435	5,116
3	3,028	764	1,200	857	373	182	537	159	87	1,172	441	1,162	1,559	11,322
4	1,976	385	843	540	318	99	420	..	52	1,059	565	907	502	7,666
5	1,723	396	955	844	557	186	314	198	110	942	178	1,277	756	8,436
6	1,281	..	1,037	533	773	..	494	..	..	563	326	1,023	440	6,470
7	962	531	626	832	683	194	112	92	..	1,198	101	739	760	6,830
8	791	..	724	423	412	394	137	155	..	634	168	772	666	5,279
9	2,004	188	480	1,142	470	..	164	139	155	679	165	666	377	6,629
10	1,188	..	668	..	261	237	706	..	232	1,133	225	428	712	5,810
11	1,433	528	821	886	268	..	551	..	..	527	..	1,597	252	6,863
12	975	..	323	669	299	..	..	..	..	..	305	286	..	2,857
13	771	..	725	370	717	..	..	..	..	318	346	1,054	..	4,301
14	..	..	381	375	..	..	467	..	..	782	..	811	422	3,238
15	462	464	440	818	..	..	..	443	..	1,374	426	872	..	5,299
16	466	..	..	591	..	..	..	..	..	561	..	504	..	2,122
17	2,238	513	550	544	588	..	..	..	..	1,233	..	1,581	514	7,761
18	1,854	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,152	..	3,006
19	2,080	..	..	1,381	633	..	..	..	..	..	654	607	669	6,024
20	707	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	662	..	1,369
21	758	..	..	2,379	808	..	..	..	..	393	..	..	..	4,338
22	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	941	..	..	..	941
23	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
24	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
25	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	898	..	..	..	898
26	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
27	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,175	..	..	..	1,175
Totals, 1905	27,775	4,277	10,819	14,128	7,662	1,624	4,753	1,384	908	16,925	4,511	17,548	8,498	120,812
Totals, 1904	25,922	4,141	10,480	13,517	7,419	1,635	4,750	1,394	925	16,703	4,469	17,439	8,338	117,132
Difference	1,853	136	339	611	243	-11	3	-10	-17	222	42	109	160	3,680

During the year 1905, 70 schools were closed—viz., in Auckland, 16; Taranaki, 3; Wanganui, 9; Wellington, 3; Hawke's Bay, 6; Marlborough, 6; Nelson, 11; Grey, 1; Westland, 2; North Canterbury, 3; Otago, 7; Southland, 3. As was the case in previous years, several of these schools, although reckoned as closed in their original form, were reopened in another; thus some were amalgamated whilst others which had been joined as half-time schools became full-time schools. Including such reopened schools, the total number opened during the year was 91, distributed as follows: Auckland, 31; Taranaki, 3; Wanganui, 15; Wellington, 5; Hawke's Bay, 8; Marlborough, 7; Nelson, 5; Westland, 2; North Canterbury, 4; Otago, 5; Southland, 6. The net increase in the number of schools opened at the end of the year is thus 21, as shown in Table E1.

PUBLIC-SCHOOL TEACHERS.

In December, 1905, there were employed on the primary staffs in the public schools of the colony 3,816 teachers, of whom 3,137 were adults and 679 pupil-teachers: the corresponding numbers for December, 1904, were 3,069 adults and 649 pupil-teachers. Of the adult teachers at the end of 1905, 1,302 were men and 1,835 women; of the pupil-teachers 151 were male and 528 female. The number of adult male teachers was 30 more, and of adult female teachers 38 more than in December, 1904; and the number of male and female pupil-teachers increased by 7 and 23 respectively. The average number of children to one teacher for 1905 was 31.5.

TABLE F1.—SCHOOL STAFF, DECEMBER, 1905.

Education Districts.	Heads of School.		Sole Teachers.		Assistant Teachers.		Total Number of Adult Teachers.			Pupil-teachers.		Yearly Average Attendance. (Mean of Totals for Four Quarters.)	Average Number of Pupils to One Teacher.
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.		
Auckland	133	6	148	119	51	236	332	361	693	35	124	27,507	32.3
Taranaki	21	4	21	27	7	35	49	66	115	3	17	4,252	31.5
Wanganui	71	7	51	56	16	104	138	167	305	11	43	10,774	30.0
Wellington	62	6	30	56	43	126	135	188	323	9	85	14,071	33.7
Hawke's Bay	44	4	12	34	19	70	75	108	183	7	43	7,629	32.7
Marlborough	10	1	4	44	1	13	15	58	73	..	8	1,633	20.2
Nelson	28	4	18	62	6	43	52	109	161	..	25	4,831	26.0
Grey	8	..	..	24	2	13	10	37	47	3	4	1,381	25.6
Westland	5	..	3	24	1	8	9	32	41	..	3	901	20.5
North Canterbury	85	1	34	83	36	159	155	245	400	31	76	16,871	33.3
South Canterbury	26	1	15	32	10	40	51	73	124	8	15	4,501	30.6
Otago	95	..	36	87	47	171	178	258	436	27	57	17,438	33.5
Southland	48	1	41	70	14	62	103	133	236	17	28	8,476	30.2
Totals for 1905	636	35	413	720	253	1080	1,302	1,835	3,137	151	523	120,265	31.5
Totals for 1904	619	38	415	709	238	1050	1,272	1,797	3,069	144	505	116,506	31.3
Difference	17	-3	-2	11	15	30	30	38	68	7	23	3,759	0.2

In addition to the teachers shown in this table, several Boards employed relieving-teachers, whose numbers and rates of salary are given in Table 1 in the Appendix.

The last column of Table F1 shows the number of pupils per teacher for all schools, the difference in the numbers in the several districts being chiefly due to the larger or smaller number of schools in grades 0 to 3 in proportion to those in higher grades.

*TABLE F2.—COMPARISON OF ATTENDANCE AND NUMBER OF TEACHERS IN NEW ZEALAND, OTHER BRITISH COLONIES, AND ENGLAND.

Country.	Number of Schools.	Average Attendance.	Number of Adult Teachers.			Number of Pupil-teachers and Monitors.			Number of Adult Female Teachers for every 100 Adult Male Teachers.	Number of Pupil-teachers and Monitors to each 100 Adults.	Number of Pupils per Adult Teacher† (all schools).
			M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.			
New Zealand	1,827	116,506	1,272	1,797	3,069	144	505	649	141	21	34.3
Queensland	1,003	69,635	850	932	1,782	287	308	595	110	33	33.5
New South Wales	2,817	153,304	2,581	1,711	4,292	441	591	1,032	66	24	31.9
Victoria	1,922	145,500	1,561	1,250	2,811	350	1,219	1,569	80	56	40.4
Tasmania	336	13,863	226	366	592	23	76	99	162	17	21.6
South Australia	715	42,752	349	660	1,009	54	248	302	189	30	36.9
Western Australia	262	20,283	229	271	500	42	133	175	118	35	36.3
Quebec	6,212	246,319	1,304	9,433	10,737	..	..	..	722	..	22.9
Ontario	6,662	261,480	2,294	7,073	9,367	..	..	..	308	..	27.1
Cape Colony	2,734	126,860	1,877	3,411	5,288	..	..	1,822	182	35	20.5
England	20,173	5,047,129	31,819	95,158	126,977	6,121	29,028	35,149	299	23	34.9

* Extracted from last year's annual report. † Two pupil-teachers are here (column 8) reckoned as equivalent to one adult.

In the United States, on the 30th June, 1903, there were 280 female teachers employed in the common schools to every 100 males. (Five years previously there were only 210 females to each 100 males; while in 1879-80 the figures were 133 to 100). These figures, taken in conjunction with those in column 6 of the above table, will probably be of special interest at the present time, as they show the number of women employed as teachers in elementary schools for every hundred men so employed in the principal English-speaking countries of the world. In England and America the proportion of women to men among the adult teachers is very much higher than it is in any of the other countries named; in the Province of Quebec, indeed, it is as high as seven to one. The numerical predominance of women in the profession is also more marked in South Australia, Cape Colony, and Tasmania, than in New Zealand; the four remaining States of Australia show, on the other hand, a smaller proportion of women, the male teachers being in the majority in New South Wales and Victoria.

The ratio of male to female teachers in New Zealand remained the same for 1905 as for 1904—100 to 141. It is, however, noticeable that whereas in 1904 the number of female teachers increased by 71 and the number of male teachers by only 2 there was in 1905 an increase of 38 females and 30 males. This

cannot but be regarded as a healthy sign, undoubtedly brought about by the more liberal provision made of late for teachers' salaries.

The proportion of male pupil-teachers to female pupil-teachers, which rose from the ratio of 1 to 4·22 in 1902 to 1 to 3·76 in 1903 and 1 to 3·51 in 1904, has become almost stationary, the figures for last year being 1 to 3·50. In other words, during the last three years the number of male pupil-teachers has remained fairly constant (143 in 1902 as compared with 151 in 1905), while that of female pupil-teachers has decreased from 604 in 1902 to 528 in 1905.

The average number of pupils to each adult teacher, reckoning two pupil-teachers as one adult, was 34·6.

The total of all salaries and allowances at the rates paid at the end of the year was £431,089 13s. This includes the salaries and lodging-allowances of pupil-teachers as well as all salaries, house-rent, and other allowances paid to adult teachers; the average salary per teacher, including pupil-teachers, was therefore £113 17s. 6d. A fairer idea could probably be gained by excluding pupil-teachers, and by deducting all allowances in the case of adult teachers; it is then found that the average net salary of an adult male teacher was in December, 1905, £174 14s. 9d., as compared with £170 4s. 2d. in 1904; average salary per woman teacher, £96 6s. 11d., as against £93 8s. 8d.; average salary for all adults £128 17s. 5d., as against £125 5s. 10d. per teacher.

Table F3 gives the numbers of certificated teachers in public schools, exclusive of those engaged in secondary schools or as special assistants in district high schools. It is noticeable that there is a very large increase in the numbers of holders of licenses to teach, and a corresponding decrease in the numbers of other teachers who have partly qualified for certificates. The reasons for this difference are that by a provision of the Education Act a license to teach, during its currency, entitles the holder to all the privileges of a full certificate, and that, partly on this account, partly in order to enjoy the benefits of the provisions of the Superannuation Act, many uncertificated teachers have recently applied for, and been granted, licenses to teach. It is a matter for regret that whereas the number of fully qualified teachers has for the last few years remained practically constant that of unqualified or partly qualified teachers has greatly increased. The latter, it may be said, are to a great extent employed in small schools with ten pupils or less in average attendance. The scale of staff prescribed by the Public School Teachers' Salaries Act of 1901 led to the diminution of the number of pupil-teachers, and a corresponding increase in the number of adult teachers. The supply of certificated teachers in the colony being, however, less than the demand for new adult teachers it was inevitable that a certain number of uncertificated teachers should for a time be appointed to fill the vacancies. The shortage still exists; but it is hoped that now that all four training colleges are at work there will shortly be a very considerable increase in the number of fully qualified teachers.

TABLE F3.—TEACHERS, CERTIFICATED AND UNCERTIFICATED, 31ST DECEMBER, 1905.

	Certificated.			Uncertificated.				Grand Total.
	Adult Teachers.	Pupil-teachers.	Total.	Holders of Licenses.	Other teachers who have not yet complied with all the Conditions for Certificate.	Teachers who have no Examination Status.	Total.	
Auckland	541	3	544	80	15	57	152	696
Taranaki	90	..	90	12	7	6	25	115
Wanganui	223	..	223	28	11	43	82	305
Wellington	269	3	272	31*	2	22	55	327
Hawke's Bay	151	1	152	11	3	18	32	184
Marlborough	31	..	31	11*	3	29	43	74
Nelson	103	1	104	19	12	27	58	162
Grey	27	..	27	1	5	14	20	47
Westland	19	..	19	7	1	14	22	41
North Canterbury	352	3	355	22	8	18	48	403
South Canterbury	111	1	112	9*	1	4	14	126
Otago	378	..	378	20	10	28	58	436
Southland	165	1	166	19	12	40	71	237
Total for 1905 ..	2,460	13	2,473	270	90	320	680	3,153†
Total for 1904 ..	2,467	23	2,490	50	205	349	604	3,094
Total for 1903 ..	2,450	32	2,482	34	172	340	546	3,028
Total for 1900 ..	2,369	137	2,506	14	77	171	262	2,768
Total for 1897 ..	2,244	111	2,355	14	109	182	305	2,660
Total for 1894 ..	1,984	..	1,984	..	114	162	276	2,260
Total for 1891 ..	1,753	..	1,753	..	131	190	321	2,074
Total for 1888 ..	1,496	..	1,496	..	182	246	428	1,924

* Including 1 pupil-teacher.

† Including 16 pupil-teachers.

TEACHERS' SUPERANNUATION.

The Teachers' Superannuation Act, passed by Parliament in the session of 1905, came into force on the 1st January, 1906. There are at present 2,857 contributors, as follows:—

Under 30 years of age and paying 5 per cent of salary	...	1,057 contributors.
" 35 " 6 "	...	460 "
" 40 " 7 "	...	430 "
" 45 " 8 "	...	318 "
" 50 " 9 "	...	241 "
50 years and upwards 10 "	...	351 "
		<u>2,857</u>

Since the 1st January last fifty retiring allowances have been granted, particulars of which are as follows:—

	£	s.	d.
40 at £52 per annum	2,080	0	0
1 at £56 2s. 4d. per annum	56	2	4
1 at £53 19s. 9d. per annum	58	19	9
1 at £60 per annum	60	0	0
1 at £77 15s. 4d. per annum	77	15	4
1 at £84 15s. 1d. per annum	84	15	1
1 at £89 0s. 11d. per annum	89	0	11
		<u>£2,506</u>	<u>13 5</u>

In addition to these, three contributors are receiving £4 6s. 8d. a month pending the interpretation of section 13 of the Act, while one has received a sum of £71 5s. 6d. in full settlement of claim.

The balance to the credit of the fund on the 30th June, 1906, was £13,073 9s. 11d.

SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

The ordinary vote for school buildings, which for the year 1905–6 was charged entirely to the Consolidated Fund, was distributed, as in the previous year, in accordance with the report of the Select Committee on Education set up by the House of Representatives in the session of 1903—namely, as follows:—

(a.) The basis for the distribution of the amounts available for the ordinary repair and maintenance of schools and residences (including replacement of worn-out buildings) was the present current cost of the construction of such buildings, estimated to be £1,486,606 (£1,347,958 for wooden buildings and £138,648 for those of brick or stone).

(b.) The grants to Boards included an allowance for maintenance of wooden buildings at the rate of 3 per cent. of the cost of construction; for maintenance of brick or stone buildings, 2 per cent.; for replacing worn-out wooden buildings, 2, 5, or 10 per cent. according to age of buildings—twenty to twenty-five years, twenty-five to thirty years, or over thirty years, as the case might be; except that no allowance was made for the replacement of worn-out residences.

It will be seen that the grants made for replacing worn-out wooden buildings (exclusive of residences) assume an average age for such buildings of thirty-six and a half years, or rather less than the duration shown by returns made by the Boards two years ago. The difference is in favour of the Boards, for in the computation adopted by the time a school is thirty-six and a half years old, a Board will have received an amount for rebuilding it equal to the whole cost of its replacement.

The actual distribution of the ordinary vote for school buildings was as follows: For maintenance and replacement—Auckland, £11,446; Taranaki, £1,908; Wanganui, £4,152; Wellington, £4,482; Hawke's Bay, £3,140; Marlborough, £858; Nelson, £2,910; Grey, £853; Westland, £997; North Canterbury, £7,876; South Canterbury, £2,448; Otago, £8,729; Southland, £4,252: total, £54,051. The amounts paid to Education Boards for rents were as follows: Auckland, £220 15s.; Taranaki, £53 12s.; Wanganui, £28; Wellington, £363 10s.; Hawke's Bay, 42; Marlborough, £26; Nelson, £13 10s.; Grey, £34 3s. 6d.; North Canterbury, £16 4s.; Otago, £12 6s.; total, £810 0s. 6d.

For the purpose of replacing schools or school property damaged or destroyed by fire, £313 9s. 6d. was paid to Auckland, £973 2s. 11d. to Taranaki, £300 to Wanganui, £2,365 6s. 3d. to Wellington, £240 to Marlborough, £387 3s. 3d. to Nelson, £30 10s. to Otago, £194 8s. to Southland: total, £4,803 19s. 11d. The basis of the payments for the reinstatement of buildings destroyed by fire was—for buildings not over twenty years old, the full cost at present current rates, and for other buildings the same, less the amount which the Government is presumed to have paid towards their rebuilding (included in the ordinary grants for maintenance and replacement as explained above).

Special grants for additions to schools, rendered necessary by increased attendance, and for new school buildings were made as follows :—

Additions.—Auckland, £3,524 15s. 6d.; Taranaki, £1,253; Wanganui, £788 17s. 3d; Wellington, £1,390; Hawke's Bay, £375; Nelson, £1,412; Grey, £100; Westland, £60; North Canterbury, £788; South Canterbury, £844 19s. 8d.; Otago, £1,450; Southland, £349 18s.: total, £12,336 10s. 5d. *New Schools.*—Auckland, £2,380 11s.; Taranaki, £775; Wanganui, £1,289 7s. 7d.; Wellington, £988; Hawke's Bay, £719 2s. 6d.; Grey, £738 11s. 6d.; North Canterbury, £587 3s. 1d.; South Canterbury, £410; Otago, £1,490: total, £9,377 15s. 8d.

FINANCES OF EDUCATION BOARDS.

Table G is an abstract of the accounts of the receipts and expenditure of Education Boards for the year 1905. These are tabulated in detail on pages 6 and 7 of the Appendix, and the annual reports of the several Boards with their statements of receipts and expenditure are also printed in the Appendix with full detail.

Comparing the figures in Table G with those for the previous year we find that the expenditure on teachers' salaries was £426,343 19s. 6d., as against £406,303 8s. 2d. for 1904. This increase of over £20,000 was caused by the operation of "The Education Act Amendment Act, 1904," which provided considerable increases for teachers of small schools. The Act of the 1905 session will, it is anticipated, cause an increase in this item of over £30,000, in addition to that created by the usual increase in the number of schools and in the average attendance. It is confidently anticipated that these very considerable increases in the salaries of school-teachers, especially those of the smaller schools, will remove the difficulty lately experienced in securing the services of competent teachers. There has also been a considerable increase in expenditure for manual and technical instruction and for school buildings, house allowance, &c.

TABLE G.—ABSTRACT OF THE RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE OF EDUCATION BOARDS, 1905.

<i>Receipts.</i>			£	s.	d.	<i>Expenditure.</i>			£	s.	d.
Balance, 1st January, 1905	..		29,230	11	9	Boards' administration	..	..	32,675	0	0
Government grants—						Teachers' and pupil-teachers' salaries,			426,343	19	6
Rents from reserves	..	£49,236 6 8				and pupil-teachers' lodging-allowances					
Balance of grants for salaries of teachers and pupil-teachers	..	876,753 2 4				Incidental expenses of schools—					
Allowance at £250 and capitation	..	73,507 4 6				Ordinary	..	£33,043 10 0			
Other grants	..	11,688 8 10				Capitation at 9d.	..	4,869 5 8			
									37,412	15	8
Total for maintenance	..	511,185 2 4				Salaries of relieving-teachers	..	2,650 2 6			
Scholarships and district high schools	..	22,678 11 5				Scholarships and secondary education	..	24,638 1 11			
Manual and technical instruction	..	20,702 14 11				Training of teachers	..	5,657 4 7			
Buildings and teachers' house allowances	..	86,458 13 7				Manual and technical instruction	..	25,055 17 5			
Total from Government	..		641,025	2	3	Buildings, house allowances, sites, &c.	..	101,582 19 8			
Local receipts—						Refunds and sundries	..	1,953 13 0			
Fees, donations, &c.	..	6,071 7 9				Balance, 31st December, 1905	..	20,923 7 1			
Interest, rents, &c.	..	1,245 14 6									
Refunds, fines, &c.	..		7,817	2	3						
			1,880	5	1						
			£678,953	1	4				£678,953	1	4

The percentage of the several Boards' income expended on administration (including in this term all the items which are included under that heading in Table G—viz., salaries of office staffs, Inspectors, Truant Officers, &c., and the ordinary

office contingencies—but excluding the incidental expenses of schools) was as follows : North Canterbury, 4·1 ; Hawke's Bay, 4·2 ; Auckland, 4·3 ; Otago, 4·9 ; Wellington, 5·0 ; Wanganui, 5·4 ; Southland, 5·7 ; South Canterbury, 6·0 ; Nelson, 6·2 ; Taranaki, 6·3 ; Marlborough, 7·7 ; Grey, 8·3 ; Westland, 10·3.

Table H1 is a summary of assets and liabilities compiled from returns furnished by the several Education Boards. H2 is a similar summary for the Building Account.

TABLE H1.—GENERAL ACCOUNT.—ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF BOARDS ON 31ST DECEMBER, 1905.

Education Districts.	Assets and Deficits.			Liabilities and Balances.				1904.	
	Cash.	Due from all Sources	Deficits.	Over-drafts.	Due to Government.	Other Liabilities.	Balances.	Deficits.	Balances.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Auckland ..	2,896	5,672	..	..	1,922	1,528	5,118	..	4,647
Taranaki ..	436	716	..	..	475	251	426	..	779
Wanganui ..	1,086	2,131	..	..	681	1,129	1,407	..	2,291
Wellington ..	2,322	2,777	..	..	844	3,780	475	..	824
Hawke's Bay ..	3,392	1,710	..	..	1,028	493	3,581	..	2,551
Marlborough ..	322	13	..	..	..	19	316	..	177
Nelson ..	..	1,000	323	152	635	536	..	306	..
Grey ..	..	75	364	316	88	35	..	448	..
Westland ..	19	236	..	..	..	62	193	..	209
North Canterbury ..	4,588	2,845	..	..	4,677	1,797	959	1,497	..
South Canterbury ..	1,824	1,043	..	..	1,099	455	1,313	..	764
Otago ..	5,586	1,675	..	..	3,529	548	3,184	..	2,121
Southland ..	1,177	2,084	..	..	..	1,793	1,468	..	2,355
Totals ..	23,648	21,977	687	468	14,978	12,426	18,440	2,251	16,721

TABLE H2.—BUILDING ACCOUNT.—ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF BOARDS ON 31ST DECEMBER, 1905.

Education Districts.	Assets and Deficits.			Liabilities and Balances.			1904.	
	Cash.	Due from all Sources	Deficits.	Over-drafts.	Other Liabilities.	Balances.	Deficits.	Balances.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Auckland ..	..	6,427	1,647	5,530	2,494	..	3,900	..
Taranaki ..	593	2,153	..	..	1,869	877	..	1,167
Wanganui ..	..	9,378	..	2,588	4,293	2,497	..	3,092
Wellington ..	..	14,957	1,310	2,571	13,696	..	994	..
Hawke's Bay ..	..	9,588	..	1,375	7,135	1,078	..	1,610
Marlborough ..	323	2,177	..	..	1,110	1,390	..	1,002
Nelson ..	1,143	4,180	..	..	1,074	4,249	..	4,141
Grey ..	..	978	..	103	358	517	..	1,040
Westland ..	..	1,112	..	87	106	919	..	1,068
North Canterbury ..	3,438	11,800	..	..	8,659	6,579	..	4,720
South Canterbury ..	1,350	4,731	..	..	2,659	3,422	..	2,786
Otago ..	1,122	9,877	..	..	6,365	4,634	..	7,027
Southland ..	2,077	8,201	..	..	3,559	6,719	..	4,372
Totals ..	10,046	85,559	2,957	12,304	53,377	32,881	4,894	32,025

TRAINING OF TEACHERS.

Last year Parliament appropriated two sums of £5,000 each for alterations and additions to the Wellesley Street School, Auckland, and the Thorndon School, Wellington, to adapt them for the purposes of training colleges for teachers in these centres. The training colleges at Auckland and Wellington thus provided were opened at the beginning of 1906, and now with the two training colleges already for many years in operation at Christchurch and Dunedin, but recently reorganized under more liberal conditions, complete the provision of a training college for each of the four University districts. The demand for teachers in New Zealand is still so great that many ex-pupil-teachers without adequate additional training are being employed as teachers, and the needs of many of the smaller schools are still served by persons who, whatever their attainments may be, would manifestly benefit materially by even a short period of training under proper direction. The allowances to students are, however, so liberal, and the advantages of careful practical training so obvious, that the attendance at the training colleges is fast increasing, and it is expected that before long the numbers seeking admission will tax the present accommodation to its fullest extent.

The number of students during the current year attending the various training colleges is as follows: Auckland, 19 women and 9 men—28; Wellington, 42 women and 11 men—53; Christchurch, 48 women and 17 men—65; Dunedin, 65 women and 10 men—75. The total for the whole colony is 221, 174 women and 47 men, as compared with 105 for 1905.

Connected with each training college is a “normal” or practising school, which includes, besides the ordinary classes of a public elementary school, a model “country” school of forty children and a secondary department. The former justifies its existence by familiarising prospective teachers with the conditions of one of the most difficult tasks a teacher has to undertake—namely, the proper management and education, single-handed, of a self-contained school group of children of various ages from five to fifteen and at various stages of development. The secondary department will give an opportunity for training those who intend to take up secondary work either in the high schools or in the upper departments of district high schools.

Under the regulations gazetted, students of a training college take English and other non-special subjects at the University colleges, and attend lectures in the methods of teaching and in the principles and history of education under the Principal, who is also in each case by special appointment the University college lecturer on education. Every student is required to take up practical work in at least one branch of science, special attention being directed to nature-study and elementary agriculture. Handwork suitable for schools also receives due attention; and concurrently with all this there is frequent teaching-practice in the normal school.

The salaries offered for the staff of the training colleges are, it is hoped, high enough to attract persons of good standing and experience. Pupil-teachers in any education district who have satisfactorily completed their term of service and have passed the Matriculation Examination may enter at the training college most convenient for them, the course being two years. Such students receive in addition to the amount of University-college fees the sum of £30 a year each if the recipient lives at home, and £60 a year if compelled to live away from home in order to attend the college. Advantages not quite so great are also offered to other qualified candidates who have not served as pupil-teachers. Others again may be admitted for shorter or longer periods, although they may have been for some time engaged in the practice of their profession, but in such cases no allowances are payable.

The total cost of maintenance of the four colleges in full working-order will be for 1906 about £23,000—£11,100 for allowances and fees of students, and £11,900 for salaries and house allowances of staff. It must be remembered that this provides not only for the efficient training of over two hundred teachers, but for the instruction of over sixteen hundred children in attendance at the practising schools.

The amount provided during 1905 for the training of teachers was £16,342, made up as follows: Salaries of staffs of training colleges (two), £3,395; students' allowances and University fees, £4,323; grants for special instruction in handwork, £1,900; grants for general purposes of training colleges, £2,100; railway fares of teachers in training and instructors of training classes established by Boards, £4,624.

MILITARY AND PHYSICAL DRILL.

The Education Act provides that “in public schools provision shall be made for the instruction in military drill of all boys”; and it is declared to be the duty of the Board in each district “to cause physical drill to be taught to all boys and girls over the age of eight years attending the public schools in the district.” The number of children returned as receiving instruction in drill in the public schools of the colony at the end of the year was 127,386. The term “drill” here must be taken to include physical and disciplinary exercises. The report of the Officer Commanding the Public-school Cadets forms an Appendix (E.—1D) to this report. There were on the 31st March, 1906, 264 cadet corps, with a strength of 14,115 members, equipped with the “model rifles” (dummies) which have been imported by the Department for purposes of drill, and with a percentage of miniature Martini-Henry rifles for target practice. The number of cadet companies in the several districts

was as follows: Auckland, 53; Taranaki, 10; Wanganui, 26; Wellington, 31; Hawke's Bay, 32; Marlborough, 5; Nelson, 13; Grey, 7; Westland, 3; North Canterbury, 17; South Canterbury, 9; Otago, 38; Southland, 8; sections attached to corps, 12: total, 264. The number of battalions formed was 28. The number of models on issue to the Boards at the end of the year was 12,450, and of miniature rifles, 950.

At the end of the year the companies in the North and South Islands respectively competed for two challenge shields presented by the Government. The conditions were that each competing squad should consist of ten cadets, all belonging to the same company or detachment; each company to have seven shots at 100 yards (standing), 150 yards (kneeling), and 200 yards (lying), the local range being used in each case. The North Island shield was won by the Onehunga Cadet Company with the very high score of 735 out of a possible 840; the South Island shield was won by the Waimate Company with a score of 642.

Valuable presentations for competition in rifle shooting by the cadets have been made by the Colonial Ammunition Company and the directors of the *Weekly Press*.

The expenditure for the year 1905 was £5,704 9s. 7d., made up as follows:—

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Salary of Commanding Officer	307	10	0			
Clerical assistance	171	13	6			
Travelling-expenses of Commanding Officer	262	5	7			
				741	9	1
Capitation	1,435	15	0			
Arms, accoutrements, ammunition, &c. £3,594 19 5						
Less recoveries	496	14	9			
				3,098	4	8
Rent, &c., of rifle ranges	135	14	1			
Railway fares of cadet corps	151	5	11			
Contingencies	51	8	4			
				4,872	8	0
Instructors of teachers' classes	36	5	0			
Railway fares of teachers attending instruction classes, and of instructors	54	7	6			
				90	12	6
				5,704	9	7

RAILWAY PASSES, ETC., FOR SCHOOL-CHILDREN.

In 1905 £5,801 12s. 8d., made up as follows, was paid for conveyance of school-children—viz., railway fares of pupils attending public schools, £1,764; of pupils attending private schools, £821 10s.; of pupils attending district high schools, £1,066 4s.; of pupils attending secondary schools, £1,301 10s.; and of holders of technical scholarships, £489; grants for conveyance of children by road and water—to Auckland Education Board, £26; Wellington Board, £5; North Canterbury Board, £8 13s. 4d.; South Canterbury Board, £113 8s. 4d.; Otago Board, £180 7s.; and Southland Board, £26.

CHATHAM ISLANDS.

During the year 1905 four schools were in operation in the Chatham Islands. These schools comprise (1) Te One, the main school in the centre of Chatham Island; (2) Moreroa, a part-time school five miles north of Te One; (3) Matarakau and (4) Kaingaroa, two small part-time schools situated on the northern shore of the island. Matarakau and Kaingaroa are worked in conjunction with Moreroa. An itinerant teacher manages these three part-time schools. The main school at Te One is staffed by a certificated teacher and two pupil-teachers.

The total number on the rolls of all the schools at the end of 1905 was 91, a decrease of 2 compared with 1904, while the average attendance was 72, the same as the previous year.

The total expenditure on these schools was £511 7s., made up as follows : Salaries and allowances of teachers, £359 15s. 10d. ; school furniture, requisites, &c., £29 0s. 4d. ; inspection, £17 13s. 6d. ; scholarships, £104 17s. 4d.

The schools were inspected and examined in January of this year (1906), according to the regulations for the examination of public schools in New Zealand. The work done in the part-time schools was very satisfactory considering the conditions under which they are worked ; while the report on the general efficiency of the main school was good.

The pupil-teachers were examined under the new regulations for pupil-teachers in New Zealand schools, with the result that there was one failure. A new pupil-teacher has been appointed to the vacancy thus caused.

Pitt Island school, which remained closed for some time owing to the difficulty of obtaining a teacher, has been reopened, a suitable teacher having been found for the place.

Two scholarships awarded to children attending Chatham Island schools are now current ; the next examination will be held next year. A Native-school scholarship is also being held by a Maori boy from Chatham Island who is attending Te Aute College.

EDUCATION RESERVES.

Table I 1 is a summary of the accounts of the School Commissioners, which are given in full in the Appendix.

TABLE I 1.—SUMMARY OF SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS' ACCOUNTS.

Provincial Districts.	Income for the Year 1905.									
	Balances on 1st January, 1905.		Receipts during Year.						Total.	
			Primary Reserves.		Secondary Reserves.		Investments and Deposits.				Sundries.
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Auckland	148	10 4	4,016	5 8	887	13 5	68	5 0	34	10 8
Taranaki	322	2 8	3,033	7 4	496	19 2	6	2 2	310	11 0
Wellington.. ..	409	4 7	5,506	10 3	774	4 9	86	3 11	391	6 0
Hawke's Bay ..	2,177	2 5	3,679	17 4	845	14 5	12	15 10	19	12 4
Marlborough ..	112	4 0	310	10 6	40	5 0	..	..	0	3 6
Nelson	177	13 6	806	12 7	292	12 6	..	..	74	7 6
Westland	23	18 9	139	3 6	233	10 2	..	..	..	..
Canterbury.. ..	2,683	7 2	18,248	8 11	..	..	5	14 1	..	..
Otago	3,168	17 2	13,958	18 3	762	4 3	5,622	9 11	..	..
Totals for 1905..	9,223	0 7	49,699	14 4	4,333	3 8	5,801	10 11	830	11 0
Totals for 1904..	7,950	2 10	47,735	10 7	4,046	4 3	3,749	9 5	89	18 8

Provincial Districts.	Expenditure for the Year 1905.																				
	Office Expenses and Salaries.			Other Expenses of Management			Paid for Primary Education.		Paid for Secondary Education.		Investments and Refunds.		Balances on 31st December, 1905.		Total.						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			
Auckland	182	15	8	341	15	11	3,600	0	0	803	3	0	76	16	0	150	14	6	5,155	5	1
Taranaki	140	11	10	253	17	3	2,800	0	0	100	0	0	55	4	0	819	9	3	4,169	2	4
Wellington.. ..	423	13	6	151	8	10	5,600	0	0	800	0	0	..	..	..	192	7	2	7,167	9	6
Hawke's Bay ..	138	7	8	150	7	0	4,750	0	0	925	0	0	..	..	..	771	7	8	6,735	2	4
Marlborough ..	26	5	6	1	4	6	300	0	0	50	0	0	0	3	6	85	9	6	463	3	0
Nelson	52	2	6	64	5	2	749	12	0	323	7	6	..	..	..	161	18	11	1,351	6	1
Westland	31	16	3	136	5	6	..	..	..	150	0	0	..	..	..	78	10	8	396	12	5
Canterbury ..	565	10	8	10	19	0	17,750	0	0	..	..	..	54	5	0	2,556	15	6	20,937	10	2
Otago	935	0	1	990	0	8	13,798	17	6	746	5	8	4,464	5	7	2,578	0	1	23,512	9	7
Totals for 1905..	2,496	3	8	2,100	3	10	49,348	9	6	3,897	16	2	4,650	14	1	7,394	13	3	69,888	0	6
Totals for 1904..	2,443	5	1	2,404	16	6	44,114	10	7	5,176	1	3	209	11	9	9,223	0	7	63,571	5	9

Provincial Districts.	Assets and Liabilities, 31st December, 1905.																				
	Balances of Accounts.		Arrears of Rent and Interest due.		Total Assets.		Amounts due to Capital Account.		Other Liabilities.		Balance of Assets.		Balance of Liabilities.								
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.						
Auckland ..	345	9	6	1,126	14	4	1,472	3	10	..	18	12	0	1,453	11	10					
Taranaki ..	819	9	3	717	19	4	1,537	8	7	..	14	11	3	1,522	17	4					
Wellington ..	192	7	2	130	13	10	323	1	0	431	12	7	..	..	..	108	11	7	
Hawke's Bay ..	771	7	8	445	10	2	1,216	17	10	506	6	0	..	710	11	10	..	..	..
Marlborough ..	85	9	6	93	9	6	178	19	0	..	..	..	..	178	19	0	..	..	..
Nelson ..	161	18	11	485	5	7	647	4	6	..	..	..	..	647	4	6	..	..	..
Westland ..	78	10	8	44	8	0	122	18	8	..	..	..	..	122	18	8	..	..	..
Canterbury ..	2,556	15	6	2,110	12	11	4,667	8	5	264	5	11	45	0	0	4,358	2	6	
Otago ..	44,959	5	0	3,131	17	5	48,121	2	5	..	2,193	5	8	45,927	16	9	..	..	..
Totals for 1905	50,000	13	2	8,286	11	1	58,287	4	3	1,202	4	6	2,271	8	11	54,922	2	5	108	11	7
Totals for 1904	51,335	6	11	9,520	1	2	60,855	8	1	868	5	2	2,744	13	11	57,242	9	0	

The payments made to Education Boards for primary education out of the proceeds from education reserves in 1905 amounted to £49,348 9s. 6d., as compared with £44,114 10s. 7d. for the previous year. The revenues of the Boards are not, however, increased thereby, as equal amounts are deducted from the grants payable by Government to the several Boards. The payments for primary education were distributed among the several Education Boards as follows: Auckland, £3,375; Taranaki, £1,898 18s.; Wanganui, £2,866 2s. 6d.; Wellington, £3,634 19s. 6d.; Hawke's Bay, £4,975; Marlborough, £300; Nelson, £635 4s.; Grey, £88; North Canterbury, £14,383 18s. 7d.; South Canterbury, £3,392 9s. 5d.; Otago, £9,703 12s. 1d.; Southland, £3,983 2s. 7d. The payments for secondary education from reserves under the control of the School Commissioners amounted to £3,897 16s. 2d. This money is distributed by the Commissioners among the governing bodies of secondary schools in the provincial district in proportion to the number of pupils in average attendance at these secondary schools, exclusive of those in any preparatory department.

TABLE I2.—INCOME AND COST OF ADMINISTRATION OF SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS.

Provincial District.				Total Income for the Ten Years 1896-1905 inclusive.	Cost of Administration for the Ten Years 1896-1905.	Cost of Administration Per Cent. of Income.
				£	£	£
Auckland ..	..	..	..	39,545	3,273	8·28
Taranaki ..	..	..	..	31,125	3,595	11·55
Wellington ..	..	..	..	46,421	5,672	12·22
Hawke's Bay ..	..	..	..	41,335	2,678	6·48
Marlborough ..	..	..	..	3,217	307	9·54
Nelson ..	..	..	..	12,944	820	6·33
Westland ..	..	..	..	3,312	840	25·36
Canterbury ..	..	..	..	171,666	6,119	3·56
Otago ..	..	..	..	193,953	14,654	7·56
For the colony	..	..	..	543,518	37,958	6·98

Table I2 shows the total income from education reserves for the ten years, 1896-1905, and the cost of administration by the School Commissioners for the same period. In comparing these figures with those for 1894-1903, published in last year's report, it will be seen that the total incomes amounted in the last ten years to £543,518, as against £523,581 for 1894-1903, an increase of almost £20,000. The percentage of cost of administration has also shown an increase from 6·76 to 6·98, noticeable chiefly in Wellington, Marlborough, and Otago. In Canterbury the cost of administration has sunk from 3·70 to the extremely small figure 3·56 per cent. of the annual income.

INDUSTRIAL SCHOOLS.

In December, 1905, the number on the books of all the industrial schools was 1,953, or 35 more than at the close of the year 1904. On the books of the Government industrial schools there were 1,420, an increase of 33 over the corresponding number for 1904, on the books of the private (Roman Catholic) industrial schools there were 533, or 2 more than at the end of the previous year. The number in residence at Government schools was 317, and at private industrial schools 331, so that 648 was the

total number of "inmates" actually in residence. The number boarded out on payment was 573, 5 being from private schools and the rest from Government schools. There were 9 girls maintained in various corrective institutions, 1 boy and 1 girl in convalescent homes, 3 boys at the School for Deaf-mutes, Sumner, and 11 boys at the Costley Training Institution, Auckland. The total number of inmates dependent on public funds for maintenance was therefore 1,246, or 74 more than the number at the end of 1904. The remaining 707, although still subject to control and supervision of the schools, were not dependent on them for maintenance. They may be classified as follows: Licensed to reside with friends, 189; at service, 437; boarded out without payment, 6; in hospital, 5; in mental hospitals, 4; under the control of the Costley Training Institution, Auckland, 5; in other institutions, 10; in gaol, 3; absent without leave, 48—namely, 23 from service, 23 from the schools, and 2 from friends.

There were seven Government industrial schools in existence in 1905, and the numbers of inmates on their books at the end of the year were as follows: Auckland (Mount Albert), 134; Boys' Training Farm, Weraroa (new school), 111; Receiving Home, Wellington, 235; Receiving Home, Christchurch, 245; Burnham, 232; Te Oranga Home, 59; Caversham, 404: total, 1,420. Those belonging to private industrial schools were distributed as follows: St. Mary's, Auckland, 141; St. Joseph's, Wellington, 58; St. Mary's, Nelson, 282; St. Vincent de Paul's, Dunedin, 52: total, 533.

TABLE J1.—INMATES, 1904 AND 1905.

	Boarded out.				In Residence.				At Service, &c.				Totals.				
	Dec. 1904.	Increase.	Decrease.	Dec. 1905.	Dec. 1904.	Increase.	Decrease.	Dec. 1905.	Dec. 1904.	Increase.	Decrease.	Dec. 1905.	Dec. 1904.	Increase.	Decrease.	Dec. 1905.	
Government Schools—																	
Auckland (Mount Albert)	64	..	1	63	28	..	4	24	43	4	..	47	135	..	1	134	
Boys' Training Farm, Wera- roa	..	..	..	..	..	111	..	111	..	..	..	..	..	111	..	111
Receiving Home, Welling- ton	166	26	..	192	1	5	..	6	28	9	..	37	195	40	..	235	
Te Oranga Home, Christ- church	..	..	..	..	40	1	..	41	23	..	5	18	63	..	4	59
Receiving Home, Christ- church	131	6	..	137	8	4	..	12	97	..	1	96	236	9	..	245	
Burnham	1	2	..	3	99	..	2	97	131	1	..	132	231	1	..	232
Caversham	178	1	..	179	123	..	97	26	226	..	27	199	527	..	123	404
Private Schools—																	
St. Mary's, Auckland ..	..	..	..	..	78	9	..	87	57	..	3	54	135	6	..	141
St. Joseph's, Wellington..	..	..	..	..	28	2	..	30	41	..	13	28	69	..	11	58
St. Mary's, Nelson ..	3	..	2	1	167	10	..	177	110	..	6	104	280	2	..	282	
St. Vincent de Paul's, Dunedin	5	..	1	4	31	6	..	37	11	..	..	11	47	5	..	52
Totals	548	35	4	579	603	148	103	648	767	14	55	726	1,918	174	139	1,953	

The number of inmates who during 1905 ceased to be under the control of industrial schools was 244. Of these 174 were discharged by warrant, 58 reached twenty-one years of age, 2 were married, and 10 died. Of this total 173 were of good character, 11 fair, and 7 bad; 5 were weak-minded, 20 were missing, 18 were discharged under fifteen years of age (4 of whom were adopted), and 9 under and 1 over that age died.

The number of deaths (10) shows an increase of 2 on the number for the previous year. The medical certificates show that of the six inmates who were boarded out at the time of death, 1 died of syphilis, 1 of bronchitis, 1 of congenital debility, 1 of hereditary syphilis, 1 of stomatitis and enteritis, and 1 of convulsions. One resident inmate died, the cause of death being marasmus. Two inmates died in the hospital, one of pneumonia and the other of asthenia, pneumonia, and intestinal influenza. One young man who was absent without leave was accidentally killed.

The number of admissions during the year (279) shows an increase of 88 on the number for 1904. Of these 41 were sent from Auckland, 58 from Wellington, 54 from Christchurch, and 42 from Dunedin. Of the remaining 84 children, no one town sent more than 7 to the schools. Of the children admitted (279) 30·12 per cent. were of illegitimate parentage.

From information taken from the Magistrate's orders it is found that the religious denominations in which the children who were admitted are to be brought up are Church of England, 129; Roman Catholic, 86; Presbyterian, 28; Methodist, 26; Church of Christ, 4; Baptist, 3; Congregational, 1; Jewish, 1; and 1 to be brought up as a Protestant.

TABLE J2.—ADMISSIONS, CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO PARENTS' CIRCUMSTANCES AND CHARACTER, 1905.

Fathers, described as	Mothers, described as	Precedent Condition of Children admitted in 1905.							
		D estitute.	Under Section 7 of "Children's Protec- tion Act, 1899."	Vagrant.	Associating with Dis- reputable Persons.	Uncontrollable.	Accused or Guilty of Punishable Offences.	By Arrangement.	Total.
Dead	Dead	2	..	1	..	..	1	..	4
"	Good	7	..	3	..	3	9	..	22
"	Questionable .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
"	Bad	1	..	..	6	..	..	..	9
"	Deserter .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
Physically unfit	Dead	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	2
"	Bad .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
Good	Dead	7	..	2	..	..	4	..	13
"	Physically unfit	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
"	Mentally unfit	7	..	4	..	..	2	..	13
"	Good	13	..	7	..	8	27	3	58
"	Questionable	5	..	3	6	..	..	..	14
"	Bad	4	..	3	7	..	1	..	15
"	Deserter .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	2
Questionable	Dead	1	..	..	7	..	1	..	9
"	Mentally unfit .. ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
"	Good	10	..	1	..	..	6	..	17
"	Questionable	8	..	..	2	..	1	..	11
"	Bad .. ..	..	1	..	7	..	..	..	8
"	Unknown .. ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Bad	Dead .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
"	Good .. ..	..	..	4	..	..	2	..	6
"	Questionable	4	..	..	5	..	..	..	9
"	Bad	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	2
Deserter	Good	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	4
"	Questionable	4	..	1	..	..	..	..	5
"	Deserter	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
Unknown	Dead	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
"	Mentally unfit	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
"	Good	15	..	1	..	1	2	..	19
"	Questionable	9	..	..	1	..	..	..	10
"	Bad	3	..	..	3	..	..	..	6
"	Unknown	5	..	..	..	..	1	..	6
	Totals ..	119	1	32	49	13	62	3	279

During the year the urgent need for removing the resident boys of the Caversham Industrial School from the very old and even insanitary buildings that they were occupying near Dunedin caused the Government to decide to enter into occupation of the Boys' Training Farm, Weraroa, in the Wellington District, although it was recognised that for a time the accommodation would be very limited. The boys arrived from Caversham at their new home on the 2nd November, and already there is evidence that they will quickly settle down to the new conditions, which undoubtedly will be in almost every way a distinct advance upon those prevailing at Caversham. The scheme for the buildings provides for a large central administrative block, with dormitories for about sixty boys attached, four or five cottages, each capable of accommodating twelve or fourteen boys, the manager's residence, office, laundry, workshops, engine-house, dairy, stables, and other farm buildings. In planning the buildings and works the predominant idea has been that the principal functions of such an industrial school are to give the boys a good moral training, together with a sound public-school education; to teach various branches of farm-work and agriculture, dairying, fruit-growing, and gardening; to give them a good general knowledge of such trades as carpentry and blacksmithing; and to provide other suitable occupations for those incapable of heavy work; in short, to prepare the boys for the stations in life and the occupations that they are individually best fitted for. The return for the expenditure is seen when many colonists, who would otherwise have been

found in the ranks of the unfit, show themselves to be sturdy farmers and artisans who have learned their business under good conditions. This institution is open for the reception of boys who do not need reformatory treatment, but are not suitable for boarding out, by reason either of their age or temperament.

The removal of the Caversham boys to Weraroa effects another important achievement in the development of the industrial-school system of the colony: there is now no industrial school at which girls reside where boys over ten years of age are resident inmates. The purpose of the Caversham Industrial School is now similar to that of the Auckland Industrial School—it is for girls of any age, so long as they do not need reformatory treatment; and for boys not too old or too wild to be boarded out, or who can be placed at once at service.

Among the problems to be dealt with in the work of making our industrial-school system an increasingly powerful means of advancing the general well-being of the community, the most important, and certainly the most difficult, is that of dealing with that section of the reformatory inmates—both young men and young women—whose dangerously sensual and criminal tendencies hamper the general work of reforming the other inmates. Happily, neither in Burnham nor in Te Oranga Home are the numbers of such cases large, although it is idle to deny that there are a few in each institution who should be entirely separated from the others—that is to say, that another grade in the classification scheme should be instituted. To do this other buildings must be erected, either as separate institutions or as annexes to the existing schools, but they must be thoroughly isolated. There are in the gaols of the colony, no doubt, a proportion of the younger prisoners who have similar characteristics. Probably the cases of this class from the reformatories and those from the gaols should be brought together in institutions specially equipped to deal with them. There are some of these young people who, either from mental deficiency or moral obliquity, seem impervious to all efforts made in their behalf; and as the industrial-schools law is at present there is no power to detain inmates after they reach twenty-one years of age. The matter is of grave concern, and the question of providing for these unfortunates is one that intimately affects the public weal.

At the end of 1905 there was in the Post-Office Savings-Bank on account of the earnings of inmates of Government industrial schools a sum of £15,457 11s. 4d., and on account of inmates of private industrial schools £3,673 5s. 1d. For inmates of Government schools a sum of £1,819 11s. 9d. was withdrawn during the year, and for inmates of private schools £143 12s.

In Table J3 is shown the cost of the Government schools, in which is included the expenditure for the maintenance of inmates boarded out and the salaries of the resident staffs and medical officers; this table also shows the cost of supervision of all inmates who are licensed to reside away from the schools; and, further, the amounts of the recoveries from Charitable Aid Boards, from persons against whom orders for maintenance have been made, and from the sale of farm-produce, &c. The total amount contributed by parents towards the maintenance of their children was £2,935 16s. 2d., being at the rate of £2 7s. 1½d. per head of the total number of children (1,246) maintained at the public cost.

TABLE J3.—EXPENDITURE ON GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS, 1905.

Government School.	Cost of School.	Boarding out. (Included in first column.)	Salaries. (Included in first column.)	Recoveries.	Net Cost.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Auckland (Mount Albert) ..	2,174 4 7	1,051 2 0	373 9 6	1,083 18 7	1,090 6 0
Boys' Training Farm, Weraroa ..	7,825 8 8	.. ..	412 14 0	695 4 8	7,130 4 0
Receiving Home, Wellington ..	3,910 2 1	2,742 14 9	322 15 4	2,295 1 10	1,615 0 3
Te Oranga Home ..	1,483 14 9	.. ..	594 3 5	61 7 6	1,422 7 3
Receiving Home, Christchurch ..	3,691 2 9	2,460 10 10	381 19 0	1,944 4 2	1,746 18 7
Burnham ..	5,522 10 11	.. ..	2,016 7 10	592 12 1	4,929 18 10
Caversham ..	8,122 11 9	2,882 14 5	1,435 19 7	4,231 13 2	3,890 18 7
Totals ..	32,729 15 6	9,137 2 0	5,537 8 8	10,904 2 0	21,825 13 6
Salaries and expenses of assistant inspectors and visiting officers ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	2,193 16 11
Travelling-expenses of managers and others ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	271 4 7
Refund of inmates' earnings ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	50 9 10
Contingencies ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	173 8 10
Total net cost ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	24,514 13 8

Table J4 shows the payments made by the Government on account of inmates in private industrial schools, the recoveries, and the net expenditure by Government. The contributions from Charitable Aid Boards are made directly to the managers of these schools, and are not included in the recoveries shown.

TABLE J4.—GOVERNMENT EXPENDITURE ON PRIVATE (ROMAN CATHOLIC) SCHOOLS, 1905.

Name of School.	Gross Cost.	Recoveries.	Net Cost.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
St. Mary's, Auckland.. ..	955 0 6	154 19 8	810 0 10
St. Joseph's, Wellington	249 0 0	31 12 9	217 7 3
St. Mary's, Nelson	1,025 10 7	319 10 3	706 0 4
St. Vincent de Paul's, Dunedin	74 14 8	20 9 10	54 4 10
Totals	2,314 5 9	526 12 6	1,787 13 3

The other payments made by Government are shown in the following table:—

TABLE J5.—SUMMARY OF EXPENDITURE ON SPECIAL CASES AT OTHER INSTITUTIONS AND PRIVATE HOMES, 1905.

	Government Schools.						Private (Roman Catholic) Schools.		Total.
	Auckland.	Receiving Home, Wellington.	Te Oranga Home.	Receiving Home, Christchurch.	Caversham.	Total.	St. Mary's, Nelson.	Total.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Auckland—									
Costley Training Institution	284 18 0	..	..	..	3 17 0	288 15 0	..	..	288 15 0
St. Mary's Home, Otahuhu	4 10 8	..	..	..	..	4 10 8	..	..	4 10 8
"Door of Hope" Home	2 0 0	..	..	..	..	2 0 0	..	..	2 0 0
Private Homes	3 12 10	..	..	..	..	3 12 10	..	..	3 12 10
Wanganui—									
Mission Home .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	24 15 5	24 15 5	24 15 5
Napier—									
Bethany Home .. ..	..	..	9 14 0	..	..	9 14 0	..	..	9 14 0
Wellington—									
Levin Memorial Home .. ..	..	13 0 0	..	..	..	13 0 0	..	..	13 0 0
Private Homes .. ..	..	3 9 6	..	..	..	3 9 6	..	..	3 9 6
Christchurch—									
Mount Magdala .. ..	..	..	57 12 0	..	..	57 12 0	10 8 0	10 8 0	68 0 0
Gordon Street Refuge .. ..	..	..	3 0 0	5 0 0	..	8 0 0	..	..	8 0 0
Children's Convalescent Cottage Home	..	..	..	1 8 0	..	1 8 0	..	..	1 8 0
Private Homes .. ..	..	..	..	63 4 2	..	63 4 2	..	..	63 4 2
Total	295 1 6	16 9 6	70 6 0	69 12 2	3 17 0	455 6 2	35 3 5	35 3 5	490 9 7

SCHOOL FOR DEAF-MUTES.

The new building has been completed by the Public Works Department, and was occupied by the staff and pupils of the school on their return after the midsummer vacation. The sum expended during the year upon the building was £1,325 16s. 3d. In 1904 the amount was £3,157 6s. 2d.

Five boys and 3 girls left the school since the 1904 Christmas holidays, 1 girl died in December, 1905, whilst undergoing an operation, and 3 boys and 4 girls were admitted. At the end of the year the number in residence was 34 boys and 29 girls, 2 boys less than last year.

The ordinary expenditure on the institution for the year 1905 was: Salaries of Director and teachers, £1,912 9s. 9d.; steward, matron, and servants, £739 9s. 6d.; rent, £140; housekeeping, £879 15s. 9d.; travelling-expenses (including transit of pupils), £168 3s. 7d.; school material and material for technical instruction, £13 13s. 6d.; general maintenance of buildings and furniture, £105 10s. 3d.; clothing £37 2s. 1d.; medical attendance and medicine, £153 1s. 8d.; water-supply, £11 3s. 6d.; sanitation, £15 7s. 6d.; boarding-out of pupils, £282 3s. 7d.; sundries, £148 4s.: total expenditure, £4,606 4s. 8d. Deducting recoveries, parents' contributions, £430 3s. 4d., the net expenditure was £4,176 1s. 4d. The amount expended in 1904 was £4,050 13s. 2d.

Two deaf-mute children who, having received partial training on the manual or sign system, were ineligible for admission to our own institution were main-

tained in the Victorian School for the Deaf, at a cost of £100; and one child was under the charge of a private teacher in Auckland, to whom a fee of £20 was paid by the Department. None of these three pupils returned for instruction after the Christmas holidays.

Mr. Gerit van Asch, who has occupied the position of Director of the institution since its establishment in 1880, retired on the 31st March last, and received the thanks of the Government for his faithful and valuable service.

INSTITUTE FOR THE BLIND.

The Jubilee Institute for the Blind, at Auckland, is a private institution, and not in any way under Government control. Being, however, a "separate institution" under the Hospitals and Charitable Institutions Acts it receives a subsidy at the rate of 24s. in the pound upon the voluntary contributions raised by the Trustees, and, in addition, payment is made to it by the Education Department on account of pupils for whose tuition the Department is responsible. The Trustees have received at various times other grants in aid of buildings. The total amount paid on account of Government pupils during the year 1905 was £566 5s. 4d. The Department also paid £21 for the separate tuition of a pupil in Christchurch, and £6 1s. 4d. for travelling-expenses of an indigent pupil to the Institute; £101 2s. 1d. was recovered from parents and others. The number of Government pupils at the end of 1904 was 24; 5 of these left during the year 1905, and 5 were admitted; the number of such pupils at the close of the last year was accordingly 24.

NATIVE SCHOOLS.

The number of Maori village schools in operation at the end of 1904 was 100. In 1905 three schools were opened, two were transferred to Education Boards, four were closed, and two were given up by the Department. There were thus ninety-five schools in working-order at the end of 1905. The number of children on the rolls of these schools at the 31st December, 1905, was 3,863, as against 3,754 at the end of the preceding year. The number of children is thus increased by 109, while there are five schools fewer in operation. The average attendance for the whole year 1905 was 3,428, an increase of 344 on that of the preceding year. The regularity of the attendance has increased from 81 to 84 per cent., which is very little behind the average attendance at the public schools of the colony. This is all the more satisfactory when it is considered that none of the Maori schools are town schools.

In addition to the village schools, there are now six mission schools that are usually inspected and examined by the Department, two schools of this kind having been established during the year.

There are also six boarding-schools established by the authorities of various Churches in New Zealand; these form the only means available of affording higher education specially for Maori boys and girls. The total number of Native schools open at the end of 1905 was thus 107. European children attending Maori schools are provided for in the matter of higher education by the provisions of the regulations concerning free places in secondary schools, and admission has already been granted to candidates who have gained in Native schools the necessary qualifications.

Three new schools—Oruanui and Waitahanui, in Taupo district, and Manga-orongo, in the King-country—were opened during the year, the first two with considerable success.

There is still some difficulty in procuring candidates who possess the qualifications desirable in the case of Native-school teachers, and, for this reason, the school built at Waimarama, Hawke's Bay, could not be opened until some time had elapsed after its completion.

The schools at Papawai and Te Kuiti were, at the request of the people interested, handed over, the former to the Wellington and the latter to the Auckland Board of Education.

The school at Te Houhi had to be abandoned owing to the departure of the Maoris consequent upon the resumption of their lands by the legal owner, while Awangararanui, Raorao, and Pariroa Schools were closed owing to the attendance falling below the number required.

The Department has found it necessary to increase the accommodation at several schools, and has before it applications of a promising nature for the establishment of several new schools. Information upon these, as far as it has been ascertained, is given in the Inspector's report.

During the year a gratifying advance has been made in the matter of handwork in Native schools. Five new workshops have been established, all of them with the assistance of the Maoris, and at small expense to the Department. A beginning has also been made in the matter of giving instruction in cooking, the utensils being such as are in general use in Maori kaingas. Instruction in practical needlework has also, during the year, been considerably developed, especially in the largest schools.

For the higher education of Maori youths there are six Native boarding-schools available—viz., St. Stephen's and Te Aute for boys, and Hukarere, St. Joseph's, Victoria, and Turakina Schools for girls. The Government offers 123 scholarships, tenable at one or other of these schools, for two years, to children of predominantly Maori race who pass the Fourth or a higher standard at the Maori village schools; most of the holders have passed the Fifth, Sixth, or Seventh Standard. At the end of the year thirty-eight of the scholarships were held by boys and forty-four by girls.

To Maori children attending public schools who pass the Fifth Standard before reaching the age of fifteen scholarships of the value of £20 a year are granted, to enable them to attend a secondary school or to become apprenticed to a suitable trade. Under these conditions there are seven scholars attending secondary schools and seven boys serving apprenticeships. Further advance has also been made in regard to what are known as "nursing scholarships." There are now (1906) three probationers—one each at the Napier, Wellington, and Auckland Hospitals—while arrangements have been made for admission of three scholars as day-pupils.

Six scholarships are offered by the Government to Maori youths to whom it is considered advisable to give university training. Three of these are reserved for those who wish to study medicine, and the remaining ones are open. At present there are three scholarships being held, one student taking the medical course, one arts, and one law.

With reference to the conditions under which all the scholarships are granted, it seems evident that higher qualifications may now be safely demanded from those who wish to obtain secondary or higher education. There is already manifest a keen desire on the part of the Maori parents for instruction in manual and technical work of such a character as is likely to be most useful to the young Maori. The ready assistance they have given in various localities during the year in the establishing of workshops is evidence of this desire. The Department is also beginning to find that where boys and girls can obtain practical training of some kind at home, their parents do not wish them to attend a secondary school. It may be seen from these facts that the system of handwork and manual instruction in Native schools is now beginning to bear fruit, and an extension of the scheme is to be looked for as a natural result.

For boys, instruction in elementary agriculture is probably the direction in which extension of technical work is desirable, while for girls, needlework, cookery, and domestic economy may be further developed.

The total expenditure on Native schools during the year was £24,077, which includes £95 paid from Native school reserves funds and £2,000 from Civil List for Native purposes. Deducting £36, recoveries from various sources, the result is a net cost of £24,041 for the year 1905, as against £24,881 for the previous year.

Included in this sum is expenditure on new buildings and additions, £2,560; on secondary education (including boarding-school fees for holders of scholarships from village schools, apprenticeships, hospital-nursing scholarships, University scholarships, and travelling-expenses of scholarship-holders), £2,116.

The staff of the village schools included seventy-three masters, twenty-one mistresses in charge, eighty-seven assistants, and fifteen sewing-teachers. The masters received salaries ranging from £90 16s. 8d. to £269 5s. 10d.; the head mistresses from £60 to £176 13s. 9d.; the assistants from £9 8s. 4d. to £50; and the sewing-teachers from £6 16s. 3d. to £18 15s. In one school the master and mistress work

conjointly, the total salary being £320 10s. at the end of the year. The assistants and sewing-teachers in the greater number of the schools are generally members of the teacher's family who give assistance in some part of the day's work. The assistance thus given is, however, becoming more valuable every year; indeed, the Department regards the work done by the assistants in the preparatory classes as of prime importance.

A new scale of salaries has been approved, approximating to that set forth in the Schedule to "The Education Act Amendment Act, 1905." The effect will be to produce a more even distribution of the amount paid as salaries to teachers, and to raise the salaries of assistants generally.

As regards the race of the 3,863 children attending Native schools during 1905, 80·8 per cent. were Maori or nearly Maori, 8·6 per cent. were half-castes living as Maoris, 2·2 per cent. were half-castes, or nearly so, living as Europeans, and 8·4 per cent. were Europeans. Of the 3,786 children of Maori or mixed race attending public schools, 59·6 per cent. were Maori, 5·9 per cent. were of mixed race living as Maoris, and 34·4 per cent. were of mixed race living as Europeans.

The standard classification of pupils of Native schools at the end of the year was,—Preparatory classes, 1,223, an increase of 18 on the previous year; Standard I, 728, an increase of 97; Standard II, 629; Standard III, 594; Standard IV, 439; Standard V, 159; Standard VI, 80; and Standard VII, 28.

MANUAL AND TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION.

Satisfactory progress continues to be made by controlling authorities in the various education districts in respect of matters connected with manual and technical instruction. In several centres in which more or less adequate provision for instruction was already made, the work of elaborating and extending facilities for efficient instruction adapted to the varying needs of the community has proceeded vigorously throughout the year with the assistance of Government grants. The efforts thus made have resulted in a marked improvement, not only in the range and character of the instruction, but also in the efficiency of the accommodation and equipment for classes. It is true that much remains to be done, yet it may be said that the larger technical and art schools are, as far as available funds and other circumstances will allow, slowly but surely becoming institutions worthy of the important work for which they are designed. During the year provision has also been made by the Government for the erection and equipment of buildings in several centres which hitherto have been without any adequate facilities for manual and technical instruction, and in which a well-grounded demand for such instruction has been manifested. On the whole it may be said that good use has been made of the facilities provided; especially has this been so in the case of the central schools for the instruction of school-children in cookery and woodwork, which are now in operation in several education districts.

A feature of the year's work has been the successful establishment in certain centres of day technical classes. The formation of these classes is the direct outcome of the provision made by the Government for free technical education. There is little doubt that these classes will have a distinctly beneficial effect on the work of the evening classes, if only for the reason that graded courses of work rather than isolated classes are an important feature of them. The sooner those in charge of technical classes are able to see their way to break away altogether from the idea of the class for this or that subject, and to substitute therefor the idea of graded courses adapted to this or that industry or pursuit, the sooner will the technical schools be in a position to fulfil their proper functions to a greater extent than is now possible. It is gratifying to note that in spite of the many real difficulties in the way the efforts now being made in this direction have not been altogether without avail. In the larger centres, especially, not a little has been accomplished in the way of providing more or less complete courses in mechanical and electrical engineering, and in plumbing and other subjects connected with the building trade.

There are signs, too, that employers are beginning to realise here, as they are realising in the Old Country, that it is to their advantage to encourage their employees to avail themselves of the opportunities now being provided for systematic instruction in the principles that underlie the various trades and industries, and that those who have received such instruction compare not unfavourably with those who have not. To the realisation of these important facts is probably due the increased interest that many local bodies and associations are now taking in the institutions devoted to technical instruction. Further evidence of this interest is to be found in the steadily increasing amounts paid by the Government by way of subsidies on voluntary contributions to technical classes.

The number of technical, continuation, and school classes recognised during the year under the regulations for manual and technical instruction was 3,945, as against 2,599 for the previous year. Of the classes for 1905, 3041 were classes for instruction in various forms of handwork in connection with over 850 primary and secondary schools, while 904 were special, associated, or college classes for instruction in various subjects of science, art, and technology. Technical classes were held at about 55 different places. As regards school classes, the subjects of cookery for girls and woodwork for boys are receiving considerable attention. During the year 192 cookery classes and 177 woodwork classes were in operation, while at the technological examinations of the City and Guilds of London Institute 31 public-school teachers passed the examination in cookery and 50 that in woodwork.

There is still only one education district in which school classes for dairying have been carried on. It is to be hoped that the movement now in progress in various parts of the colony in the direction of providing facilities for instruction in subjects pertaining to agricultural and pastoral pursuits will accelerate the establishment in other districts of classes for instruction in a subject that has such an important bearing on the welfare of the community at large.

In this connection it is pleasing to be able to record a considerable increase in the number of classes in connection with public schools for practical instruction in elementary agriculture. During the year 102 classes in 10 education districts were recognised as against 47 in 6 districts in the previous year. Several Education Boards have also taken steps to appoint special instructors in agriculture, whose chief work at first, at all events, will be the training of teachers and the supervision of the practical instruction in the schools.

Education Boards have been enabled by means of Government grants to continue to arrange for special training classes for teachers in the various forms of handwork suitable for public schools. On the whole the arrangements made have been satisfactory, and the classes well and regularly attended. The curriculum of the training colleges in the four large centres also provides for training in handwork.

Over 1,000 persons qualified for free instruction at technical schools under the regulations. This number, which is greater by 200 than that for 1904, will, it is anticipated, be nearly doubled in 1906. Under these regulations it is possible for pupils at the conclusion of their public-school course to receive free technical instruction for five years. They are thus enabled to proceed without a break from the primary school through a fairly complete technical course with advantage both to themselves and to their instructors.

The total expenditure by the Government on manual and technical instruction for 1905 was £34,775 10s. 11d. The details are as follows: Capitation on all classes, £18,216 9s. 3d.; grants for buildings and equipment, £9,115 5s. 10d.; grants for material for class use, £514 19s. 1d.; subsidies on voluntary contributions, £1,443 8s. 6d.; technical training of teachers, £1,900; railway fares of instructors and students, £466 13s. 11d.; expenses in connection with the examinations of the Board of Education, South Kensington, and of the City and Guilds of London Institute, £461 6s. 7d.; inspection, £984 6s. 9d.; scholarships and free places, £1,633 12s. 8d.; sundries, £39 8s. 4d. The sum of £125 14s. was recovered by way of examination fees and from sale of material used at examinations, leaving a net expenditure of £34,649 16s. 11d.

SECONDARY EDUCATION.

At the end of 1905, there were twenty-one endowed secondary schools giving free tuition ; and the number of free pupils attending these schools was 1,949, as against 1,595 for the previous year. There were in addition about 428 holders of scholarships and exhibitions given by these schools, by Boards of Education, or by the endowed secondary schools not coming under the conditions. There were also 2,872 qualified pupils receiving instruction in the secondary classes of the district high schools. It will thus be seen that there has been a considerable increase in the total number of pupils receiving free secondary education—namely, 5,249 in 1905, as against 4,273 in the previous year. At the end of 1901, before the Secondary Schools Act and the regulations made thereunder came into force, the number of free pupils was only 963.

Under the Regulations for Free Places at Secondary Schools and District High Schools, gazetted in October last, free places in such schools were divided into two series, Junior and Senior, the former being tenable for two years or till the age of seventeen, the latter till the age of nineteen. Boys and girls who qualify for scholarships, whether they obtain scholarships or not, are entitled to Junior Free Places, and all who pass the special examination for Free Places, whether they are under fourteen years of age or not, are also participants in the privilege. With respect to such candidates the age-limit is thus practically abolished. Junior Free Places may again be obtained, not only by all those who gain certificates of proficiency and satisfy the conditions of age, but also by those who gain certificates of proficiency and are over fourteen, provided that the number of the last-named admitted to any secondary school does not exceed 10 per cent. of the whole number of pupils.

In like manner all who pass the Matriculation Examination of the University, or who gain credit at the Civil Service Junior Examination are admitted to Senior Free Places whether they are over sixteen or not, while the same privilege is granted to those who qualify for Senior Scholarships of the Education Boards, and to those who secure a bare pass in the Civil Service Junior Examination, if their age does not exceed sixteen.

There is no age-limit for admission to a Junior Free Place in a District High School or a Technical School.

There has been a very considerable increase in the attendance of pupils at district high schools. In 1905 there was an increase of 561 qualified pupils, or, to put it in other words, the attendance at the secondary departments of these schools increased by 25 per cent. The amount paid by the Government on this account during the year exceeded that for 1904 by £3,284 5s. 2d. Fifty-nine district high schools were in operation, as compared with 52 for the previous year.

TABLE K1.—STAFF, SALARIES, ATTENDANCE, AND PAYMENTS AT DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOLS.

Education District.	Number of Schools.	Number of Teachers.	Amount Paid in Salaries.	Number of Pupils.			Amount paid by Government to Education Boards during the Year.		
				M.	F.	Total.	Capitation.	Grants in Aid.	Total.
			£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Auckland	9	16	2,019 15 0	187	181	368	1,693 0 0	262 10 0	1,955 10 0
Taranaki	1	4	412 15 4	38	24	62	322 5 0	30 0 0	352 5 0
Wanganui	5	11	1,197 17 0	176	117	293*	946 15 0	184 0 0	1,130 15 0
Wellington	9	21	2,119 6 4	295	291	586†	1,908 0 0	306 3 0	2,214 3 0
Hawke's Bay .. .	4	6	1,024 0 0	107	125	232	890 0 0	120 0 0	1,010 0 0
Nelson	3	4	604 7 0	49	59	108	389 10 0	90 0 0	479 10 0
Grey	1	3	276 14 5	9	8	17	143 10 0	30 0 0	173 10 0
Westland	1	6	375 0 0	19	20	39	208 5 0	30 0 0	238 5 0
North Canterbury ..	9	20	2,389 5 11	282	188	470	2,127 18 4	290 18 0	2,418 16 4
South Canterbury ..	4	11	986 0 0	94	101	195	834 10 0	112 10 0	947 0 0
Otago	10	28	1,829 0 6	209	182	391	1,633 15 0	300 0 0	1,933 15 0
Southland	3	7	620 2 1	44	67	111	471 15 0	90 0 0	561 15 0
Totals for 1905 ..	59	137	13,854 3 7	1,509	1,363	2,872	11,569 3 4	1,846 1 0	13,415 4 4
" 1904	52	117	11,033 9 11	1,207	1,123	2,330	8,675 3 11	1,455 15 3	10,130 19 2

* Including 21 boys and 7 girls who had not passed Standard VI. † Including 1 boy and 5 girls who had not passed Standard VI.

The following table shows the number of Education Board scholarships held in December, 1905, with their tenure and annual value. The total expenditure of the Boards under this head amounted to £8,013 6s. 6d. The total paid to the Board for scholarship purposes by the Department was £7,897 13s. 8d.

TABLE K2.—NUMBER AND VALUE OF EDUCATION BOARD SCHOLARSHIPS.

Education Districts.	Number held in Dec., 1905.	Boys.	Girls.	Period of Tenure.	Boards' Expenditure on Scholarships in 1905.	Annual Value, &c.
				Years.	£ s. d.	
Auckland ..	85	64	21	3	1,823 1 10	9 at £30; 25 at £25; 15 at £20; 36 at £15.
Taranaki ..	16	8	8	2	307 15 6	4 at £35; 1 at £33 13s.; 1 at £22 10s.; 1 at £14; 9 at £10.
Wanganui ..	23	10	13	Varies	641 17 6	12 at £40; 9 at £15; 2 at £10.
Wellington ..	48	24	24	2	966 3 4	10 at £35; 3 at £18 18s.; 35 at £15.
Hawke's Bay ..	29	15	14	2	490 13 0	12 at £30; 1 at £16; 1 at £15; 1 at £10; 2 at £8 8s.; 1 at £7 10s.; 8 at £2 10s.; 3 at £2 2s.
Marlborough ..	6	3	3	2	125 0 0	2 at £35; 1 at £25; 3 at £10.
Nelson ..	30	17	13	2	345 8 6	6 at £40; 1 at £25; 3 at £7; 20 at £1 5s.
Grey ..	3	2	1	2	62 4 6	1 at £26; 2 at £8.
Westland ..	5	3	2	2	68 0 0	2 at £24; 1 at £12; 2 at £4.
North Canterbury	38	20	18	2	1,121 9 5	21 at £40; 17 at £20.
South Canterbury	28	20	8	2	328 18 1	4 at £25; 4 at £22 10s.; 1 at £13 10s.; 8 at £7 10s.; 11 at £5.
Otago ..	62	41	21	Varies	1,130 5 6	4 at £40; 9 at £30; 8 at £25; 6 at £20; 3 at £12 10s.; 11 at £10; 21 at £7 10s.
Southland ..	21	15	6	Varies	602 9 4	8 at £35; 9 at £30; 1 at £15; 3 at £5.
Totals, 1905..	394	242	152	..	8,013 6 6	
Totals, 1904..	354	210	144	..	8,260 1 9	

The reports of the secondary schools (subsidised or endowed) and further details in regard to district high schools and Education Board scholarships, are given in a separate paper, E.—12.

The income of these secondary schools for 1905 from school fees, not including fees for boarding, was about £23,291; from rents and interest, about £28,168; from endowments administered by the School Commissioners, about £3,952; and from payments made by Government, about £14,138. The principal item of expenditure was for salaries—£45,815. As the Moseley Commission reported, in regard to the secondary schools of the United States, that, though a marvellous amount of money is being spent on buildings and equipment, yet adequate salaries are not being paid to those who are giving the instruction, it may be of interest to make a comparison between the salaries paid in the two countries. In Indiana and New York States the average salary of a high-school teacher is £145; in New Zealand, principals—men, £468; women, £354; assistants—men, £236; women, £138. In twenty-eight large cities of the Union, where the schools are also very large, the salaries of principals range from £350 to £800. In the four chief towns in this colony, from £500 to £800 for men, and £300 to £450 for women.

SUMMARY OF THE ACCOUNTS OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE FOR 1905 FURNISHED BY THE GOVERNING BODIES OF SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

Receipts.	£	s.	d.	Expenditure.	£	s.	d.
Credit balances on 1st January, 1905 ..	33,436	9	5	Liabilities on 1st January, 1905..	2,153	6	8
Endowment reserves sold and mortgage-moneys repaid	3,506	13	2	Expenses of management	3,129	13	5
Rents of reserves	24,284	6	3	School salaries	45,814	15	2
Interest on moneys invested	3,884	15	0	Boarding-school accounts	5,883	18	7
Reserves Commissioners' payments ..	3,951	15	1	Examination expenses.. ..	369	19	6
Government payments—				Scholarships and prizes	2,027	2	5
For technical instruction	898	16	1	Printing, stationery, fuel, light, &c. ..	3,987	9	11
For free places	13,238	14	3	Buildings, furniture, insurance, rent, and rates	19,743	18	7
School fees (tuition)	23,291	12	4	Expenditure on endowments	3,165	2	3
Boarding-school fees	6,283	17	7	Interest	859	4	10
Books, &c., sold, and refunds	1,128	15	9	Sundries not classified.. ..	3,210	4	6
Sundries not classified.. ..	14,756	11	4	Credit balances, 31st December, 1905 ..	38,797	13	9
Debit balances, 31st December, 1905 ..	480	3	4				
	£129,142	9	7		£129,142	9	7

It will also be noticed from the above table that the finances of the High School Boards are in a much better condition than in 1904. The debit balances had decreased from £2,153 to £480, while the credit balances had increased from £33,436 to £38,798.

The total number of pupils on the rolls in the last term or quarter of the year was 2,467 boys and 1,593 girls, as against 2,265 boys and 1,457 girls at the end of 1904.

TABLE K3.—STAFF, ATTENDANCE, FEES, AND SALARIES AT CERTAIN SECONDARY SCHOOLS.*

Schools.	Staff.		Attendance for Last Term or Quarter of 1905.							Number of Boarders.	Annual Rates of Fees.		Salaries at Rates paid at End of Year.	
	Regular.	Part-time.	Under 12 Years.	12 to 15.	15 to 18.	Over 18 Years.	Total (Roll).	Average Attendance.	For Ordinary Day-school Course.*		For Board, exclusive of Day-school Tuition.	Regular Staff.	Part-time Teachers.	
Whangarei High School	3	..	{ b... 24 g... 15 }	11	..	..	35	..	..	£ s. d. 8 8 0	..	..	380 0 0	..
Auckland Grammar School	17	2	{ b... 155 g... 84 }	121	4	..	280	..	..	{ 10 10 0 8 8 0 }	..	..	4,155 0 0	110 0 0
Thames High School ..	3	..	{ b. 1 14 g... 11 }	13	..	..	28	..	..	8 8 0	..	..	^a 700 0 0	..
New Plymouth High School	5	2	{ b... 21 g... 18 }	22	1	..	44	..	..	6 6 0	..	..	1,025 0 0	65 0 0
Wanganui Girls' College	11	5	12	59	69	18	158	..	55	{ 10 10 0 8 8 0 }	40 0 0	0	^b 1,590 0 0	364 8 0
Wanganui Collegiate School	13	..	2	38	130	12	182	..	126	12 0 0	45 0 0	0	^b 2,960 0 0	..
Palmerston North High School	6	2	{ b.. 47 g... 28 }	58	6	..	111	..	..	10 0 0	..	..	^c 1,320 0 0	..
Wellington College (Boys')	14	..	3	81	204	20	308	..	82	11 17 9	42 0 0	0	3,205 0 0	..
Wellington Girls' High School	9	..	5	48	111	4	168	..	..	{ 13 4 0 10 12 0 }	..	..	1,465 0 0	..
Napier Boys' High School	6	1	11	50	50	2	113	..	31	10 4 0	40 0 0	0	^d 1,229 0 0	35 0 0
Napier Girls' High School	6	2	13	23	66	1	103	..	16	10 4 0	40 0 0	0	^e 1,010 0 0	60 0 0
Marlborough High School	4	2	{ b... 32 g... 20 }	20	4	..	56	..	..	8 11 0	..	..	^f 846 5 0	30 0 0
Nelson College (Boys') ..	8	2	5	56	105	13	179	..	54	{ 10 10 0 8 8 0 }	40 0 0	0	^g 1,920 0 0	90 0 0
Nelson Girls' College ..	8	1	13	57	56	9	135	..	19	{ 10 10 0 8 8 0 }	40 0 0	0	^h 1,050 0 0	40 0 0
Christchurch Boys' High School	12	5	4	81	96	9	190	..	..	{ 10 10 0 7 10 0 }	..	..	3,440 0 0	{ 185 0 0 and fees.
Christchurch Girls' High School	8	8	1	89	73	3	166	..	..	{ 12 12 0 9 9 0 }	..	..	1,405 0 0	327 16 0
Christ's College Grammar School	12	3	38	84	81	6	209	..	69	{ 14 3 6 11 0 6 7 17 6 }	45 0 0 42 0 0	0	ⁱ 3,230 0 0	233 10 0
Rangiora High School ..	3	..	{ b... 19 g... 21 }	16	..	..	35	..	..	9 9 0	..	..	^a 614 0 0	..
Ashburton High School ..	4	..	{ b... 28 g... 25 }	15	..	..	43	..	..	6 6 0	..	..	780 0 0	..
Timaru Boys' High School	4	2	..	41	50	2	93	..	..	{ 9 0 0 7 0 0 }	..	..	^e 1,160 0 0	46 0 0
Timaru Girls' High School	4	2	..	30	43	5	78	..	..	{ 9 0 0 7 0 0 }	..	..	835 0 0	43 10 0
Waitaki Boys' High School	4	1	..	54	56	4	114	..	64	7 10 0	42 18 0	0	ⁱ 1,060 0 0	9 0 0
Waitaki Girls' High School	3	1	..	27	22	4	53	..	..	7 10 0	..	..	520 0 0	60 0 0
Otago Boys' High School	9	4	..	159	141	11	311	..	21	10 0 0	43 10 0	0	^a 2,747 10 0	208 0 0
Otago Girls' High School	9	3	..	94	94	6	194	..	..	10 0 0	..	..	1,680 0 0	{ 240 0 0 and fees.
Southland Boys' High School	5	1	1	80	54	1	136	..	..	10 0 0	..	..	1,175 0 0	75 0 0
Southland Girls' High School	5	2	..	63	63	4	130	..	..	10 0 0	..	..	825 0 0	115 0 0
Totals	195	51	{ b.65 g.44 }	1064	1243	95	2,467	..	537	..	..	..	42,326 15 0	2,337 4 0

* In six cases no secondary school is maintained by the governing body: these are the Auckland Girls' High School, Gisborne High School, Greymouth High School, Hokitika High School, Akaroa High School, Waimate High School; but in all cases the funds are applied, in whole or in part, to the establishment of scholarships or in aid of local district high schools or other secondary schools.

^a Headmaster has residence. ^b Six masters have board. ^c Including £50 house allowance for headmaster. ^d Including £39 house allowance for second master; also headmaster has residence, and two assistant masters have board. ^e Principal has residence. ^f Including £40 house allowance. ^g Headmaster and three assistants have board and residence. ^h Principal and five assistants have board and residence. ⁱ Headmaster and five assistants have residence. ^j Headmaster has residence, and two assistants have board. ^k Part-time teacher has board.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Civil Service Examinations were conducted by the Education Department—the Junior Examination in December, 1905, and the Senior Examination simultaneously with the examinations for teachers' certificates, in January, 1906. There were 787 candidates for the Junior Examination, and the names of 360 were

published in order of merit in the *Gazette* of the 25th January, 1906, as having passed the examination, 249 of them with credit. The Junior Examination was also used as the qualifying examination for senior free places in secondary schools and district high schools, and by Education Boards as an examination for pupil-teachers and for Senior Scholarships.

For the Senior Examination there were 171 candidates, and the names of 126 were published in the *Gazette* of the 1st March, 1906, one as having passed the examination with distinction, 39 as having passed the examination, and 87 as having passed in two or more subjects. Further particulars are given in the Report of the Annual Examinations (E.—1A).

JUNIOR NATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP EXAMINATION.

The examination for Junior National Scholarships and for junior free places in secondary schools, district high schools, and technical schools was held on the 12th and 13th December, 1905. Of the 870 candidates 395 passed the examination, and their names were published in order of merit in the *Gazette* of the 1st February, 1906. In addition to these, as a result of the examination, 114 candidates were regarded as having satisfied the examination requirements for junior free places, though they did not reach scholarship standard. Most of the Education Boards availed themselves of this examination for the purpose of awarding their Junior Scholarships, as did also Victoria College for awarding Queen's Scholarships.

UNIVERSITY AND COLLEGES.

The report of the Chancellor of the University of New Zealand is a separate paper (E.—6). The number of graduates admitted or qualified for admission now amounts to 1,018 admitted and 135 qualified for admission—1,153 in all. Of the 1,018 admitted, 401 have the degree of B.A. alone, 33 B.Sc. alone, 52 LL.B. alone, 8 B.Sc. in Engineering alone, 21 M.B. alone, 66 M.B. and Ch.B. alone, 3 Mus. Bac. alone, 301 M.A. alone, 4 LL.D. alone, 6 M.D. alone, and 2 D.Sc. alone. The graduates upon whom degrees in more than one faculty have been conferred are: B.A. and B.Sc., 9; B.A. and LL.B., 27; B.A. and LL.D., 1; B.A. and M.B., 1; B.A., M.B., and Ch.B., 5; B.A., B.Sc., and M.B., Ch.B., 2; B.Sc. and M.B., Ch.B., 4; B.Sc. and M.D., 1; M.A. and B.Sc., 41; M.A. and LL.B., 19; M.A. and D.Sc., 5; M.A. and M.B., Ch.B., 2; M.A., B.Sc. and M.B., Ch.B., 1; M.A. and LL.D., 3.

The number of degrees authorised to be conferred after the examinations of 1905 was 145—B.A., 55; B.Sc., 11; B.E., 9; LL.B., 17; M.B., 11; Ch.B., 11; M.A., 25; M.Sc., 3; LL.M., 2; Mus. Bac., 1.

As appears by the Chancellor's report, the number of candidates who were examined at the usual examinations in November and December, 1905, and in January and April, 1906, in the faculties of arts, science, medicine, law, and music, and for admission to the legal profession, was 1,834.

The number of students at affiliated colleges in 1905 was 1,158, an increase of 187 over that for the previous year. Of these students, 445 were women. The number of matriculated students was 903, that of unmatriculated 255. The numbers attached to the several colleges were as follows: University of Otago, 167 men and 111 women matriculated, 25 men and 6 women unmatriculated; Canterbury College, 135 men and 65 women matriculated, 26 men and 51 women unmatriculated; Auckland University College, 89 men and 52 women matriculated, 31 men and 57 women unmatriculated; Victoria College, 184 men and 95 women matriculated, 51 men and 8 women unmatriculated. The reports of these colleges are papers E.—7, E.—8, E.—9, and E.—10 respectively.

“THE UNIVERSITY ENDOWMENT ACT, 1868.”

The income accrued under this Act, and applicable to purposes of higher education yet to be determined by Parliament, amounted, on the 31st March, 1906, to £3,134 16s. 4d., as follows: Canterbury reserves, £2,850 3s. 10d.; Westland, £284 12s. 6d. The amount accrued from the Taranaki reserves, amounting to £5,169 11s. 1d., was paid to the Public Trustee in December, 1905, in accordance with “The Taranaki Scholarships Act, 1905.”

PUBLIC LIBRARIES.

By a vote of last session a sum of £3,000 was again granted for subsidies to public libraries. Notice thereof was inserted in the *Gazette* of the 23rd November, 1905, and forms of application were sent to all libraries known to the Department. The method of distribution of the vote was the same as that adopted in previous years—viz., a nominal addition of £25 was made to the amount of the income of each library derived from subscriptions, donations, and rates, provided that the receipts for the year were not less than £2, and the vote was divided according to the amount thus augmented; but no library received credit for a larger income than £75—that is, in no case did the augmented amount on which distribution was based exceed £100. In accordance with the *Gazette* notice, the day appointed for the distribution of the subsidy was the 6th February, 1906, and the amount of the vote was divided among the 430 libraries from which applications, each accompanied by a statutory declaration on the proper form, had been received at that date. The vote, as thus dealt with, afforded a subsidy of 3s. 4·46d. in the pound of the nominal income, and the subsidies ranged from £16 17s. 3d. to £4 11s. On account of irregularities in the returns sent in, the subsidy in two cases was withheld, and the net payment out of the vote was therefore £2,989 1s. 6d.

The number of libraries participating in the vote shows an increase of seventeen as compared with the number aided in the previous year. In order that the purpose intended to be served by the vote may be attained, it is made a condition for participation that the whole of the subsidy granted to each library in the previous year shall have been expended in the purchase of books.

The following table shows the distribution according to education districts:—

SUMMARY OF DISTRIBUTION OF PUBLIC LIBRARIES SUBSIDY.

Education Districts.	Number of Libraries.	Income.	Amount on which Subsidy is calculated.	Amount of Subsidy.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Auckland	106	2,748 3 10	4,123 6 6	695 3 9
Taranaki	16	377 17 8	726 7 6	122 9 4
Wanganui	34	1,508 16 6	1,672 9 11	281 19 10
Wellington	22	4,179 19 11	1,129 10 9	190 10 0
Hawke's Bay	28	939 12 0	1,274 19 3	214 19 9
Marlborough	4	134 17 1	215 1 9	36 5 5
Nelson	27	824 16 1	1,238 8 3	208 16 1
Grey	5	138 8 6	263 8 6	44 8 4
Westland	5	72 14 10	197 14 10	33 6 8
North Canterbury	69	1,784 14 5	2,635 0 5	439 12 8
South Canterbury	22	717 3 0	979 7 0	165 2 3
Otago	60	902 17 3	2,240 13 6	371 8 8
Southland	31	287 15 1	1,062 15 1	179 3 7
Chatham Islands	1	9 2 6	34 2 6	5 15 2
Totals	430	14,626 18 8	17,793 5 9	2,989 1 6

APPENDIX.

Table No. 1.

RETURN of OFFICERS of EDUCATION BOARDS not included in Table No. 8, as at 31st December, 1905.

AUCKLAND.—Secretary and Treasurer, £550. Nine Clerks—1 at £325, 1 at £250, 1 at £120, 1 at £100, 2 at £90, 3 at £40. Six Inspectors—1 at £550, 2 at £400, 3 at £375: each with 15s. a day travelling-expenses beyond a certain radius. Nine Relieving-teachers—1 at £190, 1 at £150, 1 at £100, 5 at £80, 1 at £20. Two Architects—1 at £350 and actual travelling-expenses, cost of stationery, and half-cost of office-rent, private practice allowed; 1 at 5 per cent. commission, actual travelling-expenses, and right of private practice. Truant Officer, £130, with £10 allowance for travelling, and £52 a year for assistance.

Technical Instruction and Manual Training.—Director, £600. Registrar, £90. Cadet, £40. Typiste, £60. Two Art Instructors—1 at £250, 1 at £200. Science Instructor, £250. Three Instructors in Cookery at Manual Training Schools at £130. Three Instructors in Woodwork at Manual Training Schools at £170.

TARANAKI.—Secretary, £250. Clerk, £30. Two Inspectors—1 at £375, 1 at £225. Truant Officer, £110. Architect, £100.

WANGANUI.—Secretary, £290. Three Clerks—1 at £170, 1 at £80, 1 at £75. Three Inspectors—1 at £450, with £100 travelling-allowance; 2 at £350: each with £150 travelling-allowance. Two Truant Officers—1 at £200, with £60 travelling-allowance; 1 at £20.

Technical Instruction.—Director, £305. Four Art Instructors—1 at £225, 1 at £150, 1 at £105, 1 at £60. Instructor in Woodwork, £250 and travelling-expenses. Four Instructors in Wood-carving, £160 and travelling-expenses. Instructor in Cookery, £120 and travelling-expenses.

WELLINGTON.—Secretary, £400. Four Clerks—1 at £240, 1 at £225, 1 at £150, 1 at £55. Despatch Clerk, £155. Three Inspectors—1 at £450, 1 at £425, 1 at £400, each with actual travelling-expenses. Truant Officer, £155. Clerk of Works, £220.

HAWKE'S BAY.—Secretary and Treasurer, £250. Two Clerks—1 at £100, 1 at £50. Inspector, £500, with £175 travelling-allowance.

MARLBOROUGH.—Secretary and Treasurer, £175. Inspector at £300, and travelling-expenses. Two Truant Officers—1 at £38, 1 at £3.

NELSON.—Secretary, £300. Clerk, £100. Two Inspectors—1 at £350, with £130 travelling-allowance; 1 at £250, with £100 travelling-allowance.

GREY.—Secretary, £120. Inspector, £330. Truant Officer, £25.

WESTLAND.—Secretary and Inspector, £400, including travelling-expenses. Clerk and Truant Officer, £90.

NORTH CANTERBURY.—Secretary, £450. Treasurer and Chief Clerk, £200. Two Clerks—1 at £175, 1 at £150. Shorthand Clerk and Typist, £80. Three Inspectors, at £450: each with actual travelling-expenses. Truant Officer, £140, with actual travelling-expenses. Architect, £275, with actual travelling-expenses; Assistant, £170.

Technical Instruction.—Two Manual Instructors—1 at 2s. 6d. per hour for boys, and 4s. per hour for adults during actual instruction; 1 at 2s. 6d. per hour during actual instruction.

SOUTH CANTERBURY.—Secretary and Assistant Inspector, £400, including travelling-expenses. Inspector, £600, including travelling-expenses. Three Clerks—1 at £200, 1 at £50, 1 at £20. Truant Officer, £40, with travelling-expenses.

Technical Instruction.—Teacher of Cookery, £150, with travelling-expenses.

OTAGO.—Secretary, £500. Four Clerks—1 at £300, 1 at £220, 1 at £170, 1 at £100. Four Inspectors—1 at £500, 1 at £475, 2 at £375: each with £150 travelling-allowance. Architect, £300, with actual travelling-expenses. Instructor in Gymnastics, £120, with actual travelling-expenses. Truant Officer, £175, with actual travelling-expenses. One Relieving-teacher, £150.

SOUTHLAND.—Secretary and Treasurer, £400. Three Clerks—1 at £185 10s., 2 at £30. Two Inspectors at £400, with actual travelling-expenses. Truant Officer, £150, with actual travelling-expenses. Instructor in Gymnastics, £100, with actual travelling-expenses. Architect and Director of Technical Instruction, £300, with actual travelling-expenses; Assistant, £65.

Table No. 2.
Age and Sex of the Pupils on the School-rolls in the several Education Districts at the End of 1905.

Education Districts.	5 and under 6 Years.				6 and under 7.				7 and under 8.				8 and under 9.				9 and under 10.				10 and under 11.				11 and under 12.				12 and under 13.				13 and under 14.				14 and under 15.				Over 15 Years.				Totals of all Ages.			
	Boys.		Girls.		Boys.		Girls.		Boys.		Girls.		Boys.		Girls.		Boys.		Girls.		Boys.		Girls.		Boys.		Girls.		Boys.		Girls.		Boys.		Girls.		Boys.		Girls.		Totals.							
	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Totals.							
Auckland ..	1,396	1,232	1,736	1,608	1,833	1,715	1,896	1,694	1,902	1,668	1,798	1,682	1,919	1,684	1,725	1,607	1,471	1,246	729	531	311	256	16,716	14,923	31,639																							
Taranaki ..	191	168	291	227	303	285	323	292	319	278	286	271	294	269	279	232	200	177	100	89	62	26	2,638	2,314	4,952																							
Wanganui ..	514	451	663	595	792	719	831	651	737	737	766	690	667	671	666	626	505	451	292	235	121	104	6,554	5,932	12,486																							
Wellington ..	701	555	854	716	918	901	943	914	932	883	1,004	869	945	831	898	830	762	662	429	339	182	187	8,568	7,687	16,255																							
Hawke's Bay ..	320	314	498	414	543	506	548	503	548	527	498	454	527	455	503	396	400	327	210	182	88	109	4,683	4,187	8,870																							
Marlborough ..	64	63	97	90	110	101	103	113	104	112	125	93	126	100	113	95	82	73	47	39	25	21	996	900	1,896																							
Nelson ..	286	251	296	271	306	323	346	311	326	280	295	291	303	316	301	281	245	251	106	106	50	33	2,860	2,714	5,574																							
Grey ..	78	105	95	70	87	84	85	91	92	94	73	91	72	86	67	83	66	66	49	26	18	14	782	810	1,592																							
Westland ..	56	41	48	61	59	49	52	68	62	60	51	48	50	43	55	27	46	50	24	22	22	30	525	499	1,024																							
North Canterbury ..	857	800	1,001	989	1,119	1,038	1,088	1,044	1,130	1,119	1,136	1,092	1,147	1,086	1,094	992	834	768	407	314	178	152	10,041	9,344	19,385																							
South Canterbury ..	226	191	285	257	277	273	298	298	315	257	305	230	330	274	301	265	214	194	105	89	50	62	2,706	2,440	5,146																							
Otago ..	772	758	1,012	960	1,155	1,058	1,063	1,073	1,103	1,118	1,146	1,091	1,161	1,058	1,129	1,006	821	732	383	313	182	162	9,877	9,329	19,206																							
Southland ..	403	394	531	470	558	509	594	576	575	519	597	558	553	536	518	488	435	345	171	127	69	72	5,004	4,594	9,598																							
Totals for 1905 ..	5,864	5,323	7,397	6,728	8,060	7,561	8,170	7,628	8,195	7,652	8,080	7,510	8,094	7,359	7,649	6,930	6,081	5,342	3,002	2,412	1,358	1,228	71,950	65,673	137,623																							
Totals for 1904 ..	5,482	5,025	7,270	6,725	8,066	7,471	8,028	7,496	7,962	7,495	8,190	7,479	7,864	7,211	7,515	6,932	5,995	5,253	2,972	2,447	1,317	1,280	70,661	64,814	135,475																							
Difference ..	382	298	127	9	-6	90	142	132	233	157	-110	31	230	148	134	-2	86	89	30	-35	41	-52	1,289	859	2,148																							

Table No. 3.

STANDARD CLASSES of all PUPILS on School-rolls at the End of 1905.

Education Districts.	Pupils in Preparatory Classes.			Pupils preparing for Standard												Totals.											
	I.			II.			III.			IV.			V.					VI.			VII.						
	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.			Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.				
Auckland	5,350	4,678	10,028	2,002	1,821	3,823	1,974	1,735	3,709	1,964	1,815	3,779	1,872	1,706	3,578	1,729	1,504	3,233	1,314	1,134	2,448	511	530	1,041	16,716	14,928	31,689
Taranaki	791	637	1,428	355	322	677	344	309	653	362	313	675	299	324	623	253	220	473	176	142	318	58	47	105	2,638	2,314	4,952
Wanganui	1,920	1,601	3,521	848	733	1,581	819	685	1,504	819	798	1,617	780	716	1,496	615	671	1,286	501	480	981	252	248	500	6,554	5,932	12,486
Wellington	2,410	2,061	4,471	972	869	1,841	1,012	960	1,972	1,106	952	2,058	1,035	919	1,954	886	846	1,732	778	712	1,490	369	368	737	8,568	7,687	16,255
Hawke's Bay	1,260	1,107	2,367	598	540	1,138	608	526	1,134	634	554	1,188	567	500	1,067	522	462	984	354	336	690	140	162	302	4,683	4,187	8,870
Marlborough	213	191	404	109	110	219	109	107	216	142	106	248	159	118	277	122	118	240	91	102	193	51	48	99	996	900	1,896
Nelson	781	672	1,453	349	354	703	338	287	625	374	334	708	365	321	686	277	293	570	265	335	600	111	118	229	2,860	2,714	5,574
Grey	283	286	569	86	92	178	87	73	160	79	101	180	93	103	196	69	75	144	61	60	121	24	20	44	782	810	1,592
Westland	169	151	320	68	63	131	55	54	109	48	54	102	55	52	107	59	39	98	41	54	95	30	32	62	525	499	1,024
North Canterbury	2,758	2,549	5,307	1,176	1,114	2,290	1,207	1,152	2,359	1,329	1,211	2,540	1,192	1,188	2,380	1,146	962	2,108	804	798	1,602	429	370	799	10,041	9,344	19,385
South Canterbury	696	586	1,282	316	291	607	292	306	598	362	291	653	309	296	605	317	269	586	269	234	503	145	167	312	2,706	2,440	5,146
Otago	2,621	2,425	5,046	1,133	1,114	2,247	1,166	1,108	2,274	1,258	1,219	2,477	1,273	1,188	2,461	1,128	1,056	2,184	870	848	1,718	428	371	799	9,877	9,329	19,206
Southland	1,456	1,268	2,724	585	578	1,163	598	537	1,135	634	583	1,217	581	546	1,127	543	530	1,073	419	335	754	188	217	405	5,004	4,594	9,598
Totals for 1905	20,708	18,212	38,920	8,597	8,001	16,598	8,609	7,839	16,448	9,111	8,331	17,442	8,580	7,977	16,557	7,666	7,045	14,711	5,943	5,570	11,513	2,736	2,698	5,434	71,950	65,678	137,628
Totals for 1904	20,100	17,797	37,897	8,193	7,450	15,643	8,857	8,061	16,918	8,902	8,349	17,251	8,717	8,056	16,773	7,441	7,021	14,462	5,709	5,357	11,066	2,742	2,723	5,465	70,661	64,814	135,475
Difference	608	415	1,023	404	551	955	-248	-222	-470	209	-18	191	-137	-79	-216	225	24	249	234	213	447	-6	-25	-31	1,289	859	2,148

Table No. 4.
SUMMARY OF BOARDS' INCOME FOR TWENTY-NINE YEARS.

Year.	Balances, 1st January.		Maintenance.				Other Grants from Government.				Secondary Instruction.	Local Receipts.				Interest.	Deposits, Refunds, &c.		Total.		
			From Education Reserves.		From Government.		Buildings.		Technical.			School Fees, &c.		Rents, &c.							
£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
1877	32,490	7	6	16,604	4	3	157,392	15	10	46,812	7	6	..	..	..	41,955	11	4	1,190	7	1
1879	58,173	3	11	21,330	7	1	217,876	2	0	150,581	4	7	..	..	..	1,799	5	9	1,231	7	9
1881	32,419	10	9	23,533	6	7	233,587	0	9	64,318	0	0	..	..	..	1,415	8	5	599	1	2
1883	11,532	15	4	24,714	18	9	266,967	12	11	83,322	10	9	..	..	..	1,221	13	6	2,155	1	2
1885	19,553	12	3	29,761	11	2	306,572	2	3	59,008	15	0	..	..	..	1,188	2	10	855	14	3
1887	21,157	5	10	27,372	9	3	332,605	3	8	55,451	2	9	..	..	..	1,434	1	2	236	8	11
1889	47,715	1	2	31,646	0	8	326,341	3	8	11,578	18	3	..	..	..	1,978	10	10	233	13	5
1891	27,690	2	5	34,741	11	1	342,244	10	0	66,737	10	3	..	..	..	1,866	2	0	241	14	0
1892	65,610	4	3	37,373	11	9	340,918	19	1	31,602	9	4	..	..	..	2,391	19	6	294	14	2
1893	51,098	17	6	37,169	11	0	350,465	13	11	47,273	0	0	..	..	..	2,349	6	11	552	6	10
1894	50,709	13	7	34,761	17	5	362,388	10	8	45,079	5	10	..	..	..	2,271	14	3	522	11	3
1895	42,396	18	8	39,828	11	1	379,610	16	10	44,603	1	4	..	..	..	2,369	2	3	856	11	11
1896	53,240	6	3	37,196	6	7	388,702	0	8	34,957	1	8	..	..	..	3,042	5	9	580	4	11
1897	12,005	13	3	36,857	1	9	393,358	14	3	57,527	1	3	1,153	9	0	3,859	0	3	859	14	4
1898	14,317	17	3	38,023	15	4	396,114	6	11	64,733	2	6	2,557	13	8	6,312	18	1	1,308	18	5
1899	25,047	19	11	40,803	16	7	386,143	2	5	49,118	4	6	857	17	11	4,933	16	8	1,384	12	10
1900	5,520	13	10	41,381	1	8	387,637	10	8	58,740	12	6	996	15	9	4,664	3	9	1,126	18	1
1901	11,565	8	8	40,969	0	2	413,381	2	11	55,049	7	3	4,948	0	7	4,989	19	3	1,552	17	11
1902	6,923	0	3	43,046	17	10	458,966	7	11	60,679	11	3	8,726	4	11	5,446	0	6	1,832	7	9
1903	17,892	15	5	44,506	4	2	432,897	7	1	78,406	13	11	8,461	2	4	4,691	4	9	2,686	3	2
1904	6,485	17	11	44,429	9	11	439,538	19	6	98,839	9	1	14,316	1	8	4,660	12	0	1,977	9	11
1905	29,230	11	9	49,236	6	8	461,948	15	8	86,458	13	7	20,702	14	11	6,071	7	9	1,245	14	6

* Including sums raised by School Committees and expended on education without going through the Boards' books, as follows: New Plymouth, £750 1s.; Hawke's Bay, £814 4s. 5d.; Otago, £20,893 3s. 2d. including £9,025 7s. 5d. for secondary schools, the Auckland College and Grammar School and the Otago High School being under the charge of the Education Boards during the year 1877.
 † Including subsidies to Public Libraries.
 ‡ The greater part of the vote was not paid until after the end of the year.
 § Including special grants for technical-school buildings.
 ¶ Included amongst "Rents, &c."
 || Included in previous years amongst "Maintenance."

Table No. 4A.

SUMMARY OF BOARDS' EXPENDITURE FOR TWENTY-NINE YEARS.

Year.	Management by Boards.	Inspection and Examination.	Maintenance of Schools.*	School Buildings.	Secondary Instruction.	Technical.	Interest and Exchanges.	Refunds, Advances, &c.	Balances,† 31st December.	Totals.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1877	10,484 14 10	5,606 19 7	173,726 9 7	80,351 16 9	..	..	256 12 6	14,519 17 0	23,323 0 9	308,269 11 10
1879	11,109 8 10	7,735 4 0	221,053 4 0	172,867 14 3	..	..	225 18 4	87,499 13 3	42,437 1 6	462,928 4 2
1881	8,109 6 9	8,387 15 4	243,257 3 6	58,254 12 6	..	..	150 14 3	83,414 19 3	37,400 15 9	358,975 7 4
1883	9,682 12 9	9,866 11 8	272,269 17 2	86,748 13 0	..	..	214 12 1	82,120 2 3	13,007 11 8	398,890 0 7
1885	10,551 0 7	10,039 14 4	310,761 0 7	64,821 15 4	..	..	225 9 4	1,258 13 9	21,589 9 1	419,247 3 0
1887	9,893 7 10	10,731 8 9	340,349 17 1	52,621 9 11	..	..	57 4 10	267 2 8	25,118 3 0	439,038 14 1
1889	9,683 19 8	10,197 14 1	328,099 16 6	41,123 11 11	..	..	25 7 9	106 15 10	31,125 9 6	420,362 15 3
1891	10,549 19 5	11,143 10 6	343,880 3 5	42,150 17 4	..	..	318 1 3	715 5 5	65,610 4 3	474,368 1 7
1892	11,017 3 9	11,635 7 8	355,254 4 0	49,088 18 4	..	..	286 10 2	688 9 2	51,098 17 6	479,114 10 7
1893	11,360 10 11	11,882 10 3	371,205 1 0	44,387 2 4	..	..	207 9 0	659 2 4	50,709 13 7	490,411 9 5
1894	11,425 4 8	12,692 5 8	382,154 5 6	44,851 19 7	..	..	333 1 4	2,795 15 2	42,396 13 8	496,649 10 7
1895	11,481 19 3	13,127 5 10	382,506 5 2	45,251 0 2	..	..	82 7 3	4,651 0 6	53,240 6 3	510,840 4 5
1896	12,092 13 2	13,037 4 7	395,831 16 4	53,533 15 6	..	..	230 3 11	1,359 10 0	12,005 13 3	488,030 16 9
1897	12,536 14 11	12,614 18 5	407,786 19 10	60,485 18 7	..	..	205 5 7	234 16 10	14,317 17 3	508,182 11 5
1898	12,649 0 6	13,076 16 11	412,373 15 11	52,719 18 4	..	6,112 10 9	271 10 10	1,510 17 4	25,016 11 1	523,731 1 8
1899	14,434 8 5	13,720 6 9	408,509 2 10	56,749 5 4	..	9,212 7 4	170 18 10	489 1 2	5,320 13 10	508,606 4 6
1900	14,532 4 0	14,698 18 4	401,977 1 2	51,805 18 3	..	5,720 18 2	327 9 11	1,315 12 4	11,565 8 8	501,943 10 10
1901	15,127 5 1	14,690 9 11	427,659 13 5	60,102 13 0	..	7,610 13 10	241 11 9	746 4 2	6,923 0 3	533,101 11 5
1902	14,693 9 8	14,215 2 10	465,247 15 1	61,763 5 2	..	11,605 7 9	..	790 14 6	18,075 1 5	586,390 16 5
1903	30,493 7 11	..	461,830 13 2	94,990 13 11	..	12,984 9 8	..	809 1 4	6,485 17 11	607,593 13 11
1904	31,980 15 2	..	449,249 11 7	83,509 1 6	..	16,735 7 7	..	1,028 4 3	29,230 11 9	632,241 4 9
1905	32,675 0 0	..	472,064 2 3	101,582 19 8	..	25,055 17 5	..	1,953 13 0	20,923 7 1	678,953 1 4

* Maintenance includes teachers' and pupil-teachers' salaries and pupil-teachers' lodging-allowances, grants to Committees and schools, and training of teachers. † Including £11,166 2s. for the Auckland College and Grammar School and the Otago High School, which were under the charge of the Board. ‡ Including overdrafts. § Including payments to public libraries. || Included in "Management by Boards."

Table No. 5.

INCOME of the several EDUCATION BOARDS for the Year 1905.

Education Districts.	Balances, 1st January, 1905.		Receipts from Government.										From Local Sources.						Refunds, Trusney Fees, &c.(2)	Overdrafts, 31st December, 1905.	Total.																									
			For Salaries and Allowances (in- cluding Receipts from Education Reserves).					Allowance of £250, and Capitation at £d. and 11s. 3d. per Annum.		For Scholarships and District High Schools.		For Manual and Technical Instruction.		For Buildings and Sites, and House Allowance.		Miscellaneous(1).		Total from Government.				Fees for Dis- trict High Schools, Tech- nical Schools, Training, &c.		Donations, Subscriptions, and Interest on Bequests.		Interest, Rents, Sale of Old Buildings, &c.		Total from Local Sources.																		
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£				s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.								
Auckland	96,091	11	11	16,161	11	6	4,124	3	1	3,659	3	5	26,136	14	11	1,015	11	6	147,188	16	4	747	3	0	754	2	4	216	2	5	1,717	7	9	656	5	5	2,683	6	10	152,245	16	4		
Taranaki	...	314	4	10	16,098	15	11	2,744	11	3	615	2	9	495	2	7	5,129	10	7	149	5	9	25,232	8	10	224	19	4	27	7	0	76	19	7	329	5	11	21	11	0	25,897	10	7
Wanganui	...	1,875	9	6	40,198	11	0	6,514	16	6	1,910	15	11	1,650	11	2	6,399	1	9	392	3	6	57,065	19	10	725	11	1	562	17	2	76	16	10	1,365	5	1	253	0	4	1,501	5	0	61,560	19	9
Wellington	...	194	14	3	46,082	2	1	8,442	5	6	3,399	8	6	4,858	2	5	11,447	18	7	568	2	3	74,797	19	4	32	19	0	97	2	10	170	11	10	300	13	8	92	7	8	249	7	10	75,635	2	9
Hawke's Bay	...	4,052	15	2	26,117	12	2	4,715	9	3	1,505	10	3	875	5	9	3,931	13	2	278	4	3	37,423	14	10	231	4	8	816	17	0	16	5	0	1,064	6	8	29	4	10	42,570	1	6
Marlborough	...	466	19	6	6,767	9	11	1,212	18	6	141	1	5	179	8	5	755	3	4	82	2	0	9,138	3	7	20	7	6	40	2	3	60	9	9	36	18	2	9,702	11	0
Nelson	...	2,560	1	2	18,894	13	6	3,080	12	0	783	8	3	642	7	3	5,221	13	7	176	14	0	28,799	8	7	63	6	0	63	6	0	175	10	10	31,598	6	7
Grey	...	178	13	11	5,331	14	0	1,063	14	0	281	9	6	107	10	6	1,463	15	0	51	18	0	8,300	1	0	75	0	0	12	8	9	87	8	9	0	13	0	418	13	9	8,985	10	5
Westland	...	783	8	1	3,865	19	4	779	16	0	323	15	0	111	4	9	859	3	6	34	15	3	5,974	13	10	6	10	6	248	16	0	41	13	6	297	0	0	0	5	0	68	8	7	7,123	15	6
North Canterbury	...	9,508	9	10	56,107	10	1	10,133	1	9	3,735	4	11	2,092	3	11	6,414	18	6	4,218	1	10	82,701	1	0	432	6	5	99	3	9	531	10	2	28	10	3	92,819	11	3
South Canterbury	...	4,554	7	3	17,050	18	5	2,888	0	3	1,301	18	9	1,392	10	9	2,995	10	10	281	0	1	25,909	19	1	19	9	6	195	5	0	149	16	0	364	10	6	3	13	0	30,832	9	10
Otago	...	1,589	12	2	61,514	1	2	10,525	4	9	3,280	11	2	3,079	6	5	12,705	13	1	4,102	11	2	95,157	7	9	176	1	3	210	7	9	155	0	0	541	9	0	79	4	2	97,367	13	1
Southland	...	4,002	6	8	31,868	9	6	5,245	3	3	1,326	1	11	1,559	17	7	2,997	16	9	337	19	3	43,335	8	3	165	4	0	188	10	5	190	14	7	544	9	0	3	1	5	47,885	5	4
Totals for 1905	...	29,581	2	4	425,989	9	0	73,507	4	6	22,678	11	5	20,702	14	11	86,458	13	7	11,688	8	10	641,025	2	3	2,392	8	4	3,678	19	5	1,245	14	6	7,317	2	3	1,380	5	1	4,921	2	0	684,224	13	11
Totals for 1904	...	13,813	11	7	404,866	2	7	71,137	4	2	19,226	7	7	14,316	1	8	98,839	9	1	7,965	2	8	616,350	7	9	2,166	6	1	2,434	5	11	1,977	9	11	6,638	1	11	2,766	17	2	350	10	7	639,919	9	0
Difference	...	15,767	10	9	21,123	6	5	2,370	0	4	3,452	3	10	6,386	13	3	-12,380	15	6	3,723	6	2	24,674	14	6	226	2	2	1,184	13	6	-731	15	5	679	0	4	-1386	12	1	4,370	11	5	44,305	4	11

(1) Including grants for training colleges, drill-instruction, conveyance of school-children, capitation at 3d. for Committees, &c.

(2) Including proceeds of sale of school-sites—viz., Auckland, £278 3s. 11d.; Wellington, £210; Wanganui, £238 3s. 1d.; Marlborough, £28.

Table No. 6.
EXPENDITURE of the several EDUCATION BOARDS for the Year 1905.

Education Districts.	Overdrafts, 1st January, 1905.	Staff Salaries, Clerical Assistance, and Office Contingencies (including Inspection and Examination Expenses).			Maintenance.					Scholarships, and Cost of Secondary Education in District High Schools.			Training of Teachers.		Manual and Technical Instruction.		Buildings, including Sites, Fencing, Furniture, Plans, Conveyances, House Allowance, &c.		Refunds, and Sundries.		Balances, 31st December, 1905.		Totals.														
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.											
Auckland	350 10 7	6,498	13	0	96,394	3	7	8,568	6	4	699	12	3	105,662	2	2	4,155	7	6	133	7	4	6,043	15	6	29,243	12	8	158	7	7	...	...	152,245	16	4	
Taranaki	...	1,613	4	10	15,880	2	2	1,349	14	0	64	5	8	17,294	1	10	786	9	7	...	...	...	610	11	8	4,561	19	11	1	11	8	1,029	11	1	25,897	10	7
Wanganui	...	3,144	4	8	40,082	5	8	2,886	7	4	252	12	10	43,221	5	10	2,071	7	3	...	...	...	2,912	10	9	10,211	3	9	0	7	6	...	...	61,560	19	9	
Wellington	...	3,723	15	4	46,014	19	2	3,786	2	3	407	19	5	50,209	0	10	3,578	13	11	20	0	0	4,779	15	5	12,984	5	3	1,339	12	0	...	...	75,635	2	9	
Hawke's Bay	...	1,623	13	3	25,833	5	6	2,873	3	8	174	4	3	28,880	13	5	1,921	9	9	...	...	...	1,605	15	7	6,505	11	2	15	12	6	2,017	5	10	42,570	1	6
Marlborough	...	710	17	5	6,630	12	11	634	8	5	5	16	2	7,270	17	6	145	0	0	...	...	...	181	9	4	711	0	0	38	6	1	645	0	8	9,702	11	0
Nelson	...	1,807	0	6	18,984	17	10	1,290	7	1	113	10	11	20,388	15	10	1,009	14	3	...	...	...	770	19	4	6,556	1	3	75	10	9	990	4	8	31,598	6	7
Grey	...	694	9	10	5,356	3	11	363	8	8	2	0	0	5,721	12	7	384	13	11	...	...	...	36	0	2	2,136	14	11	11	19	0	...	...	8,985	10	5	
Westland	...	643	9	3	3,866	13	11	201	2	8	21	17	0	4,089	13	7	509	6	0	...	...	...	219	1	1	1,642	3	2	20	2	5	...	...	7,123	15	6	
North Canterbury	...	3,444	7	6	56,918	15	2	5,745	19	11	378	1	4	63,042	16	5	4,084	18	10	2,887	0	7	1,819	12	1	9,508	0	6	7	12	8	8,025	2	8	92,819	11	3
South Canterbury	...	1,578	1	2	17,127	10	2	1,244	6	3	51	1	1	18,422	17	6	1,415	0	1	...	...	...	1,691	18	5	3,687	5	3	1,863	0	6	3,174	6	11	30,832	9	10
Otago	...	4,693	3	0	61,217	4	0	5,848	1	7	479	1	7	67,544	7	2	3,232	16	8	2,616	16	8	3,216	19	9	8,997	4	0	357	18	11	6,708	6	11	97,367	13	1
Southland	...	2,500	0	3	32,037	5	6	2,621	7	6	*			34,658	13	0	1,403	4	2	...	...	...	1,167	8	4	4,837	17	10	63	11	5	3,254	10	4	47,885	5	4
Totals for 1905	350 10 7	32,675	0	0	426,343	19	6	37,412	15	8	2,650	2	6	466,406	17	8	24,698	1	11	5,657	4	7	25,055	17	6	101,582	19	8	1,953	13	0	25,844	9	1	684,224	13	11
Totals for 1904	7,327 13 8	31,980	15	2	406,303	8	2	36,750	15	0	2,567	10	5	445,621	13	7	20,517	12	11	3,627	18	0	16,735	7	7	83,499	1	6	1,028	4	3	29,581	2	4	689,919	9	0
Difference	-6,977 3 1	694	4	10	20,040	11	4	662	0	8	82	12	1	20,786	4	1	4,180	9	0	2,029	6	7	8,320	9	10	18,083	18	2	925	8	9	-3,736	13	3	44,305	4	11

* Included in teachers' salaries, &c. No separate account kept by the Board.

† Including alteration to Board's offices, £310 11s.

‡ Including expenditure out of proceeds of sale of Waimate site, £722 6s. 4d.

Table No. 7.

STATEMENT of EXPENDITURE and RECOVERIES in respect of all SERVICES under the Control or Supervision of the MINISTER OF EDUCATION during the Year ended 31st March, 1906.

Head Office (Vote No. 50).	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Inspector-General .. .. .	..	700 0 0	
Secretary .. .. .	..	550 0 0	
Assistant Inspector-General (2 months) .. .. .	..	83 6 8	
Clerks and clerical assistance .. .. .	..	4,079 6 4	
Travelling-expenses .. .. .	..	369 1 5	
Telephone subscriptions .. .. .	..	43 3 10	
Messenger and storeman .. .. .	..	146 0 0	
Publications, books of reference, &c. .. .. .	..	15 9 0	
Typewriting machine and material .. .. .	..	43 14 0	
Contingencies .. .. .	..	155 12 2	
			6,185 13 5
Public Schools (Votes Nos. 51, 59, and 60, Consolidated Fund; and 93 and 94, Public Works Fund).			
Grants to Education Boards for—			
Teachers' salaries (including lodging-allowances for pupil-teachers)	434,825 0 3		
Less revenue from reserves	47,012 16 3		
		387,812 4 0	
Teachers' house allowances (Vote No. 60) .. .. .	..	11,627 10 1	
General administrative purposes: Capitation at 11s. 3d. on average attendance .. .. .	..	67,641 16 11	
Grant of £250 per annum to each Education Board .. .. .	..	3,250 0 0	
Special grant: Capitation at 9d. on average attendance for School Committees .. .. .	..	4,508 19 8	
Relieving-teachers: Capitation at 6d. on average attendance .. .. .	..	3,006 8 10	
Training colleges .. .. .	..	5,625 2 10	
School buildings—			
General maintenance, &c. (Vote No. 60)	54,527 7 5		
New buildings (Vote No. 94)	11,182 4 8		
Additions, &c., to school buildings (Vote No. 93)	12,491 6 9		
		78,200 18 10	
Rebuilding schools destroyed by fire .. .. .	..	4,851 11 0	
Rent of temporary premises during the rebuilding of schools destroyed by fire .. .. .	..	375 16 9	
Repairing schools damaged by earthquakes (Wellington, £151 15s.; Hawke's Bay, £250 .. .. .	..	401 19 0	
Miscellaneous Expenditure—			
Schools at Chatham Islands .. .. .	..	584 6 4	
Teachers', Civil Service, National Scholarships, &c., examinations .. .. .	..	2,985 1 8	
Conveyance of school-children (railway fares, &c.) .. .. .	..	6,533 13 4	
Training-classes approved by Education Boards: Railway fares of teachers and instructors of classes .. .. .	..	4,487 12 2	
Grants in aid of free kindergartens (Vote No. 59) .. .. .	..	943 17 6	
Grant to Educational Institute for travelling-expenses of members .. .. .	..	100 0 0	
Preparation of standard test questions and pupil-teacher examination-papers .. .. .	..	62 10 0	
Inspectors' Conference (February, 1904) .. .. .	..	37 17 6	
Expenses of delegates attending conference <i>re</i> teachers' superannuation .. .. .	..	44 7 6	
Contingencies .. .. .	..	44 8 10	
		582,526 2 9	
Less recoveries (examination fees) .. .. .	..	1,626 14 0	
			580,899 8 9

Table No. 7—continued.

STATEMENT of EXPENDITURE and RECOVERIES—continued.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Secondary and University Education (Votes Nos. 52, 59, and 60, Consolidated Fund; 93 and 94, Public Works Fund; and statutory payments.)									
Grants to Education Boards—									
Scholarships: Not exceeding capitation allowance at 1s. 6d. on average attendance	6,834	9	3			
District High Schools: Capitation and grants-in-aid	14,134	3	4			
District High Schools: Salaries of teachers	4,693	15	8			
District High Schools: Subsidies ("Education Act, 1904")	179	13	4			
National Scholarships: ("Education Act, 1904")	1,388	0	6			
Other Grants—									
Scholarships for Maoris	104	0	10			
Secondary schools and colleges: Capitation	16,446	3	4			
Secondary schools and colleges: Subsidies ("Education Act, 1904")	988	13	0			
Sir George Grey Scholarships (4 at £50 each); University Colleges. (Vote No. 59)	200	0	0			
Marlborough High School: Grant ("Marlborough High School Act, 1899")	400	0	0			
Auckland University College: Grant ("Auckland University College Act, 1882")	4,000	0	0			
Auckland University College: Grant for specialisation in Commerce and Mining. (Vote No. 59)	2,000	0	0			
Victoria College, Wellington: Grant ("Victoria College Act, 1897")	4,000	0	0			
Victoria College: Grant for specialisation in Law and Science. (Vote No. 59)	2,000	0	0			
Victoria College: Grant for buildings. (Vote No. 93)	13,290	15	6			
University of New Zealand: Grant ("New Zealand University Act, 1874")	3,000	0	0			
Canterbury College: Grant for specialisation in Engineering. (Vote No. 59)	2,000	0	0			
Otago University: Grant for specialisation in Mining, Medicine, and Veterinary Science. (Vote No. 59)	2,000	0	0			
Otago University: Grant for Physiological Lecture-rooms. (Vote No. 93)	2,000	0	0			
Whangarei High School: Grant for additions to buildings. (Vote No. 60)	270	0	0			
Thames High School: Grant for buildings. (Vote No. 60)	750	0	0			
Ashburton High School: Grant for buildings. (Vote No. 60)	1,000	0	0			
Nelson College: Grant for rebuilding. (Vote No. 93)	2,000	0	0			
							88,679	14	9
Technical Instruction (Votes Nos. 53, Consolidated Fund; 94, Public Works Fund; and "The Education Act, 1904").									
Salaries of Inspectors (two)	730	0	0			
Examinations—									
Science and Art, Board of Education, South Kensington	216	15	8			
City and Guilds of London Institute	327	15	1			
Capitation—									
School classes	9,157	9	5			
Special associated and college classes	8,893	12	5			
Grants for scholarships	2,110	3	5			
Grants for training of teachers	2,503	19	0			
Material and apparatus for classes	605	3	7			
Buildings and permanent apparatus (Vote No. 94)	16,005	12	2			
Railway fares of instructors	450	10	10			
Railway fares of students attending registered classes	66	5	10			
Travelling-expenses of Inspectors	264	0	11			
Specimen students' work for purposes of exhibition	71	2	2			
Subsidies on contributions ("The Education Act, 1904")	2,371	10	2			
Sundries	9	17	9			
				43,783	18	5			
Less recoveries (examination fees)	127	15	0			
							43,656	3	5
Public School Cadets (Vote No. 54).									
Commanding Officer (salary, £310; travelling-expenses, £290 1s. 3d.)	600	1	3			
Clerk	175	0	0			
Instructors of teachers' classes	5	0	0			
Railway fares of school cadet corps	171	16	7			
Capitation	1,393	2	6			
Arms, accoutrements, &c.	3,005	13	11			
Challenge shields (two)	24	1	4			
Expenses of cadet camps	131	10	7			
Contingencies	60	12	2			
				5,566	18	4			
Less recoveries (sale of caps, ammunition, &c.)	603	2	5			
							4,963	15	11

Table No. 7—continued.

STATEMENT of EXPENDITURE and RECOVERIES—continued.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Native Schools (Votes Nos. 55 and 60, Consolidated Fund; 94, Public Works Fund).									
Salaries of Inspectors						537	18	1	
Salaries and allowances of teachers						16,450	6	3	
Higher education and apprenticeship						2,065	2	8	
Books, school requisites, sewing material, &c.						590	13	7	
Travelling-expenses (including removals of teachers)						885	4	11	
Buildings: New schools, additional class-rooms, &c. (Vote No. 94)						2,622	13	10	
Repairs, repainting, and general maintenance of school buildings, fencing, &c. (Vote No. 60)						706	5	4	
Technical Instruction: Payment of instructors; workshops, and material for classes						314	0	10	
Warming of school-rooms						106	16	3	
Ferrying school-children						97	13	11	
Advertising						90	7	8	
General contingencies						103	14	7	
						24,570	17	11	
Less recoveries						2,227	18	6	
									22,342 19 5
Industrial Schools (Votes Nos. 56, 60, and 72, Consolidated Fund; and 93, Public Works Fund).									
Salaries of Assistant Inspector and Visiting Officers (four)	983	0	0						
Travelling-expenses, &c., of Assistant Inspectors and Visiting Officers	1,192	17	7						
Travelling-expenses of other officers	130	10	2						
Contingencies	36	11	3						
						2,342	19	0	
Schools,—									
Auckland—									
Salaries	421	17	10						
General maintenance	587	6	10						
Repairs to buildings, &c. (Votes Nos. 60 and 72)	58	12	10						
Boarding-out—									
Board of children	1,122	16	5						
Medical attendance and sundries	7	9	9						
	2,193	3	8						
Less recoveries	1,030	0	0						
						1,168	3	8	
Boys' Training-farm, Weraroa—									
Salaries	732	17	8						
General Maintenance	2,454	0	3						
Expenses of removal of boys from Caversham	297	3	2						
Clearing, fencing, &c. (Votes Nos. 60, 72, and 93)	750	19	1						
New buildings, &c. (Vote No. 93)	6,465	12	2						
	10,700	12	4						
Less recoveries	996	6	5						
						9,704	5	11	
Te Oranga Home, Burwood—									
Salaries	644	8	5						
General maintenance	586	12	8						
Rent	107	0	0						
Repairs and alterations to buildings, &c. (Votes Nos. 60 and 72)	258	16	1						
	1,596	17	2						
Less recoveries	82	17	2						
						1,514	0	0	
Burnham—									
Salaries	2,116	19	5						
General maintenance	2,713	0	4						
Alterations and repairs to buildings, &c. (Votes Nos. 60 and 72)	541	0	3						
	5,371	0	0						
Less recoveries	647	10	7						
						4,723	9	5	

Table No. 7—continued.
STATEMENT of EXPENDITURE and RECOVERIES—continued.

INDUSTRIAL SCHOOLS—continued.					£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Caversham—													
Salaries ..	..	..	..	..	1,142	16	4						
General maintenance ..	..	..	..	..	2,910	8	5						
Repairs to buildings, &c. (Votes Nos. 60 and 72) ..	..	..	..	..	179	5	5						
Boarding-out—													
Board of children ..	..	..	..	..	3,268	8	5						
Salary of Official Correspondent ..	..	..	..	..	125	0	0						
Medical attendance and sundries ..	..	..	..	..	98	9	1						
					7,724	7	8						
Less recoveries ..	..	..	..	..	4,109	11	3	3,614	16	5			
Receiving-home, Wellington—													
Salaries ..	..	..	..	..	324	10	3						
General maintenance ..	..	..	..	..	735	0	9						
Rent (Vote No. 56), £72; repairs, &c. (Votes Nos. 60 and 72), £23 14s. 11d. ..	..	..	..	..	95	14	11						
Boarding-out—													
Board of children ..	..	..	..	..	3,211	18	0						
Medical attendance and sundries ..	..	..	..	..	84	7	8						
					4,451	11	7						
Less recoveries ..	..	..	..	..	2,453	12	5	1,997	19	2			
Receiving-home, Christchurch—													
Salaries ..	..	..	..	..	401	1	10						
General maintenance ..	..	..	..	..	724	4	8						
Rent of temporary premises ..	..	..	..	..	88	8	0						
Alterations, repairs to buildings, &c. (Votes Nos. 60 and 72) ..	..	..	..	..	81	6	8						
Boarding-out—													
Board of children ..	..	..	..	..	2,516	6	1						
Medical attendance and sundries ..	..	..	..	..	50	11	0						
Gratuity to attendant on account of loss of personal effects by fire ..	..	..	..	..	20	0	0						
					3,881	18	3						
Less recoveries ..	..	..	..	..	1,608	7	6	2,273	10	9			
Private Schools—													
St. Mary's, Auckland—													
Maintenance ..	..	..	..	..	1,218	1	0						
Less recoveries ..	..	..	..	..	177	7	7	1,040	13	5			
St. Joseph's, Wellington—													
Maintenance ..	..	..	..	..	271	6	0						
Less recoveries ..	..	..	..	..	21	1	9	250	4	3			
St. Mary's, Nelson—													
Maintenance ..	..	..	..	..	1,003	19	7						
Less recoveries ..	..	..	..	..	325	17	11	678	1	8			
St. Vincent de Paul's, Dunedin—													
Maintenance ..	..	..	..	..	72	13	8						
Less recoveries ..	..	..	..	..	29	8	4	43	5	4			
Inmates maintained at other institutions	516	10	5			
Amount refunded to earnings accounts of ex-inmates	30	13	9			

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Table No. 7—continued.
STATEMENT of EXPENDITURE and RECOVERIES—continued.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Institution for Deaf-mutes (Votes Nos. 57, 60, and 72, Consolidated Fund; 93, Public Works Fund; and "The Civil Service Act, 1866").									
Director	450	0	0						
Assistants	1,260	0	0						
Separate instruction of (twelve) pupils	211	4	9						
				1,921	4	9			
Steward and Matron	152	13	9						
Servants	542	1	10						
Medical Officer	20	0	0						
				714	15	7			
Rent (£105, Vote No. 57) and repairs (£54 7s. 8d., Votes Nos. 60 and 72)				159	7	8			
Travelling and conveyance, including transit of pupils				181	8	6			
General maintenance				1,264	2	7			
Pupils boarded out				282	3	7			
Completion of new buildings (Vote No. 93)				2,514	15	2			
Instruction of one pupil at Auckland and two at Melbourne				120	0	0			
Compensation to late director (Mr. G. van Asch) for loss of office ("The Civil Service Act, 1866")				983	14	8			
				8,141	12	6			
Less recoveries				406	12	10			
							7,734	19	8
Institution for Blind (Vote No. 58).									
Charges for pupils at Jubilee Institute, Auckland				431	8	5			
Separate instruction of pupil at Christchurch				21	0	0			
Passages				3	6	6			
				455	14	11			
Less recoveries				101	10	11			
							354	4	0
Miscellaneous (Vote No. 59).									
Commission, Native Reserves Trusts				1,577	18	10			
Subsidies to public libraries				2,989	1	6			
Maintenance, &c., of "Milne" Seismograph, No. 20				7	12	1			
Compassionate allowance to Mrs. Stewart, late Native-school teacher				50	0	0			
Compensation to D. Brent for loss of office				525	0	0			
							5,149	12	5
Total							£784,865	4	11

Table No. 8.

LIST of the PUBLIC SCHOOLS in the several EDUCATION DISTRICTS, with the Expenditure for the Year 1905, and the Names, Classification, Status, and Emoluments of the Teachers as in December, 1905.

NOTE 1.—Every couple of half-time schools is kept together, and is reckoned as one school.
NOTE 2.—In the column for "Position in the School" (10) "M" and "F" distinguish sex; "H" means head of a school; "M" or "F" (standing alone) sole teacher; "Mis." mistress; "A," assistant teacher; "P," pupil-teacher; and "Sec." indicates that the teacher is engaged in secondary instruction.
NOTE 3.—In the column for "Classification" (9) an asterisk signifies that the certificate is provisional.
NOTE 4.—In the column for "Salary" (11) an asterisk signifies that an addition is made to the teacher's salary out of the district high school grants. (See also E.—12, 1906.)

AUCKLAND.

1 Name of School.	2 Average for the Year 1905.	3 Expenditure for the Year.					Names, Classification, and Status of Teachers.			Annual Rates of Payment during Last Month of Year.	
		3 Teachers' Salaries, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	4 Teachers' House Allowances.	5 Other Ordinary Expenditure, including Rebuilding, Repairs to Buildings, &c.	6 Buildings, Sites, Furniture, and Apparatus.	7 Rent of School Buildings.	8 Teachers on the Staff at the End of the Year.	9 Classification.	10 Position in the School.	11 For Salary, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	12 For Teachers' House Allowances.
GRADE 0.											
Amodeo Bay ..	12	£ 59 10 0	£ 10 0 0	£ 4 15 7	£ 3 3 0	..	Plummer, M., Mrs.	E2	F	£ 65 0 0	£ 10
Ararimu ..	8	48 0 0	..	4 14 0	..	..	Cooper, Lucy	..	F	48 0 0	..
Brooklyn ..	8	54 0 0	10 0 0	4 17 9	..	..	Ammon, Helena A.	..	F	54 0 0	10
Hunua No. 2 ..	6	43 10 0	8 1 1	3 15 9	..	..	Pratt, Edward	..	M	54 0 0	10
Kaimamaku ..	11	62 5 0	10 0 0	5 17 3	..	..	Mackenzie, Rhoda S.	..	F	70 0 0	10
Mahoenui ..	13	60 0 0	10 0 0	..	..	..	Blackett, Isabella H.	..	F	60 0 0	10
Muriwai ..	16	67 10 0	10 0 0	1 2 0	..	..	Brett, Reginald E.	Lic.	M	80 0 0	10
Okiwi ..	11	70 0 0	10 0 0	2 5 7	..	..	Stead, Edwin C.	..	M	70 0 0	10
Oreore ..	5	27 10 0	..	0 13 0	..	..	Purves, Andrew	..	M	30 0 0	..
Oroville ..	10	43 10 0	..	5 5 5	..	..	Smith, William	..	M	48 0 0	..
Otaikerangi ..	11	21 0 0	..	0 5 10	..	..	Rust, Douglas S.	..	M	36 0 0	..
Tangowahine ..	17	72 15 10	..	2 9 6	..	..	Boswell, Charles W.	..	M	85 10 0	..
Te Puna Point ..	9	54 0 0	10 0 0	4 6 3	..	..	George, Charlotte	..	F	54 0 0	10
Te Rauamoa ..	10	33 0 0	..	2 4 7	..	..	Ashby, Albina	..	F	36 0 0	..
Waioatemarama ..	10	54 0 0	..	5 3 9	..	..	de Thierry, Virginia	..	F	54 0 0	..
Wekaweka ..	5	24 0 0	..	2 0 0	..	..	Powick, Edna	..	F	24 0 0	..
Weymouth ..	10	54 0 0	10 0 0	7 12 3	..	..	Joyce, May F.	..	F	54 0 0	10
Whangamarino ..	10	59 6 8	10 0 0	5 4 6	..	..	Bree, Lucy M.	..	F	60 0 0	10
Wharehine ..	9	60 0 0	10 0 0	5 17 6	..	..	Dudding, Alice M.	..	F	60 0 0	10
Whatipu ..	4	30 0 0	..	0 2 0	..	..	Vibert, Mildred F.	..	F	30 0 0	..
Koromata ..	10	54 0 0	9 3 4	9 10 1	13 2 2	..	Laxon, Eileen W.	..	F	60 0 0	10
Pnkemiro ..	10	50 16 8	8 6 8	1 14 5	17 1 10	..	Melville, Isabelle	..	F	60 0 0	10
Moerangi ..	3	12 0 0	..	..	..	..	Godsell, Cathie M.	..	F	18 0 0	..
Ness Valley ..	12	39 3 4	5 16 8	11 17 2	..	..	Schmidt, William H.	..	M	70 0 0	10
Waingarara ..	9	18 0 0	..	3 9 7	8 1 11	..	Ernest, Elizabeth M.	..	F	54 0 0	10
Orahiri ..	5	7 10 0	..	..	..	..	Menzies, Gladys E.	..	F	30 0 0	..
GRADE 1.											
Albertland North ..	16	80 0 0	10 0 0	7 1 3	..	..	Beacroft, F. I. I.	..	F	80 0 0	10
Awanga ..	7	54 11 1	8 8 0	4 0 5	..	..	Goodwin, Ernest A.	..	M	65 0 0	10
Bream Tail and Waipu Cove	16	114 0 0	10 0 0	25 5 5	..	..	Leech, Joshua S.	D4	M	114 0 0	10
Cabbage Bay ..	19	90 0 0	10 0 0	9 1 6	..	..	Smith, William H.	Lic.	M	90 0 0	10
Churchill ..	18	84 2 10	10 0 0	13 11 6	..	..	Macdonald, Sarah E.	..	F	85 0 0	10
Great Barrier ..	13	77 1 8	9 3 4	11 3 3	..	..	Hunter, Edward J.	..	M	80 0 0	10
Greenhithe and Long Bay	16	115 10 0	9 14 5	6 18 9	..	..	McPherson, D. A.	..	M	113 8 0	10
Gumtown ..	17	95 16 8	10 0 0	7 14 0	..	..	Allison, David A. B.	..	M	90 0 0	10
Hakaru ..	13	60 15 0	7 10 0	14 8 8	..	..	Fraser, Jessie A.	E2	F	90 0 0	10
Hoteo North ..	16	90 0 0	10 0 0	7 5 0	..	..	Vincent Louisa	E2	F	90 0 0	10
Huanui ..	21	110 15 0	10 0 0	9 17 6	..	..	Marshall, Leslie C.	E2	M	114 0 0	10
Huarau ..	15	72 10 0	10 0 0	1 2 6	..	..	Nutsford, Kate E.	Lic.	F	80 0 0	10
Huia ..	12	85 0 0	10 0 0	6 7 9	..	..	Fielder, E. M.	E2	F	85 0 0	10
Jordan ..	16	81 0 0	10 0 0	8 16 5	..	5 4 0	Patterson, Annie	..	F	81 0 0	10
Kaiwaka ..	23	101 3 7	..	18 18 6	..	..	Ryan, Elizabeth M.	Lic.	F	114 0 0	..
Katikati No. 1 ..	8	73 6 8	9 3 4	4 13 9	..	..	Whitmore, Ella J.	..	F	80 0 0	10
Kaurihohore ..	21	108 6 0	..	14 1 3	..	..	Moore, Minnie L.	E3	F	114 0 0	..
Kirikirihoa ..	18	83 15 0	..	10 6 6	..	..	Beatty, Annie	Lic.	F	90 0 0	..
Kohekohe ..	18	92 15 0	..	46 2 4	..	..	Litchfield, Mary E., Mrs.	D3	F	100 0 0	..
Komokorau ..	20	96 3 6	10 0 0	8 7 7	1 1 0	..	Colley, Catherine C.	Lic.	F	99 0 0	10
Lichfield ..	12	80 0 0	10 0 0	6 6 3	..	..	Kells, Isabella F. R.	Lic.	F	80 0 0	10
Mahurangi Heads and Mullet Point	20	121 10 0	..	11 1 11	..	..	Caddy, E. W. B.	D3	M	126 0 0	..
Makarau and Taheroa	18	113 8 0	10 10 0	8 0 9	3 3 0	..	Armstrong, Annie	Lic.	F	113 8 0	10
Mangapiko ..	14	70 0 0	10 0 0	10 7 0	..	..	Monstedt, Anna M.	E3	F	70 0 0	10
Mangawhara ..	21	103 10 0	10 0 0	4 16 6	..	5 4 0	Smith, Adelaide M.	E4	F	114 0 0	10
Marakohi No. 2 ..	21	90 0 0	10 0 0	35 15 6	..	..	McClune, Hugh F.	..	M	94 10 0	10
Matapouri ..	15	69 3 4	9 3 4	4 18 6	..	..	Ashby, Katherine A.	..	F	80 0 0	10
Mauku West ..	13	75 0 0	..	6 7 9	..	..	Glenny, Joseph	D2	M	75 0 0	..
Maungatawhiri Valley	19	78 0 10	..	7 12 6	..	..	Robertshaw, Mary A.	Lic.	F	85 10 0	..
Miranda and Kaiawa	15	126 0 0	10 0 0	7 5 9	..	..	Murdoch, Albert	D2	M	126 0 0	10
Mokau ..	17	82 8 0	10 0 0	7 12 3	..	..	Webster, Robert S.	Lic.	M	80 0 0	10
Kutarere (late Ohiwa)	21	88 17 6	10 0 0	8 4 2	..	..	Hardy, Selina M.	..	F	99 0 0	10
Okahu ..	14	65 0 0	10 0 0	21 10 9	Clark, Dinah	..	F	65 0 0	10
Omaha, Little ..	16	100 0 0	..	9 17 2	Gallie, Ada	E4	F	100 0 0	..

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GRADE 1—continued.											
Ongarue	21	£ 95 0 3	£ 27 10 0	£ 8 12 6	£ ..	£ ..	Lamont, Margaret M. T., Mrs., M.D.	..	F	£ 94 10 0	£ ..
Oparau	12	65 0 0	10 0 0	1 0 2	..	..	McChesney, H. H. R.	..	M	65 0 0	10
Opuawhanga ..	10	75 0 0	10 0 0	5 15 9	..	..	Bradshaw, I., Mrs.	..	F	75 0 0	10
Oruaiti	16	87 6 0	10 0 0	5 14 10	..	..	Ballance, Violet M.	Lic.	F	85 0 0	10
Otumoetai	21	101 9 6	10 0 0	13 9 5	..	..	Bull, Edith	..	F	102 12 0	10
Paemako	16	80 0 0	10 0 0	11 16 10	..	..	Upton, Frederick G.	Lic.	M	80 0 0	10
Papakura Valley No. 1	21	108 10 0	..	52 9 1	18 0 6	..	Beale, Arundel M. ..	C2	F	114 0 0	..
Papakura Valley No. 2	20	98 5 0	10 0 0	7 16 9	..	..	Vincent, E. M. ..	Lic.	F	94 10 0	10
Papamoa	17	94 10 0	10 0 0	7 19 0	103 7 6	3 10 0	Murray, R. B., Mrs.	..	F	94 10 0	10
Paparimu	13	70 0 0	10 0 0	7 6 0	..	..	Dean, Daisy	Lic.	F	70 0 0	10
Paradise	24	116 15 0	10 0 0	14 4 11	..	..	Cliffe, Albert S. ..	E4*	M	126 0 0	10
Pukeatua	18	105 0 0	10 0 0	52 11 9	..	..	Shannon, Catherine	E3	F	105 0 0	10
Pukekawa	15	70 0 0	10 0 0	6 9 3	6 16 0	..	McElwain, Olive N.	D3	F	80 0 0	10
Pukete	24	115 15 0	..	10 9 11	..	..	Stephenson, E. W.	D2	M	126 0 0	..
Purerua	23	109 1 8	10 0 0	11 8 8	..	..	Tennent, Frances I.	..	F	106 4 0	10
Purua	20	98 0 0	..	9 14 2	..	..	Carter, Henrietta M.	..	F	94 10 0	..
Raupo	24	110 10 0	10 0 0	46 12 6	44 16 11	..	Stone, Alfred E. ..	E5*	M	118 0 0	10
Ruapuke	14	80 0 0	..	12 9 0	..	..	Ariell, Janet I. ..	..	F	80 0 0	..
Ruatangata East ..	9	65 0 0	10 0 0	4 10 9	..	..	Hawkes, Emily C. ..	..	F	65 0 0	..
Swanson	22	104 15 0	10 0 0	9 0 3	..	..	Duncan, Kate	E2	F	114 0 0	10
Tangaihi	16	82 10 0	10 0 0	6 14 3	..	..	Masefield, John	Lic.	M	80 0 0	10
Tara Road	16	76 10 0	10 0 0	6 15 0	..	..	Jackson, Edith S. A.	Lic.	F	81 0 0	10
Taraunui	16	92 12 6	10 0 0	6 12 9	..	..	McDonald, Ivon F.	..	M	85 10 0	10
Taupo	27	110 15 8	10 0 0	13 0 3	..	..	Heath, Andr. w W.	..	M	117 0 0	10
Te Akatea & Waingaro	12	78 0 0	10 0 0	1 5 7	..	13 10 0	McGrath, Francis ..	Lic.	M	78 0 0	10
Te Rahu	14	85 0 0	..	6 18 3	..	..	Hamilton, Josephine	E3	F	85 0 0	..
Tetahi	12	65 0 0	10 0 0	2 5 0	..	..	Mandeno, Mary E.	Lic.	F	65 0 0	10
Te Uku	14	75 0 0	..	7 7 6	..	..	Harsant, E. M. N. ..	Lic.	F	75 0 0	..
Tryphena	17	90 0 0	..	7 12 6	..	..	Mabett, Arthur	Lic.	M	90 0 0	..
Turanga Creek No. 2	18	100 0 0	10 0 0	28 19 10	..	..	Piggot, Ellen M. ..	D3	F	100 0 0	10
Waiau	6	59 11 8	9 3 4	4 13 3	..	..	Booth, Ada K. M. ..	..	F	65 0 0	10
Wakare	28	85 11 6	9 3 4	10 9 7	..	..	Williams, Rons	..	M	113 8 0	10
Waiwera Springs ..	19	94 10 0	10 0 0	8 2 9	..	..	Stevenson, Jane E. B.	Lic.	F	94 10 0	10
Walt n	20	110 0 0	10 0 0	14 10 6	271 1 2	..	Gribble, Charles ..	E1	M	110 0 0	10
Whakahara	11	70 0 0	10 0 0	0 9 0	..	..	Hyatt, Alice S.	E2	F	70 0 0	10
Whangapoua	24	102 0 6	9 5 4	143 0 11	7 9 6	..	Johnston, William	Lic.	M	109 16 0	10
Whangaripo	16	73 6 8	9 3 4	22 10 6	..	..	Dowding, F. B. ..	D4*	M	80 0 0	10
Whangaroa North ..	18	93 15 0	..	7 16 3	..	..	Conway, Mabel E.	E3	F	100 0 0	..
Piako Valley	18	80 3 4	9 3 4	4 1 1	17 5 0	..	Hunt, Helen F., Mrs.	..	F	90 0 0	10
Raupo No. 2	11	67 18 4	9 3 4	6 5 11	5 18 10	..	Torr, Ivy J. ..	..	F	65 0 0	10
Tangoa	19	98 6 8	9 3 4	6 5 0	275 15 6	13 0 0	Johnston, Mary J.	E2	F	110 0 0	10
Union Collieries ..	13	64 3 4	9 3 4	3 5 1	17 18 0	..	Pendergrast, H. E.	..	M	70 0 0	10
Puketarata	14	45 16 8	5 16 8	4 13 5	280 14 3	..	Hamilton, Lucy	D3	F	80 0 0	10
Waitetuna	17	61 15 10	7 10 0	8 1 8	18 12 8	10 8 0	McKinnon, Malcolm	..	M	85 10 0	10
Oropi	14	37 10 0	5 0 0	6 8 0	..	..	Leech, Grace C. ..	E4	F	75 0 0	10
GRADE 2.											
Ardmore	24	122 0 0	..	12 12 7	..	..	Latimer, Ella, Mrs.	D2	F	122 0 0	..
Avoca	22	118 0 0	20 0 0	9 4 0	..	..	Hook, Alfred C. ..	D4	M	180 0 0	20
Awatuna and Marlborough	23	134 10 6	20 0 0	52 16 1	..	..	Reynolds, Arthur E.	Lic.	M	141 12 0	20
Awitu Central	18	114 0 0	..	7 12 3	..	..	Lorking, Walter H.	E2	M	114 0 0	..
Awitu No. 2	22	118 0 0	20 0 0	9 1 6	..	..	Cruickshank, Jemima	D3	F	118 0 0	20
Brookside	22	126 0 0	20 0 0	11 13 8	..	..	Usher, Agnes	E3	F	126 0 0	20
Dome Valley	27	130 10 0	..	22 0 3	..	..	Heney, Annie, Mrs.	E2*	F	131 10 0	..
Elstow	21	126 0 0	20 0 0	9 4 0	4 14 0	..	Fraser, Anne B. ..	D3	F	126 0 0	20
Eureka	23	114 0 0	20 0 0	5 13 10	..	..	Bell, Lucy	Lic.	F	114 0 0	20
Gordon	22	126 0 0	..	9 17 6	..	..	Ramson, F. S. ..	C3	M	126 0 0	..
Graham's Fern	27	126 0 0	20 0 0	11 4 10	..	..	Johnson, Joseph B.	D3	M	134 0 0	20
Greerton	18	118 0 0	20 0 0	10 10 1	..	..	Brain, Alice J. ..	E3	F	118 0 0	20
Hautapu	22	118 0 0	20 0 0	9 5 6	..	..	Edmiston, Jessie H.	E1	F	118 0 0	20
Hukatere	21	114 0 0	20 0 0	8 17 3	..	..	Meiklejohn, L. S. A.	D4	M	114 0 0	20
Kaikohu	26	130 0 0	20 0 0	7 18 9	..	..	Maxwell, Marion	E2	F	132 0 0	20
Kaipara Flats	28	122 0 0	20 0 0	10 3 6	..	..	Quinn, Elizabeth C.	E2	F	130 0 0	20
Kaitia	29	133 10 0	..	11 6 0	..	..	Dyer, Robert C. ..	D1	M	136 0 0	..
Karakara No. 1 and Karaka No. 2	22	141 12 0	20 0 0	10 14 0	4 15 0	..	Burton, Percy R. ..	D3	M	114 12 0	20
Kariaotahi	21	126 0 0	..	69 8 10	..	..	Fenwick, Herbert ..	D3	M	126 0 0	..
Ka ikati No. 3	25	122 0 0	20 0 0	12 0 9	..	..	King, Margaret ..	E3	F	122 0 0	20
Kennedy Bay	22	106 4 0	20 0 0	4 5 8	..	..	Tooman, Francis ..	Lic.	M	106 4 0	20
Kerikeri	22	114 0 0	20 0 0	6 11 6	..	..	Hardy, Helena H. ..	E3	F	114 0 0	20
Mangapehi	34	114 6 0	20 0 0	5 17 0	..	..	Hayson, B. W. ..	Lic.	M	126 0 0	20
Manukau Heads ..	28	117 0 0	..	12 12 11	..	..	Bishop, Stanley J.	Lic.	M	117 0 0	..
Maramarua and Waitakaruru	18	151 4 0	20 0 0	10 19 3	Catran, James G. ..	E3	M	151 0 0	20

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GRADE 2—continued.											
Maunu	25	122 0 0	..	10 7 8	Millington, Edward	D2	M	126 0 0	..
Motukaraka	21	122 0 0	..	55 6 11	Rudall, John H. ..	E3	M	122 0 0	..
Ngararatunua	23	114 0 0	20 0 0	10 16 3	91 12 1	..	Elliott, Margaret J.	E2	F	114 0 0	20
Ngunguru	23	115 10 0	..	13 4 2	..	..	Waddell, William H.	Lic.	M	126 0 0	..
Ohinewai	23	122 0 0	..	10 1 3	..	..	Baston, Florence I.	E3	F	122 0 0	20
Okaihau No. 2 and Utakura Valley	22	127 9 0	20 0 0	13 1 2	..	18 0 0	Robinson, Ernest T.	Lic.	M	127 8 10	20
Opua	21	118 0 0	..	27 13 0	..	..	Anderson, B. C. ..	E2	F	118 0 0	..
Orua Bay	24	126 0 0	20 0 0	10 1 0	..	..	Gledhill, Eunice A.	E2	F	126 0 0	20
Otaika	26	127 10 0	20 0 0	11 8 3	..	..	Davis, Elizabeth ..	E2	F	131 0 0	20
Otara	29	133 0 0	20 0 0	13 15 3	..	..	Snell, Edgar F. ..	D3	M	136 0 0	20
Pakuru and Scoria Flat	38	168 0 0	..	25 0 9	..	5 4 0	Long, Edgar R. ..	E4*	M	180 0 0	..
Pollock	19	111 3 0	..	8 6 9	..	..	McLean, Neil ..	..	M	102 12 0	..
Pongakawa	23	122 0 0	20 0 0	10 19 3	..	..	Barlow, Gertrude E.	E2	F	122 0 0	20
Pouto	30	134 0 0	..	19 3 6	..	..	Robertson, James ..	D2	M	138 0 0	..
Pukerimu	23	125 0 0	..	52 6 7	..	..	Hanesier, E. M. L., Mrs.	E2	F	126 0 0	..
Purua No. 2	19	116 0 8	20 0 0	4 9 6	2 10 0	..	Macrae, Murdock ..	..	M	106 4 0	20
Rawene	34	133 5 0	..	52 2 3	..	..	White, Caroline ..	D3	F	138 0 0	..
Red Hill	28	117 12 0	20 0 0	16 18 7	..	7 10 0	Johns, William F.	Lic.	M	120 12 0	20
Tairua Block	26	130 0 0	20 0 0	10 4 3	..	..	Harvey, Roderick M.	D3	M	130 0 0	20
Tangihua No. 2	19	126 0 0	20 0 0	9 19 0	..	..	Teesdale, Jacob T.	E2	M	126 0 0	20
Tangiteroria and Tangihua	28	147 12 0	..	35 9 6	..	..	Mullins, Francis J.	D3	M	156 0 0	..
Taotaoroa Nos. 1 and 2	28	155 0 2	..	14 12 7	..	..	Edgerley, W. W. ..	Lic.	M	153 8 0	..
Tauhau	24	130 0 0	..	25 2 3	..	..	Walker, Louisa F.	D2	F	130 0 0	..
Tawhare	21	122 0 0	20 0 0	12 5 1	..	..	Aubin, Lilian A. ..	E3	F	122 0 0	20
Te Arai, North & South	22	140 8 5	20 0 0	10 16 3	..	..	Hutton, Robert G.	D2	M	141 12 0	20
Te Pahi No. 1	23	118 0 0	20 0 0	18 1 11	..	..	Barlow, Miriam V.	E2	F	118 0 0	20
Titirangi	23	126 0 0	..	9 13 0	..	..	Totman, Leonard W.	E3	M	126 0 0	..
Wairere	13	114 0 0	20 0 0	7 18 9	..	15 15 3	Crickett, Ada M. ..	E3	F	114 0 0	20
Wairoa South	21	126 0 0	20 0 0	12 9 6	..	..	Smith, Margaret J.	E2	F	126 0 0	20
Waitoa	32	131 9 6	20 0 0	20 12 9	..	..	Maclean, Charles ..	D2	M	140 0 0	20
Wellsford	22	118 0 0	20 0 0	9 10 9	..	..	Potter, Ethel M. ..	D2	F	122 0 0	20
Rotorangi	20	88 1 0	8 11 8	16 14 1	22 9 5	..	McKinnon, R. A. ..	Lic.	M	99 0 0	10
Glen Murray and Woodleigh	24	148 0 0	18 6 8	13 6 8	16 17 5	..	Mackay, Edward H.	D4	M	158 8 0	20
Te Matai	22	128 12 8	20 0 0	10 15 6	..	2 0 0	Crosby, Edward ..	D5*	M	118 0 0	20
Ouroa	26	53 0 6	9 3 4	6 11 4	179 19 11	..	McIntosh, Stanley A.	..	M	118 16 0	20
Pungaere	21	136 13 4	20 0 0	10 6 8	..	..	Lothian, John, Rev.	C5	M	118 0 0	20
Mangaiti	23	31 10 0	5 0 0	1 17 1	17 15 10	..	Keaney, Annie ..	E2	F	122 0 0	20
Raurimu	25	30 3 4	5 0 0	6 12 8	0 11 11	..	McKay, Farquhar J.	Lic.	M	130 0 0	20
GRADE 3.											
Ahuroa Nos. 1 and 2	35	184 16 0	20 0 0	14 12 9	..	..	Day, Arthur E. ..	D3	M	184 16 0	20
Araparara and Mangakura	30	165 12 0	20 0 0	13 15 9	..	..	McElroy, John ..	E2	M	165 12 0	20
Arapohue	34	138 0 0	..	13 19 9	..	..	Finlayson, J. M. M., Mrs.	E2	F	138 0 0	..
Ararua	29	136 0 0	..	11 6 0	115 0 0	..	Brownlee, James L.	E4	M	136 0 0	..
Awanui	39	124 13 4	..	136 8 7	..	..	Bird, Agnes G., Mrs.	D1	F	136 0 0	..
Fairburn's Road and Takahue	39	175 18 9	20 0 0	24 1 6	..	..	Turbott, Thomas ..	Lic.	M	184 16 0	20
Goodwood	27	131 0 0	20 0 0	11 6 0	..	..	Nixon, Elizabeth A.	D2	F	131 0 0	20
Harrisville	35	144 0 0	..	17 18 1	..	..	Hill, Alfred E. ..	D2	M	144 0 0	..
Hastings	27	138 0 0	..	17 15 9	..	..	Moores, Peter ..	D1	M	138 0 0	..
Herekino	31	138 0 0	20 0 0	29 0 9	..	..	Garland, Frank W.	D3	M	138 0 0	20
Hobsonville	41	148 0 0	..	27 9 1	..	..	Squire, Donald S. B.	D3	M	148 0 0	..
Horse-shoe Bush ..	27	132 0 0	20 0 0	13 2 8	..	..	Wilson, William C.	D2	M	132 0 0	20
Houhora	36	160 0 0	20 0 0	23 3 9	..	..	Finch, Thomas ..	E4	M	160 0 0	20
Hukanui	17	131 0 0	20 0 0	26 5 6	..	..	Sutton, Elizabeth ..	E2	F	131 0 0	20
Hunua	34	140 0 0	..	79 2 8	..	..	Ingram, William N.	D2	M	140 0 0	..
Kaitara	27	132 0 0	..	16 17 2	10 10 0	..	Hudson, John H. ..	D2	M	132 0 0	..
Karamu and Ngahine-pouri	30	163 4 0	..	13 9 0	..	..	Attwood, Frederick C.	D4	M	163 4 0	..
Kauaeranga Valley ..	25	130 18 0	20 0 0	22 15 6	..	4 8 0	Smith, Frank H. ..	D2	M	132 0 0	20
Kimihia	29	134 0 0	20 0 0	14 1 9	..	..	Brown, Lilian M. ..	D2	F	134 0 0	20
Kiripaka	35	156 0 0	20 0 0	14 6 0	..	..	Rodgers, Thomas ..	E2	M	156 0 0	20
Komata	40	141 10 0	20 0 0	26 15 9	..	19 10 0	Pickett, James A. ..	E4	M	152 0 0	20
Lucas Creek	33	143 0 0	20 0 0	14 10 6	..	..	Flatt, Caroline J. ..	E2	F	143 0 0	20
Mahurangi Heads West and Huhue	28	153 8 0	20 0 0	14 11 0	..	..	Boden, William J. ..	D3	M	153 8 0	20
Mangapai Nos. 1 and 2	36	177 12 0	20 0 0	15 16 8	..	..	Lee, Wesley ..	D2	M	117 12 0	20
Mangatete	26	146 0 0	20 0 0	30 11 9	Cooper, Charles W.	D3	M	146 0 0	20
Mangawai Beach ..	33	146 0 0	20 0 0	12 19 9	Roberts, John F. ..	D2	M	146 0 0	20

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GRADE 3—continued.											
Mangonui	40	144 0 0	14 13 6	Ballance, Alfred C.	E2	M	144 0 0	..
Mareretu	19	135 0 0	20 0 0	16 2 11	Hueston, Jamie ..	E2	F	135 0 0	20
Maropiu	39	133 16 0	25 0 0	22 6 6	.. ..	.. ..	Ingerson, William L.	..	M	131 8 0	20
Mata and Ruakaka ..	25	163 4 0	20 0 0	21 18 0	.. ..	.. ..	Murdoch, Alfred J.	E3	M	163 4 0	20
Matahuru Nos. 1 and 2	27	160 16 0	20 0 0	15 10 6	1 1 0	.. ..	Ausley, Arthur F. T.	D2	M	160 16 0	20
Matakohe	37	148 0 0	.. ..	15 19 0	.. ..	.. ..	Tooman, George ..	E2	M	148 0 0	..
Maungatapere	34	137 0 0	.. ..	13 3 6	.. ..	.. ..	Udy, Annie	E2	F	137 0 0	..
Maungatautari	33	146 0 0	14 3 4	13 7 3	323 18 0	.. ..	Atkins, Harry	D4	M	146 0 0	..
Netherton	35	137 0 0	20 0 0	17 16 6	.. ..	.. ..	Wilson, Sophia ..	E2	F	137 0 0	20
Ohaeawai	28	133 0 0	20 0 0	14 4 6	.. ..	.. ..	Robinson, E. A. ..	D2	F	133 0 0	20
Okaihau	34	144 0 0	.. ..	54 13 1	.. ..	.. ..	Gray, Daniel	D2	M	144 0 0	..
Okoroire	12	136 0 0	.. ..	7 8 0	.. ..	.. ..	Murray, James B. ..	D1	M	136 0 0	..
Opouriao North ..	47	213 6 8	.. ..	31 5 8	.. ..	.. ..	Somerville, George A.	D2	HM	160 0 0	..
Opouriao South ..	30	144 0 0	20 0 0	21 18 6	.. ..	.. ..	Louch, Isabella ..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Oruru	32	132 0 0	.. ..	14 10 9	.. ..	.. ..	Hill, John H.	D3	M	144 0 0	20
Otoroa and Takou ..	33	165 10 2	28 6 8	14 14 6	.. ..	.. ..	Berry, L. M., Mrs.	E2	F	132 0 0	..
Pakia	36	133 5 0	.. ..	14 12 10	.. ..	.. ..	Bullians, Andrew ..	E4	M	158 8 0	20
Pakiri	24	134 0 0	20 0 0	35 3 4	.. ..	.. ..	Young, Ida	Lic.	F	139 0 0	..
Paparata	28	138 0 0	.. ..	11 15 9	.. ..	.. ..	Masson, William ..	D3	M	134 0 0	20
Parkhurst	26	133 0 0	20 0 0	12 18 6	.. ..	.. ..	Worsley, George A.	D2	M	138 0 0	..
Parua Bay No. 1 and	32	172 16 0	20 0 0	14 6 0	.. ..	.. ..	Coad, Emma M. ..	D2	F	133 0 0	20
Owhiwa .. ..	..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	Hogwood, Robert ..	E2	M	172 16 0	20
Paterangi	26	132 0 0	.. ..	13 12 7	.. ..	.. ..	Bright, Aimée D. ..	E1	F	132 0 0	..
Punakitere	33	150 0 0	20 0 0	15 14 9	.. ..	.. ..	Reid, Robert T. ..	E3	M	150 0 0	20
Puni	36	152 0 0	.. ..	65 17 11	.. ..	.. ..	Hook, Percy J. ..	D2	M	152 0 0	..
Raglan	47	213 6 8	.. ..	27 17 6	.. ..	.. ..	Blackett, George ..	D2	HM	160 0 0	..
Rangiahua and Upper	30	163 4 0	20 0 0	20 1 4	.. ..	.. ..	Cussen, Eily B. ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Waihou .. ..	..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	Downard, H. J. F.	D3	HM	163 4 0	20
Rangiaohia	30	144 0 0	.. ..	21 8 4	.. ..	.. ..	Phillips, John S. ..	D2	M	144 0 0	..
Rangiriri	36	138 0 0	20 0 0	14 3 9	.. ..	.. ..	Henry, Margaret ..	E1	F	138 0 0	20
Rawhia and Umawera	31	160 16 0	20 0 0	13 6 6	.. ..	11 0 0	Harrison, Rupert ..	E4	M	160 16 0	20
Riverhead	31	139 0 0	20 0 0	12 9 10	.. ..	.. ..	Sinclair, Elizabeth	D2	F	139 0 0	20
Ruaapeka East and	31	168 12 0	20 0 0	15 6 6	.. ..	.. ..	Lough, Frederic ..	E2	M	168 0 0	20
Ruaapeka West ..	..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..
Ruatangata West ..	30	139 10 0	20 0 0	128 1 2	3 8 0	.. ..	Blow, Harold I. ..	D3	M	142 0 0	20
Tatarariki	24	136 0 0	.. ..	10 4 0	.. ..	.. ..	Laing, Arthur E. ..	D3	M	136 0 0	..
Taupaki	31	148 0 0	20 0 0	12 15 6	.. ..	.. ..	Judkins, Alfred J. T.	D2	M	148 0 0	20
Te Aroha West ..	33	127 16 0	20 0 0	15 10 0	.. ..	.. ..	Bell, Alexander ..	Lic.	M	144 0 0	20
Te Kowhai	34	144 0 0	.. ..	17 13 3	34 12 3	.. ..	Gillespie, William R.	D2	M	144 0 0	..
Te Moari	31	142 0 0	.. ..	11 13 3	.. ..	.. ..	Gerring, Albert ..	E2	M	142 0 0	..
Te Pahi No. 2 ..	41	158 0 0	20 0 0	15 12 3	.. ..	.. ..	Hare, Frederick W.	D2	M	158 0 0	20
Te Pua	41	152 0 0	20 0 0	17 16 2	.. ..	2 0 0	Miller, James	D3	M	152 0 0	20
Te Rore	29	142 0 0	20 0 0	11 17 3	.. ..	.. ..	Sutton, James	D2	M	142 0 0	20
Tokatoka No. 1 ..	32	150 0 0	.. ..	13 6 9	.. ..	.. ..	Gelling, William M.	D2	M	150 0 0	..
Tokatoka No. 2 ..	23	131 0 0	20 0 0	9 13 6	.. ..	5 0 0	Joyce, Eden H. ..	E3	F	131 0 0	20
Tuakau	35	138 0 0	.. ..	51 11 6	.. ..	.. ..	Smart, David L. ..	D2	M	138 0 0	..
Turanga Creek No. 1	26	132 0 0	.. ..	155 0 0	.. ..	.. ..	Bedford, Bernard ..	E2	M	132 0 0	..
Victoria Valley ..	36	148 0 0	20 0 0	50 7 8	.. ..	.. ..	Downard, F. N. R.	D3	M	148 0 0	20
Waharoa	40	142 0 0	.. ..	19 8 0	.. ..	.. ..	Doull, John S. ..	D3	M	142 0 0	..
Waiharara	34	147 5 6	20 0 0	25 17 3	.. ..	.. ..	Rowe, Adrian M. ..	..	M	135 0 0	20
Waiheke Central and	24	158 8 0	20 0 0	10 11 2	.. ..	10 0 0	Broun, James S. ..	D3	M	158 8 0	20
Fleming's .. ..	..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..
Waimamaku Valley..	37	138 0 0	.. ..	31 5 11	.. ..	.. ..	Matthews, George H.	E3	M	138 0 0	..
Waimate	33	148 0 0	.. ..	13 8 0	.. ..	.. ..	May, William J. ..	D2	M	148 0 0	..
Waiorongomai ..	35	144 0 0	.. ..	26 17 5	.. ..	10 0 0	Power, Edward A. ..	D1	M	144 0 0	..
Waiotahi (E.C.) ..	37	142 0 0	20 0 0	15 2 9	.. ..	.. ..	Dean, William F. ..	E2	M	150 0 0	20
Waiotahi Creek ..	35	142 0 0	20 0 0	19 4 6	.. ..	.. ..	Pascoe, Ada	E2	F	142 0 0	20
Waipipi	40	148 0 0	.. ..	43 13 9	.. ..	.. ..	Meiklejohn, James	B2	M	148 0 0	..
Waipu North River ..	31	138 0 0	.. ..	13 13 7	.. ..	.. ..	T., M.A.	..	..	.. ..	..
Waipu Upper	37	146 0 0	.. ..	13 19 3	.. ..	.. ..	McKay, Annie I. ..	E2	F	138 0 0	..
Waitangi	29	135 0 0	20 0 0	12 1 0	.. ..	.. ..	McKay, Donald A.	E3	M	146 0 0	..
Waiwera	28	142 0 0	2 10 0	34 17 9	417 10 11	14 10 0	Bayly, Jessie J. ..	D1	F	135 0 0	20
Wayby	29	131 0 0	.. ..	11 13 6	.. ..	.. ..	Johns, William E.	E2	M	142 0 0	..
Whangarata	34	156 13 4	.. ..	14 13 0	.. ..	.. ..	McGee, Helen	E2	F	131 0 0	..
Whangarei Heads ..	28	136 0 0	.. ..	18 3 4	.. ..	.. ..	Rapson, George W.	D2	M	150 0 0	..
Whatawhata	33	134 10 0	.. ..	14 10 0	.. ..	.. ..	Graham, William G.	D2	M	136 0 0	..
Wairanga	27	138 14 4	20 0 0	12 16 0	.. ..	.. ..	Bowen, Rosanna ..	D1	F	137 0 0	..
Katui and Aranga ..	29	136 10 9	17 10 0	11 5 5	14 8 9	.. ..	Hill, Lydia M. ..	E2	F	133 0 0	20
Oio	29	132 5 3	20 0 0	7 19 0	.. ..	.. ..	Gough, James T. ..	Lic.	M	149 0 10	20
Wainui & White Hills	41	160 4 0	.. ..	36 19 7	.. ..	.. ..	Rogers, Cornelius J.	D4	M	134 0 0	..
Te Oruru	20	62 2 0	10 0 0	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	Harris, Norman R.	Lic.	M	192 0 0	..
Te Oruio and Otakeo	29	41 12 0	5 0 0	6 2 8	.. ..	.. ..	Gunson, William D.	..	M	124 4 0	20
Tiroa	28	30 3 0	5 0 0	1 13 2	14 17 11	Goosman, John G. ..	Lic.	M	165 12 0	20
							Evans, Alfred N.	M	122 8 0	20

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		3 Teachers' Salaries, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	4 Teachers' House Allowances.	5 Other Ordinary Expenditure, including Rebuilding, Repairs to Buildings, &c.	6 Buildings, Sites, Furniture, and Apparatus.	7 Rent of School Buildings.	8 Teachers on the Staff at the End of the Year.	9 Classification.	10 Position in the School.	11 For Salary, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	12 For Teachers' House Allowances.
GRADE 4.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£
Alexandra ..	45	219 16 8	..	373 5 5	..	4 15 0	Arey, Sarah B. ..	E1	HF	146 10 0	..
Birkdale ..	61	243 10 0	..	22 19 0	..	..	Worth, Beatrice C. C. ..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Buckland ..	48	243 0 0	..	52 11 11	..	..	Brook, Julian ..	D1	HM	163 10 0	..
Dacre's and Ti Point	45	195 12 0	20 0 0	20 16 6	..	..	Vellenoweth, Jessie ..	D2	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Drury ..	55	243 0 0	..	19 6 6	..	..	Wily, Harry H. D. ..	D1	HM	163 0 0	..
East Tamaki ..	42	241 10 0	..	15 12 3	..	..	Jennings, Eliza M. ..	E3	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Flat Bush ..	39	240 10 0	..	15 10 9	..	..	Smith, George H. ..	D2	M	195 12 0	20
Grahamtown and Pa- rua Bay No. 2	44	193 16 0	20 0 0	135 2 8	..	..	McNaughton, J. D. ..	D1	HM	163 0 0	..
Hikutaia ..	41	241 10 0	..	16 5 9	..	..	Smythe, M. E. C. ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Howick ..	48	242 10 0	..	40 19 2	..	..	Short, Arthur ..	D1	HM	161 10 0	..
Hukerenui North ..	33	244 0 0	..	20 17 0	..	..	Pilkington, M. E. ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Hukerenui South ..	42	242 10 0	13 6 8	190 6 0	..	..	Tidmarsh, H. H. C. ..	D2	HM	160 10 0	..
Kaeo ..	48	240 10 0	..	224 16 9	52 0 0	..	Dean, M. A. I. G. (?)	E3	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Katikati No. 2 ..	42	233 16 8	..	41 2 1	..	..	Byles, Frank R. ..	D2	M	193 16 0	20
Maketu ..	42	226 10 0	..	16 13 3	..	..	Walters, Ernest J. ..	D2	HM	161 10 0	..
Mamaku ..	48	241 3 4	..	25 12 6	..	..	Wilcox, Elizabeth J. ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Mangere ..	48	241 0 0	..	18 0 2	..	..	Andrew, Henry P. ..	D1	HM	162 10 0	..
Marsh Meadows ..	54	243 0 0	20 0 0	19 6 8	..	..	Ince, Eleanor W. ..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Marua ..	41	243 0 0	..	22 7 0	..	..	Harris, Samuel ..	D2	HM	164 0 0	..
Matakana ..	42	243 0 0	..	21 9 6	..	..	McMillan, C. A. ..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Mayfield ..	45	241 0 0	..	16 15 6	..	..	Joll, William A. ..	D2	HM	162 10 0	20
New Lynn ..	54	242 10 0	..	27 3 5	..	..	Bates, Daisy M. ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Onewhero ..	42	242 0 0	..	15 5 6	..	..	Moor, William J. ..	D2	HM	160 10 0	..
Otaua ..	48	242 10 0	..	18 10 3	..	..	Matthews, A. R. ..	E3	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Oxford ..	54	226 0 0	20 0 0	26 12 2	..	..	Boswell, James ..	D2	HM	160 10 0	..
Paiaka and Pah	45	193 16 0	20 0 0	16 16 3	..	..	Wilson, Louisa ..	E3	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Paparoa ..	48	245 0 0	..	32 13 9	..	..	Kelly, Elizabeth ..	E2	HF	146 10 0	..
Patumahoe ..	47	243 10 0	..	21 17 5	..	..	Cooper, Muriel ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Piriaka ..	26	167 3 4	..	12 0 6	..	..	Cahill, William J. ..	D2	HM	164 10 0	..
Pokeno ..	41	240 10 0	..	16 12 9	..	..	Alexander, Eliz. M. ..	E2	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Port Albert..	42	242 0 0	..	15 11 6	..	..	Clark, Charles W. ..	D2	HM	161 0 0	..
Puhi ..	47	242 10 0	..	31 18 5	..	..	Pegler, Lydia ..	D3	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Pukekohe East ..	42	226 0 0	..	16 19 0	..	..	Barber, George ..	E1	HM	163 0 0	20
Ramarama ..	44	243 0 0	..	17 5 0	..	..	Roche, Emily ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Tamahere ..	37	230 3 4	..	18 18 3	..	..	Pocock, George H. ..	D1	HM	163 0 0	..
Te Mata ..	36	227 13 4	..	30 2 6	473 5 6	..	Stubbs, Margaret M. ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Te Puna ..	41	233 16 8	20 0 0	129 6 11	..	..	Dunning, Alex. C. ..	D2	HM	163 0 0	..
Turua ..	59	243 10 0	20 0 0	20 3 9	..	..	May, Ethel M. ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Waikumete ..	46	241 0 0	20 0 0	40 13 8	..	..	Wilson, George ..	D1	HM	161 0 0	..
Waipu Central ..	41	241 10 0	..	38 3 7	..	..	Burnard, Evelyn C. ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Waygood, James E. ..	D2	HM	162 10 0	..
							Wilson, Mary J. K. ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Miller, A. T. A. ..	E2	HM	162 0 0	..
							Bell, Lillian E. ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Selby, Johnson, Rev. ..	D1	HM	162 10 0	..
							Rogers, Johanna ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Taylor, Mary H. ..	E2	HF	146 0 0	20
							Hawkes, Annie E. ..	E3	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Koller, Frederick R. ..	D2	M	193 16 0	20
							Law, Norman H. S. ..	D1	HM	165 0 0	..
							Grant, Helen D. ..	D3	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Graham, James ..	D2	HM	163 10 0	..
							Sergeant, Blanche E. ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Mason, Herbert, M. A. ..	B1	M	160 10 0	..
							Lippiatt, George, M. A. ..	A2	HM	160 10 0	..
							Wootten, Jessie C. ..	D4*	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Reid, George B. ..	E1	HM	162 0 0	..
							Battersby, Eleanor B. ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Chappell, William ..	D1	HM	162 10 0	..
							Hamley, Florence E. ..	E3	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Wilson, Janet ..	D1	HF	146 0 0	..
							Joyce, Amie E. ..	E4	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Ramsay, James B. ..	C2	HM	163 0 0	..
							Johnston, Annie C. ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Jaffrey, Henry C. ..	D2	M	163 10 0	..
							Gibson, Henry T. ..	D2	M	161 0 0	..
							Cooney, Hugh O. ..	D3	HM	160 10 0	20
							Morley, Sylvia W. ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Wernham, W. J. ..	C1	HM	163 10 0	20
							Greenwood, Ella ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Hosking, George F. C. ..	E1	HM	161 0 0	20
							Sandford, Rosie A. ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Hall, William H. V. ..	D2	HM	161 10 0	..
							Ramson, May ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..

(1) Day, Florence M., absent on leave.

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GRADE 4— <i>continued</i> .		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£
Whakapara ..	55	243 0 0	..	35 7 3	Kysh, Frederic W.	D1	HM	163 0 0	..
Whananaki ..	39	241 0 0	..	28 6 0	..	..	Bell, Marion M. ..	E3	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Woodside ..	44	223 16 8	..	70 12 9	..	..	Walker, T. H. A. ..	D2	HM	161 0 0	..
Matamata ..	43	173 15 0	2 10 0	71 3 9	789 1 11	15 10 0	Downard, Edith J. R.	E3	Mis.	80 0 0	..
GRADE 5.							McNaughton, D. W.	D1	HM	160 10 0	..
Bombay ..	51	252 10 0	..	19 3 6	..	..	Hewitt, Florence N.	E3	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Clevedon ..	74	275 0 0	..	35 3 9	..	..	Moore-Jones, H. J.	D2	HM	161 10 0	..
Kaukapakapa ..	56	260 0 0	30 0 0	21 11 9	..	..	Shanahan, M. A. ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Kawhia ..	43	255 0 0	..	17 9 0	300 12 8	..	Cooper, Charles ..	D1	HM	167 10 0	..
Kihikihi ..	70	269 11 8	..	30 3 0	..	..	Hall, Sylvia E. ..	D2	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Kirikiri ..	70	266 5 0	..	28 3 6	..	..	Jameson, Frank ..	D1	HM	190 0 0	..
Manawaru ..	62	270 16 8	..	25 0 3	..	..	Harrer, Georgina C.	E3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Maungakaramaea ..	52	255 0 0	..	21 9 5	..	..	Davidson, George A.	D1	HM	175 0 0	30
Maungaturoto ..	63	267 10 0	..	101 8 8	..	..	Baird, Roberta E. A.	E3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Mercer ..	66	258 15 0	..	26 5 6	..	..	Durham, Harry J.	D2	HM	170 0 0	..
Ohaupo ..	57	256 5 0	..	23 0 3	..	..	Coady, Ellen ..	E3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Wharepoa ..	56	248 15 0	30 0 0	25 2 4	..	..	Perry, Arthur M. ..	D1	HM	187 10 0	..
Pakuranga ..	62	266 5 0	..	38 14 8	..	..	Ashby, Nina M. ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Panmure ..	56	257 10 0	..	85 9 10	..	..	Rennick, James W.	D1	HM	181 5 0	..
Puriri ..	63	270 0 0	..	23 4 0	..	..	Cragg, Bertha ..	D3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Russell ..	51	247 10 0	..	24 9 5	..	..	Keaney, John J. ..	D1	HM	186 5 0	..
Tairua ..	52	255 0 0	..	26 3 7	..	..	Keleher, Mary K. ..	Lic.	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Tamaki West ..	58	253 15 0	..	21 7 9	..	2 0 0	Lamb, William O.	D2	HM	170 0 0	..
Taupiri ..	79	266 13 4	..	31 1 8	..	..	Dudding, Catherine	E3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Te Puke ..	82	272 10 0	..	28 5 0	..	..	Collins, William ..	D1	HM	181 5 0	..
Totara ..	60	253 15 0	..	28 5 0	..	..	Clarke, Lillian F. ..	Lic.	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Wade ..	44	230 10 0	30 0 0	100 18 3	120 0 0	5 0 0	Edwards, Charles T.	D1	HM	172 10 0	..
Waihopo ..	61	240 16 8	30 0 0	36 19 8	183 1 2	..	Muir, Margaret M.	E4	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Waihou ..	63	275 0 0	..	23 4 9	..	..	Colhoun, John S. ..	D1	HM	171 5 0	..
Waikiekie East and West	48	204 0 0	..	20 3 6	..	..	Downard, E. C. G.	E3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Waitekauri ..	42	261 5 0	..	24 17 2	..	..	Moon, Mark H. ..	D2	HM	166 5 0	30
Whakatane ..	69	265 0 0	..	25 8 6	..	..	Killgour, Laura A. ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Woodhill ..	58	261 5 0	..	25 19 9	..	..	Green, William ..	D1	HM	181 5 0	..
Te Kuiti ..	55	120 9 0	..	..	..	..	Crawford, Maud M.	D3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
GRADE 6.							May, Thomas L. ..	D1	HM	172 10 0	..
Cambridge West ..	79	291 5 0	..	83 9 10	..	..	Roberts, Inez M. ..	E3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Henderson ..	88	291 5 0	..	80 13 0	344 1 10	..	Vos, James A. ..	E1	HM	185 0 0	..
Kawakawa ..	78	278 0 0	..	111 2 11	..	..	Fisher, Nellie W. ..	D2	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Kohukohu ..	92	293 15 0	..	79 9 6	..	..	Darby, Edward J. ..	D1	HM	167 10 0	..
							Earle, Jessie ..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Daly, Michael F. ..	D1	HM	170 0 0	..
							McRae, Edith A. ..	E3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
							Gatenby, William J., B.A.	B1	HM	168 15 0	..
							Bongard, Emily ..	D3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
							Cox, James T. G. ..	D1	HM	183 15 0	..
							Crowe, Kathleen E.	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Bishoprick, Charles	D1	HM	187 10 0	..
							Findlay, Mary M. ..	E2	Mis.	85 0 0	..
							Read, Thomas ..	D2	HM	171 5 0	..
							Parker, Arabella ..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Longmore, Frances	E1	HF	150 10 0	30
							Hodge, Millicent M.	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Collis, William F. ..	D3	HM	167 10 0	30
							Bond, Ethel E. ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Russell, David ..	D1	HM	190 0 0	..
							Kitching, Lydia E.	D3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
							Priestley, Maurice ..	D2	M	204 0 0	..
							Rice, Thomas D. ..	D1	HM	176 5 0	..
							Smith, Gertrude I.	D3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
							Booth, Frederick ..	E1	HM	185 0 0	..
							Worrall, Louisa ..	D4	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Jones, Thomas A. ..	D2	HM	176 5 0	..
							Richards, Nora ..	D3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
							Stan'on, Tom C. ..	Lic.	HM	160 17 6	..
							Stanton, Jane, Mrs.	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Dean, James ..	D1	HM	196 5 0	..
							Duffus, Elizabeth P.	E2	Mis.	95 0 0	..
							Innes, Joseph L. ..	D1	HM	196 5 0	..
							Casey, Clara E. ..	E3	Mis.	95 0 0	..
							Perkins, Edward ..	D2	HM	192 10 0	..
							Gilmore, Nellie ..	Lic.	Mis.	85 10 0	..
							Cox, William L. ..	D1	HM	198 15 0	..
							Garrett, Frances J.	D4	Mis.	95 0 0	..

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GRADE 6— <i>continued.</i>											
Kuaotunu ..	80	£ s. d. 292 10 0	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 26 1 9	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	La Puelle, John ..	D1	HM	£ s. d. 197 10 0	£ ..
Lake ..	84	290 0 0	..	34 3 7	..	..	Hardwicke, Eva V. ..	E3	Mis.	95 0 0	..
Mangere Bridge ..	72	257 0 0	30 0 0	30 10 8	..	..	Hames, Luther ..	D1	HM	195 0 0	..
Mercury Bay ..	81	306 5 0	..	34 1 6	..	..	Tidd, Emily E. ..	E2	Mis.	95 0 0	..
Morrinsville ..	83	289 4 2	..	51 19 5	..	..	Woodward, L. Mrs. ..	E1	HF	162 0 0	30
Owharoa ..	100	323 15 0	..	34 17 3	4 4 0	..	Kendon, Eleanor G. ..	D2	Mis.	95 0 0	..
Papakura ..	87	305 16 8	..	35 11 1	..	..	Warn, John M. ..	D1	HM	211 5 0	..
Papatoitoti ..	84	298 15 0	..	29 19 9	..	..	Herrich, Edith E. ..	E3	Mis.	95 0 0	..
Te Awamutu ..	80	290 0 0	..	25 10 6	..	..	Campbell, D. R. F. ..	D1	HM	195 0 0	..
Wainuku ..	78	287 10 0	5 0 0	278 4 9	..	..	Lavery, Mary, S. ..	E3	Mis.	95 0 0	..
Pukekohe West D.H.S.	116	327 10 0	30 0 0	719 10 9	7 5 0	28 17 0	Elmsly, Frederick ..	E2	HM	208 15 0	..
							Carson, Margaret E. ..	E2	Mis.	95 0 0	..
							Fawcett, Jacob W. ..	..	MP2	40 0 0	..
							Jones, David W. ..	D1	HM	206 5 0	..
							Chapman, E. N. I. M. ..	E2	Mis.	95 0 0	..
							Sumner, John W. ..	D1	HM	203 15 0	..
							Cardno, Elizabeth ..	E2	Mis.	95 0 0	..
							Woods, Francis D. ..	D1	HM	195 0 0	..
							Mitchell, M. G. F. ..	D2	Mis.	95 0 0	..
							Harris, Richard J. ..	D1	HM	192 10 0	..
							Gillibrand, Winifred ..	E3	Mis.	95 0 0	..
							Flavell, Dennis R. ..	D2	HM	202 10 0	30
							Roberts, William P. ..	D3	Sec.	..	..
							Hamlin, Alethea S.O. ..	E2	Mis.	95 0 0	..
							Stewart, May V. ..	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
GRADE 7.											
Aoroa ..	108	335 14 0	..	75 4 0	..	..	Ellis, Howard J. S. ..	D1	HM	220 14 0	..
							McCowan, Margaret ..	Lic.	Mis.	90 0 0	..
							Williams, Walter H. ..	..	MP1	20 0 0	..
Hamilton East ..	130	364 5 4	..	39 0 6	..	..	Stevens, Percy E. ..	D1	HM	220 2 0	..
							Dinneen, C. K. D. ..	E2	Mis.	100 0 0	..
							Barton, Mary V. ..	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
Hikurangi ..	115	352 0 9	..	34 17 3	..	..	Murphy, Ellen ..	..	FP1	30 0 0	..
							Rust, Alexander M. ..	D1	HM	221 18 0	..
							Wilson, Evelyn ..	E1	Mis.	100 0 0	..
Kaihu ..	93	361 15 0	..	30 8 6	..	..	White, Kenneth R. ..	..	MP1	30 0 0	..
							Hamilton, Robert J., M.A., B.Sc. ..	A2	HM	218 0 0	..
							Fraser, Lucy S. M. ..	D2	Mis.	100 0 0	..
							Gaze, Julia A. M. ..	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
Kamo ..	100	344 9 4	..	46 1 11	..	..	Heward, Humphrey ..	D1	HM	215 6 0	..
							Johnston, Margaret ..	E2	Mis.	100 0 0	..
							Bell, Alice ..	..	FP1	30 0 0	..
Mount Roskill ..	104	352 6 0	..	52 7 3	..	..	O'Donoghue, Denis, B.A. ..	B1	HM	219 16 0	..
							Newbegin, Annie ..	E2	Mis.	100 0 0	..
							Hotson, Claud ..	..	MP1	30 0 0	..
Ngaruawahia ..	115	349 16 0	..	40 15 0	..	..	Warren, Francis ..	D1	HM	219 16 0	..
							Carter, Annie ..	E3	Mis.	100 0 0	..
Otorohanga ..	99	345 12 0	..	171 11 11	..	..	Blackett, Florence M. ..	..	FP1	30 0 0	..
							Lowe, Francis E. ..	E2	HM	215 12 0	..
							Goulding, Jane E. ..	E1	Mis.	100 0 0	..
Warkworth ..	98	352 1 6	..	30 7 6	..	..	Snell, John H. M. ..	..	MP1	30 0 0	..
							Philips, Henry W. C. ..	D1	HM	215 6 0	..
							Goldsworthy, E. M. ..	D2	Mis.	100 0 0	..
							Shaw, Jessie C. ..	..	FP2	40 0 0	..
GRADE 8.											
Driving Creek ..	111	397 2 0	..	35 12 6	..	..	Hyatt, Henry R. ..	D1	HM	224 12 0	..
							Burns, Jessie A. ..	E1	Mis.	105 0 0	..
							Davy, Edmund B. ..	..	MP2	40 0 0	..
							Dady, Helen J. ..	..	FP2	30 0 0	..
Ellerslie ..	139	413 4 0	..	83 3 3	..	..	Wooller, Joseph ..	C1	HM	228 4 0	..
							Goldsworthy, C. G. ..	E1	Mis.	105 0 0	..
Helensville ..	138	412 16 8	..	51 6 3	..	..	Hall, Laura L. ..	D2	AF	80 0 0	..
							Hill, Arthur J. ..	D1	HM	227 0 0	..
							Sinclair, Ellen E. ..	C2	Mis.	105 0 0	..
							Scott, Margaret R. ..	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
Huntly ..	133	424 3 8	..	67 16 0	..	..	Wilcox, Kate S. ..	..	FP1	30 0 0	..
							Elliot, James ..	C1	HM	224 12 0	..
							Millington, Ellen ..	D2	Mis.	105 0 0	..
							Lowe, Jessie L. ..	..	FP4	55 0 0	..
							Hartland, Percival ..	..	MP1	30 0 0	..
Tararu ..	127	392 4 8	30 0 0	43 3 4	Newton, William H. ..	D1	HM	226 8 0	30
							Cooke, Violet M. ..	E3	Mis.	105 0 0	..
							Black, Annie C.	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Floyd, Alfred B.	MP2	30 0 0	..

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		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£	
GRADE 8—continued.												
Aratapu D.H.S. ..	146	387 0 0	..	43 15 3	Hockin, Harry .. Lewis, Percy G. .. Green, Florence M. .. Woods, Alice .. Marriner, Jeannie L. ..	D1 Lic. E3	HM Sec. Mis. FP1 FP1	227 0 0 .. 105 0 0 20 0 0 20 0 0	
GRADE 9.												
Dargaville ..	172	502 12 8	..	60 1 11	487 16 6	..	Ormiston, Edward N. Gavey, Rose L. .. Allen, Harriette M. .. Riddell, Edith R. .. Wiggins, Minnie I. ..	D1 D2 E3	HM Mis. AF FP4 FP1	239 6 0 110 0 0 80 0 0 55 0 0 20 0 0	.. .. .. .. ..
Horahora ..	169	507 10 0	35 0 0	75 10 6	4 2 0	..	Higginson, Frank .. Wells, Florence M. .. Hosking, Vera D. .. Barr, Muriel L. ..	D1 D3 Lic. ..	HM Mis. AF AF	237 10 0 110 0 0 80 0 0 80 0 0	35	
Otahuhu ..	164	519 0 8	..	109 12 10	..	..	Wilson, Tom .. Somerville, F. A. .. Kelly, Kate A. .. Brown, Martin G. .. Stephenson, M. A. ..	D1 E1 E2	HM Mis. AF MP4 FP1	235 14 0 110 0 0 80 0 0 55 0 0 30 0 0	.. .. .. .. ..
Port Chevalier ..	157	504 10 0	..	57 5 7	..	..	Jones-Parry, Robert Gillibrand, Emma .. Johnson, Jane .. Bollard, Marion B. ..	D1 D2 D3 E3	HM Mis. AF AF	234 10 0 110 0 0 80 0 0 80 0 0	.. .. .. ..
Rotorua ..	167	524 10 0	..	75 0 9	..	..	Webber, Joseph W. Murrish, Charlotte Green, Samuel .. Hill, Ida ..	D2 E2 D4 D3	HM Mis. AM AF	234 10 0 110 0 0 100 0 0 80 0 0	.. .. .. ..
Tauranga ..	183	503 3 8	..	89 15 11	1 11 6	..	Semadeni, Casper A. Roberts, Mary E. .. Gain, Annie M. .. Skinner, Percy F. .. Badger, Holly H. H. ..	C1 E1 E3	HM Mis. AF MP3 FP2	223 12 0 110 0 0 80 0 0 45 0 0 30 0 0	30	
Te Aroha ..	190	526 19 4	..	70 2 8	..	4 0 0	Burton, Alfred F. .. Ray, Josephine .. Scott, Charles E. .. Fawcett, Frances H. ..	D1 E2 D4* E2	HM Mis. AM AF	245 6 0 110 0 0 100 0 0 80 0 0	.. .. .. ..
Te Kopuru ..	183	505 15 10	..	49 6 6	..	2 8 0	Elliot, Joseph E. .. Cullens, Emily .. Harper, Mary M. .. Clark, Ada ..	D1 D2 Lic. ..	HM Mis. AF FP4	239 0 0 110 0 0 80 0 0 55 0 0	.. .. .. ..
Whangarei ..	228	557 6 4	15 0 0	331 6 8	697 12 9	12 0 0	Smith, Eliza M. .. McKenzie, N. R. .. Stewart, Agnes G. .. Crawford, Hugh W. ..	.. D1 D2 D3	FP1 HM Mis. AM	20 0 0 244 8 0 110 0 0 155 0 0	.. .. .. ..
							Campbell, Mary I. .. Harden, Cecil J. .. Johnson, Phyllis M. .. Woolley, B. A. G. .. Worsley, William H. ..	.. .. .. .. D1	FP4 MP2 FP1 FP1 HM	55 0 0 30 0 0 30 0 0 20 0 0 245 12 0	.. .. .. .. ..
Hamilton West D.H.S.	237	615 3 8	..	84 11 7	1045 3 5	38 7 0	Wilson, E., M.A. .. Lambert, Marion E. Shepherd, Arthur J. Jones, Ruth B. ..	A2 E2 D3 D2	Sec. Mis. AM AF	.. 110 0 0 155 0 0 80 0 0	.. .. .. ..
							Burd, Gladys I. .. Fawcett, E. M. .. Wilson, Henry B. .. Fletcher, W. J. W. ..	.. .. C1 ..	FP4 FP3 HM Sec.	50 0 0 45 0 0 236 0 0 ..	.. .. .. ..
Opotiki D.H.S.	154	497 5 0	..	51 8 0	..	..	Browne, Edith B. .. Hardy, Margaret M. Bull, Evelyn F. .. Woodford, A. O. M. ..	D3 Lic.	Mis. AF FP3 FP1	110 0 0 80 0 0 45 0 0 20 0 0	.. .. .. ..
GRADE 10.												
Chapel Street ..	253	673 9 4	35 0 0	177 19 7	213 1 7	22 0 0	Draffin, William H. Hill, Edith A. .. Shroff, Kate S. M. .. Tregear, Mary C. ..	D1 E2 D1 E2	HM Mis. AF AF	261 16 0 115 0 0 125 0 0 80 0 0	35	
							Clark, Florence D. Webster, Harold E. Scott, Augustus W. Palmer, Gertrude ..	.. .. D1 E2	FP3 MP2 HM Mis.	40 0 0 30 0 0 258 10 0 115 0 0	.. .. .. ..
Karangahake ..	256	743 10 0	..	125 16 2	Corbett, Robert J. .. Short, Emma M. .. Findlay, Sylvia .. Forrest, Susan B. ..	D2 E2	AM AF AF FP4	155 0 0 80 0 0 80 0 0 55 0 0	

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			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£
GRADE 10—continued.													
Parawai	220	683	0 0	35 0 0	73 1 10	..	15 10 6	Fisher, John ..	D1	HM	255 10 0	35	
								Truscott, Kate ..	E1	Mis.	115 0 0	..	
								Hewett, Hewett B.	D3	AM	155 0 0	..	
								Driver, Maud E. ..	E3	AF	80 0 0	..	
								Wishart, Alice E. ..	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
								Hay, Mary C. ..	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
Cambridge D.H.S. ..	219	689	14 0	..	64 18 3	165 8 1	..	Walker, W. R. C., B.A.	B1	HM	252 4 0	..	
								Kenny, Arthur A. ..	D2	Sec.	..	..
								Keesing, Kate ..	E1	Mis.	115 0 0	..	
								Connor, William J.	D2	AM	155 0 0	..	
								Piggot, Theodora E.	E3	AF	80 0 0	..	
								Fergusson, Alethea	..	FP3	45 0 0	..	
								Brooks, Jessie J. ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
Coromandel, D.H.S.	220	686	10 0	..	72 2 10	..	..	Tanner, Thomas B.	D1	HM	254 0 0	..
								Gatland, Alfred H.	D3	Sec.	..	..
								Nixon, Amelia M. ..	D2	Mis.	115 0 0	..	
								Jamieson, Robert E.	D2	AM	155 0 0	..	
								Fuller, Mary M. ..	..	AF	80 0 0	..
								Broadgate, Ruby E.	..	FP4	50 0 0	..	
								Higginson, John S.	..	MP2	40 0 0	..	
GRADE 11.													
Avondale	293	820	3 4	..	152 7 2	..	8 0 0	Hogwood, James ..	D1	HM	266 0 0	..	
								Newton, Edith M. ..	D1	Mis.	120 0 0	..	
								Darrow, Harry A. ..	C1	AM	170 0 0	..	
								Ramson, M. G. ..	E2	AF	85 0 0	..	
								Cole, Adelaide A. M.	Lic.	AF	80 0 0	..	
								Ingram, Dorothea R.	E3	AF	80 0 0	..	
								Binsted, Henry ..	..	MP3	40 0 0	..
								Pirrit, Agnes B. ..	..	FP2	40 0 0	..
Epsom	302	748	15 0	33 6 8	88 15 1	808 17 7	11 0 0	Wilson, Charles(?) ..	D2	HM	267 10 0	40	
								Gillibrand, M. E. ..	D1	Mis.	120 0 0	..	
								(?)	
								Tills, Ethel E. ..	E2	AF	85 0 0	..	
								Webster, Arthur ..	..	MP3	40 0 0	..
								Fordyce, Johanna C.	..	FP3	40 0 0	..	
								Hill, Marianne E. ..	..	FP2	40 0 0	..
								Christie, Alice J. ..	..	FP2	40 0 0	..
								Phillips, Lucy ..	..	FP1	30 0 0	..
Mount Albert ..	299	781	2 4	..	148 16 11	..	..	Whitaker, Joseph R.	D1	HM	265 14 0	..
								Nicholson, Maud ..	D1	Mis.	120 0 0	..	
								Campbell, Robert ..	D1	AM	170 0 0	..	
								de Montalk, Emily L.	E2	AF	85 0 0	..	
								York, R. W., Mrs.	..	AF	80 0 0	..	
								Sergeant, A. W. ..	..	MP2	40 0 0	..
								Miller, Violet M. ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
								Ashby, Millicent ..	..	FP1	30 0 0	..
Newmarket ..	258	777	11 0	40 0 0	84 15 9	..	..	Ohlson, Frederick J.	D1	HM	266 6 0	40
								Hodgson, Ada B. ..	E2	Mis.	120 0 0	..	
								Lusk, H. B., M.A.	A1	AM	170 0 0	..	
								Lysaght, Annie E. ..	E2	AF	85 0 0	..	
								Collier, Rose ..	..	FP4	55 0 0	..
								May, Muriel I. ..	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
								Badger, Hilda M. ..	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
Waiokaraka ..	281	750	1 4	40 0 0	78 6 6	..	..	Isemonger, Thomas	D1	HM	268 8 0	40
								Mackay, M. A. F., Mrs.	E1	Mis.	120 0 0	..	
								Ferguson, Samuel H.	D2	AM	170 0 0	..	
								Monstedt, Martha E.	..	AF	80 0 0	..	
								Crispe, Colin R. R.	..	MP4	55 0 0	..	
								Walton, Jane E. ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
								Danby, Gertrude A.	..	FP2	30 0 0	..	
GRADE 12.													
Bayfield	302	882	8 0	40 0 0	163 1 8	78 18 0	..	Christie, James ..	D1	HM	272 8 0	40	
								Thompson, F. E. ..	D1	Mis.	125 0 0	..	
								Kay, William ..	D1	AM	185 0 0	..	
								Caldwell, Alice M. ..	D2	AF	100 0 0	..	
								Stewart, Mary A. ..	D3	AF	80 0 0	..	
								Collins, Edith C. ..	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
								Goodwin, Frank R.	..	MP3	45 0 0	..	
								Matthews, B. K. G.	..	FP2	30 0 0	..	
Northcote ..	333	880	14 0	..	111 0 3	882 10 7	..	Taylor, Alfred ..	D1	HM	278 4 0	..	
								Wilson, Estelle R. ..	E2	Mis.	125 0 0	..	
								Dunlop, David W. ..	D1	AM	185 0 0	..	
								Cooper, Theodosia M.	E2	AF	100 0 0	..	
								Turnbull, K. A. ..	D3	AF	80 0 0	..	
								Smerdon, Stanley V.	..	MP3	40 0 0	..	
								Curnam, Anna A.	FP3	45 0 0	..	
								Nicholson, I. D. F.	..	FP3	40 0 0	..	

(1) In temporary charge.

(2) Vacant.

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		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£
GRADE 12—continued.											
Paeroa D.H.S. ..	340	904 18 4	40 0 0	97 11 0	Murphy, Francis .. Brown, George, B.A. Shanahan, E. W. (1) Shaw, Mennie .. Macgregor, Alex. .. Shroff, Maud A. .. McCallum, Adina .. Taylor, Hazel I. S. Fawcett, Anna J. .. Sullivan, Andrew J.	D1 B2 D4 E1 E1 D3 E3	HM Sec. Sec. Mis. AM AF AF FP4 FP3 MP3	277 0 0 125 0 0 185 0 0 100 0 0 80 0 0 55 0 0 45 0 0 45 0 0	40
GRADE 13.											
Kauaeranga ..	392	1,012 13 8	40 0 0	117 2 0	..	20 0 0	Marsdon, W. H. P. Phillips, Mary, Mrs. Hammond, T. W. G. H. Smith, Sylvia G. .. Ashman, Eva M. .. Benner, Maud C. .. McClune, Ethel L. Shepherd, F. H. M. Smith, Jessie A. .. Hart, Richard B. Grant, Elsie D. .. Bowden, Alfred N. .. Herbert, Mary E. .. Davis, Ethel W. B. Metge, Winifred T. Fraser, Ethel M. .. Jones, F. M. D. .. Comrie, Thomas C.	D1 E1 D1 E1 E3 E3 D1 D1 D1 D2 D2 E3	HM Mis. AM AF AF AF FP3 MP3 FP1 HM Mis. AM AF AF AF FP4 FP3 MP1	235 12 0 130 0 0 195 0 0 105 0 0 100 0 0 80 0 0 45 0 0 45 0 0 20 0 0 233 16 0 130 0 0 195 0 0 105 0 0 100 0 0 80 0 0 50 0 0 40 0 0 30 0 0	40
Remuera ..	379	1,007 19 4	..	235 12 5	..	..	Cronin, B., B.A. .. Coghill, Margaret .. Hall, Alfred J. C. .. Wooler, Harold J. Mackay, T. E. A. .. Johnston, Sarah A. Kelly, Mary C. .. Shepherd, Sarah .. McElwain, Ruby M. Speight, Mary V. .. Vialoux, E. M. ..	B1 E1 D1 D2 D3 E2 E2	HM Mis. AM AM AM AF AF FP4 FP4 FP3 FP2	301 0 0 140 0 0 220 0 0 140 0 0 125 0 0 100 0 0 80 0 0 50 0 0 55 0 0 40 0 0 30 0 0	50
GRADE 15.											
Nelson Street ..	462	1,241 8 4	50 0 0	130 12 0	..	..	Carter, Charles M. ... Barton, Annie .. Burton, F. P., B.A. Menzies, Albert G. ... Arey, Alice M. .. Edwards, Maria .. Monro, Agnes S. .. O'Meara, Annie .. McLean, Jessie M. Pirrit, Barbara M. ... Walker, Ethel M. ...	D1 E1 B1 D3 E1 E2 Lic. E2	HM Mis. AM AM AF AF AF AF FP3 FP3 FP2	314 12 0 145 0 0 235 0 0 145 0 0 110 0 0 105 0 0 80 0 0 80 0 0 40 0 0 45 0 0 30 0 0	50
GRADE 16.											
Napier Street ..	466	1,324 12 0	50 0 0	201 11 6	..	..	Hill, William W. .. Hopper, Mary E. .. McKay, Norman D. Carnachan, Robert Halliwell, E. M. .. Jackson, Mary B. .. Raid, Harriette .. Robinson, F. K. .. Wilson, Frank R. ... Foster, Olive C. ... Worrall, Elsie I. ... Calder, Roberta J. McElwain, Ivy M. Scott, John L. ... Astley, Hannah .. Munro, Colin R. ... MacLaurin, K. C. ... Carnachan, B. E. ... Johnston, Susanna Jones, Gwladys R. ... Collins, Jane E. ... Dempsey, Walter S. Cleveland, Rita V. Hall, Eveline M. ... Pitt, Nora V. ... Anderson, Isabella	D1 E1 B1 D3 D2 E1 E3 D3 D1 D1 D2 E1 D2 E2	HM Mis. AM AM AF AF AF AF MP4 FP3 FP3 FP1 FP1 HM Mis. AM AM AF AF AF FP3 FP3 FP2 FP1	319 16 0 150 0 0 235 0 0 150 0 0 110 0 0 105 0 0 95 0 0 80 0 0 50 0 0 40 0 0 40 0 0 30 0 0 20 0 0 320 12 0 150 0 0 235 0 0 150 0 0 110 0 0 105 0 0 95 0 0 80 0 0 50 0 0 40 0 0 40 0 0 30 0 0 30 0 0	50 ..
GRADE 17.											
Grafton ..	527	1,436 1 0	50 0 0	188 3 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Parnell ..	527	1,435 12 0	50 0 0	168 15 6	1 13 6

(1) Temporary: George Brown on sick leave.

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GRADE 17— <i>continued.</i>		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£
Wellesley Street ..	509	1,451 1 4	50 0 0	144 16 3	Murray, George W. (1)	D1	HM	319 8 0	50
							Lane, Mary J. ..	D1	Mis.	150 0 0	..
							Paterson, Robert H. ..	D1	AM	235 0 0	..
							Burns, Hector K. ..	C2	AM	150 0 0	..
							Purdie, Sarah J. ..	C1	AF	110 0 0	..
							Shrewsbury, E., M.A.	A1	AF	105 0 0	..
							Holloway, Annie E. ..	D1	AF	95 0 0	..
							Dunning, E. iza L. ...	E1	AF	80 0 0	..
							Ferguson, E. M. C. ..	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Harbutt, Grace A. ...	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Johnson, Minnie M. ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Beeson, Charles B. ..	..	MP2	40 0 0	..
							McGrael, Michael ..	..	MP2	40 0 0	..
Waihi D.H.S. ..	675	1,463 3 2	..	208 7 6	441 7 6	..	Benge, Alfred ..	D1	HM	326 4 0	..
							Gatland, A. R., B.A.	..	Sec.	..	..
							Roberts, Laura A. ...	E1	Mis.	150 0 0	..
							Lloyd, William ..	D1	AM	235 0 0	..
							Hume, Jane H. ..	E1	AF	115 0 0	..
							Gibson, Elizabeth M. ..	E2	AF	110 0 0	..
							Brain, Eleanor E. ...	E3	AF	105 0 0	..
							Bullen, Fredk. R. S. ..	..	AM	90 0 0	..
							Archibald, M. R. ..	D3	AF	95 0 0	..
							Myles, Alice ..	Lic.	AF	80 0 0	..
							Killen, John G. ..	..	MP3	45 0 0	..
							Roberts, Bernice E. ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Benge, Lorna R. ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Schofield, Laura ..	..	FP2	40 0 0	..
							Ganley, Hilda E. ..	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
							McCarthy, Irene M. ..	..	FP1	30 0 0	..
GRADE 18.											
Beresford Street ..	585	1,547 7 4	50 0 0	308 11 2	..	75 0 0	Hart, Edwin T. ..	D1	HM	333 4 0	50
							Priestley, Hannah J. ..	D1	Mis.	155 0 0	..
							Cousins, H. G., M.A.	A1	AM	235 0 0	..
							Walker, Spenceley ..	D2	AM	150 0 0	..
							McIlone, Mary J. ...	E1	AF	150 0 0	..
							Mathieson, Joann ..	E1	AF	105 0 0	..
							Harvey, John H. ..	D4	AM	125 0 0	..
							Davison, Mary E. ...	Lic.	AF	80 0 0	..
							Mahon, Eileen A. ...	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Grattan, Ida V. C. ...	..	FP4	55 0 0	..
							Hall, Arthur J. ..	..	MP3	40 0 0	..
							Hataway, Martha ..	..	FP2	40 0 0	..
							Seecats, Ethel F. A. ..	..	FP1	30 0 0	..
Newton West ..	664	1,578 10 4	50 0 0	357 2 7	..	..	Webber, Alfred S. ...	C1	HM	335 12 0	50
							Ca o, Eva P. ..	E1	Mis.	155 0 0	..
							Campbell, John ..	D1	AM	235 0 0	..
							Braithwaite, J. H. ..	D1	AM	150 0 0	..
							Blakey, Frank E. ...	D3	AM	135 0 0	..
							Egan, Mary F. ..	E2	AF	105 0 0	..
							Willis, Frances A. ...	D2	AF	95 0 0	..
							Ponsford, Mary E. ...	D3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Young, Lillian ..	E3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Wheeler, E. A. ..	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							King, Emily M. ..	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Clark, Margaret ..	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
							Eslick, Violet I. ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Caldwell, Florence A. ..	..	FP2	30 0 0	..
							Carter, Evelyn M. ...	..	FP1	30 0 0	..
Onehunga D.H.S. ..	605	1,449 3 0	..	220 19 0	64 19 4	..	McIntosh, W. N. ...	D1	HM	330 8 0	..
							Winter, N. A., B.A.	B1	Sec.	..	..
							Warren, Thomas F. ..	C2	Sec.	..	..
							French, Agnes S. ...	E1	Mis.	155 0 0	..
							Patterson, F. I., M.A.	Lic.	Sec.	..	..
							Robb, James ..	D1	AM	235 0 0	..
							Bull, Effie S. ..	D1	AF	115 0 0	..
							Robb, Helen ..	D1	AF	115 0 0	..
							Tisdall, Estelle A. ...	D2	AF	105 0 0	..
							Bower, Jessie ..	E2	AF	95 0 0	..
							Bower, Eva ..	D2	AF	80 0 0	..
							Barker, Meta ..	..	FP4	55 0 0	..
							Berryman, Mabel ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Ross, Gertrude E. ...	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
							Hannah, Arthur ..	..	MP2	40 0 0	..
							Mahoney, F. N. ..	..	FP2	40 0 0	..
							Wylie, C. D. M. ..	..	FP1	20 0 0	..

(1) In temporary charge.

TABLE No. 8.—LIST of the PUBLIC SCHOOLS, the EXPENDITURE, STAFF, &c.—*continued*.
AUCKLAND—*continued*.

1 Name of School.	2 Average for the Year 1905.	3 Expenditure for the Year.					Names, Classification, and Status of Teachers.			Annual Rates of Payment during Last Month of Year.	
		3 Teachers' Salaries, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	4 Teachers' House Allowances.	5 Other Ordinary Expenditure, including Rebuilding, Repairs to Buildings, &c.	6 Buildings, Sites, Furniture, and Apparatus.	7 Rent of School Buildings.	8 Teachers on the Staff at the End of the Year.	9 Classification.	10 Position in the School.	11 For Salary, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	12 For Teachers' House Allowances.
GRADE 19.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£
Devonport ..	670	1,591 11 4	50 0 0	224 8 8	70 11 9	..	Armstrong, James..	D1	HM	337 8 0	50
							Newman, M. S. ..	D1	Mis.	165 0 0	..
							Macky, Samuel H.	C1	AM	235 0 0	..
							Lambourne, N. T. ..	C1	AM	185 0 0	..
							Grant, Jane D. ..	B1	AF	120 0 0	..
							Wildman, E. J., Mrs.	E1	AF	110 0 0	..
							Robertson, E. M. ..	E3	AF	100 0 0	..
							Moodie, Agatha G.	D3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Mackay, Frieda M.	..	FP4	55 0 0	..
							Macindoe, Janet G.	D4	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Rogerson, Edith J.	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							de Renzy, Elizabeth	..	FP2	30 0 0	..
							Kelly, John A. ..	..	MP2	30 0 0	..
							Wilkinson, Hilda ..	..	FP2	40 0 0	..
							Kenny, Cyril B. ..	..	MP1	20 0 0	..
Mount Eden ..	706	1,634 0 8	..	220 15 11	..	..	Tanner, E. H. L. ..	..	FP1	30 0 0	..
							Hosking, Alfred ..	D1	HM	343 4 0	..
							Hawkins, E. F. ..	E1	Mis.	165 0 0	..
							Brown, Daniel C. ..	D1	AM	235 0 0	..
							McInness, Donald ..	D2	AM	150 0 0	..
							Russell, Magdalen L.	D1	AF	120 0 0	..
							Daniels, Caroline G.	E2	AF	110 0 0	..
							Aickin, Eleanor K. E.	E2	AF	100 0 0	..
							Brett, Evelyn L. ..	E3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Toy, Alice M. ..	D3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Moore, Rupert C. ..	E4*	MP4	50 0 0	..
							Walker, Hilda M. ..	D4*	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Hogwood, Alice W.	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Porter, Linda ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Gallery, Ethel U. ..	..	FP2	40 0 0	..
							Dean, Ivy M. ..	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
Richmond Road ..	704	1,677 9 8	50 0 0	195 13 1	..	..	Gribble, Dorothea M.	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
							Wells, Tom U., M.A.	H1	HM	345 8 0	50
							McGibbon, H. M. S.	D1	Mis.	165 0 0	..
							Plummer, George H.	C1	AM	235 0 0	..
							Green, Bertram M.	D2	AM	150 0 0	..
							Eastgate, Mildred M.	D1	AF	120 0 0	..
							Holloway, E. M. ..	E2	AF	110 0 0	..
							Jones, Thomas R. ..	D2	AM	130 0 0	..
							Hamilton, Gordon K.	Lic.	AM	100 0 0	..
							Whitaker, K. M. ..	D3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Angove, Alice H. ..	E3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Brigham, Lenora ..	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Short, Millicent A. L.	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Mark, Louis J. ..	..	MP3	40 0 0	..
							Worsnop, Emily C.	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Walton, Sarah O. ..	..	FP2	40 0 0	..
GRADE 20.							Rouse, George ..	..	MP1	30 0 0	..
Ponsonby ..	707	1,748 3 4	50 0 0	255 10 0	141 5 9	..	Cottingham, Ruby M.	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
							Dickinson, James C.	D1	HM	349 0 0	50
							Ingall, Eva K. M. ..	D1	Mis.	175 0 0	..
							Trayes, Alfred E. ..	D1	AM	240 0 0	..
							Vuglar, James ..	D2	AM	165 0 0	..
							Caldwell, M., Mrs. ..	E1	AF	130 0 0	..
							Birss, William ..	D2	AM	140 0 0	..
							Eastgate, Florence T.	D2	AF	110 0 0	..
							Rees, Margaret G. ..	E3	AF	85 0 0	..
							Holder, Marian C. ..	E3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Bryant, Catherine A.	E3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Cottingham, E. M. ..	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Watt, Helen ..	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
							Thorne, Jessie L. ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Earle, Mabel J. ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Dunn, Eileen E. ..	..	FP2	30 0 0	..
GRADE 21.							McCarthy, W. M. ..	..	FP2	30 0 0	..
Newton East ..	758	1,876 7 0	50 0 0	434 15 5	405 5 6	..	Ridling, Randolph G.	..	MP1	20 0 0	..
							Metge, Daniel D. ..	D1	HM	354 2 0	50
							Wright, Lydia ..	E1	Mis.	185 0 0	..
							Brown, Francis H.	D1	AM	240 0 0	..
							Sheppard, Albert L.	D2	AM	175 0 0	..
							Simpson, Euphemia	E1	AF	140 0 0	..
							Jones, Griffith R. ..	D2	AM	145 0 0	..
							Harris, Elizabeth E.	E2	AF	115 0 0	..
							Nolan, Bessie M. ..	D2	AF	90 0 0	..
							Waddingham, F. M.	D3*	AF	85 0 0	..
							Mabon, Rose M. ..	Lic.	AF	80 0 0	..
							Brockliss, Alice M.	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Herrich, Daisy W.	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							de Montalk, J. C. A.	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Pegler, Amy B. A.	FP3	45 0 0	..
							Potter, Nellie A. M.	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Litten, Alice I.	FP2	40 0 0	..
							Sadler, Nora	FP2	40 0 0	..

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AUCKLAND—*continued.*

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Expenditure in schools not open in December, 1905—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£
Golden Cross	61 9 2	7 10 0	30 2 3
Maraetai and Ness Valley	40 10 0	1 17 6	4 12 0
Opitonui	5 8 4	..	1 12 9
Waiomio	88 1 9	15 0 0	7 5 3	..	16 17 6
Wharekawa	13 6 8	1 13 4	0 13 4	..	5 0 0
Woodlands	63 6 8	7 18 4	1 6 5
Limestone Island	260 7 0
Parahaki	5 3 6
Tawharanui	161 18 0
Mairoa	6 4 3
Kinohaku	5 5 0
Manurewa	4 4 0
Parahaki	7 0 0
Expenditure not classified—											
Plans and supervision	593 8 1
Furniture, unclassified	111 3 11
Painting school-buildings	1,598 11 9
Tarring and sanding school grounds	252 6 2
Totals	96,394 3	73915 9 8	17,581 13 9	11580 18 6	461 18 3				98,105 3 2	3,925

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		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£
GRADE 0.											
Kohuratahi ..	10	38 17 5	3 19 4	3 4 9	McCartie, Frances	F	60 0 0	10
Tahora ..	5	36 0 0	..	2 12 0	..	..	Baker, Henrietta ..	..	F	36 0 0	..
Whitianga(?) ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
GRADE 1.											
Albert Road ..	12	62 10 4	7 17 0	5 15 6	..	..	Ullmer, Frederica ..	E4	F	80 0 0	10
Hurford Road ..	14	80 0 0	10 0 0	13 2 0	..	..	Lisle, Frank ..	..	M	80 0 0	10
Kahui and Ngariki ..	23	122 2 0	10 0 0	10 10 1	..	..	Morgan, Richard ..	E1	M	132 0 0	10
Koru ..	14	85 0 0	..	40 8 4	..	..	Reid, Maymie ..	..	F	85 0 0	..
Mangorei, Lower ..	18	93 4 4	9 16 2	16 13 11	..	..	Mead, Beatrix ..	E5	F	95 0 0	10
Mangorei, Upper ..	20	88 1 1	9 14 5	16 9 1	..	..	Amoore, Albert H. ..	Lic.	M	99 0 0	10
Makahu and Punehakau ..	26	108 12 3	14 7 2	11 13 0	214 7 1	..	Becker, Günther ..	..	M	141 16 8	20
Pukearuru ..	12	70 6 8	..	15 10 6	..	5 0 0	Birkett, Emma, Mrs. ..	E2	F	70 0 0	..
Tongaporutu ..	18	72 7 0	8 1 10	7 2 9	..	..	Gilliver, John E. ..	Lic.	M	85 10 0	10
Tututawa ..	21	99 0 0	..	38 7 6	..	..	Williams, A. L., Mrs. ..	Lic.	F	110 0 0	..
Uruti ..	20	96 5 0	10 0 0	16 5 6	..	..	Ewart, Edward O. ..	D4	M	105 0 0	10
Lower Whangamomona ..	15	81 16 0	10 0 0	12 18 0	..	..	Long, Victor H. L. ..	E4	M	80 0 0	10
GRADE 2.											
Denbigh Road ..	26	130 0 0	20 0 0	28 15 8	..	..	Brown, William A. ..	E4	M	130 0 0	20
Eltham Road ..	22	108 10 6	..	9 4 0	..	..	Rigby, Frances C. J. ..	Lic.	F	106 4 0	..
Huirangi ..	23	126 0 0	..	10 0 6	..	..	Currie, C. C., Mrs. ..	Lic.	F	126 0 0	..
Huiroa ..	25	112 5 6	..	20 6 10	..	..	Worm, Louise F. ..	Lic.	F	117 0 0	..
Kent Road, Lower ..	25	126 0 0	20 0 0	10 13 0	..	..	Smith, Kate E. ..	E3	F	126 0 0	20
Ratapike ..	29	124 10 0	..	14 4 0	..	..	Wilson, O. E., Mrs. ..	D3	F	132 0 0	..
Raupuha ..	32	121 18 0	20 0 0	24 12 3	..	..	Warner, M., Mrs. ..	D4	F	134 0 0	20
Tataraimaka ..	25	126 0 0	..	23 6 6	..	..	Cross, Ada Maria ..	D2	F	126 0 0	..
Upland Road ..	24	115 2 3	..	24 11 6	..	..	Butcher, Anthony G. ..	E2	M	126 0 0	..
Waihi ..	24	126 3 4	18 6 8	29 3 3	..	..	Cowles, Sarah A. ..	D2	F	130 0 0	20
Waitui ..	24	122 0 0	20 0 0	11 12 3	..	..	Cresswell, O. E. O. ..	D4	F	122 0 0	20
GRADE 3.											
Awatuna ..	34	140 0 0	..	13 12 7	..	..	Powell, Ada M. ..	D5*	F	140 0 0	..
Bell Block ..	32	143 16 11	..	12 18 11	..	..	Potts, George W. ..	D1	M	144 0 0	..
Bird Road ..	31	134 0 0	20 0 0	12 1 8	..	..	Stephen, Mary W. ..	D3	F	134 0 0	20
Carrington Road ..	23	133 0 0	20 0 0	11 13 6	..	..	Sinclair, Jeins S. ..	E5	F	133 0 0	20
Cardiff ..	43	146 9 3	..	14 6 0	..	..	McCarthy, C. M. ..	D2	F	143 0 0	..
Dudley Road ..	33	143 2 4	20 0 0	22 11 0	..	..	Wilks, Minnie L. ..	D3	F	139 0 0	20
Durham Road ..	23	132 0 0	..	11 5 2	Alexander, G. M. ..	D3	F	132 0 0	..
Huiakama ..	36	166 14 3	20 0 0	14 6 0	Bichenor, Leonard ..	E4	M	156 0 0	20

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GRADE 3—continued.											
Kaianai ..	31	£ s. d. 140 0 0	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 31 9 5	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	Bocock, James H. ..	E5	M	£ s. d. 142 0 0	..
Kent Road, Upper ..	35	139 0 0	20 0 0	28 14 5	..	..	Aitken, Williamina I.	D2	F	137 0 0	20
Lincoln Road ..	35	146 12 6	..	30 5 8	..	..	Meyenberg, A. M. ..	D4	M	144 0 0	..
Mahoe ..	41	149 10 11	20 0 0	26 14 2	113 5 10	..	Turkington, Samuel	D2	M	150 0 0	20
Matau and Purangi ..	24	150 9 6	..	30 8 0	..	16 0 0	Meredith, Samuel ..	..	M	142 11 2	..
Pungarehu ..	28	140 0 0	20 0 0	18 18 0	..	..	Humphrey, Ernest J.	D4	M	140 0 0	20
Pembroke Road ..	34	136 0 0	20 0 0	20 18 9	..	..	Boyle, Thomas ..	Lic.	M	148 0 0	20
Rowan ..	29	133 0 0	20 0 0	11 13 6	..	..	Taylor, Minnie I. ..	E3	F	133 0 0	20
Salisbury Road ..	46	191 6 8	..	28 14 9	104 17 3	..	Auld, James A. ..	D2	HM	158 0 0	..
Stanley Road ..	44	198 0 9	20 0 0	18 15 5	..	..	Finnerty, Lily ..	Lic.	AF	80 0 0	..
Tarata ..	29	131 0 0	..	20 11 0	..	..	Lilley, Helen ..	E3	HF	145 0 0	20
Te Kiri ..	38	146 0 0	..	13 3 5	..	..	Riley, Laura F. ..	D4	AF	80 0 0	..
Tikorangi ..	40	154 0 0	..	41 7 4	..	..	Martin, Mary J. ..	D4	F	131 0 0	..
Warea ..	36	137 0 0	..	37 18 8	..	..	Bates, Frederic A. ..	D3	M	146 0 0	..
Whangamomona ..	19	135 18 1	..	12 14 5	..	12 0 0	West, Isaac M. ..	D2	M	154 0 0	..
							Evans, Alice ..	D2	F	137 0 0	..
							Rice, John H. ..	C1	M	142 0 0	..
GRADE 4.											
Egmont Village ..	46	228 0 0	..	26 6 0	..	..	Dewhurst, E. E., Mrs.	E1	HF	148 0 0	..
Lepperton ..	54	244 10 0	..	18 19 5	..	..	McDermid, R. G. M.	Lic.	AF	80 0 0	..
Omata ..	53	242 10 0	..	91 1 7	..	..	Penlington, Henry F.	D2	HM	164 10 0	..
Oakura ..	35	212 5 4	..	15 8 6	..	..	Wright, Jane ..	D4	AF	80 0 0	..
Pihama ..	40	233 16 8	..	15 18 11	..	..	Thomas, Joseph W.	D4	HM	165 0 0	..
Rahotu ..	52	241 10 0	..	47 9 1	..	..	Haddrell, Alice M.	..	AF	80 0 0	..
Urenui ..	70	244 0 0	..	20 17 10	..	..	Bartlett, Alice G. ..	D1	F	146 10 0	..
Waiongona..	35	200 10 0	..	15 19 9	..	..	Mason, Frederick W.	E2	HM	160 10 0	..
							Brennan, J. M. ..	E4	AF	80 0 0	..
							Campbell, John T. ..	D1	HM	161 10 0	..
							Dempsey, H. E. ..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Pope, George H. ..	D2	HM	164 0 0	..
							Hutcheson, Margaret	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							French, J. M., M.A.	A2	M	160 10 0	..
GRADE 5.											
Egmont Road ..	49	235 0 0	..	37 19 9	..	..	Richardson, I. M. ..	D3	HF	152 10 0	..
Frankley Road ..	53	255 0 0	..	25 12 0	..	..	Adamson, Jane ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Kaimata ..	50	247 1 9	..	135 12 8	..	1 10 0	Winfield, Thomas B.	E2	HM	170 0 0	..
Oaonui ..	55	255 15 10	..	24 19 4	..	..	Liddle, Agnes ..	E3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Okato ..	55	261 5 0	..	49 7 11	..	..	Livingstone, H. A.	D2	HM	166 5 0	..
Opunake ..	70	267 6 8	..	20 0 0	..	..	Maxwell, Bertha K.	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Norfolk Road ..	64	272 18 4	..	44 5 6	..	..	Sims, Arthur V. ..	D2	HM	173 15 0	..
							Bicheno, Eva ..	E5	Mis.	85 0 0	..
							Boyce, William J. ..	D2	HM	176 5 0	..
							Potts, Mary I. ..	E5	Mis.	85 0 0	..
							Gray, Alfred ..	D2	HM	185 0 0	..
							Loudon, Mary ..	E2	Mis.	85 0 0	..
							Thomas, Richard E.	D2	HM	190 0 0	..
							Brownlee, Marion K.	D5	Mis.	85 0 0	..
GRADE 7.											
Fitzroy ..	106	347 17 4	..	260 9 3	200 0 0	19 7 6	Johnson, Oscar ..	D2	HM	217 14 0	..
Midhirst ..	120	348 18 0	..	53 3 3	..	..	Mackenzie, Hilda ..	E4	Mis.	100 0 0	..
Ngairi ..	95	375 8 0	..	61 11 0	..	..	Reynell, Lilian G. ..	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
Tariki ..	105	363 0 0	..	26 7 6	..	..	Mail, James W. ..	C2	HM	218 18 0	..
Toko ..	105	337 2 0	..	26 14 9	..	..	Wilson, Lucy I. ..	E4	Mis.	100 0 0	..
							Hall, Winifred ..	..	FP2	30 0 0	..
							Evans, William J.	D1	HM	220 8 0	..
							Mills, Sarah A. ..	E1	Mis.	100 0 0	..
							Rowntree, Ethel ..	..	FP4	55 0 0	..
							Eason, Harry A. ..	D2	HM	218 0 0	..
							Beedie, Jeannie A. J.	E3	Mis.	100 0 0	..
							Smith, Coralie ..	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
							Allan, Orlanno L. ..	D1	HM	217 2 0	..
							Smith, Violet E. S.	Lic.	Mis.	100 0 0	20
							Fincham, Lily ..	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
GRADE 9.											
Waitara ..	188	520 16 0	..	145 11 2	350 0 0	..	Wyllie, Samuel ..	D1	HM	240 16 0	..
							Edwards, Alice ..	D2	Mis.	110 0 0	..
							Pearce, Elsie M. ..	D4	AF	80 0 0	..
							Bent, Ethel W. ..	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Berntsen, Mary E.	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
GRADE 11.											
West End ..	265	685 16 8	40 0 0	105 18 11	570 10 0	12 12 0	Dowling, Mary, Mrs.	D1	HF	194 6 0	40
							Mynott, Laura E. ..	E2	Mis.	120 0 0	..
							Bary, Edward ..	E4*	AM	170 0 0	..
							Papps, Mary M. ..	D4	AF	85 0 0	..
							Stewart, Lily ..	D5	AF	80 0 0	..
							Evetts, Carvel	MP1	20 0 0	..

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		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£
Inglewood	263	719 2 0	..	88 4 6	Grant, James, B.A.	B1	HM	264 4 0	..
							Reed, Laura ..	E2	Mis.	120 0 0	..
							Evans, Dafydd P. ..	E3	AM	170 0 0	..
							Minchin, Minnie E.	Lic.	AF	80 0 0	..
							Ingpen, Phoebe	FP2	30 0 0	..
							Hart, Lily A.	FP2	40 0 0	..
GRADE 15.							Grant, Ethel	FP2	20 0 0	..
Stratford D.H.S. ..	464	1,264 9 7	..	386 18 1	..	4 0 0	Tyrer, Florence A. R.	D1	HM	308 8 0	..
							Hogg, Susan ..	E1	Mis.	140 0 0	..
							Johnston, William H.	B3	AM	220 0 0	..
							Browne, Robert A. S.	D3*	AM	140 0 0	..
							Blackett, Isabella M.	D3*	AF	105 0 0	..
							Clark, Ernest H. ..	D2*	AM	120 0 0	..
							Budd, Alice M.	AF	80 0 0	..
							King, Ella	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Mackay, Mary C.	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Lewis, Edith	FP1	30 0 0	..
GRADE 17.							Knox, Ellie	FP2	30 0 0	..
							Dromgool, J. C., B.Sc.	A4	Sec.
Central	513	1,414 0 2	..	514 18 2	Dempsey, Hector ..	C1	HM	318 16 0	..
							Martin, G. E., Mrs.	E1	Mis.	150 0 0	..
							Burnside, W., B.A.	A1	AM	235 0 0	..
							Harding, Albert J. ..	D4	AM	150 0 0	..
							Black, Bertha, B.A.	B3	AF	110 0 0	..
							Brunton, Helen O.	E2	AF	105 0 0	..
							Crawford, Mary E.	..	AF	85 10 0	..
							Nixon, Eva C.	AF	80 0 0	..
							Crawford, Amy F.	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Berry, Mildred	FP2	30 0 0	..
							Cameron, Jessie	FP3	45 0 0	..
							Prichard, Herbert	MP2	40 0 0	..
							Sullivan, Joseph	MP1	30 0 0	..
Schools not opened in December, 1905—											
Matiere	216 19 11
Whitianga	22 10 0	4 3 4	5 11 6
Expenditure not classified—											
Architect	95 0 0
Advertising	47 11 2
Apparatus	5 18 6
Sundries	3 0 3
Totals	15,880 2 2	436 5 11	3,318 19 6	1770 0 1	70 9 6	16,003 8 10	450

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GRADE 0.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£
Admiral Run ..	5	30 0 0	Anderson, Alice	F	30 0 0	..
Akitio ..	6	19 18 0	..	5 10 7	Lee, George	M	36 0 0	..
Hinemoa ..	11	56 15 0	10 0 0	8 6 9	..	..	Checkley, Isabel ..	..	F	65 0 0	10
Huia Road ..	8	48 0 0	..	13 10 6	..	..	Abbott, Richard ..	Lic.	M	48 0 0	..
Korora ..	10	30 8 4	5 0 0	2 0 0	269 14 3	..	Sheppard, Alexa I.	E3	F	60 0 0	10
Lime Hills ..	3	21 15 0	..	..	..	..	Pay, Louise ..	..	F	18 0 0	..
Mangaoronga ..	9	48 0 0	..	2 0 6	..	..	Corbin, Gertrude M.	..	F	48 0 0	..
Momona ..	3	12 0 0	..	..	..	..	Harvey, Robina ..	..	F	18 0 0	..
Ngakonui ..	..	1 10 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ngapopotu ..	10	60 0 0	10 0 0	8 7 6	..	..	Higgins, Florence J.	Lic.	F	60 0 0	10
Pencarrow ..	5	36 0 0	..	8 4 6	..	..	Christie, Laura ..	..	F	36 0 0	..
Rangi Tamaiti ..	8	51 15 0	..	..	..	..	Stratford, Iris ..	..	F	48 0 0	..
Tikaramonga ..	4	24 0 0	..	..	..	..	Pawson, Clara ..	..	F	24 0 0	..
Toro ..	10	48 0 0	..	3 12 6	..	..	Morriss, Christina ..	Lic.	F	48 0 0	..
Waiowaka ..	..	4 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Waiohine ..	12	11 0 0	..	0 18 8	..	..	Leighton, M. J., Mrs.	E4	F	66 0 0	10
Wairere ..	9	49 10 0	9 3 4	8 6 9	..	..	Gilmour, Richard S.	..	M	54 0 0	10
Whareama ..	11	61 0 0	10 0 0	13 8 9	Chapman, F. M. ..	Lic.	F	60 0 0	10
Whatarangi ..	1	3 14 6	Rampling, Clark B.	..	M	6 0 0	..

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GRADE 1.											
Akatarawa ..	14	£ s. d. 80 0 0	£ s. d. 10 0 0	£ s. d. 15 1 6	£ s. d. 189 18 1	£ s. d. 4 4 0	Steedman, M. M. J.	Lic.	F	£ s. d. 80 0 0	£ 10
Coonor ..	14	85 10 0	..	10 10 6	..	..	Welsby, Ellen Mabel	Lic.	F	90 0 0	..
Dreyer's Rock ..	23	112 0 0	10 0 0	22 18 10	..	..	Turner, Alfred A. ..	D2	M	118 0 0	10
Horokiwi ..	16	80 0 0	10 0 1	9 18 3	..	..	Blake, Bertie N. T.	D5	M	80 0 0	10
Judgeford ..	19	93 6 8	10 0 0	10 7 10	..	..	Palmer, Katie ..	..	F	95 0 0	10
Kaitoke ..	14	80 0 0	10 0 0	21 4 0	..	..	Stormont, F. M. ..	E3	F	80 0 0	10
Korokoro South ..	16	90 0 0	10 0 0	13 15 6	..	..	Gower, Nanette ..	Lic.	F	100 0 0	10
Longbush ..	16	77 18 8	10 0 0	8 9 0	264 1 10	..	O'Sullivan, C. S. ..	Lic.	F	85 0 0	10
Mangahao ..	17	100 0 0	10 0 0	10 4 5	..	..	Mackay, Kate M. ..	E2	F	100 0 0	10
Mangaone ..	12	90 0 0	..	8 12 0	..	..	Haggett, G. E. E. ..	D4	F	90 0 0	..
Mangapakeha ..	10	75 0 0	10 0 0	10 14 9	..	..	Dyer, Henry H. ..	C1	M	75 0 0	10
Marima ..	17	95 0 0	10 0 0	14 9 6	..	10 12 0	Dynan, Mary ..	E5	F	95 0 0	10
Matahiwi ..	22	110 0 0	10 0 0	9 18 6	..	..	Woodward, Elizabeth	D3	F	110 0 0	10
Pabautanui ..	15	105 0 0	..	11 4 9	..	..	Feist, Lois M. ..	E1	F	105 0 0	..
Plimmerton ..	17	90 0 0	10 0 0	18 10 0	..	..	Algie, Emily Marion	E4	F	90 0 0	10
Ponatahi ..	13	75 0 0	..	18 9 9	..	..	Luxton, Elizabeth ..	Lic.	F	75 0 0	..
Pukehinanu ..	13	65 0 0	10 0 0	24 1 0	..	..	Campbell, Egbert Y.	..	M	65 0 0	10
Saunders' Road ..	16	100 0 0	10 0 0	9 8 6	..	..	Beresford, Mabel ..	E2	F	100 0 0	10
Takapau ..	14	75 0 0	10 0 0	8 9 9	..	14 8 0	McLaughlin, Jane	Lic.	F	75 0 0	10
Tane ..	18	100 0 0	10 0 0	9 18 10	..	..	Johnson, Edith M.	D3	F	100 0 0	10
Taratahi West ..	19	110 0 0	10 0 0	15 2 9	..	..	Fifield, Amy E. ..	D3	F	110 0 0	10
Tawa Flat ..	18	90 0 0	..	10 17 0	..	..	Coneys, Jessie T. ..	E2	F	90 0 0	..
Te Whiti ..	14	80 0 0	10 0 0	8 10 6	..	..	Manning, C. A. ..	Lic.	F	80 0 0	10
Wangaehu ..	14	81 0 0	10 0 0	8 12 0	..	..	Banks, Adeline S. ..	Lic.	F	90 0 0	10
Whakataki ..	22	112 10 0	..	67 15 6	..	..	Williams, M. A., Mrs.	E2	F	118 0 0	..
Whiteman's Valley ..	11	82 18 4	..	9 15 1	..	..	Baxter, Arthur J. ..	..	M	80 0 0	..
GRADE 2.											
Alfredton ..	25	118 0 0	20 0 0	9 15 9	..	..	Higgins, Vivian ..	D2	M	126 0 0	20
Bideford ..	23	113 8 0	..	9 18 0	..	..	Bennett, William D.	Lic.	M	126 0 0	..
Horoeke ..	24	130 0 0	20 0 0	12 18 9	..	..	Barrett, Henry R. ..	D4	M	130 0 0	20
Ihurana Valley ..	21	130 0 0	20 0 0	12 0 5	..	..	Graham, Margaret L.	D1	F	130 0 0	20
Kahautara ..	20	118 0 0	20 0 0	10 18 9	..	..	Fellingham, M. U.	E2	F	118 0 0	20
Kohinui ..	19	114 0 0	..	8 15 9	..	..	Merlet, Isabella A.	E3	F	114 0 0	..
Maku ..	18	118 0 0	20 0 0	23 0 11	..	..	Murphy, Mary A. ..	E3	F	118 0 0	20
Mangamahoe ..	23	118 0 0	20 0 0	8 16 6	..	..	Campbell, Kathleen	D3	F	118 0 0	20
Mangatiti ..	22	106 4 0	20 0 0	14 4 6	..	..	Warwick, Robert S.	Lic.	M	118 0 0	20
Matarawa ..	21	122 18 0	..	41 19 6	..	..	Bland, Eliza Jane ..	Lic.	F	126 0 0	..
Mikimiki ..	27	130 5 0	20 0 0	10 8 0	..	..	Kean, Annie W. ..	D1	F	132 0 0	20
Ngaturi ..	19	126 0 0	20 0 0	13 6 10	..	..	Wilson, Mary H. ..	D1	F	126 0 0	20
Nikau ..	26	130 0 0	20 0 0	11 19 9	..	..	Baker-Gabb, Mary, Mrs., B.A.	B1	F	130 0 0	20
Pirinoa ..	19	102 12 0	..	8 15 9	..	..	Mackenna, Robert	..	M	102 12 0	..
Rakaunui ..	26	130 0 0	20 0 0	17 6 3	..	..	Combs, Frank L. ..	D4	M	130 0 0	20
Stokes Valley ..	19	118 10 0	20 0 0	19 11 6	..	..	Prendeville, P. M. ..	E3	F	118 0 0	20
Tauberenikau ..	18	114 0 0	..	8 15 9	..	..	Ussher, Martha J. ..	E1	F	114 0 0	..
Wallaceville ..	24	122 0 0	..	9 14 3	..	..	Duncan, Annie ..	D2	F	122 0 0	..
Wharau ..	12	103 11 0	20 0 0	22 8 3	..	..	Lavery, Maurice ..	..	M	102 12 0	20
GRADE 3.											
Cross's Creek ..	28	136 0 0	..	74 6 2	..	..	Kirby, James H. ..	E1	M	136 0 0	..
Dreyerton ..	44	176 9 11	..	21 0 3	..	..	Nightingale, Henry	D1	HM	158 0 0	..
Featherston South ..	26	131 0 0	20 0 0	10 19 6	..	..	Hogg, Ellen C. ..	E4	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Gladstone ..	47	191 13 4	..	13 10 0	..	..	Oswin, M. E., B.A.	B2	F	131 0 0	20
Kaipororo ..	31	150 0 0	20 0 0	11 16 3	..	..	Piggford, Mary H. ..	E1	HF	145 0 0	..
Kaituna ..	24	133 0 0	20 0 0	10 1 0	..	..	McFarlane, Olive V.	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Kaiwaiwai ..	33	158 0 0	..	33 3 9	..	..	Bringans, John ..	D3	M	150 0 0	20
Kakariki ..	24	141 5 2	20 0 0	15 10 4	..	..	Kelleher, Caroline H.	D2	F	133 0 0	20
Korokoro ..	38	136 0 0	20 0 0	17 19 3	..	..	Pope, Robert J. ..	D1	M	158 0 0	..
Makairo ..	21	126 10 0	20 0 0	10 4 9	..	19 4 0	King, Edmund A. ..	E3	M	142 0 0	20
Makara ..	33	150 0 0	20 0 0	13 13 9	..	..	Johnston, Nita ..	D1	F	136 0 0	20
Makuri ..	33	140 0 0	..	11 6 3	..	..	Bawden, A. F., Mrs.	E3	F	138 0 0	20
Mangamaire ..	42	144 6 8	20 0 0	16 13 4	..	..	Smith, John A. ..	D1	M	150 0 0	20
Mangarama ..	21	133 0 0	20 0 0	11 9 0	..	..	Marryatt, F. M. ..	D2	F	140 0 0	..
Mauriceville ..	31	155 10 0	20 0 0	12 11 0	..	..	Scott, William W.	E2	M	156 0 0	20
Mungaroa ..	26	132 0 0	..	44 7 11	..	..	Hopwood, Mary E.	E2	F	133 0 0	20
Opaki ..	26	131 15 0	..	27 0 5	..	..	Buechler, Arthur ..	C2	M	156 0 0	20
Paikakariki ..	33	146 0 0	..	11 10 3	..	..	Evans, Eliza H., Mrs.	E1	F	132 0 0	..
Paraparamu ..	31	138 0 0	..	14 14 11	..	..	Murray, William T.	D2	M	132 0 0	..
Rangitumau ..	36	146 0 0	..	14 9 9	..	..	Cooper, Henry T. ..	D2	M	146 0 0	..
Reikiorangi ..	34	132 0 0	20 0 0	59 4 1	..	..	Kidd, H. L., B.Sc.	B5	M	138 0 0	..
Rongokokako ..	27	155 18 4	20 0 0	14 0 1	..	..	Dallaston, C. W. ..	D2	M	146 0 0	..
Rongomai ..	34	142 0 0	20 0 0	14 19 2	..	..	Banks, Annie L. ..	D2	F	132 0 0	20
Te Horo ..	50	198 0 0	20 0 0	23 14 5	97 15 0	..	Bradstock, L. B. ..	Lic.	M	132 0 0	20
							McLauchlan, Mary	E1	F	142 0 0	20
							Kirk, George W. ..	D2	HM	158 0 0	20
							Brown, Winifred E.	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..

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		3 Teachers' Salaries, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	4 Teachers' House Allowances.	5 Other Ordinary Expenditure, including Rebuilding, Repairs to Buildings, &c.	6 Buildings, Sites, Furniture, and Apparatus.	7 Rent of School Buildings.	8 Teachers on the Staff at the End of the Year.	9 Classification.	10 Position in the School.	11 For Salary, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	12 For Teachers' House Allowances.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£
GRADE 3— <i>continued.</i>											
Te Nui	29	150 0 0	..	78 1 5	..	..	Sutton, Henry ..	D3	M	150 0 0	..
Waihakeke ..	25	138 0 0	..	40 13 9	..	..	Wedde, Albert A. ..	D3	M	138 0 0	..
Wainuiomata ..	30	138 0 0	..	24 4 9	..	..	Letham, Sara ..	E1	F	138 0 0	..
GRADE 4.											
Belvedere	46	243 10 0	..	15 15 3	..	..	McFarlane, Henry ..	E1	HM	163 10 0	..
Kaitara	48	228 10 0	..	14 8 3	..	..	Butler, Phoebe ..	D4	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Kaitawa	37	241 0 0	..	55 14 0	..	..	Dowdeswell, A. A. ..	D1	HF	148 10 0	..
Kereru	44	243 0 0	..	15 5 10	271 14 11	..	McLean, Janet ..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Makomako	51	244 10 0	20 0 0	23 0 9	..	..	Jones, George A. ..	D1	HM	161 0 0	..
Mauriceville West ..	45	240 10 0	..	110 0 1	..	..	Thornton, Marion ..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Muritai	41	242 10 0	20 0 0	20 19 0	..	..	Clark, William H. ..	D1	HM	163 0 0	..
Newman	52	244 10 0	20 0 0	37 12 3	..	..	Macey, Nellie M. S. ..	E3	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Ohariu	41	241 0 0	..	37 13 7	..	..	Philip, William H. ..	D1	HM	164 10 0	20
Taita	49	240 10 0	20 0 0	56 11 3	..	5 0 0	McBeth, Margaret ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Taueru	45	243 0 0	..	18 1 9	..	..	Davies, William C. ..	D1	HM	160 10 0	..
Waione	41	241 10 0	..	23 9 9	..	..	Gray, Catherine ..	D2	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Sanson, Herbert ..	D1	HM	162 10 0	20
							Felst, Hannah E. ..	D4	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Anderson, Andrew ..	D2	HM	164 10 0	20
							Avison, Lizzie ..	E3	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Turkington, Samuel ..	D2	HM	161 0 0	..
							Bray, Hinemoa F. ..	E4	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Plunkett-Cole, W. ..	D1	HM	160 10 0	20
							Harton, Violet ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Mason, Francis ..	C1	HM	163 0 0	..
							Scott, Margaret C. ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Duncan, Stuart ..	D3	HM	161 10 0	..
							Gaudin, Emma C. ..	D3	Mis.	80 0 0	..
GRADE 5.											
Dalefield	71	271 5 0	..	20 0 3	..	..	Beechey, James M. ..	D1	HM	186 5 0	..
Hamua	68	257 10 0	30 0 0	23 14 0	..	..	Stanton, Alice J. ..	E5	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Hastwell	51	234 5 0	30 0 0	17 16 0	..	..	Kay, John ..	D1	HM	177 10 0	30
Hukanui	53	265 0 0	30 0 0	15 6 6	217 1 8	10 4 0	Nixon, Violet M. ..	Lic.	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Khandallah	71	270 0 0	30 0 0	22 2 3	..	..	McKenzie, Christina ..	D1	HF	153 0 0	30
Konini	59	262 10 0	30 0 0	21 7 11	..	..	Chamberlain, M.M.S. ..	Lic.	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Manakau	82	256 5 0	..	73 2 1	..	..	Anderson, Wigo ..	E1	HM	180 0 0	30
Nireaha	57	233 0 0	30 0 0	50 2 0	674 13 10	7 17 0	Zohrab, Clara M. H. ..	D3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Parkvale	53	252 10 0	..	71 19 4	..	..	Jenkins, David H. ..	D2	HM	185 0 0	30
Pongaroa	52	249 11 8	30 0 0	28 2 10	..	..	Mackay, Elspeth M. ..	E4	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Porirua	56	267 10 0	..	16 11 2	..	..	Britland, Walter ..	D1	HM	177 10 0	30
Te Oreore	53	262 10 0	30 0 0	27 10 11	..	..	Warren, M. F. I. ..	E2	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Tokomaru	65	261 5 0	30 0 0	24 14 11	85 6 10	..	McBain, Alexander ..	D1	HM	171 5 0	..
Waikanae	53	250 16 8	30 0 0	80 19 5	..	5 0 0	Fellingham, Rebecca ..	E2	Mis.	85 0 0	..
							Hutchens, E. E. R. ..	E1	HF	153 0 0	30
							Smith, Margaret ..	Lic.	Mis.	85 0 0	..
							Davidson, James ..	D1	HM	167 10 0	..
							Watson, Florence ..	E2	Mis.	85 0 0	..
							Gould, William H. ..	D1	HM	168 15 0	30
							Jacobsen, Alice G. ..	Lic.	Mis.	85 0 0	..
							Pilkington, John J. ..	C1	HM	182 10 0	..
							Whitcombe, M. A. ..	D2	Mis.	85 0 0	..
							Guest, Joseph J. ..	D2	HM	177 10 0	30
							Campbell, Kate L. ..	E4	Mis.	85 0 0	..
							Gregory, F. W. ..	D2	HM	176 5 0	30
							McKeown, E. M. ..	E3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
							Foss, Reginald J. ..	D1	HM	166 5 0	30
							Honour, Lizzie E. ..	D3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
GRADE 6.											
Ballance	72	301 5 0	30 0 0	60 12 3	..	..	Williamson, John ..	B1	HM	206 5 0	30
Eketahuna	92	288 0 0	..	41 2 2	..	..	Tuely, Catherine B. ..	D3	Mis.	95 0 0	..
Fernridge	77	298 15 0	..	28 16 9	..	..	Dempsey, Walter N. ..	D1	HM	202 10 0	..
Ohau	107	339 11 8	30 0 0	90 0 0	..	5 12 6	Toohill, Maria H. ..	Lic.	Mis.	95 0 0	..
							Gover, Frederick ..	E1	HM	203 15 0	..
							Robinson, Lillie I. F. ..	E4	Mis.	95 0 0	..
							Feist, Adolph M. ..	D1	HM	211 5 0	30
							Newton, Emma A. ..	E2	Mis.	95 0 0	..
							Arcus, Elizabeth ..	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
							Hurley, Margaret M. ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
Scarborough	86	306 5 0	30 0 0	26 3 10	..	..	Malcolm, John H. ..	D1	HM	211 5 0	30
Worser Bay	99	297 10 0	30 0 0	34 16 0	..	..	Cooper, Ethel R. ..	D3	Mis.	95 0 0	..
							Rountree, W. W. ..	D1	HM	195 0 0	30
							Poynter, Zoe E. ..	B3	Mis.	95 0 0	..
							Holdaway, Kenneth	MP1	30 0 0	..

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GRADE 7.											
Clareville ..	100	£ s. d. 346 2 0	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 41 2 0	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	Drummond, Robert	D1	HM	£ s. d. 218 12 0	£ ..
							Moncrieff, Janet ..	E2	Mis.	100 0 0	..
							White, Minnie J. ..	..	FP1	30 0 0	..
Epuni ..	104	348 6 0	30 0 0	26 4 0	..	..	Williamson, A. W.,	B1	HM	218 6 0	30
							B.A.				
							Meager, E. A. ..	D2	Mis.	100 0 0	..
							Martelli, Irene ..	..	FP1	30 0 0	..
Featherston ..	110	367 14 8	..	26 4 9	..	..	Everton, F. C. ..	C1	HM	221 18 0	..
							Stanton, Cath. M. ..	D2	Mis.	100 0 0	..
							Renall, Olive E. ..	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
Island Bay ..	106	356 10 0	30 0 0	49 11 9	..	..	Stuckey, F. G. A. ..	B1	HM	216 10 0	30
							Williams, Ethel ..	B2	Mis.	100 0 0	..
							Stace, Iva M. ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
Kaiwarra ..	95	396 16 0	30 0 0	54 8 6	..	16 0 0	Johnston, Robert ..	C1	HM	216 16 0	30
							Roberts, Florence G.	C2	Mis.	100 0 0	..
							Strong, Florence M.	Lic.	FP5	50 0 0	..
							Cooper, Ruth ..	..	FP1	30 0 0	..
Martinborough ..	97	360 12 0	..	26 5 6	..	1 0 0	Lee, Clement W. ..	E1	HM	215 12 0	..
							Cran, Elizabeth B.	E2	Mis.	100 0 0	..
Shannon ..	118	359 9 4	..	392 4 0	300 0 0	10 1 6	Freeman, Jessie A.	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
							Voysey, William ..	D1	HM	222 16 0	..
							Birnie, Helen ..	E3	Mis.	100 0 0	..
Wadestown ..	102	360 19 4	30 0 0	61 17 0	..	..	Stansell, Florence ..	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
							Joplin, Charles R. ..	D1	HM	216 16 0	30
							Williams, Enid ..	D3	Mis.	100 0 0	..
							Hayes, John S. ..	..	MP3	40 0 0	..
GRADE 8.											
Mitchelltown ..	138	430 6 0	30 0 0	33 3 3	..	..	Foster, William H. L.	C1	HM	230 6 0	30
							Cederholm, Daisy O.	D3	Mis.	105 0 0	..
							Clark, Rose ..	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
							Hitchcock, Margaret	..	FP5	50 0 0	..
Roseneath ..	144	417 8 0	30 0 0	60 3 8	..	10 0 0	Bary, Charles ..	D1	HM	232 8 0	30
							Davidson, Jessie L.	D2	Mis.	105 0 0	..
							Bird, Florence R. ..	E3	AF	80 0 0	..
Upper Hutv ..	141	410 11 8	..	106 0 10	..	..	Connell, F. W. ..	D1	HM	225 10 0	..
							Cook, Amelia A. ..	E2	Mis.	105 0 0	..
							Paul, Ellen ..	E2	AF	80 0 0	..
GRADE 9.											
Greytown D.H.S. ..	243	651 6 8	..	73 5 6	..	..	Parkinson, Henry A.,	B1*	HM	248 0 0	..
							M.A.				
							Gallagher, Annie ..	E2	Mis.	110 0 0	..
							Talbot, Arthur E. ..	D3	AM	155 0 0	..
							Petrie, Alice ..	E4	AF	80 0 0	..
							Freeman, Emily A.	Lic.	AF	80 0 0	..
							Clarke, Mary ..	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
							Bright, Kathleen ..	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
Johnsonville ..	179	517 13 8	35 0 0	64 9 11	..	..	Cromie, George, B.A.	B2	S-c.	..	..
							Bethune, Finlay ..	D1	HM	236 18 0	35
							Evans, Ada H. ..	E2	Mis.	110 0 0	..
							Willis, Alice M. ..	E3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Eagar, Edward F. ..	E5*	AM	100 0 0	..
Kilbirnie ..	215	647 3 0	..	116 2 3	..	..	Worboys, Joseph H.	D1	HM	245 18 0	..
							Howden, Jessie E. ..	D3	Mis.	110 0 0	..
							Bee, John G. ..	C1	AM	155 0 0	..
							Gibbes, H. O. ..	E3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Greenwood, Ethel ..	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Mallabar, Sophia ..	..	FP2	40 0 0	..
Karori and side school	190	574 17 10	..	46 3 0	..	..	Bennett, Francis ..	D1	HM	244 8 0	..
							Holm, Annie A. ..	D2	Mis.	110 0 0	..
							Young, Mabel F. ..	D3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Edwards, Dorothy L.	..	AF	80 0 0	..
							Prendeville, E. C. ..	..	MP3	40 0 0	..
Mangatainoka ..	155	521 6 0	..	83 15 9	..	..	Chatwin, George W.	C1	HM	236 6 0	..
							Sieely, Mabel H. ..	E2	Mis.	110 0 0	..
							McGurk, John ..	..	AM	90 0 0	..
							Cade, Katherine ..	..	AF	80 0 0	..
Otaki ..	160	524 17 0	..	81 3 7	..	..	Smith, William B.	D1	HM	233 12 0	..
							Bannister, M. E. ..	E2	Mis.	110 0 0	..
							Jacob, Margaret H.	E2	AF	80 0 0	..
							Mousley, Edward O.	E4*	AM	100 0 0	..
GRADE 11.											
Carterton D.H.S. ..	229	762 19 0	..	53 18 9	417 18 5	..	Haslam, Charles N.	C2	HM	264 4 0	..
							Broadbent, Mary A.	E1	Mis.	120 0 0	..
							Ward, Edward H. ..	D3	AM	170 0 0	..
							Braithwaite, L. B.	E2	AF	85 0 0	..
							Armstrong, Mary C.	..	FP5	50 0 0	..
							Pinhey, Ellen G.	FP3	45 0 0	..
							Skelley, Harriett M.	..	FP2	30 0 0	..

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Name of School.	Average for the Year 1905.	3 Teachers' Salaries, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	4 Teachers' House Allowances.	5 Other Ordinary Expendi-ture, in-cluding Re-building, Repairs to Buildings, &c.	6 Buildings, Sites, Furniture, and Apparatus.	7 Rent of School Buildings.	8 Teachers on the Staff at the End of the Year.	9 Classification.	10 Position in the School.	11 For Salary, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	12 For Teachers' House Allowances.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	
GRADE 11—continued.											
Hutt D.H.S. ..	332	821 12 0	..	98 17 11	..	..	Yeates, Duncan M.	D1	HM	266 12 0	..
							Stuart-Forbes, E. L.	E1	Mis.	120 0 0	..
							Ballachey, Ernest H., B.A.	B2	AM	170 0 0	..
							Meager, Clara ..	E2	AF	85 0 0	..
							Latham, Robert ..	D4	AM	100 0 0	..
							Burnley, Alice M. ..	..	FP5	55 0 0	..
							Taylor, Cuthbert H.	..	MP3	40 0 0	..
							Thompson, Florence	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
							Lyne, C. J., B.A. ..	..	Sec.	..	..
Levin D.H.S. ..	325	847 17 4	..	92 5 1	..	..	McIntyre, James ..	D1*	HM	268 14 0	..
							Scott, Elizabeth A.	E1	Mis.	120 0 0	..
							Burns, John C. ..	C2*	AM	170 0 0	..
							Baldey, Maria ..	E3	AF	85 0 0	..
							Young, James ..	..	AM	90 0 0	..
							Stuckey, Dorothy E.	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Silvester, Eveline ..	..	FP4	55 0 0	..
							Finlayson, J. H. M.	..	MP3	40 0 0	..
							McKinnon, Jessie H.	D4	Sec.	..	..
GRADE 12.											
Brooklyn ..	344	966 1 4	40 0 0	105 16 9	..	..	Hopkirk, John B. ..	D1	HM	279 8 0	40
							Fitchett, Jessie H.	D2	Mis.	125 0 0	..
							Look, Edward J. ..	D1	AM	185 0 0	..
							Thompson, Annie L.	D3	AF	100 0 0	..
							Holm, Eva M. ..	Lic.	AF	80 0 0	..
							Proctor, Francis J.	E4	AM	100 0 0	..
							Marten, Margaret L.	..	FP4	55 0 0	..
							Carter, Pearl L. S.	..	FP4	55 0 0	..
Pahiatua D.H.S. ..	325	943 11 4	..	100 16 6	..	37 10 0	Rose, Florence	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Thomas, Joseph ..	C1*	HM	279 8 0	..
							Petrie, Flora ..	D1*	Mis.	125 0 0	..
							Webb, James S. ..	D1*	AM	185 0 0	..
							McCaul, Enid I. ..	E3*	AF	100 0 0	..
							Jennings, Edward I.	E2	AM	100 0 0	..
							Dougherty, Alice ..	..	FP4	55 0 0	..
							Burge, Agnes Hilda	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Bland, Elsie ..	..	FP1	30 0 0	..
							Wedde, E. F., B.A.	B3	Sec.	..	..
GRADE 13.											
Mount Cook Girls' ..	370	879 9 4	40 0 0	168 6 3	..	..	Lorimer, M., M.A.	A1	HF	207 16 0	40
							Helyer, Elizabeth ..	D1	AF	155 0 0	..
							Hall, Alice L. ..	D1	AF	115 0 0	..
							Evans, E. M., B.A.	B2	AF	105 0 0	..
							Stevens, Winifred L.	D2	AF	85 0 0	..
							Atkinson, Esther ..	D4	AF	80 0 0	..
							Chapman, Celia G.	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Kilmartin, Mary K.	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
							Scott, Flo ..	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
GRADE 14.											
Mount Cook Infants'	375	900 0 0	40 0 0	245 3 9	..	..	Francis, C. A., Mrs.	E1	HF	185 0 0	40
							Watson, Phoebe ..	E1	AF	145 0 0	..
							Wallace, Ellen ..	D1	AF	110 0 0	..
							Rothenberg, Annie..	E1	AF	100 0 0	..
							Glasgow, Jane T. ..	D2	AF	90 0 0	..
							Flux, Gladys M. ..	D3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Coad, Nellie E. ..	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Turkington, L. L. ..	..	FP4	55 0 0	..
							Colson, Emily ..	..	FP2	40 0 0	..
							Bright, Nina ..	..	FP1	30 0 0	..
GRADE 15.											
Mount Cook Boys' ..	412	1,316 12 0	50 0 0	287 7 2	..	..	Hardy, C. J., B.A. ..	B1	HM	361 12 0	50
							Blake, Alexander C.	C1	AM	220 0 0	..
							Hempleman, F. A.	D2	AM	170 0 0	..
							Robinson, Elizabeth	E1	AF	140 0 0	..
							Cook, Eleanor N. ..	D2	AF	120 0 0	..
							Vaughan, F. T. ..	D3	AM	105 0 0	..
							Brockett, F. C. ..	D5	AM	100 0 0	..
							Haigh, Edith ..	D3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Ziman, Rae L.	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Coulter, Margaret E.	..	FP1	30 0 0	..

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GRADE 15— <i>continued</i> .											
Thorndon ..	406	£ s. d. 1,249 14 0	£ s. d. 50 0 0	£ s. d. 104 17 3	£ s. d.	£ s. d. 5 0 0	Webb, James C. ..	B1	HM	£ s. d. 305 4 0	£ 50
							Page, Margaret ..	D1	Mis.	140 0 0	..
							Polson, Donald ..	D1	AM	220 0 0	..
							Thompson, F. G. ..	D3	AM	140 0 0	..
							Davies, Annie ..	Lic.	AF	105 0 0	..
							Banks, Ada F. ..	D1	AF	100 0 0	..
							Benzoni, F. E. S. ..	D3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Battersby, M. N. ..	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Vosper, Grace ..	..	FP2	30 0 0	..
							Kirby, Irene W. ..	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
							Kay, Florence E. ..	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
GRADE 16.											
Terrace D.H.S. ..	591	1,422 3 2	50 0 0	147 18 1	..	..	MacMorran, George	D1*	HM	313 4 0	50
							Fraser, Sara ..	E1	Mis.	145 0 0	..
							Erskine, Albert ..	C1*	AM	235 0 0	..
							Price, Herbert E. ..	D3	AM	145 0 0	..
							Williams, Mary ..	E1	AF	110 0 0	..
							Baskiville, W. C. L.	Lic.	AM	125 0 0	..
							Van Staveren, Lena	C3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Gibson, Fanny ..	D4	AF	80 0 0	..
							Miller, Gertrude M.	..	FP5	50 0 0	..
							Hitchcock, Mary L.	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Ham, Violet E. ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Bailey, Violet M. ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Murray, Clarice A. F.	..	FP4	55 0 0	..
							King, E., M.A., B.Sc.	B1	Sec.	..	..
							Brown, Edith L., M.A.	A3	Sec.	..	..
							Wilkinson, D. J. ..	D3	Sec.	..	..
GRADE 17.											
South Wellington ..	544	1,457 8 4	50 0 0	101 15 9	2415 5 6	245 7 11	Flux, George ..	D1	HM	327 0 0	50
							Craig, Margaret H.	D1	Mis.	150 0 0	..
							McKenzie, Alexander	D1	AM	235 0 0	..
							Feltham, Edgar C.	D2	AM	150 0 0	..
							Collins, Florence B.	D2	AF	110 0 0	..
							Baird, Laura E. ..	D2	AF	105 0 0	..
							Shine, Annie ..	E3	AF	95 0 0	..
							Hitchcock, Maria ..	D3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Bird, Myra ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Thompson, W. V. ..	..	FP2	30 0 0	..
							Kean, Euphemia R.	..	FP5	50 0 0	..
							Miller, Mary J. ..	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
							Hind, Edith M. ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
GRADE 19.											
Clyde Quay ..	670	1,716 1 10	50 0 0	219 8 10	..	100 0 0	Grundy, William T.	D1	HM	343 16 0	50
							Evans, Fanny ..	D1	Mis.	165 0 0	..
							Thwaites, John E. ..	C2	AM	235 0 0	..
							Fanning, James F.	D4	AM	150 0 0	..
							Benbow, Elizabeth L.	D2	AF	120 0 0	..
							Dempsey, Sidney W.	D3	AM	135 0 0	..
							Robinson, Alice ..	E2	AF	100 0 0	..
							Howden, Ada L. ..	D2	AF	80 0 0	..
							Hutton, James ..	D4*	AM	100 0 0	..
							Goldsmith, K. M. ..	..	FP5	55 0 0	..
							Skelley, Mary, E. C.	..	FP5	50 0 0	..
							Webb, Hilda M. ..	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Tavendale, Julia ..	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
							Jamieson, Catherine	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
							Tattle, Olive E. ..	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
							Jackson, William H.	D1*	HM	347 0 0	50
							Wolff, Rosabell ..	E1	Mis.	165 0 0	..
							Burns, A. N., B.A. ..	B1	AM	235 0 0	..
							Bunting, Nelson D.	D2	AM	150 0 0	..
							Sutton, Howard H.	D4*	AM	140 0 0	..
							Munro, Isabella ..	E1	AF	110 0 0	..
							McGregor, Lois ..	D2	AF	100 0 0	..
							York, Mary ..	Lic.	AF	115 0 0	..
							Bunting, Elizabeth	E2	AF	80 0 0	..
							Smith, Louise ..	D5*	FP5	50 0 0	..
							Iorns, Olive E. ..	E5*	FP5	50 0 0	..
							McGregor, Katharine	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
							Larsen, Richard C.	..	MP5	55 0 0	..
							Murray, Irene J. ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Iorns, Ivy P.	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Messenger, Rhoda	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Charters, A. E., B.A.	B2	Sec.
							Wilson, M. K., M.A.	A2	Sec.

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GRADE 21. Newtown D.H.S. ..	831	£ s. d. 2,050 0 4	£ s. d. 50 0 0	£ s. d. 172 14 3	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	Gill, Thomas H., M.A., LL.B.	B1	HM	£ s. d. 354 12 0	£ 50
							Jordan, M. E., Mrs.	E1	Mis.	185 0 0	..
							Wilson, F. P., M.A.	A1	AM	240 0 0	..
							McKinnon, Charles J.	D2	AM	175 0 0	..
							Ryder, Maud H. ..	D1	AF	140 0 0	..
							King, Herbert W. ..	D2	AM	145 0 0	..
							Hutchen, Jessie K.	E2	AF	115 0 0	..
							Hayes, Lucy ..	D3	AF	90 0 0	..
							Griffiths, John H. ..	D4	AM	110 0 0	..
							McGowan, Mary ..	E2	AF	80 0 0	..
							Wilson, Frank A. ..	D4	AM	100 0 0	..
							Blomquist, H. V. ..	..	FP4	55 0 0	..
							Compton, Kate H. ..	D5	FP5	50 0 0	..
							Westrup, Agnes C. I. ..	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Tavendale, Lillian J. ..	..	FP4	55 0 0	..
							Dale, Margaret F. ..	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Law, Euphemia ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Haslam, Emma J. ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Tait, Margaret ..	..	FP5	50 0 0	..
							Cowles, J. A., B.A.	B1	Sec.	..	..
							Rowley, E. M., M.A.	A1	Sec.	..	..
Petone D.H.S. ..	827	1,898 3 4	50 0 0	387 13 7	200 0 0	100 0 0	Horne, James ..	D1	HM	356 10 0	50
							Slater, Jemima ..	D1	Mis.	185 0 0	..
							Bedingfield, D. S. ..	D1	AM	240 0 0	..
							Kean, Balfour ..	D2	AM	175 0 0	..
							Mason, Francis A. ..	D3	AM	160 0 0	..
							Stanton, Elizabeth A.	D2	AF	120 0 0	..
							Carter, Elsie ..	D2	AF	115 0 0	..
							Caverhill, Thirza M.	D3	AF	90 0 0	..
							Arcus, Lawrence H.	D4	AM	110 0 0	..
							Sullivan, Margaret	Lic.	AF	80 0 0	..
							Armit, Katherine N.	E4	AF	80 0 0	..
							Isherwood, Vera ..	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
							Thomson, Isabel M.	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Webster, Agnes ..	..	FP2	30 0 0	..
							Campion, Mary ..	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
							Arrowsmith, Doris	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
							Olson, Walter ..	..	MP3	40 0 0	..
							Gaynor, Alacoque ..	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
							Mothes, Frederick W.	..	MP3	40 0 0	..
							Lynskey, James H.	C1	Sec.	..	..
							Myers, Phoebe, B.A.	B2	Sec.	..	..
Te Aro ..	705	1,928 13 8	50 0 0	397 14 0	..	60 0 0	Watson, C., B.A. ..	B1	HM	351 12 0	50
							Chatwin, Georgina E.	D1	Mis.	185 0 0	..
							Darroch, Robert ..	D1	AM	240 0 0	..
							Henderson, G. M. ..	D3	AM	175 0 0	..
							Bright, Alice M. ..	D1	AF	140 0 0	..
							Ranwell, Annie P. ..	D2	AF	120 0 0	..
							Leighton, Lucy J. ..	D1	AF	115 0 0	..
							Mitchell, Janet ..	E2	AF	90 0 0	..
							Riddick, Bessie ..	D2	AF	85 0 0	..
							Cook, Ada M. ..	E2	AF	80 0 0	..
							Callum, Mabel ..	..	FP5	50 0 0	..
							Martin, Edith ..	..	FP5	50 0 0	..
							Bairstow, Jane ..	..	FP5	55 0 0	..
							O'Shea, Mary ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Cooper, Bertha ..	..	FP1	30 0 0	..
							Clemance, W. M. ..	..	FP5	55 0 0	..
							Naunestad, Gertrude	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
							Monaghan, H. W. ..	..	MP3	40 0 0	..
Schools not opened in December, 1905—											
Northland ..	..	..	..	..	1 18 0	..	..	..	..	..	..
Waingawa ..	..	45 0 0	..	8 6 9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
School requisites	64 19 5
Totals	46,014 19 2	2059 3 5	6,867 11 10	6001 10 9	667 0 11				46,771 13 0	2,075

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WANGANUI.

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GRADE 0.											
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£
Aberfeldie ..	6	30 0 0	..	0 7 6	Clarke, Mary	F	30 0 0	..
Bluff Road ..	6	48 0 0	..	11 14 1	Weeks, Charlotte B. ..	D3	F	48 0 0	..
Brownlee ..	7	42 0 0	..	2 11 11	..	..	Wood, Esther ..	..	F	42 0 0	..
Mangaeturoa ..	11	60 8 1	9 13 7	3 14 2	40 0 0	..	Murphy, Agnes ..	..	F	65 0 0	10
Maungaporau ..	3	20 19 8	..	0 2 3	..	..	Bridge, I. F. H. ..	..	F	18 0 0	..
Ohakune ..	12	60 0 0	10 0 0	4 0 10	..	..	Halverson, Anna M. ..	..	F	60 0 0	10
Porewa ..	9	60 0 0	..	15 7 6	..	..	Wordsworth, Zoe ..	..	F	60 0 0	..
Pukekate ..	11	60 0 0	10 0 0	5 0 2	..	..	Adkins, John ..	..	M	60 0 0	10
Pukeroa ..	18	66 1 8	..	2 19 4	11 10 3	..	Tegner, Louis F. ..	Lic.	M	90 0 0	..
Raketapauma ..	8	42 0 0	..	2 0 3	..	..	Spooner, Geraldine ..	..	F	42 0 0	..
Table Flat ..	14	68 10 0	10 0 0	6 8 9	..	..	Bousfield, Arthur M. ..	Lic.	M	75 0 0	10
Tauporae ..	3	18 0 0	..	0 4 6	..	..	Earle, Winifred ..	Lic.	F	18 0 0	..
Te Arato Waka ..	6	29 3 4	..	0 7 6	..	..	Pennell, May M. ..	..	F	30 0 0	..
Watershed Road ..	6	36 0 0	..	1 12 0	..	..	Ingpen, Edward L. ..	Lic.	M	36 0 0	..
Te Hau ..	5	24 11 11	..	..	..	..	Macfadzean, John ..	..	M	30 0 0	..
Sunny-side ..	3	12 0 0	..	..	..	..	McAlley, Margaret ..	..	F	18 0 0	..
Ararata ..	13	26 11 8	5 2 9	0 15 0	17 7 2	..	Bretherton, J. E. ..	..	M	54 0 0	10
Orangimea ..	4	16 0 0	..	..	..	..	Blennerhassett, A. ..	B3	F	24 0 0	..
Waiouru ..	2	8 0 0	..	..	..	..	B.A. ..	..	..	..	..
Pueroa ..	2	2 9 8	..	..	..	..	Johnson, R. Eva ..	..	F	12 0 0	..
Rangiawaea ..	10	10 0 0	..	..	138 7 11	..	Blockside, Emily ..	..	F	12 0 0	..
							Jarratt, Herbert ..	..	M	60 0 0	10
GRADE 1.											
Aratika ..	15	105 0 0	10 0 0	8 2 6	..	..	Clapham, Florence ..	Lic.	F	105 0 0	10
Clivedale ..	18	83 17 6	10 0 0	5 11 3	2 15 6	..	Thompson, Alfred W. ..	..	M	90 0 0	10
Coal Creek ..	17	81 0 0	10 0 0	5 12 0	..	..	Dawson, Andrew ..	Lic.	M	90 0 0	10
Greatford ..	24	118 0 0	..	8 14 8	..	..	Laird, Emma P. ..	E2	F	122 0 0	..
Kabeke ..	18	90 0 0	10 0 0	7 16 10	..	..	Armstrong, R. E. ..	..	M	90 0 0	10
Karewarewa ..	15	80 9 10	10 0 0	6 0 4	..	..	McNeale, John H. ..	..	M	80 0 0	10
Long Acre Valley ..	19	115 0 0	10 0 0	51 18 6	..	..	McEwen, Malcolm R. ..	E4*	M	114 0 0	10
Lower Moawhango ..	26	113 0 10	9 17 9	7 7 0	..	..	Adams, Thomas C. ..	E4	M	130 0 0	10
Makotuku ..	17	77 10 0	..	4 18 1	..	..	Patterson, E. J. ..	..	M	80 0 0	..
Mangarimu ..	11	80 0 0	..	19 12 2	..	..	Roche, Helen ..	..	F	80 0 0	..
Manui ..	17	107 10 0	5 0 0	9 7 10	..	..	McLean, Mabel ..	E4	F	105 0 0	10
Matarawa ..	17	99 0 0	..	8 2 1	..	..	Menzies, Edwin M. ..	Lic.	M	110 0 0	..
Maungahoe ..	8	65 0 0	10 0 0	21 9 2	..	..	Reischer, Oscar ..	..	M	65 0 0	10
Moawhango ..	26	102 7 6	10 0 0	7 7 3	..	..	McCann, Thomas J. ..	..	M	109 16 0	10
Mount Curl ..	12	80 0 0	10 0 0	8 0 10	..	..	Chadwick, Eleanor ..	..	F	80 0 0	10
Nikau ..	17	105 0 0	10 0 0	12 4 10	..	..	Stewart, Bessy ..	E4*	F	105 0 0	10
Ohutu ..	14	95 0 0	10 0 0	6 12 9	..	..	Powle, Una W. ..	E3	F	95 0 0	10
Otairi ..	10	61 12 6	9 9 7	3 8 3	..	..	Lock, Frances L. ..	..	F	65 0 0	10
Opaku ..	20	93 7 6	5 0 0	16 4 7	..	..	Scott, Helen I. S. ..	Lic.	F	110 0 0	10
Pakihikura ..	13	75 0 0	10 0 0	4 18 1	..	..	Lock, Albert D. ..	..	M	75 0 0	10
Pipiriki ..	10	62 10 0	8 6 8	4 14 9	..	..	Brennan, Basil ..	..	M	75 0 0	10
Pohonui ..	12	58 14 2	9 0 8	4 0 4	10 19 0	..	Rockel, Eugene ..	..	M	65 0 0	10
Poukiore ..	21	84 7 1	..	8 1 0	..	..	Hansen, Mary ..	Lic.	F	100 0 0	..
ukeokahu ..	18	81 7 6	10 0 0	7 3 6	..	..	Palmer, Arthur ..	..	M	85 10 0	10
Rata-iti ..	12	65 0 0	10 0 0	4 1 7	..	..	Campbell, Helen M. ..	Lic.	F	65 0 0	10
Rewa ..	18	98 15 6	9 12 5	26 16 9	..	..	Dorset, Olive M. ..	E4	F	110 0 0	10
Riverton ..	25	99 4 6	10 0 0	21 7 0	..	..	Henry, Clarence ..	..	M	109 16 0	10
Spur Road ..	16	95 0 0	..	9 1 0	..	..	Staite, Florence M. ..	E4	F	95 0 0	..
Tapuae ..	14	75 0 0	10 0 0	5 3 8	..	..	Smith, Isabella A. ..	..	F	75 0 0	10
Umutoi ..	14	72 10 0	10 0 0	8 1 7	..	..	Sixtus, Bertram E. ..	..	M	75 0 0	10
Upper Kawhatau ..	8	75 0 0	10 0 0	7 4 9	..	..	Deighton, Emily S. ..	..	F	75 0 0	10
Utuwai ..	13	66 5 0	10 0 0	5 5 3	..	..	Romley, Isabella M. ..	..	F	70 0 0	10
Hinau ..	16	63 13 3	8 0 3	2 13 4	35 8 6	..	Kernan, Frances L. ..	..	F	81 0 0	10
Mokohau ..	16	81 2 9	9 7 8	3 11 1	276 12 1	..	Clapham, James W. ..	..	M	90 0 0	10
Motoroa ..	10	58 18 4	9 3 4	11 3 11	..	..	McKenzie, John B. ..	..	M	54 0 0	10
Kaukatea ..	12	52 10 0	7 10 0	2 0 0	209 3 6	..	Dustow, Maud A. ..	Lic.	F	70 0 0	10
Arawaru ..	14	32 0 10	4 0 1	11 12 9	..	..	Hogg, Annie G. ..	..	F	80 0 0	10
Tararua ..	18	22 17 0	..	..	25 17 2	..	Peed, Edith C. ..	E3	F	100 0 0	10
GRADE 2.											
Denlair ..	17	90 6 0	..	59 1 3	..	..	Christie, Elizabeth ..	E4	F	126 0 0	..
Hautapu ..	20	130 0 0	20 0 0	10 1 8	..	..	Jacobsen, Ethel G. ..	E4	F	130 0 0	20
Kakariki ..	26	130 0 0	20 0 0	14 18 9	..	..	Tester, Caroline G. ..	E2	F	130 0 0	20
Lismore ..	29	127 10 0	20 0 0	8 15 3	..	..	McColl, Anne C. ..	E4	F	132 0 0	20
Livingstone ..	25	123 18 0	20 0 0	8 18 0	..	..	Rockell, Dulcia M. ..	D4	F	126 0 0	20
Mangamahu ..	22	116 18 4	20 0 0	13 0 7	..	..	Small, Gilbert J. ..	D4	M	122 0 0	20
Mangamingi ..	21	114 0 0	20 0 0	7 15 9	..	..	Stables, Mary ..	Lic.	F	114 0 0	20
Mount View ..	19	118 0 0	..	20 1 5	..	..	Maunder, F. B. ..	Lic.	M	118 0 0	..
Orangipongo ..	23	115 4 0	20 0 0	8 19 1	..	19 0 0	Braithwaite, F. C. ..	Lic.	M	126 0 0	20
Tiriraukawa ..	21	120 10 0	20 0 0	7 19 10	..	..	Train, Arthur D. N. ..	L.c.	M	118 0 0	20
Tokorangi ..	25	118 0 0	20 0 0	8 4 5	..	..	Anderson, Roy ..	E4	M	118 0 0	20
Turangarere ..	21	122 16 3	17 10 0	9 16 1	Kelly, Elizabeth J. ..	E3	F	122 0 0	20
Dunolly ..	20	109 1 11	19 2 9	14 4 7	Macintosh, Janet M. ..	D3	F	114 0 0	20

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		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£
GRADE 3.											
Awahou ..	24	134 0 0	..	25 18 9	Schlager, Emma ..	E2	F	134 0 0	..
Awahou South ..	24	132 5 0	20 0 0	10 13 9	Best, Thornton R. ..	E3	M	132 0 0	20
Beaconsfield ..	33	140 0 0	..	24 3 6	..	..	Goldsbury, Montague ..	E3	M	140 0 0	..
Brunswick ..	29	146 0 0	..	13 16 10	..	..	Hewlett, Henry C. ..	D3	M	146 0 0	..
Fraser Road ..	40	142 0 0	..	16 5 9	..	..	George, Ethel M. ..	E2	F	142 0 0	..
Glen Oroua ..	50	182 0 0	20 0 0	17 11 1	..	8 0 0	Williams, H. M., Mrs. ..	E3	HF	142 0 0	20
Himatangi ..	35	144 0 0	20 0 0	23 13 9	..	10 0 0	Tuffin, Margaret S. ..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Jackeytown ..	33	144 0 0	..	13 17 3	..	..	Raikes, Francis C. ..	D4	M	144 0 0	20
Kai Iwi ..	38	142 0 0	20 0 0	23 9 3	..	..	Campbell, Fernly C. ..	D3	M	144 0 0	..
Kakaramea ..	41	156 0 0	..	18 12 4	..	..	MacKay, Duncan H. ..	D3	M	142 0 0	20
Kawhatau ..	30	136 0 0	..	17 12 6	..	..	Walters, Edward H. ..	D3	M	156 0 0	..
Kiwitea ..	40	142 0 0	..	21 15 3	..	..	Kendall, G., Mrs. ..	E3	F	136 0 0	..
Kohi ..	26	134 0 0	..	11 3 3	..	..	Watts, Walter J. ..	D3	M	142 0 0	..
Mangawhero ..	28	142 0 0	20 0 0	21 9 3	..	..	Slatterv, Julia C. ..	E3	F	134 0 0	..
Manutahi ..	22	131 0 0	..	52 0 6	..	..	Maunders, George T. ..	D5	M	142 0 0	20
Mars Hill ..	21	136 0 0	..	11 19 9	..	..	Howie, Florence A. ..	D3	F	131 0 0	..
Mataroa ..	45	170 0 0	20 0 0	22 1 10	..	..	Miller, Margaret ..	D2	F	136 0 0	..
Meremere ..	29	136 0 0	20 0 0	11 3 6	..	..	Lighthouse, R. C. D. ..	E3	HM	150 0 0	20
Mokoia ..	32	136 0 0	20 0 0	14 14 5	125 2 6	..	Flyger, Juanita ..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Moutoa ..	34	138 0 0	..	12 15 3	..	..	Bassett, Louis W. ..	D4	M	136 0 0	20
Taumatatahi and Marohema ..	21	158 8 0	20 0 0	14 3 10	..	..	Curteis, William A. ..	D4	M	136 0 0	20
Okoia ..	33	134 0 0	..	14 1 0	..	..	Marshall, James E. ..	D3	M	138 0 0	..
Parawanui ..	27	133 5 0	..	15 12 0	..	..	(1) Haddow, Joseph G. ..	D3	M	158 8 0	20
Rangiwahia ..	46	211 6 8	20 0 0	21 2 3	..	..	Clayton, John C. ..	D4	M	134 0 0	..
Silverhope ..	33	132 0 0	..	11 18 0	..	..	Bourke, Mary ..	D3	F	133 0 0	..
South Makirikiri ..	43	138 0 0	..	38 0 3	..	..	Roache, Patrick H. ..	D2	HM	158 0 0	20
Stanway ..	34	146 0 0	..	43 11 4	..	..	Rashleigh, Clara J. ..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Te Roti ..	29	142 0 0	..	46 5 11	..	..	Lenyon, Harriet B. ..	D3	F	132 0 0	..
Tiritea ..	31	135 0 0	20 0 0	18 17 0	..	..	McDonnell, J. M. ..	D3	F	138 0 0	..
Torete ..	35	144 0 0	20 0 0	16 17 7	..	..	McConnachie, C., M.A. ..	B3	M	146 0 0	..
Upokongaro ..	33	152 0 0	..	15 0 6	..	..	Law, Henry ..	D2	M	142 0 0	..
Upper Tutaeui ..	41	143 0 0	..	56 18 7	..	..	Walton, Margaret C. ..	D2	F	135 0 0	20
Waipuru ..	22	132 0 0	20 0 0	14 5 11	..	..	Bailey, James ..	E3	M	144 0 0	20
Waitohi ..	29	131 0 0	20 0 0	12 1 0	..	..	McCosh, Samuel D. ..	E2	M	152 0 0	..
Wangaehu ..	43	200 0 0	..	169 17 2	142 18 8	..	Parkinson, Johan J. ..	E1	F	143 0 0	..
Waituna West ..	30	150 0 0	20 0 0	32 9 0	..	..	Pole, Leonard E. ..	D3	M	132 0 0	20
Whakamara ..	16	131 0 0	..	11 16 2	..	..	Silby, Annie M. ..	E3	F	131 0 0	20
GRADE 4.											
Alton ..	49	242 0 0	..	19 4 6	..	..	Walker, Louis J. ..	E3	HM	160 0 0	..
Carnarvon ..	38	210 19 3	20 0 0	34 7 3	..	..	MacLachlan, A. A. ..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Fitzherbert East ..	42	242 10 0	20 0 0	17 5 6	..	..	McLean, Charles J. ..	E3	M	150 0 0	20
Hiwinui ..	48	243 10 0	..	44 8 3	..	..	Alcorn, Kathleen M. ..	D3	F	131 0 0	..
Hurleyville ..	54	244 10 0	..	225 13 5	..	..	Swinbourn, W. A. ..	D3	HM	162 0 0	..
Kairanga ..	47	242 10 0	..	18 4 6	..	..	Ray, Maud ..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Kaitoke ..	47	239 0 0	20 0 0	16 19 6	191 12 6	..	Bowater, Harold R. ..	C3	M	161 10 0	20
Maxwell ..	47	244 0 0	..	17 0 6	..	..	Relling, Thorsten F. ..	D3	HM	162 10 0	20
Ohakea ..	47	243 0 0	..	22 18 5	..	..	Govan, Frances ..	E3	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Oroua Bridge ..	57	244 0 0	..	16 19 9	..	..	Thurston, Daniel P. ..	D3	HM	163 10 0	..
Otakeho ..	51	244 10 0	..	15 16 6	..	..	Pole, Florence A. ..	Lie.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Rawhitiroa ..	43	240 10 0	..	47 10 2	..	..	Blyth, Thomas A. ..	E3	HM	164 10 0	..
Riverlea ..	44	229 0 0	..	15 8 0	..	..	Lavery, Agnes ..	E4	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Ruahine ..	41	236 14 2	20 0 0	27 14 7	..	..	Martin, Donald ..	E2	HM	162 10 0	..
Taikorea ..	37	198 16 8	..	31 9 0	..	..	Voysey, Alice ..	E4	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Utiku ..	57	240 10 0	15 0 0	13 14 6	394 14 8	..	Lyall, George A. ..	D2	HM	164 0 0	20
Warrenagate ..	45	240 10 0	..	24 3 4	..	..	Ross, Jane W. M. ..	C4	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Whenuakura ..	49	226 10 0	..	38 9 1	..	..	Goldsbury, Alfred ..	E2	HM	164 0 0	..
							Thomas, Beatrice L. ..	Lie.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Gabites, Fred. G. ..	D3	HM	163 0 0	..
							Lynch, Margaret K. ..	E4*	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Lyall, Henry ..	D2	HM	164 0 0	..
							Lewis, Adelaide ..	Lie.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Honoré, Jacob ..	E1	HM	164 10 0	..
							Fergusson, Jean M. ..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Verker-Bindon, W. H. ..	B1	HM	160 0 0	..
							Horneman, Flora ..	Lie.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Shortall, Mary R. ..	E2	HF	149 0 0	..
							Casey, Ellen Theresa ..	Lie.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Hills, Charles C. ..	D3	HM	160 10 0	20
							Grant, Mary A. ..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Howie, E. A., Mrs. ..	E2	F	145 10 0	..
							Anderson, Bonifacius ..	E3	HM	160 10 0	..
							Mead, Hilda ..	E5	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Robson, John T. ..	D3	HM	160 10 0	..
							O'Brien, Margaret C.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Chevyne, Jemima ..	E1	HF	146 10 0	..
							Cody, Ellen M.	Mis.	80 0 0	..

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GRADE 5.												
Auroa ..	54	251 5 0	..	30 12 3	Jackson, Percy G. ..	D1	HM	171 5 0	..	
Colyton ..	46	268 6 8	..	22 8 0	Seater, Hilda ..	D1	Mis.	80 0 0	..	
Crofton ..	49	261 5 0	..	36 9 9	..	..	Gray, Joseph H. ..	D1	HM	186 5 0	..
Kapuni ..	55	250 16 8	..	43 3 10	..	..	Stace, Myrtle A. ..	Lic.	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Kelvin Grove ..	43	252 10 0	..	37 4 0	..	..	McCreedy, William	E2	HM	176 5 0	..
Linton ..	52	256 5 0	..	26 19 9	..	..	Mossman, Leila L.	E3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Makino Road ..	49	251 5 0	..	45 5 8	..	..	Liggins, Charles W.	D2	HM	170 0 0	..
Mangaonoho ..	51	252 1 8	30 0 0	39 4 0	..	..	Synnot, Mabel A. ..	Lic.	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Matapu ..	70	265 0 0	..	56 9 6	..	..	Mitchell, George W.	C1	HM	167 10 0	..
Momohaki ..	46	235 10 0	..	18 15 8	..	..	Tew, Winifred E. H.	D3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Mosston ..	63	236 0 0	30 0 0	30 19 0	..	..	Evans, Albert H. ..	E2	HM	171 5 0	..
Ohingaiti ..	56	250 8 4	..	34 14 9	..	..	Ferguson, Mary I. ..	D4	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Rata ..	54	252 10 0	30 0 0	46 7 6	40 0	..	Whalley, George E.	D3	HM	166 5 0	..	
Stoney Creek ..	56	253 15 0	30 0 0	25 7 6	..	..	Young, Ethel E. ..	E3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Newbury ..	46	247 18 4	..	26 3 7	..	..	Trevena, Albert J. ..	D3	HM	168 15 0	30
Taonui ..	62	267 10 0	..	30 19 5	..	..	Cook, Olivia M. ..	Lic.	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Waitotara ..	47	254 3 4	..	23 17 4	..	..	Crabbe, Norman J.	D2	HM	185 0 0	..
Westmere ..	56	255 18 10	30 0 0	242 15 0	..	..	McCulloch, Margaret	Lic.	Mis.	85 0 0	..
GRADE 6.												
Apiti ..	82	289 18 4	..	43 15 6	..	..	Farr, Martha M. ..	E2	HF	150 10 0	..
Awahuri ..	83	291 5 0	..	28 12 1	..	..	Cleary, Maud ..	E4	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Castlecliff ..	69	292 10 0	30 0 0	25 15 9	..	..	Ewing, Ellen ..	E1	HF	151 0 0	30
Cheltenham ..	62	286 5 0	..	46 5 0	..	..	Gordon, Kathleen ..	E3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Kaponga ..	89	290 0 0	..	38 13 0	..	..	Stansell, William F.	D2	HM	168 15 0	..
Kimbolton ..	96	353 6 8	..	64 11 0	..	..	Mossman, Gladys C.	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Longburn ..	74	288 15 0	..	23 14 6	..	..	Kine, Percy ..	A2	HM	167 10 0	30
Okaiawa ..	91	295 0 0	..	48 11 2	..	..	Meeds, Zenobia ..	E4	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Patea ..	84	305 0 0	..	38 13 1	..	..	Stagpoole, Thomas	D2	HM	173 15 0	30
Pohangina ..	71	287 10 0	..	37 3 0	..	..	Powell, Gertrude E.	E4	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Raetihi ..	90	295 0 0	..	36 14 0	..	..	Galland, James ..	D2	HM	166 5 0	..
Sandon ..	62	280 14 2	..	26 9 2	..	..	Perrin, Gertrude M.	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Turakina ..	84	296 5 0	..	86 15 6	..	..	Innes, Thomas ..	D1	HM	182 10 0	..
GRADE 7.												
Bull's ..	96	356 16 0	..	76 10 2	..	..	Lassen, Mary ..	D4	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Bunnythorpe ..	101	355 6 8	..	103 6 1	..	..	Matthews, Howard	D2	HM	173 15 0	..
Halcombe ..	102	352 8 0	..	27 18 5	..	..	Scheidt, Elizabeth ..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Manaia ..	102	353 0 0	..	42 12 3	..	..	O'Reilly, John J. ..	D2	HM	171 5 0	30
Mangatoki ..	112	363 0 4	..	42 9 8	..	..	Wilson, Violet M. ..	D4	Mis.	85 9 0	..
Normanby ..	113	352 4 7	..	41 3 6	..	..				
							Matthews, James ..	D1	HM	201 5 0	..	
							Buchanan, Hilda K.	Lic.	Mis.	95 0 0	..	
							Rogers, Edward H.	E2	HM	196 5 0	..	
							Robertson, Annie G.	E3	Mis.	95 0 0	..	
							Smith, William ..	D2	HM	197 10 0	30	
							Parkes, Grace L. ..	E3	Mis.	95 0 0	..	
							Coventry, Harry ..	D2	HM	191 5 0	..	
							Pearce, Irene ..	E5	Mis.	95 0 0	..	
							Matheson, Peter ..	D2	HM	195 0 0	..	
							Henn, Elvira I. ..	D2	Mis.	95 0 0	..	
							Astbury, Henry E.	D2	HM	202 10 0	..	
							Watts, Ada L. ..	E2	Mis.	95 0 0	..	
							Pitts, Isabella ..	..	AF	80 0 0	..
							Hankin, Fred. S. M.	D1	HM	193 15 0	..	
							Jamieson, Margaret	E3	Mis.	95 0 0	..	
							Buchler, Arthur O.	D1	HM	200 0 0	..	
							Hunger, Mary A. ..	D3	Mis.	95 0 0	..	
							Adams, William ..	D1	HM	210 0 0	..	
							Lavery, Catherine ..	D3	Mis.	95 0 0	..	
							Murdoch, James M.	C2	HM	192 10 0	..	
							Piercy, Florence M. S.	E4	Mis.	95 0 0	..	
							Hird, William E. ..	D2	HM	200 0 0	..	
							Mahony, Harriet E.	D3	Mis.	95 0 0	..	
							O'Dea, Patrick, M. A.	H1	HM	191 5 0	..	
							Lynch, Agnes T. ..	Lic.	Mis.	95 0 0	..	
							Opie, Francis D. ..	D2	HM	201 5 0	..	
							Neilson, Mary ..	D3	Mis.	95 0 0	..	
							Tamblyn, J. M. A. ..	B1	HM	216 16 0	..	
							McEwen, A. H. A. ..	E4	Mis.	100 0 0	..	
							Bainbridge, Stafford	..	MP2	40 0 0	..	
							Espinier, George H.	D1	HM	219 10 0	..	
							Mowbray, Edith ..	E2	Mis.	100 0 0	..	
							Smith, Elizabeth ..	..	FP2	30 0 0	..
							Strachan, Samuel ..	E1	HM	217 8 0	..	
							McMeekin, Emma ..	E2	Mis.	100 0 0	..	
							Robertson, Charles	..	MP2	40 0 0	..	
							Law, James K. ..	C1	HM	218 0 0	..	
							Small, Marianne A. T.	E3	Mis.	100 0 0	..	
							MacClure, Bertha ..	..	FP2	40 0 0	..
							Nairn, James ..	D1	HM	220 2 0	..	
							King, Johannah ..	E3	Mis.	100 0 0	..	
							McLaughlin, Alice	..	FP3	45 0 0	..	
							Clarkson, Richard P.	C2	HM	221 6 0	..	
							Mowbray, Lucy O. ..	D3	Mis.	100 0 0	..	
							Phillips, Annie	FP1	30 0 0	..	

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GRADE 8.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£
Ashhurst	151	390 0 7	..	30 4 3	Andrew, William J. Kuhitze, Miriam .. Aitken, James D. .. Bauckham, Fanny Ironmonger, E. L. ... Jenkinson, M. B. ... Ross, Adelaide W. ... Mahony, Lily .. Bowater, C. H. T. ... Finlayson, Janet A. Cartright, E. J. B. ... Arthur, May .. Thurston, James F. Thompson, P. C. ... Groome, F. M., Mrs. Honeyfield, V. S. ... Hogan, Gertrude .. Banks, James .. Hastings, E. M. ... Macdonald, Christina Cleary, Ethel ..	C1 E2 D1 E3 D1 D2 D1 E4 D3 D2 E3	HM Mis. MP2 FP1 HM Mis. FP3 FP1 HM Mis. FP3 FP1 HM AF FP3 FP1 HM Mis. FP3 FP1	232 2 0 105 0 0 40 0 0 20 0 0 226 2 0 105 0 0 45 0 0 30 0 0 225 10 0 105 0 0 45 0 0 30 0 0 227 12 0 105 0 0 80 0 0 45 0 0 30 0 0 229 8 0 105 0 0 40 0 0 20 0 0	..
Huntermville ..	131	409 8 8	..	85 1 9	..	..					..
Rongotea	129	409 15 6	..	31 10 6	..	..					..
Taihape	159	423 17 0	..	42 8 3	302 5 2	..					..
Waverley	154	392 14 8	..	198 15 3	..	..					..
GRADE 9.											
Lytton Street ..	190	505 3 2	35 0 0	38 15 3	249 3 5	3 0 0	Stewart, Harry C. ... Stace, Olive M. ... Thompson, Lydia C. Siddells, Ethel M. ... Carthew, Evelyn ..	D1 E3 Lic.	HM Mis. AF FP3 FP1	237 10 0 110 0 0 80 0 0 45 0 0 20 0 0	35
Mangaweka ..	128	470 17 0	..	44 11 2	..	..	Tompkins, Ernest W. Barkley, E. I. M. M. Pitcher, Susan .. Hamerton, I. D. ... O'Brien, Lucy M. ... Brown, Eliza, Mrs. Stevens, Minnie H. Gage, Bessie ..	D2 E2 E1 E2 E3 ..	HM Mis. FP3 FP1 HF Mis. AF AF	233 6 0 110 0 0 45 0 0 30 0 0 180 19 0 110 0 0 80 0 0 80 0 0	..
Wanganui, St. John's	162	450 19 0	35 0 0	..	..	..					..
GRADE 10.											
Foxton	214	658 12 7	..	80 18 4	366 0 11	..	Stewart, W. S., B.A. Furrie, Leonard J. McDonogh, Aimée M. Wanklyn, Grace .. Jenks, Francis L. ... Dowling, Nina .. Hoey, Jemima N. ... Thomson, Nellie .. Blennerhassett, E. Elmslie, Barbara .. Woodham, Aile .. Sarten, Lillias G. ... Mossman, Edwin .. Lyon, William A. ... McDonald, Alison .. Gordon, Jane Y. ... Fitt, Arthur B. ... Gair, Catherine E. ... Wilkes, F. J., M.A.	B1 D2 E2 E3 Lic. E1 E3 C1 D3 E1 D3 B3	HM AM Mis. AF MP2 FP1 HF AF AF FP4 FP4 HM AM Mis. AF MP4 FP1 Sec.	252 10 0 155 0 0 115 0 0 80 0 0 30 0 0 30 0 0 160 0 0 120 0 0 85 0 0 80 0 0 50 0 0 50 0 0 250 14 0 155 0 0 115 0 0 80 0 0 55 0 0 30 0 0..	..
Wanganui Infants'	217	532 10 0	35 0 0	48 18 6	..	..					..
Marton D.H.S.	237	681 19 3	..	70 8 1	..	..					..
GRADE 11.											
Aramoho and Sedgebrook (1)	272	798 7 1	40 0 0	53 2 4	16 0 3	..	Lock, Charles H. W. Slipper, Thomas B. McIntyre, Jessie .. Lock, Gertrude J. ... Clayton, Ruth L. G. Goldsbury, Eulalie McNab, Annie E. ... Fairbrother, T. F. ... Powell, Albert H. ... Scott, Mary .. O'Donnell, M. E. ... West, Martha C. ... Bryce, Margaret J. Bailey, Mary M. ... Thomas, Falesin .. Edie, John K. ... Fitness, Eva N. ... Elmslie, Bessie G. ... Harris, Margaret .. Walsh, Mary .. Maunder, Roger .. Chorlton, A. F. T. ...	E1 D2 E2 E4 E3 D1 D2 D3 E3 E1 D2 D2 D3 C5	HM AM Mis. AF FP4 FP2 AF HM AM Mis. AF FP2 FP3 FP3 HM AM Mis. AF FP2 FP2 MP2 Sec.	265 8 0 170 0 0 120 0 0 80 0 0 50 0 0 40 0 0 85 0 0 264 16 0 170 0 0 120 0 0 85 0 0 30 0 0 40 0 0 45 0 0 269 6 0 170 0 0 120 0 0 85 0 0 40 0 0 40 0 0 40 0 0 ..	40
Terrace End ..	264	749 2 0	40 0 0	93 3 9	435 15 0	..					..
Eltham D.H.S.	285	752 3 2	..	71 0 11	17 13 6	23 8 0					..

TABLE No. 8.—LIST of the PUBLIC SCHOOLS, the EXPENDITURE, STAFF, &c.—continued.
WANGANUI—continued.

1		2		Expenditure for the Year.						Names, Classification, and Status of Teachers.			Annual Rates of Payment during Last Month of Year.								
Name of School.	Average for the Year 1905.	3 Teachers' Salaries, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.		4 Teachers' House Allowances.		5 Other Ordinary Expenditure, including Rebuilding, Repairs to Buildings, &c.		6 Buildings, Sites, Furniture, and Apparatus.		7 Rent of School Buildings.		8 Teachers on the Staff at the End of the Year.		9 Classification.		10 Position in the School.		11 For Salary, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.		12 For Teachers' House Allowances.	
		£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.							£	s. d.	£	
GRADE 12. Queen's Park ..	323	858	4 9	40	0 0	155	10 9	862	18 0	1	0 0	Payne, Henry M. (1) Armstrong, N. G. .. McNeill, Eliz. A. .. Marshall, George H. Siddells, Amy I. .. Wilton, Isabel .. Ross, Fanny L. ..	D1 C3 E1 C3 D3	HM AM Mis. AM AF FP4 FP3			277	12 0	40		
GRADE 13. College Street ..	365	1,002	0 1	40	0 0	89	8 8	8	18 8	..	..	Low, David W. .. Friberg, Nils A. .. Barry, Catherine E. Haydon, Thomas B. Billens, Mabel E. .. Yortt, Hilda M. .. Lynch, Mary .. Carmody, Margaret .. Pitts, Gertrude .. Hill, John D. C. .. McLean, William H. Carson, Annie M. .. Watts, Gertrude E. Gordon, William M. Finlayson, C. H. .. Watts, Amy .. Gascoigne, Sydney C. Hill, Dorothy .. Grant, James ..	C1 C1 E1 D4 D3 E4 D2 D2 E3 D3 D5 B1	HM AM Mis. AM AF AF FP1 FP1 FP1 HM AM Mis. AF AM AF FP4 MP3 FP1 Sec.			289	16 0	40	
Feilding D.H.S. ..	360	1,032	8 3	..	..	112	11 9	..	..	..	..	Hill, John D. C. .. McLean, William H. Carson, Annie M. .. Watts, Gertrude E. Gordon, William M. Finlayson, C. H. .. Watts, Amy .. Gascoigne, Sydney C. Hill, Dorothy .. Grant, James ..	C1 D2 D2 E3 D3 D5 B1	HM AM Mis. AF AM AF FP4 MP3 FP1 Sec.			283	0 0	..	
GRADE 14. Wanganui D.H.S. ..	381	1,139	4 2	40	0 0	340	7 6	14	15 3	5	0 0	Aitken, James, B.A. Richardson, H. H. ... McDonald, Isabella Gordon, Maria M. ... Peat, Janet H., Mrs. Jennings, F. C. Griffiths, Winifred .. Williams, William P. . Coomber, Olive .. Rutherford, John R., M.A. Blair, J. G., B.A. ..	B1 C2 E1 D2 E2 D4 A1 B3	HM AM Mis. AF AF AM FP3 MP2 FP2 Sec. Sec.			294	12 0	40		
GRADE 15. Hawera D.H.S. ..	440	1,191	7 7	..	..	125	2 6	..	..	..	..	Strack, Conrad A. ... Nairn, John R. Aris, Elizabeth G. ... McLeod, Janet .. Poole, Samuel J. Black, Elsie A. V. ... Yortt, Caroline E. ... Young, Helen A. Strack, Conrad .. Kerriss, Ellen .. Soratt, Harry L. Niven, James, M.A. .	D1 D2 D3 D2 E4 D3 A2	HM AM Mis. AF AM AF AF FP3 MP2 FP2 MP1 Sec.			306	4 0	..	
GRADE 17. Campbell Street ..	550	1,404	5 6	50	0 0	125	5 2	..	..	..	..	Watson, Francis E. . Warden, Charles H. . Hanna, S. F., Mrs. . M'Lish, Marion, Mrs. Reed, Amelia D. Gabites, Herbert F. . Coombe, Jessie W. ... Bradley, Julia M. ... Lancaster, T. L. McGonagle, Minnie .. Chapman, Jessie .. Jamieson, Laura .. Billens, Kathleen ..	D1 D1 E1 E1 E3 D3 E4 E4	HM AM Mis. AF AF AM AF AF MP2 FP1 FP3 FP1 FP3			318	8 0	50	
Schools not open in December, 1905—																					
Komako ..	..	19	7 1	..	..	10	0 8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mangamahu Valley ..	..	8	0 0	..	..	0	14 11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Western Rangitikei ..	..	52	10 0	..	..	13	2 8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Pine Creek ..	..	12	0 0	..	..	0	6 0	223	10 5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Himatangi Mill ..	..	30	0 0	5	0 0	2	19 2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mangamahu, River Road ..	..	12	0 0	..	..	0	2 3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Okotuku ..	..	14	7 5	..	..	0	4 6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mangawhio ..	..	3	8 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Expenditure not classified—																					
School requisites ..	..	..	..	..	..	110	13 10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Fire Insurance ..	..	..	..	..	..	28	12 6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Repairs ..	..	..	..	..	..	21	10 8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals	39,930	2 11	1,480	17 6	6,004	5 9	4,159	10 0	69	8 0	40,490	12 0	1,515	

(1) Acting headmaster.

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HAWKE'S BAY.

1 Name of School.	2 Average for the Year 1905.	Expenditure for the Year.					Names, Classification, and Status of Teachers.			Annual Rates of Payment during Last Month of Year.	
		3 Teachers' Salaries, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	4 Teachers' House Allowances	5 Other Ordinary Expenditure, including Rebuilding, Repairs to Buildings, &c.	6 Buildings, Sites, Furniture, and Apparatus.	7 Rent of School Buildings.	8 Teachers on the Staff at the End of the Year.	9 Classification.	10 Position in the School.	11 For Salary, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	12 For Teachers' House Allowances.
GRADE 0.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£
Braemar ..	7	19 10 0		2 11 6			Morrison, Janet A. ..	..	F	30 0 0	..
Makaretu South ..	10	53 10 0	8 17 10	5 7 6			Burgess, Marie ..	..	F	60 0 0	10
Mangatuna ..	7	42 0 0		3 17 9			McAdam, Charles C. ..	C5	M	42 0 0	..
Mangatarata ..	3	9 0 0		0 7 6			Crawford, Aní ..	..	F	18 0 0	..
Pakarae ..	5	24 0 0		2 5 6			Whitlock, Bertha ..	..	F	24 0 0	..
Patangata ..	7	40 10 0	7 10 0	4 6 9			Westmoreland, Elsie ..	..	F	54 0 0	10
Rissington ..	8	48 0 0		34 18 0			Bradley, Emma ..	..	F	48 0 0	..
Tamumu ..	13	62 10 0	10 0 0	6 7 6		10 3 4	Huggins, Rosina M. ..	E4	F	70 0 0	10
Tiniroto ..	11	54 0 0		5 11 9			Murray, Ruby H. ..	..	F	54 0 0	..
Waerenga-o-kuri ..	9	44 10 0		2 5 0			Bradwell, Cicely V. ..	..	F	54 0 0	..
Waihora ..	9	47 0 0		4 10 3			Keys, Myra ..	..	F	42 0 0	..
Waimata Valley ..	9	54 0 0	10 0 0	11 12 3			Witton, Olive M. ..	..	F	54 0 0	10
Whakarau(?) ..	..	24 2 3	4 3 4	1 15 0			..	..	..	..	..
GRADE 1.											
Argyll ..	19	42 16 3	4 11 4	29 18 6	315 9 4		Kemsley, C. A. ..	..	F	94 10 0	10
Mangahe ..	15	83 16 9	10 0 0	17 19 0	51 11 5		Fyers, C., Mrs. ..	..	F	80 0 0	10
Morere ..	13	90 0 0	10 0 0	8 2 0		8 0 0	Mayo, Ernest ..	E3	M	90 0 0	10
Motu ..	11	57 13 4	8 17 4	7 3 9			Shaw, Norman H. ..	E2	M	65 0 0	10
Ngapaeruru ..	18	93 8 0	9 16 0	30 1 0			Robinson, Louisa G. ..	Lic.	F	90 0 0	10
Patoka ..	8	71 0 0	10 0 0	4 18 3			Dugleby, Olive M. ..	Lic.	F	65 0 0	10
Pohui ..	11	65 0 0	10 0 0	6 8 3			Williams, Ethel F. ..	..	F	65 0 0	10
Port Awanui ..	17	70 18 4	7 9 5	10 7 9	194 14 4	9 0 0	Hawkes, Emma ..	D2	F	95 0 0	10
Puketitiri ..	19	73 18 7	7 15 8	7 10 3			Lissaman, M. H., Mrs. ..	E1	F	95 0 0	10
Rakauaroa ..	8	70 0 0	10 0 0	12 16 6			Norman, Gordon R. ..	..	M	70 0 0	10
Ti-tree ..	10	70 0 0	10 0 0	17 14 0			Morrison, Anne B. S. ..	Lic.	F	70 0 0	10
Tokomaru ..	21	99 0 0	10 0 0	14 1 0	10 0 0		Burness, Jane Mary ..	Lic.	F	99 0 0	10
Waitahora ..	13	77 1 8	10 0 0	8 5 0			Beddingfield, M. E. A. ..	Lic.	F	80 0 0	10
Wakarara ..	14	90 0 0		13 6 0			Ingpen, Ernest H. ..	Lic.	M	90 0 0	..
Wallingford ..	17	81 13 4		8 3 9			Thompson, F. L. ..	Lic.	F	80 0 0	..
Wanstead ..	22	87 10 0	10 0 0	18 4 0		6 0 0	Russell, Lily ..	Lic.	F	99 0 0	10
Wigan ..	9	47 10 0	7 10 0	7 7 6	42 16 2		Dobson, Nora ..	..	F	60 0 0	10
GRADE 2.											
Ashley-Clinton ..	21	122 0 0		11 9 9			Parkinson, Minnie M. ..	D2	F	122 0 0	..
Blackburn ..	22	118 0 0		20 17 9			McLellan, Grace Y. ..	E3	F	118 0 0	..
Heretaunga ..	25	126 0 0		17 0 6			McClure, Jane E. ..	E4	F	126 0 0	..
Kaitaratahi ..	24	135 17 6	21 13 4	45 3 3			Bolton, Edwin C. ..	E2	M	122 0 0	20
Wainui ..	21	118 2 6		23 3 0			Malcolm, Andrew ..	E1	M	126 0 0	..
Waipatiki ..	23	114 0 0	20 0 0	12 13 3			Brown, Jonathan ..	D3	M	114 0 0	20
Whatatutu ..	24	122 0 0	20 0 0	13 14 0	375 11 10	23 0 0	Baker, Harriet E. ..	D4	F	126 0 0	20
GRADE 3.											
Elsthorpe ..	29	124 5 9		14 14 6			Flinn, James P. ..	..	M	118 16 0	..
Hatuma ..	39	145 0 0		22 4 9			Cole, Lillian S. ..	E2	F	138 0 0	..
Maharahara West ..	25	131 0 0		45 0 6			Smith, Isabel ..	E2	F	131 0 0	..
Makaretu ..	31	134 0 0		16 1 9			Andersen, Ellen A. ..	D2	F	134 0 0	..
Maraekakaho ..	30	141 0 0		18 2 0			Dugleby, Enid A. ..	D3	F	141 0 0	..
Mohaka ..	48	149 2 0	18 6 8	24 18 8	10 10 0	12 0 0	Miller, James ..	E2	HM	146 0 0	20
Omahu ..	34	141 0 0	20 0 0	23 14 6			Ferguson, Alice R. ..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Papakura ..	43	165 0 0	19 3 4	26 9 1			Dugleby, Ethel G. ..	E2	F	141 0 0	20
Pukahu ..	38	158 0 0		48 10 0			Moore, Elizabeth ..	D2	F	145 0 0	20
Whetukura ..	34	178 15 0		64 13 9			McCutcheon, E. A. ..	D3	M	158 0 0	..
Wimbledon ..	22	134 0 0		12 12 9			King, Walter J. ..	D1	M	160 0 0	..
							Davidson, William ..	D4	M	134 0 0	..
GRADE 4.											
Mangateretere ..	45	225 14 4	20 0 0	34 3 9			Balfour, Margaret A. ..	D2	HF	147 10 0	20
Maraetaha ..	47	245 13 4		24 19 7			Colebrook, Effie ..	D3	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Petane ..	51	244 10 0		39 0 7			Faram, Frederick T. ..	E2	HM	164 0 0	..
Porangabau ..	53	244 0 0		54 4 10			Ferguson, Ethel M. ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Puketapu ..	36	226 10 0		45 10 4			Speight, Hubert ..	D2	HM	164 10 0	..
Waipiro Bay ..	45	228 13 4	20 0 0	30 17 10			Shaw, Ada P. M. ..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Weber ..	41	241 0 0		52 1 7			Benson, Herbert N. ..	D3	HM	164 0 0	..
							Bradbury, Annie E. ..	E4	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Andrews, Helen B. ..	D2	HF	146 10 0	..
							Rudman, C. E. B. ..	E4	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Wilson, Henry L. ..	D3	HM	162 0 0	20
							Tuohy, Margaret J. ..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Quigley, Sydney H. ..	E3	HM	161 0 0	..
							Soundy, Carrie A. ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
GRADE 5.											
Frasertown ..	63	260 11 4	30 0 0	31 1 3			Eves, Charles A. ..	C3	HM	177 10 0	30
Hampden ..	86	275 0 0		196 4 10	60 17 0		Tucker, Edith C. M. ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Faram, Frank C. ..	D2	HM	190 0 0	..
							Wellwood, Susan K. ..	E5	Mis.	85 0 0	..

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TABLE No. 8.—LIST of the PUBLIC SCHOOLS, the EXPENDITURE, STAFF, &c.—*continued.*HAWKE'S BAY—*continued.*

1	2	Expenditure for the Year.					Names, Classification, and Status of Teachers.			Annual Rates of Pay- ment during Last Month of Year.		
Name of School.	Average for the Year 1905.	3 Teachers' Salaries, including Lodging- allowances to Pupil- teachers.	4 Teachers' House Allowances.	5 Otherordi- nary Expendi- ture, in- cluding Re- building, Repairs to Buildings, &c.	6 Buildings, Sites, Furniture, and Apparatus.	7 Rent of School Buildings.	8 Teachers on the Staff at the End of the Year.	9 Classification.	10 Position in the School.	11 For Salary, including Lodging- allowances to Pupil- teachers.	12 For Teachers' House Allowances.	
GRADE 5—continued.												
Kiritaki ..	52	£ s. d. 253 15 0	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 129 14 6	£ s. d. 0 10 0	£ s. d. ..	McClure, William D.	D1	HM	£ s. d. 168 15 0	£ ..	
Mahora ..	83	271 5 0	30 0 0	121 1 5	283 18 3	..	Whibley, A. E., Mrs.	D3	Mis.	85 0 0	..	
Meanee ..	52	246 16 2	9 1 8	54 10 3	..	..	Chaplin, Wilfred T.	D2	HM	186 5 0	30
Papatawa ..	59	261 5 0	..	40 1 3	..	..	Gray, Maggie I.	E3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Te Aute ..	42	237 17 6	..	65 5 6	..	..	Bissell, Edward ..	D2	HM	173 15 0	30
Umutaoroa ..	62	260 0 0	..	60 9 6	..	..	Christy, Agnes C. M.	E3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Woodlands ..	58	236 17 6	30 0 0	35 13 11	..	..	Roulston, James D.	D4	HM	176 5 0	..
							Gregory, Mary ..	D3	Mis.	95 0 0	..	
							Caughley, C. J.	E1	HF	153 10 0	..	
							Cooke, Alice B.	D5*	Mis.	85 0 0	..	
							Ferguson, R. H.	D2	HM	175 0 0	..	
							Hannay, I. M. W.	E4	Mis.	85 0 0	..	
							Olsen, Hilda A.	E3	HF	151 0 0	30	
							Harper, Amy R.	E3	Mis.	85 0 0	..	
GRADE 6.												
Kaikora North ..	84	305 0 0	..	39 3 0	..	..	Caughley, John, M.A.	B1	HM	207 10 0	..
Kumeroa ..	81	292 1 11	..	41 13 0	..	..	Ingletton, Phoebe ..	E3	Mis.	95 0 0	..
							Cockerill, W. A. M., B.A.	B4	HM	208 15 0	..	
Matamau ..	65	286 5 0	..	32 6 3	..	..	Gray, Georgina ..	D3	Mis.	95 0 0	..
Ongaonga ..	71	290 1 3	..	34 10 6	..	..	Neill, Robert ..	D2	HM	191 5 0	..
Ormond ..	92	306 5 0	..	52 11 6	..	..	Joll, Beatrice M.	E4	Mis.	95 0 0	..
Takapau ..	68	277 1 8	..	38 10 8	..	..	Gloy, John F.	D1	HM	196 5 0	..
Te Arai ..	80	297 1 11	..	50 14 0	..	..	Cross, Alice M.	D3	Mis.	95 0 0	..
Te Karaka ..	87	284 7 10	..	52 0 5	..	4 0 0	McLeod, John ..	D2	HM	211 5 0	..	
Tolaga Bay ..	72	290 0 0	..	55 9 9	..	..	Craighead, Helen ..	D2	Mis.	95 0 0	..
Waerenga-a-hika ..	80	292 10 0	..	82 9 5	..	..	Caughley, James ..	D2	HM	196 5 0	..
							Ellingham, Ida M.	..	FP4	50 0 0	..	
							Grant, Annie J.	..	FP4	55 0 0	..	
							Webber, Abel ..	D1	HM	205 0 0	..	
							Woodward, Mary ..	..	Mis.	85 10 0	..
							Sefton, Percy J.	D3	HM	196 5 0	..	
							Greene, Frances B.	D4	Mis.	95 0 0	..	
							Nelson, John M.	E2	HM	195 0 0	..	
							Pickering, Esther E.	E3	Mis.	95 0 0	..	
							Ellis, Harold L.	D1	HM	197 10 0	..	
							Black, Grace ..	D4	Mis.	95 0 0	..	
GRADE 7.												
Olive ..	101	360 12 0	..	52 12 9	..	..	Bissell, Edward ..	E1	HM	215 12 0	..
Makauri ..	97	356 3 0	..	42 14 9	..	..	McVay, Ella M.	E2	Mis.	100 0 0	..
Makotuku ..	83	358 5 10	..	55 7 8	..	..	Burns, Hilda E.	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
Mangapapa ..	100	362 9 11	30 0 0	54 12 9	..	..	Cole, Robert ..	D2	HM	217 8 0	..
Matawhero ..	99	349 0 0	16 16 8	53 5 9	..	..	Fawbert, Emma L.	E2	Mis.	100 0 0	..
Ormondville ..	91	351 19 8	..	44 19 0	..	..	Haughie, Edith ..	..	FP1	30 0 0	..
Patutahi ..	112	338 14 8	..	49 5 9	..	..	Kain, John ..	D2	HM	217 8 0	..
							Marsh, Louise M.	E2	Mis.	100 0 0	..	
							Hunter, William J.	D3	HM	221 6 0	30	
							Morgan, Louisa ..	D2	Mis.	100 0 0	..	
							Tawhiri, Riwai H.	..	MP3	40 0 0	..	
							Marshall, John ..	D1	HM	216 10 0	30	
							Stephenson, Louisa J.	D3	Mis.	100 0 0	..	
							Lange, Olive ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Curd, Frank B.	D1	HM	216 16 0	..	
							Brabazon, Mary ..	E2	Mis.	100 0 0	..	
							Wilson, Louisa ..	..	FP2	30 0 0	..
							Woodward, John C.	E1	HM	220 8 0	..	
							Cantle, Kathleen ..	E2	Mis.	100 0 0	..	
							Stevens, Alice ..	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
GRADE 8.												
Havelock North ..	126	397 12 8	..	50 17 0	..	..	Holmes, Robert B.	D1	HM	224 6 0	..
Taradale ..	148	393 4 4	..	74 13 1	..	..	Cooper, Rose C.	D4	Mis.	105 0 0	..
Wairoa ..	138	390 11 0	..	91 11 7	..	..	Davis, Beatrice M.	..	FP4	55 0 0	..
							Thompson, Bertha ..	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
							Goulding, Richard ..	D1	HM	230 6 0	..	
							Sargisson, E. L.	E3	Mis.	105 0 0	..	
							Scott, Grace ..	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
							Davis, Lucy ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Bowie, John, B.A.	B2	HM	229 2 0	..	
							Samson, Hetty M.	E3	Mis.	105 0 0	..	
							Rigby, Norman	MP1	30 0 0	..	
							Torr, Grace	FP1	20 0 0	..	

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GRADE 9.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£
Waipukurau ..	153	496 17 3	..	84 3 9	Cooke, C. J., B.A. ..	B1	HM	233 18 0	..
							Murray, Elizabeth H.	E3	Mis.	110 0 0	..
							Jones, William H. ..	D4	AM	100 0 0	..
							Court, Lily ..	..	FP2	30 0 0	..
							McRae, James ..	..	MP2	40 0 0	..
Norsewood and Ngamoko	157	568 6 8	..	124 5 0	..	..	Watson, J. D., M.A.	B1	HM	237 10 0	..
							Martin, Ethel E. ..	D3	Mis.	110 0 0	..
							Gray, James H. ..	D4	AM	100 0 0	..
							McRae, Rebecca F.	..	FP2	40 0 0	..
							Shugar, Matilda ..	..	FP2	30 0 0	..
Waipawa ..	160	480 15 0	..	89 15 6	..	..	Kemp, Stanley M. ..	..	MP4	55 0 0	..
							Bull, John Henry ..	D1	HM	234 10 0	..
							McLandress, I., M.A.	B2	Mis.	110 0 0	..
							Bull, Sarah, Mrs. ..	E1	AF	80 0 0	..
							Baker, Frances ..	..	FP2	30 0 0	..
GRADE 10.							Turby, Lily ..	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
Napier South ..	261	689 8 0	35 0 0	116 7 6	..	..	Dodds, James Noble	B1	HM	259 8 0	35
							Riley, Emma Jane	D1	Mis.	115 0 0	..
							Driller, William J.	D4	AM	155 0 0	..
							Mitchell, Georgina M.	D3	AF	80 0 0	..
GRADE 11.							Jones, Annie H. ..	E3	AF	80 0 0	..
Port Ahuriri and Western Spit	268	783 12 0	..	267 10 0	..	10 0 0	Martin, William G.	D1	HM	263 12 0	..
							Anderson, Helen Mrs.	E1	Mis.	120 0 0	..
							Garry, Francis A. ..	D3	AM	170 0 0	..
							Magill, Annie ..	D2	AF	120 0 0	..
							Trevelyan, Edith ..	..	FP2	40 0 0	..
							Humphreys, Florence	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
GRADE 12.							Puffett, Annie L. ..	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
Woodville D.H.S. ..	299	899 12 5	..	155 17 1	..	17 5 0	Stevenson, Andrew	D1	HM	278 8 0	..
							Reid, Elisabeth ..	E2	Mis.	125 0 0	..
							Bagley, Benjamin ..	D1	AM	185 0 0	..
							Martin, Frederick W.	E5*	AM	120 0 0	..
							Anderson, Helen M.	D4	AF	80 0 0	..
							Lindaner, Victor V.	..	MP1	20 0 0	..
							Murphy, Elizabeth	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Franklin, Clara ..	..	FP2	30 0 0	..
GRADE 13.							Robson, Henry ..	C2	Sec.	..	..
Dannevirke North ..	340	1,005 5 9	..	150 13 7	..	..	Soundy, Richard P.	E1	HM	286 8 0	..
							Moore, Marion ..	D1	Mis.	130 0 0	..
							McLennan, Duncan	D1	AM	195 0 0	..
							McCarthy, Ellen ..	D3	AF	105 0 0	..
							Nielson, Albert ..	D4*	AM	120 0 0	..
							Hagenson, Matilda	..	AF	80 0 0	..
							Bramald, M. W. ..	..	FP2	30 0 0	..
							Lyall, Ethel A. ..	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
Dannevirke South D.H.S.	377	1,037 6 0	40 0 0	187 17 8	451 10 0	58 10 0	Davis, Kathleen E. S.	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
							Harvey, George ..	D2	HM	289 16 0	40
							Lindsay, Elizabeth E.	E2	Mis.	130 0 0	..
							Brown, James F. ..	D2	AM	195 0 0	..
							Spence, Mary W. ..	C4	AF	105 0 0	..
							Webb, Edith E. ..	E4	AF	100 0 0	..
							Black, Alice R. ..	E3	AF	80 0 0	..
							McClure, Cecil B. T.	..	MP4	55 0 0	..
							Brewer, Ella M. ..	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Baigh, Grace ..	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
GRADE 17.							Simmers, J. M., M.A.	A2	Sec.	..	..
Hastings D.H.S. ..	588	1,448 3 0	..	170 15 6	..	..	Smith, John A., B.A.	B1	HM	324 0 0	..
							Rosie, Wilhelmina J.	E1	Mis.	150 0 0	..
							Hudson, Edward V.	D1	AM	235 0 0	..
							Cullen, Arthur R. ..	D4	AM	150 0 0	..
							Plank, Louis J. ..	D4	AM	130 0 0	..
							Robertson, Isabella M.	D3	AF	105 0 0	..
							Driscoll, Ada E. ..	E3	AF	95 0 0	..
							Hayes, Frances A. ..	E4	AF	80 0 0	..
							Ross, Margaret E. ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Joll, Ethel S. ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							McNaughton, Daisy	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
							Wilson, Mary C. ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Cook, Jessie ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Pegler, Leonard F.	G1	Sec.	..	..
							Gamble, F. W., B.A.	..	Sec.	..	..

TABLE No. 8.—LIST of the PUBLIC SCHOOLS, the EXPENDITURE, STAFF, &c.—*continued.*HAWKE'S BAY—*continued.*

Name of School.	Average for the Year 1905.	Expenditure for the Year.					Names, Classification, and Status of Teachers.			Annual Rates of Payment during Last Month of Year.	
		3 Teachers' Salaries, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	4 Teachers' House Allowances.	5 Other Ordinary Expenditure, including Re-building, Repairs to Buildings, &c.	6 Buildings, Sites, Furniture, and Apparatus.	7 Rent of School Buildings.	8 Teachers on the Staff at the End of the Year.	9 Classification.	10 Position in the School.	11 For Salary, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	12 For Teachers' House Allowances.
GRADE 19.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£
Napier	633	1,606 10 6	50 0 0	323 3 6	..	..	Hislop, James ..	C1	HM	339 0 0	50
							Brown, Jessie C. ..	D1	Mis.	165 0 0	..
							Grant, Milton R. ..	D2	AM	235 0 0	..
							Soundy, Arthur W.	E3	AM	150 0 0	..
							Caughley, Rachael	D3	AF	120 0 0	..
							Palmer, Mary ..	E1	AF	110 0 0	..
							Pratt, Agness ..	D2	AF	100 0 0	..
							Magill, Mary ..	D2	AF	80 0 0	..
							McVay, Nellie D. ..	E3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Anderson, Gertrude	..	FP2	30 0 0	..
							Magill, Elizabeth ..	D4	FP5	50 0 0	..
							Paterson, Daisy E.	..	FP5	50 0 0	..
							Hannay, Amelia M.	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
							Taylor, Helen A. ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Macdonald, Kate ..	..	FP2	40 0 0	..
GRADE 21.											
Gisborne D.H.S. ..	808	2,007 11 6	50 0 0	351 5 5	79 0 0	156 17 0	Rowley, F. J., B.A.	B1	HM	352 14 0	50
							Matheson, F. C. R.	E1	Mis.	185 0 0	..
							Leslie, David E. ..	D1	AM	240 0 0	..
							Wauchop, John S.	D2	AM	175 0 0	..
							Cowan, David ..	B3	AM	160 0 0	..
							Cumming, Margaret	D2	AF	120 0 0	..
							Faram, Edith H. ..	E2	AF	115 0 0	..
							Adams, Florence K.	E2	AF	90 0 0	..
							Olsen, Othenius R.	D5	AM	110 0 0	..
							King, Katie ..	D4	AF	80 0 0	..
							Ranzi, Cissy ..	D4	AF	80 0 0	..
							Morice, George W.	D5*	AM	100 0 0	..
							Cussen, Kathleen ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Cussen, Mary Estelle	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Brown, Jessie S. ..	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							East, Alfred F. D. ..	..	MP4	50 0 0	..
							Sheen, Lois H. ..	..	FP2	30 0 0	..
							Ambridge, Edith E.	..	FP2	30 0 0	..
							Mann, E. H., B.A.	B1	Sec.	..	..
							Kinder, John, B.A. ..	B2	Sec.	..	..
Schools not open in December, 1905—											
Oringi .. ..	..	..	..	10 10 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Crones Settlement	..	..	..	..	106 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..
Te Papakuka ..	..	..	..	..	9 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..
Milltown .. ..	..	..	..	..	350 8 7	..	..	..	..	..	..
Portland Island	20 0 0	..	1 15 6
Totals	25,833 5 6	656 12 7	4,867 16 0	2341 16 11	314 15 4	26048 12 0	705

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Grade		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	Teacher	Classification	Position	£ s. d.	£
GRADE 0.											
Aotea	5	36 0 0	Newmann, Alice	F	36 0 0	..
Black Rock Bay ..	3	12 6 0	..	..	..	..	Foley, Anna Eliza ..	..	F	18 0 0	..
Brooklyn Bay ..	3	10 19 8	..	..	..	..	Wells, Violet ..	..	F	18 0 0	..
Bulwer	4	10 1 4	..	..	..	..	Hutchinson, Mabel	..	F	24 0 0	..
Clova Bay	2	12 0 0	..	..	..	..	Black, Jane ..	..	F	12 0 0	..
Deep Creek	3	15 0 0	..	0 14 0	..	..	Fisk, E. A., Mrs. ..	E4	F	18 0 0	..
Fabian's Valley ..	8	54 0 0	..	4 6 9	..	..	Wadsworth, B. E. ..	Lic.	F	54 0 0	..
Ferndale	5	36 0 0	..	..	..	..	Taylor, Mary E. ..	..	F	36 0 0	..
Grove	9	60 0 0	10 0 0	6 14 6	..	..	Williams, Agnes M. T.	Lic.	F	60 0 0	10
Hopewell	4	12 0 0	..	..	..	..	Watt, Marguerite ..	..	F	24 0 0	..
Laverique Bay ..	4	30 0 0	..	..	..	..	Webb, Daisy ..	..	F	30 0 0	..
Mahau Sound ..	6	48 0 0	..	10 14 3	..	..	Palmer, Ella ..	..	F	48 0 0	..
Manaroa	4	19 3 1	..	4 3 0	..	..	Clutton, Constance	..	F	24 0 0	..
Maori Bay	2	10 10 0	..	..	..	..	Nalder, A. Gertrude	..	F	12 0 0	..
Nydia Bay	6	24 0 0	..	..	..	..	Campbell, Sara ..	..	F	24 0 0	..
Onahau Bay	2	9 13 6	..	..	..	..	Dickie, G. E. ..	..	F	12 0 0	..
Peach Bay	7	36 0 0	..	..	..	..	Young, M. ..	..	F	36 0 0	..
Portage	4	26 2 7	..	..	..	..	Murphy, Amy ..	..	F	30 0 0	..
Port Underwood ..	3	18 0 0	..	..	..	..	Flood, Lillian ..	..	F	18 0 0	..
Ravenscliff ..	4	19 12 0	..	0 7 3	..	..	Storey, Elsie ..	..	F	24 0 0	..
Resolution Bay ..	3	18 0 0	..	..	..	..	Williams, Beatrice	..	F	18 0 0	..
Scarboro' Run ..	4	30 0 0	..	..	..	..	King, Mary ..	..	F	30 0 0	..
Sea View	5	36 0 0	..	..	..	..	O'Sullivan, Frances	..	F	36 0 0	..
Te Puru	4	24 0 0	..	..	..	..	Harvey, Aline ..	..	F	24 0 0	..
Tira Ora	2	24 0 0	..	4 3 0	Black, Margaret	F	24 0 0	..
Ugbrooke	6	36 0 0	Tindill, Bertha M. ..	Lic.	F	36 0 0	..

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1	2	Expenditure for the Year.					Names, Classification, and Status of Teachers.			Annual Rates of Pay-ment during Last Month of Year.	
Name of School.	Average for the Year 1905.	3 Teachers' Salaries, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	4 Teachers' House Allowances.	5 Other Ordinary Expendi-ture, in-cluding Re-building, Repairs to Buildings, &c.	6 Buildings, Sites, Furniture, and Apparatus.	7 Rent of School Buildings.	8 Teachers on the Staff at the End of the Year.	9 Classification.	10 Position in the School.	11 For Salary, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	12 For Teachers' House Allowances.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£
GRADE 0—continued.											
Waikakaho..	8	42 0 0	..	..	..	..	Lucas, Ella G. ..	..	F	42 0 0	..
Waikawa Bay ..	7	36 0 0	..	..	..	..	Atkinson, Mary E. ..	..	F	36 0 0	..
Waitata Bay ..	7	33 15 6	..	..	..	..	Murphy, Christine ..	..	F	36 0 0	..
Wakareta Bay ..	3	19 13 4	..	..	..	..	Hutchinson, Sarah ..	..	F	18 0 0	..
GRADE 1.											
Blind River ..	12	70 0 0	..	11 11 1	..	..	Barak, Mary C., Mrs. ..	E2	F	70 0 0	..
Kaituna ..	12	66 17 10	..	35 6 11	..	..	Brydon, Edith ..	..	F	70 0 0	..
Okoha ..	10	60 8 4	..	..	..	..	Miller, Mary ..	..	F	80 0 0	..
Omaka ..	11	65 0 0	10 0 0	5 18 3	..	..	Ward, Joseph ..	Lic.	M	65 0 0	10
Rai Valley ..	15	81 0 0	..	33 3 4	..	..	Healy, Agnes ..	Lic.	F	81 0 0	..
Richmond Brook ..	16	81 0 0	..	34 8 6	..	..	O'Brian, A. C. S. R. ..	Lic.	F	81 0 0	..
Robin Hood Bay ..	12	80 0 0	10 0 0	..	..	..	Haughey, James ..	D1	M	80 0 0	10
Te Awaitei ..	12	71 12 3	..	10 5 6	..	..	Robinson, Alice ..	..	F	80 0 0	..
Wairau Valley ..	17	90 0 0	..	9 13 6	..	..	Slattery, Margaret ..	L.c.	F	90 0 0	..
Waitarea Bay ..	20	94 10 0	10 0 0	10 4 3	..	..	Simpson, Lily P. ..	Lic.	F	94 10 0	10
GRADE 2.											
Cullensville ..	23	109 12 1	..	15 5 0	..	..	Griffiths, Wilhelmina ..	..	F	113 8 0	..
Seddon ..	26	130 0 0	..	17 1 3	..	..	Humphreys, J. W. ..	E2	M	130 0 0	..
GRADE 3.											
Fairhall ..	21	131 0 0	..	41 10 6	..	..	Tosswill, E. M., Mrs. ..	E2	F	131 0 0	..
Havelock Suburban ..	33	134 0 0	..	29 16 11	..	..	Matthews, Laura ..	D1	F	134 0 0	..
Marlboro' Town ..	35	139 0 0	..	25 3 0	..	..	Nicoll, Mabel Grace ..	E2	F	139 0 0	..
Marshlands ..	31	136 0 0	20 0 0	21 17 4	..	..	Williams, Mary C. ..	D1	F	136 0 0	20
Oramatutu ..	26	135 0 0	..	22 16 5	..	..	Charles, Elizabeth ..	E4	F	135 0 0	..
Spring Creek ..	37	148 15 0	..	22 16 5	..	..	Oldham, Hedley ..	D4	M	150 0 0	..
GRADE 4.											
Okaramio ..	44	231 19 0	..	99 10 5	..	..	Cartwright, James ..	D3	HM	161 10 0	..
Waitohi ..	55	243 10 0	..	22 11 3	..	..	Thorpe, Caroline E. ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Robertson, David ..	D1	HM	163 10 0	..
							Hilliard, Evelyn E. ..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
GRADE 5.											
Canvastown ..	64	259 5 11	..	76 7 11	..	..	Hill, Hollis James ..	D3	HM	177 10 0	..
							Macalister, Rea ..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Havelock ..	63	263 15 0	..	45 13 5	..	..	Ward, William ..	C1	HM	178 15 0	..
							Farmer, Mary ..	D3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Tuamarina..	59	246 5 0	20 0 0	25 11 9	..	..	Robinson, Herbert J. ..	D1	HM	166 5 0	30
							Peake, Sarah N. ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
GRADE 7.											
Grovetown ..	91	356 10 0	..	39 4 2	..	..	Ladley, Harry ..	D1	HM	216 10 0	..
							Ladley, Ada B. E. ..	E2	Mis.	100 0 0	..
							Payne, Alice ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
Renwick ..	101	370 14 0	..	65 13 0	..	..	Stratford, Herbert A. ..	D1	HM	220 14 0	..
							Brownlee, Tanie H. ..	D3	Mis.	100 0 0	..
							Brydon, Minnie ..	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
GRADE 8.											
Blenheim Girls' ..	134	340 5 0	..	42 3 9	..	..	Brewer, Lottie M. ..	D1	HF	175 5 0	..
							Wauden, E. W. ..	E2	AF	105 0 0	..
							Morcom, Annie E. ..	..	FP2	30 0 0	..
							Garnham, Grace ..	..	FP2	30 0 0	..
Picton ..	121	412 18 0	..	79 4 9	..	..	Howard, Charles C. ..	C1	HM	227 18 0	..
							Macalister, May ..	C3	Mis.	105 0 0	..
							Fuller, Violet Ethel ..	E3	AF	80 0 0	..
Springlands ..	139	412 18 0	..	46 4 7	..	..	Howard, Harry J. ..	D1	HM	227 18 0	..
							Millington, Emily E. ..	D2	Mis.	105 0 0	..
							Crombie, Agnes M. ..	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Tapp, Daisy ..	..	FP2	30 0 0	..
GRADE 10.											
Blenheim Boys' ..	237	700 18 0	..	80 5 9	..	..	Sturrock, David A. ..	D1	HM	260 18 0	..
							Nicoll, Thomas A. ..	D4	AM	155 0 0	..
							Brown, Mary M. ..	D1	Mis.	115 0 0	..
							Harris, Annie M. ..	F2	AF	80 0 0	..
							Macey, Winifred M. ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							O'Brian, Unst M. E. ..	Lic.	FP5	50 0 0	..
Schools not open in December, 1905—											
Crail Bay ..	..	12 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Head ..	..	14 14 2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kakapau Bay ..	..	18 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kekerangu ..	..	52 3 4	..	4 10 3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ram's Head ..	..	28 15 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Saratoga Bay	12 0 0
Stephen's Island	31 10 0
Totals	6,630 12 11	80 0 0	1,005 2 0	6,564 11 0	90

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Name of School.	Average for the Year 1905.	3 Teachers' Salaries, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	4 Teachers' House Allowances	5 Other Ordinary Expenditure, including Re-building, Repairs to Buildings, &c.	6 Buildings, Sites, Furniture, and Apparatus.	7 Rent of School Buildings.	8 Teachers on the Staff at the End of the Year.	9 Classification.	10 Position in the School.	11 For Salary, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	12 For Teachers' House Allowances.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£
GRADE 0.											
Aniseed Valley ..	12	60 0 0	10 0 0	2 7 6	..	..	McKenzie, J. C. McC.	D4	F	60 0 0	10
Baton ..	7	43 18 4	7 10 0	2 6 9	..	..	Winter, George ..	..	M	54 0 0	10
Buller Ferry ..	4	32 1 8	..	..	..	..	Milligan, C. E. ..	..	F	30 0 0	..
Oronadun ..	13	54 0 0	10 0 0	3 17 3	..	..	Gannon, Julia Agnes	..	F	65 0 0	10
Eighty-eight Valley ..	8	60 0 0	10 0 0	2 7 6	..	..	Whelan, Letitia V.	..	F	60 0 0	10
Golden Downs ..	4	20 17 4	..	..	..	..	Seymour, Ivy M. ..	..	F	24 0 0	..
Hope Valley ..	4	29 10 4	..	..	..	..	Jessop, Mary Annie	..	F	36 0 0	..
Karamea ..	26	49 14 2	..	2 6 0	..	..	Doyle, Teresa ..	..	F	60 0 0	..
Lester's ..	5	42 0 0	..	..	..	..	Gibbs, Frances J. ..	..	F	42 0 0	..
Little Wanganui ..	10	60 0 0	10 0 0	2 7 6	..	..	McNarn, Jessie ..	..	F	60 0 0	10
Maitai ..	2	18 0 0	..	..	..	..	Lewis, Phyllis ..	..	F	18 0 0	..
Newton Flat ..	8	60 13 4	10 0 0	2 7 6	8 1 0	..	Taylor, Blanche I. ..	Lic.	F	60 0 0	10
Pakawau ..	4	39 10 4	..	4 12 3	..	..	Sanders, W. H. S.	..	F	42 0 0	..
Pokororo ..	11	60 0 0	10 0 0	2 7 6	..	..	Demment, M. C., B.A.	B4	F	60 0 0	10
Redwood's Valley ..	12	60 0 0	10 0 0	10 5 0	..	..	McPadden, Winifred	..	F	60 0 0	10
Sandy Bay ..	12	54 0 0	10 0 0	2 6 9	..	..	Horn, Ethel ..	..	F	54 0 0	10
Sherry ..	10	54 0 0	..	2 6 9	..	..	Richards, G. A. ..	..	F	54 0 0	..
Tophouse ..	6	18 0 0	..	..	..	..	Banks, Annie E. ..	..	F	30 0 0	..
Wairoa Gorge ..	11	60 0 0	10 0 0	2 7 6	..	..	Lewis, Dorothy ..	..	F	60 0 0	10
Waingaro ..	11	60 0 0	10 0 0	11 5 6	..	..	Cowles, Mildred Jane	..	F	60 0 0	10
Win's Valley ..	6	54 0 0	10 0 0	2 6 9	..	..	Gibbie, Ethel M. ..	..	F	54 0 0	10
McLernon's ..	3	10 6 7	..	..	..	..	Bredbury, Minnie ..	..	F	18 0 0	..
GRADE 1.											
Addison's Flat ..	17	94 10 0	..	11 1 4	..	..	Kane, Thomas ..	..	M	94 10 0	..
Anatoki ..	6	70 0 0	10 0 0	7 3 3	..	..	Haines, Ina ..	..	F	70 0 0	10
Blackwater, Upper ..	9	65 0 0	10 0 0	7 8 9	..	..	Horrack, Jane ..	Lic.	F	65 0 0	10
Brighton ..	11	65 0 0	10 0 0	2 8 3	..	..	McCarthy, Annie W.	..	F	65 0 0	10
Church Hill ..	17	95 0 0	..	13 14 11	..	..	Sparrow, Agatha ..	D4	F	95 0 0	..
Clifton Terrace ..	21	105 0 0	..	10 4 3	..	..	Bolton, Pamela E.	E1	F	105 0 0	..
Fairdown ..	18	95 0 0	10 0 0	20 15 6	..	..	Horner, Francesca M.	D4	F	95 0 0	10
Fern Flat ..	13	85 0 0	..	10 10 10	..	..	Gayne, Violet E. ..	D3	F	85 0 0	..
Fern Town ..	14	84 13 6	9 8 2	4 10 5	..	..	Scott, Samuel M. ..	D1	M	90 0 0	10
Gibbstown ..	16	89 5 0	10 0 0	5 1 5	..	..	McFadden, John ..	E4	M	90 0 0	10
Glenroy ..	19	112 15 0	10 0 0	10 4 3	..	..	O'Shea, Jeremiah ..	E3	M	110 0 0	10
Gordon ..	18	81 7 6	10 0 0	7 15 7	..	..	Greig, Arthur G. ..	..	M	85 10 0	10
Hill Side ..	18	97 10 0	..	9 1 5	..	..	Bradley, Ada P. ..	D2	F	105 0 0	..
Inangahua Junction ..	21	106 5 0	10 0 0	30 4 8	..	..	Kenyon, Isabella ..	E3	F	110 0 0	10
Kaituna ..	15	80 0 0	10 0 0	4 11 8	..	..	McCarthy, Madge ..	..	F	80 0 0	10
Kongahu ..	6	65 0 0	10 0 0	2 8 3	..	..	Jones, Constance E.	..	F	65 0 0	10
Land of Promise ..	21	101 0 0	10 0 0	9 13 0	..	..	Snook, Ada Jane ..	E4	F	114 0 0	10
Matakitaki ..	12	75 0 0	10 0 0	11 19 10	..	..	O'Rourke, Cynthia	..	F	75 0 0	10
Motueka Valley ..	16	92 10 0	10 0 0	5 8 5	..	..	Hodgkinson, J. L. ..	E4	F	100 0 0	10
Motupiko, Upper ..	9	70 0 0	..	2 9 0	..	..	McCarthy, Florence	Lic.	F	70 0 0	..
Ngatimoti ..	23	107 0 0	..	13 17 3	..	..	Fair, George O. ..	D3	M	114 0 0	..
Orinoco ..	13	80 0 0	10 0 0	3 9 7	..	..	Molloy, Ellen C. ..	Lic.	F	80 0 0	10
Pariwhakaho ..	14	80 0 0	10 0 0	20 18 11	..	..	Jeffries, Emily V. ..	..	F	80 0 0	10
Pigeon Valley ..	17	89 5 0	10 0 0	5 4 2	..	..	Martin, Cora ..	Lic.	F	90 0 0	10
Sergeant's Hill ..	17	90 0 0	10 0 0	26 19 9	..	..	Slowey, Teresa Mary	Lic.	F	90 0 0	10
Stanley Brook, Upper	13	65 0 0	10 0 0	2 8 3	..	..	Hanron, Alice ..	Lic.	F	65 0 0	10
Tadmor, Upper ..	17	83 6 8	10 0 0	39 14 5	..	..	Anglesey, E. A., Mrs.	E3	F	90 0 0	10
Takaka, Upper ..	18	102 7 6	10 0 0	9 8 1	3 16 9	..	Bryan, Edith E. ..	Lic.	F	105 0 0	10
Three-channel Flat ..	9	70 0 0	10 0 0	2 9 0	..	..	Nielson, Emma M. K.	..	F	70 0 0	10
Waitahu ..	14	75 0 0	10 0 0	12 9 8	..	..	Walshe, Eliz. M. G.	Lic.	F	75 0 0	10
Woodstock ..	10	75 0 0	10 0 0	2 17 4	..	..	Horner, Hugh Henry	Lic.	M	75 0 0	10
Shaggery ..	8	65 0 0	10 0 0	2 8 3	..	..	Symes, Adelaide L.	..	F	65 0 0	10
Puponga ..	12	60 8 4	9 3 4	9 13 10	..	..	Mackay, Bessie ..	..	F	70 0 0	10
Awa-iti ..	9	38 5 8	6 4 2	1 6 0	..	..	Robb, Minnie ..	Lic.	F	60 0 0	60
Whangarae ..	11	35 16 8	5 16 8	..	..	..	Howard, Katherine L.	..	F	60 0 0	10
GRADE 2.											
Brightwater ..	43	205 7 6	..	12 11 1	..	..	Bryant, William H.	C1	HM	168 15 0	..
							Lewis, Ruth ..	D4	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Hill, Hilda ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
Happy Valley ..	23	122 0 0	..	16 1 0	..	..	Rogers, Marmaduke	D4	M	122 0 0	..
Long Plain ..	21	118 0 0	..	9 10 7	..	..	Molloy, Jane Ann ..	E3	F	118 0 0	..
Pangatotara ..	25	126 0 0	20 0 0	9 7 9	..	..	Cooper, Emily M. ..	D2	F	126 0 0	20
Progress ..	32	171 10 0	..	10 12 3	..	..	Dwyer, Ada Josepha	D3	HF	136 0 0	..
							Phelan, Catherine ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
Promised Land ..	23	118 0 0	..	6 18 10	..	..	Pettit, B. M., Mrs.	E2	F	118 0 0	..
Ranzau ..	24	130 12 2	..	8 6 7	..	..	Gilbert, Esther E. ..	D3	F	130 0 0	..
Stanley Brook ..	24	122 0 0	..	24 6 2	..	..	Forsyth, Donald E.	D3	M	122 0 0	..
Tadmor ..	23	114 0 0	..	12 9 10	31 13 0	..	Quinton, Ellen H.	E2	F	114 0 0	..
Wills's Road ..	22	114 0 0	20 0 0	6 16 0	Holdaway, Helen F.	E4	F	118 0 0	20

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		3 Teachers' Salaries, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	4 Teachers' House Allowances.	5 Other Ordinary Expenditure, including Re-building, Repairs to Buildings, &c.	6 Buildings, Sites, Furniture, and Apparatus.	7 Rent of School Buildings.	8 Teachers on the Staff at the End of the Year.	9 Classification.	10 Position in the School.	11 For Salary, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	12 For Teachers' House Allowances.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£
GRADE 3.											
Appleby ..	37	150 0 0	..	14 10 0	..	..	Robbie, George A...	D1	M	150 0 0	..
Bainham ..	36	146 0 0	20 0 0	46 6 0	..	..	Worley, Francis ..	E3	M	146 0 0	20
Birchfield ..	33	136 6 8	20 0 0	21 7 0	..	..	Gilmor, Edward J. .	D4	M	138 0 0	20
Brooklyn ..	36	136 0 0	20 0 0	9 3 3	..	..	McGavin, E. A. . .	D2	F	136 0 0	20
Cape Foulwind	38	139 0 0	..	32 14 0	..	..	Barber, Minnie ..	D2	F	139 0 0	..
Capleston ..	24	132 0 0	..	13 5 2	..	..	Avery, Rose E., B.A.	B4	F	132 0 0	..
Hope ..	37	150 0 0	20 0 0	10 16 0	..	..	Hall, William A. . .	D3	M	150 0 0	20
Little Grey ..	30	176 0 0	..	49 7 9	..	..	Wylde, Robert E. . .	D2	M	156 0 0	..
Neudorf ..	42	150 0 0	..	15 12 10	..	..	Mickle, Paul A. D. .	Lic.	M	150 0 0	..
River Terrace	..	67 10 0	..	6 3 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Rockville ..	25	131 0 0	..	7 7 4	1 5 0	..	Manson, Janette C. .	D1	F	131 0 0	..
Sarau ..	35	154 0 0	..	18 9 1	..	..	Boyce, Charles G. M.	D3	M	154 0 0	..
Spring Grove	48	172 0 0	..	15 11 10	..	..	White, Alfred T. . .	D3	HM	152 0 0	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Lammas, Isobel ..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Summerlea ..	28	134 0 0	..	61 16 2	..	..	Street, Emily ..	D2	F	134 0 0	..
Takaka, Central	22	132 0 0	..	31 10 4	..	..	Page, May ..	E1	F	132 0 0	..
Takaka, East	29	135 0 0	..	9 13 3	..	..	Packard, F. M. B. . .	E1	F	135 0 0	..
Waimea West	37	154 0 0	..	16 16 6	..	..	Coleman, B. F. P. . .	D3	M	154 0 0	..
GRADE 4.											
Charleston ..	41	241 0 0	..	15 19 1	..	..	Maloney, John W. . .	D1	HM	161 0 0	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Thompson, M. M. E.	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Collingwood ..	46	240 10 0	..	22 19 5	5 8 4	..	Sanders, Herbert B.S.	E3	HM	160 10 0	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Black, Hilda ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Dovedale ..	44	241 10 0	..	41 9 0	..	..	Douglas, Arthur ..	D1	HM	161 10 0	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Turner, Fanny May	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Lyell ..	42	242 0 0	..	47 3 4	..	..	Irwin, Robert ..	D3	HM	162 0 0	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Irwin, A. M., Mrs. .	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Motupiko ..	43	242 0 0	..	16 6 6	108 2 0	..	Mayo, Egbert John	E2	HM	162 0 0	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Morrison, C. A. . .	E2	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Motupipi ..	50	229 0 0	..	217 18 3	..	..	Manson, L. M., Mrs.	E1	HF	149 0 0	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Ladley, Olive M. . .	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Moutere, Lower	45	242 0 0	..	36 9 2	..	1 0 0	Scott, Thomas C. C.	D3	HM	162 0 0	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Leighton, Hannah M.	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Murchison ..	46	295 10 0	..	11 13 3	6 8 3	..	Lawn, George ..	D3	HM	160 10 0	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Webb, F. E., Mrs. . .	E2	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Stoke ..	63	239 1 5	..	84 2 5	..	..	Ogg, Annie ..	..	FP4	55 0 0	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Wilmot, David H. . .	D2	HM	164 10 0	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Hill, Ethel I. . .	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
GRADE 5.											
Black's Point ..	64	268 15 0	30 0 0	59 6 3	..	..	Green, Richard E. . .	E1	HM	183 15 0	30
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Moore, Euphemia J.	E2	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Burnett's Face ..	64	279 6 9	..	39 13 7	..	..	Trevella, Arthur ..	D1	HM	185 0 0	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Arnold, Cecilia May	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Fletcher, Sophy(?)	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
Seddonville ..	79	266 5 0	30 0 0	19 12 2	403 6 6	15 0 0	Street, Samuel W. . .	D2	HM	186 5 0	30
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Hallagan, Alice M. .	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Fox Hill ..	53	258 6 8	..	25 6 2	..	..	Veysey, John T. . .	E1	HM	173 15 0	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	O'Brien, Maud M. . .	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Wai-iti ..	54	263 15 0	..	14 7 8	..	..	Edridge, Edward ..	E1	HM	178 15 0	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Lammas, Louisa ..	E4	Mis.	85 0 0	..
GRADE 6.											
Granity Creek ..	83	290 9 2	30 0 0	152 2 1	19 19 6	1 0 6	Satchell, Robert E.	Lic.	HM	196 5 0	30
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Wright, Isabel E. . .	E3	Mis.	95 0 0	..
Millerton ..	82	296 5 0	..	87 8 9	..	..	Rumbold, William A.	D1	HM	201 5 0	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Kelpe, Caroline ..	E3	Mis.	95 0 0	..
Riwaka ..	76	286 5 0	..	22 7 7	..	4 0 6	Andrews, Ernest H.	D1	HM	191 5 0	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Salmond, Jessie ..	E1	Mis.	95 0 0	..
Takaka Lower	83	300 0 0	..	63 2 2	..	..	Boyes, William H. .	D1	HM	205 0 0	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Jordan, Fanny Sarah	D2	Mis.	95 0 0	..
Waimangaroa ..	73	293 1 8	..	29 1 8	..	..	McDonald, W. G. . .	D1	HM	201 5 0	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Hanron, Clara ..	D4	Mis.	95 0 0	..
Wakefield Lower	97	311 5 0	..	41 1 1	..	..	Pearl, Frederick B.	E1	HM	211 5 0	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Bird, Kate B. . .	E2	Mis.	95 0 0	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Eden, Hilda Grace(?)	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
GRADE 7.											
Richmond ..	112	360 19 3	..	122 4 6	47 0 0	..	Cowles, Edward ..	D1	HM	219 16 0	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Thompson, Katie E.	E2	Mis.	100 0 0	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	O'Hara, Smith N. . .	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
GRADE 8.											
Motueka D.H.S.	137	444 0 8	..	59 9 9	..	..	Harris, T. A., M.A.	A1	HM	228 4 0	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Hughes, Frances ..	D2	Mis.	105 0 0	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Davies, Constance E.	..	FP4	55 0 0	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	McLean, Ivy ..	..	FP1	30 0 0	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Stoddart, F., B.A. . .	B3	Sec.	..	..

(1) Temporary.

TABLE NO. 8.—LIST of the PUBLIC SCHOOLS, the EXPENDITURE, STAFF, &c.—continued.
NELSON—continued.

1	2	Expenditure for the Year.					Names, Classification, and Status of Teachers.			Annual Rates of Payment during Last Month of Year.	
Name of School.	Average for the Year 1905.	3 Teachers' Salaries, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	4 Teachers' House Allowances.	5 Other Ordinary Expenditure, including Re-building, Repairs to Buildings, &c.	6 Buildings, Sites, Furniture, and Apparatus.	7 Rent of School Buildings.	8 Teachers on the Staff at the End of the Year.	9 Classification.	10 Position in the School.	11 For Salary, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	12 For Teachers' House Allowances.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£
GRADE 9.											
Denniston ..	164	512 16 3	..	89 10 3	..	..	Griffin, Thomas J... Josephson, Bertha M. Stanton, Harold E. Bettjemann, Ada J. Jessop, Annie ..	D1 D4	HM Mis. AM FP2 FP2	236 12 0 110 0 0 90 0 0 40 0 0 40 0 0	..........
GRADE 10.											
Boys' Central ..	250	787 2 0	35 0 0	64 13 3	..	..	Gibbs, F. G., M.A. ... Worley, William F. ... Hughes, Margaret ... Poole, William Elgar Seldon, Edith Jessie Leach, Elizabeth ... Kitching, Lucy H. ... Hood, Marion C. ... Wright, Julia C. ... Caddale, M. J. N. ... Shirliffe, Kate V. ... Griffin, Ethel C. ...	A1 D1 D1 D2 D3 E1 E1 E1 D3 D4*	HM AM AF AM AF HF Mis. AF AF FP3 FP3 FP3	262 2 0 185 0 0 145 0 0 115 0 0 80 0 0 160 0 0 120 0 0 85 0 0 80 0 0 40 0 0 40 0 0 40 0 0	35 35
Eastern District Infants'	230	560 8 7	35 0 0	70 15 3	..	..	Knapp, Frederick V. Bond, Jane Alice .. Johnson, Amy F. ... Kitching, Mary E. ... Hewlett, Edith M. Pettit, Jessie H. ..	C1 D1 C2 E2	HM AF AF AF FP3 FP2	255 4 0 135 0 0 105 0 0 85 0 0 40 0 0 30 0 0	35
Toi Toi Valley ..	226	653 2 7	35 0 0	77 14 0	1 12 6	..	Harkness, J. H., B.A. Galloway, Helen ... Wilson, James F. ... Möller, Louisa A. ... Garth, Isabella O. ... Nicolson, Rose Eva Ainsworth, Emma F., B.A.	B1 E2* D2 Lic. E4 .. B2	HM Mis. AM AF AF FP1 Sec.	264 10 0 120 0 0 170 0 0 80 0 0 80 0 0 20 0 0..	..............
GRADE 11.											
Reefton D.H.S. ..	251	732 16 8	..	149 11 9	..	..	Sunley, Georgiana F. Dement, Mary Anne Wright, G. F. ... Shone, Eva E. ... Dement, Ethel M. (?) Downe, Mary W. ... Johnston, Janet ... Phillips, Ethel M. ... Knapp, Cora ..	E1 E2 E3 Lic. Lic.	HM AF AF AF AF FP3 FP2 FP2 FP3	170 0 0 125 0 0 85 0 0 80 0 0 80 0 0 40 0 0 30 0 0 30 0 0 45 0 0	40
GRADE 15.											
Westport D.H.S. ..	467	1,251 19 3	..	940 2 3	785 0 0	..	Neve, Frederick, M.A. Virtue, Mary E. ... Boswell, Edward B.B. Martin, Annie ... Gapper, Bernard R. Marris, Amelia ... Josephson, G. E. ... Hill, Jessie A. ... Falla, Ethel M. E. Gallagher, Ethel M. Taylor, Rose A. ... Gifford, A. J., M.A. McElwee, Marion E.	B1 E2 D2 E2 E2 D2 E3 A2 ..	HM Mis. AM AF AM AF AF FP2 FP5 FP4 FP2 Sec. Sec.	310 0 0 140 0 0 220 0 0 110 0 0 125 0 0 100 0 0 80 0 0 30 0 0 50 0 0 55 0 0 30 0 0....	..........................
Schools not open in December, 1905—											
Doctor's Creek ..	..	15 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hildren ..	..	21 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
McWha's ..	..	12 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totaranui ..	..	6 0 0	..	2 4 6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Oparara ..	..	73 11 0	8 15 7	5 5 5	..	22 11 0	..	..	..	..	..
Expenditure not classified—											
Blackboards, &c. ..	..	..	..	9 5 10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Board's office ..	..	..	..	0 11 6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Committees' bank charges, &c. ..	..	..	..	43 15 6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Suter Art Society	12 10 0
Totals	18,984 17 10	751 17 11	3,670 8 11	1421 12 10	56 2 0	19,083 18 0	755

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TABLE NO. 8.—LIST of the PUBLIC SCHOOLS, the EXPENDITURE, STAFF, &c.—continued.
GREY.

1 Name of School.	2 Average for the Year 1905.	3 Expenditure for the Year.					Names, Classification, and Status of Teachers.			Annual Rates of Payment during Last Month of Year.	
		3 Teachers' Salaries, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	4 Teachers' House Allowances.	5 Other Ordinary Expenditure, including Re-building, Repairs to Buildings, &c.	6 Buildings, Sites, Furniture, and Apparatus.	7 Rent of School Buildings.	8 Teachers on the Staff at the End of the Year.	9 Classification.	10 Position in the School.	11 For Salary, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	12 For Teachers' House Allowances.
GRADE 0.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£
Barrytown ..	11	62 10 0	10 0 0	39 2 0	..	..	Ryall, Jane ..	..	F	70 0 0	10
Inchbonnie ..	6	42 0 0	..	3 1 9	..	..	Kelly, Alice ..	..	F	42 0 0	..
Moonlight ..	3	36 0 0	..	2 19 6	..	..	Turner, Dorothy ..	..	F	36 0 0	..
Noble's ..	4	34 10 0	..	5 4 6	..	..	Duncan, Margaret ..	..	F	36 0 0	..
No Town ..	4	30 0 0	..	3 2 5	..	..	Malone, Theresa ..	..	F	30 0 0	..
Poerua ..	2	36 0 0	..	3 4 5	..	..	Larkin, Catherine ..	..	F	36 0 0	..
Poerua Estate ..	12	60 0 0	10 0 0	3 2 6	..	..	Garland, Rachel M. ..	..	F	60 0 0	10
Te Kinga ..	11	60 0 0	10 0 0	3 3 9	..	..	Moriarty, Mary E. ..	..	F	60 0 0	10
Teremakau ..	7	48 0 0	..	15 7 0	..	..	Corbett, Margaret ..	..	F	48 0 0	..
Twelve-mile ..	11	56 10 0	..	6 7 11	..	..	Mullins, Margaret ..	..	F	70 0 0	..
Upper Moonlight ..	3	18 0 0	..	3 6 2	..	..	Anderson, Mary ..	..	F	18 0 0	..
Westbrook ..	8	60 0 0	..	4 4 6	..	..	Kelly, Catherine T. ..	..	F	60 8 0	..
GRADE 1.											
Dunganville ..	15	75 0 0	..	6 11 7	..	..	Downing, Mary I. C. ..	..	F	80 0 0	..
Granville ..	9	75 0 0	10 0 0	3 18 4	..	..	Wilson, Maud E. ..	..	F	75 0 0	10
Greenstone ..	16	80 2 2	..	11 7 0	..	..	Moriarty, Minnie F. ..	..	F	80 0 0	..
Kotuku ..	16	81 0 0	10 0 0	5 12 3	..	..	Barnett, Isabella ..	..	F	81 0 0	10
Marsden ..	13	70 0 0	..	6 17 4	..	..	Dowling, Johanna M. ..	..	F	70 0 0	..
Swede's Mille ..	18	88 12 6	10 0 0	5 12 6	..	..	Tansey, Theresa ..	..	F	94 10 0	10
GRADE 2.											
Ngahere ..	30	130 15 0	20 0 0	22 11 6	..	..	Owens, Edith ..	E1	F	133 0 0	20
GRADE 3.											
Duncan's ..	34	124 15 3	20 0 0	11 19 7	..	..	Manners, Marie L. ..	..	F	126 0 0	20
Moana ..	29	135 0 0	20 0 0	13 16 7	..	..	Abram, A. E., Mrs. ..	E3	F	135 0 0	20
Paroa ..	29	133 0 0	..	17 17 11	..	..	Kemple, Frances M. ..	E1	F	133 0 0	..
Stillwater ..	35	141 0 0	20 0 0	8 4 9	..	..	Crowley, A. M. J. ..	D1	F	141 0 0	20
Totara Flat ..	32	137 0 0	..	15 0 10	..	..	Crowley, Johanna ..	D4	F	137 0 0	..
GRADE 5.											
Ahaura ..	44	252 10 0	..	12 3 1	..	..	Evison, John C. M. ..	D1	HM	167 10 0	..
Dobson ..	52	261 5 0	30 0 0	20 6 0	..	..	Turnbull, Elizabeth ..	E1	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Hatter's ..	52	251 5 0	30 0 0	76 2 8	..	..	O'Flynn, Francis E. ..	D1	HM	176 5 0	30
Kokiri ..	52	255 0 0	30 0 0	15 1 11	..	..	Griffiths, Elizabeth ..	E3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
							Malone, Michael ..	E2	HM	166 5 0	30
							Barnhill, Margaret L. ..	E4	Mis.	85 0 0	..
							Seebeck, Albert H. ..	D1	HM	170 0 0	30
							Hargreaves, Alice M. ..	Lic.	Mis.	85 0 0	..
GRADE 7.											
Blackball ..	92	338 6 0	30 0 0	61 0 2	..	4 10 0	Wickes, Arthur J. ..	D1	HM	218 6 0	30
							Crowley, Elizabeth L. ..	D3	Mis.	100 0 0	..
							Rogers, Rosanna ..	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
GRADE 8.											
Cobden ..	155	413 16 0	30 0 0	64 4 9	..	..	de Berry, Leonard F. ..	C2	HM	228 16 0	30
							Sotheman, Jane ..	E1	Mis.	105 0 0	..
							Moore, Isabella ..	D4	AF	80 0 0	..
GRADE 9.											
Taylorville ..	139	524 10 0	35 0 0	54 8 8	..	..	Scott, Edward A. ..	D1	HM	234 10 0	35
							Sweetman, Eliza J. ..	E2	Mis.	110 0 0	..
							Noble, John ..	E4	AM	100 0 0	..
							Dixon, Dorothy ..	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Noble, Thomas ..	..	MP1	20 0 0	..
GRADE 15.											
Greymouth D.H.S. ..	443	1,234 17 0	..	296 3 2	..	16 13 6	Adams, Allan A. ..	D1	HM	303 12 0	..
							Austin, William S. ..	D1	AM	220 0 0	..
							Batchelor, Bessie ..	E1	Mis.	140 0 0	..
							Blair, Christina ..	D1	AF	110 0 0	..
							Skoglund, W. C. ..	D2	AF	105 0 0	..
							Easson, Edith A. ..	D2	AF	100 0 0	..
							Lewis, Annie M. L. ..	D4	AF	80 0 0	..
							Barnett, John ..	..	MP4	55 0 0	..
							Sheard, John ..	..	MP3	45 0 0	..
							Hargreaves, Hilda E. ..	..	FP2	40 0 0	..
							Moore, Ellen ..	..	FP1	30 0 0	..
							Wood, R. T., B.A., LL.B. ..	B1	Sec.	..	..
Schools not opened in December, 1905—											
Runanga ..	..	..	..	0 12 6	597 17 9	..	..	..	..	..	..
Red Jack's ..	..	10 0 0	..	0 10 6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Expenditure not classified—											
Board's office ..	..	..	..	652 14 10	..	40 10 0	..	..	..	..	..
Inspection ..	..	..	..	25 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Technical school ..	..	..	..	15 7 6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals ..	..	5,356 3 11	325 0 0	1,515 12 4	597 17 9	61 13 6	..	..	..	5,366 14 0	325

TABLE No. 8.—LIST of the PUBLIC SCHOOLS, the EXPENDITURE, STAFF, &c.—continued.

WESTLAND.

1 Name of School.	2 Average for the Year 1905.	Expenditure for the Year.					Names, Classification, and Status of Teachers.			Annual Rates of Payment during Last Month of Year.	
		3 Teachers' Salaries, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	4 Teachers' House Allowances.	5 Other Ordinary Expenditure, including Rebuilding, Repairs to Buildings, &c.	6 Buildings, Sites, Furniture, and Apparatus.	7 Rent of School Buildings.	8 Teachers on the Staff at the End of the Year.	9 Classification.	10 Position in the School.	11 For Salary, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	12 For Teachers' House Allowances.
GRADE 0.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£
Awatuna ..	6	36 0 0	..	2 10 10	..	..	Turner, Georgina M.	..	F	36 0 0	..
Bruce Bay ..	9	60 0 0	..	48 14 1	..	..	Walsh, Mary	..	F	60 0 0	..
Cook's River ..	5	21 10 0	..	..	..	..	Ritchie, Margaret	..	F	30 0 0	..
Donoghue's ..	8	42 6 0	..	19 11 6	..	..	Smith, Daisy A.	Lic.	F	42 0 0	..
Gillespie's ..	4	36 0 0	..	0 4 6	..	..	Walsh, Kate	..	F	36 0 0	..
Haast ..	3	18 0 0	..	..	..	..	Harris, Mary L.	..	F	18 0 0	..
Inter-Wanganui ..	7	36 0 0	..	11 5 0	..	..	McNicol, Margaret	..	F	36 0 0	..
Karangarua ..	6	30 0 0	..	0 3 9	..	..	McIntosh, Catherine	..	F	30 0 0	..
Kawhaka ..	6	36 0 0	..	3 0 8	..	..	Reedy, Matilda L.	..	F	36 0 0	..
Mahitahi ..	4	36 0 0	..	0 4 6	..	..	Mulveny, Mary E.	..	F	36 0 0	..
Okarito ..	10	60 0 0	..	11 16 6	..	..	Patrick, Anna	Lic.	F	60 0 0	..
Otira, Lower ..	3	24 0 0	..	0 3 0	..	..	Aicken, Isabella J.	..	F	24 0 0	..
Waitangi ..	8	48 0 0	..	13 13 11	..	..	Condon, Ellen	..	F	48 0 0	..
Wataroa ..	2	6 0 0	..	..	..	..	Nancekwell, Alice	..	F	12 0 0	..
GRADE 1.											
Blue Spur ..	12	70 0 0	..	25 0 6	..	..	Simpson, Eleanor A.	Lic.	F	70 0 0	..
Callaghan's ..	12	70 0 0	..	13 11 6	..	..	Batten, Annie E. B.	E1	F	70 0 0	..
Humphrey's ..	19	105 0 0	..	13 18 3	..	..	Wallace, Eliz. M.	Lic.	F	105 0 0	..
Jackson ..	13	90 0 0	10 0 0	8 7 0	..	..	Dwyer, Eviline G.	..	F	90 0 0	10
Koiterangi ..	21	100 19 11	..	16 12 9	..	..	Martyn, Laura	Lic.	F	110 0 0	..
Okuru ..	18	83 17 6	..	126 17 8	..	..	Savill, Alfred J.	Lic.	M	90 0 0	..
Rangiriri ..	12	75 0 0	..	4 19 9	..	..	Willets, Mary M.	..	F	75 0 0	..
South Beach ..	16	82 10 0	..	14 17 3	..	..	Gray, Isabella	Lic.	F	85 0 0	..
GRADE 2.											
Kokatahi, Lower ..	24	102 10 0	2 10 0	210 8 11	60 0 0	..	MacKinnon, Maud	E3	F	114 0 0	10
Kumara Junction ..	24	103 6 0	10 0 0	16 12 0	..	..	Harrison, Robert	E4*	M	122 0 0	10
GRADE 3.											
Goldsborough ..	26	135 0 0	..	37 8 0	..	..	Wilson, Margaret A.	D2	F	135 0 0	..
Kanieri ..	31	137 0 0	..	31 7 0	..	..	Potts, Mary J.	D1	F	137 0 0	..
Stafford ..	20	167 6 8	..	17 12 9	..	..	Ryde, Henry J.	D2	M	154 0 0	..
GRADE 4.											
Arahura Road ..	52	244 10 0	..	72 5 8	..	..	Henderson, John J.	D1	HM	164 10 0	..
							Henderson, M., Mrs.	..	AF	80 0 0	..
GRADE 5.											
Ross ..	53	266 17 0	..	59 1 9	..	..	Winchester, William	C1	HM	181 5 0	..
							Osmers, M. E., Mrs.	E2	AF	85 0 0	..
Woodstock ..	57	268 15 0	..	54 17 0	..	..	McKay, William D.	D1	HM	183 15 0	..
							McKay, Ida O., Mrs.	E1	AF	85 0 0	..
GRADE 9.											
Kumara and Dillman's	155	582 9 10	..	9 13 6	..	..	Sinclair, George K.	D1	HM	243 10 0	..
							Jamieson, Amy F.	D3	AF	110 0 0	..
							Stark, Elizabeth M.	D3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Hurren, Mary P.	D4	AF	80 0 0	..
							Bell, Mary Jane	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
GRADE 10.											
Hokitika D.H.S.	252	687 6 0	..	266 13 0	..	..	Wake, Hugh G., B.A.	B1	HM	*257 6 0	..
							Williams, Henry	C1	AM	*155 0 0	..
							Ward, Esther	D1	AF	115 0 0	..
							Moore, Marguerite D.	E2	AF	*80 0 0	..
							Goudie, Eliz. Mary	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Brown, Jane R.	..	FP2	40 0 0	..
							Low, B. H., B.A.	B1	Sec.	..	..
							Dixon, Ellenor	..	Sec.	..	..
							Willets, Elizabeth	..	Sec.	..	..
School not open in December, 1905—											
Waikukupa ..	..	4 10 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Board's office ..	..	..	..	27 10 10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Unclassified expenditure ..	..	..	..	163 13 5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
School requisites ..	..	..	..	33 17 8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals ..	..	3,866 13 11	22 10 0	1,430 1 5	60 0 0	..	..	..	..	3,881 6 0	30

TABLE No. 8.—LIST of the PUBLIC SCHOOLS, the EXPENDITURE, STAFF, &c.—continued.

NORTH CANTERBURY.

1	2	Expenditure for the Year.					Names, Classification, and Status of Teachers.			Annual Rates of Payment during Last Month of Year.	
Name of School.	Average for the Year 1905.	3 Teachers' Salaries, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	4 Teachers' House Allowances.	5 Other Ordinary Expenditure, including Re-building, Repairs to Buildings, &c.	6 Buildings, Sites, Furniture, and Apparatus.	7 Rent of School Buildings.	8 Teachers on the Staff at the End of the Year.	9 Classification.	10 Position in the School.	11 For Salary, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	12 For Teachers' House Allowances.
GRADE 0.											
Clarence Bridge	9	£ 60 0 0	£ 7 10 0	£ 2 6 3	..	..	McFarlane, Peter G.	..	M	£ 60 0 0	£ 10
Eskvale	8	61 5 0	7 10 0	6 15 0	..	..	Dalziel, Catherine A.	..	F	60 0 0	10
Flea Bay	8	45 14 8	..	..	..	..	Nicholls, Aldyth ⁽¹⁾	..	F	48 0 0	..
Island Bay	7	29 10 0	..	..	..	..	Macdonald, May B.	..	F	36 0 0	..
Kaituna	7	48 6 9	6 9 0	4 5 10	..	..	Dalby, Mary C.	..	F	54 0 0	10
Long Bay (1 and 2)	12	47 16 1	0 17 3	..	..	..	Minnis, Emily	..	F	80 0 0	10
Okuti Valley	11	55 0 0	6 13 4	6 13 0	..	..	Hinch, Alice E.	..	F	60 0 0	10
Robinson's Bay	8	43 5 3	..	13 5 10	..	..	Wright, Eliza J.	..	F	54 0 0	..
Valetta	5	25 10 0	..	1 4 3	..	..	Munro, Margaret W.	..	F	24 0 0	..
Wakanui (side)	12	52 7 0	7 3 11	10 1 9	..	..	Minnis, Lucy	..	F	65 10 0	..
GRADE 1.											
Anama	10	63 3 11	7 4 5	11 2 3	..	..	Cameron, Mary	Lic.	F	65 0 0	10
Ashburton Forks	14	65 0 0	7 10 0	14 6 5	..	..	Doherty, Kate	E3	F	75 0 0	10
Awaroa	15	90 0 0	7 10 0	8 1 10	..	..	McGettrick, Anne G.	D4	F	90 0 0	10
Barry's Bay	15	100 0 0	..	32 14 4	..	..	Montgomery, K. M.	E3	F	100 0 0	..
Belfast (side)	9	90 0 0	7 10 0	11 2 6	..	..	Pole, Richard P.	E2	M	90 0 0	10
Big Bay	18	82 15 0	..	14 11 9	..	..	Scholes, A., Rev.	Lic.	M	90 0 0	..
Broomfield	20	100 0 0	..	20 16 0	..	..	Townsend, Ethel M.	E2	F	100 0 0	..
Burnham	16	80 9 4	..	13 1 9	..	..	Wright, Emily H. A.	..	F	80 0 0	..
Carew	10	67 4 9	9 3 4	17 8 7	..	..	Cossgrove, Elfrida F.	..	F	65 0 0	10
Charing Cross	16	79 4 6	..	13 10 0	..	..	Broughan, Alice	..	F	80 0 0	..
Culverden	15	95 0 0	7 10 0	9 7 9	..	..	Chapman, Lucy	D2	F	95 0 0	10
Dorie	14	84 3 4	9 3 4	34 2 11	..	..	Kealy, Catherine ⁽¹⁾	..	F	80 0 0	10
Ealing	12	75 17 4	..	11 6 6	..	..	White, Kate R.	Lic.	F	75 0 0	..
French Farm	19	99 0 0	..	14 17 6	..	..	Stanley, Mary E.	Lic.	F	99 0 0	..
Glenroy	21	100 0 0	..	65 8 10	..	..	Webb, Fanny A.	D3	F	110 0 0	..
Greendale (side)	21	110 0 0	12 10 0	15 1 10	..	..	Gillespie, Hilda W.	D4	F	110 0 0	10
Greenstreet	14	80 0 0	..	23 17 9	..	..	Hill, Charlotte J.	D3	F	80 0 0	..
Greta Valley	19	90 0 0	7 10 0	19 17 8	..	..	Wills, Mary	Lic.	F	90 0 0	10
Hapuku	20	76 15 9	5 5 4	16 4 11	..	..	Peele, Mildred E.	..	F	94 10 0	10
Homebush	10	64 2 11	7 6 9	10 11 5	..	..	Waterston, Clara ⁽¹⁾	..	F	65 0 0	10
Horsley Downs	18	107 19 6	7 10 0	10 3 6	..	..	Cossgrove, C. E.	..	F	94 10 0	10
Hundalee	14	79 3 4	5 9 2	62 7 11	..	..	Bullock, J. W., Mrs.	E1	F	95 0 0	..
Huntingdon	12	80 0 0	7 10 0	10 14 9	..	..	Bell, Edith A.	D4	F	80 0 0	10
Hurunui	12	75 0 0	..	11 7 3	..	..	Mowat, Martha C.	..	F	75 0 0	..
Kaipoi Island	15	84 13 6	..	12 8 9	..	..	Ferguson, Richard H.	D2	M	90 0 0	..
Kyle	10	70 0 0	7 10 0	10 4 0	..	..	White, Alice E.	Lic.	F	70 0 0	10
Leamington	11	76 12 11	5 15 1	8 11 5	..	..	Orr, Charlotte E.	E4	F	85 0 0	10
Little Akaloa (main)	21	90 0 0	..	14 4 9	..	..	Hately, Sarah L.	Lic.	F	90 0 0	..
Lyndhurst	20	100 0 0	7 10 0	14 7 1	..	..	Hoggins, Mary F.	D4	F	105 0 0	10
Newland	13	70 0 0	..	11 9 0	..	..	Lawrence, Edith M.	D4	F	70 0 0	..
Pigeon Bay (main)	18	95 0 0	..	13 17 0	..	..	Thomas, Ethel B.	D4	F	95 0 0	..
Port Hills	17	80 0 0	7 10 0	5 0 0	227 14 11	5 0 0	Steeds, Elizabeth B.	Lic.	F	80 0 0	10
Port Levy	14	70 0 0	..	11 11 6	..	..	Lake, Emily M.	D5	F	70 0 0	..
Rakaia, Little	14	90 0 0	..	12 6 3	..	..	Sloan, Emily	E3	F	90 0 0	..
Rokeby	11	75 0 0	7 10 0	10 14 9	..	..	Napper, Madeline	Lic.	F	75 0 0	10
Russell's Flat	12	74 8 5	..	19 13 0	..	..	Murphy, Ivy A.	Lic.	F	75 0 0	..
Scargill	18	70 0 0	7 10 0	46 19 8	..	..	Maddison, John	E2	M	70 0 0	10
Seafield	14	75 0 0	..	17 19 9	..	..	Mulligan, Thomas	E1	M	75 0 0	..
Selwyn	18	105 0 0	..	15 7 9	..	..	Christian, Amy J.	D3	F	105 0 0	..
Stoke	16	88 10 0	..	13 9 6	..	..	Kitchingman, Eliza	C1	F	90 0 0	..
Summerhill	16	89 10 0	..	13 15 9	..	..	Mackay, Annie E.	Lic.	F	85 10 0	..
Teddington	17	70 0 0	..	77 9 8	..	..	Calvert, Lily	..	F	80 0 0	..
View Hill	18	110 10 6	..	27 15 6	..	..	Dyson, Sarah E.	D2	F	110 0 0	..
Waiau Ferry	10	65 0 0	7 10 0	2 8 9	..	..	Barlow, Janet B.	..	F	65 0 0	10
Westerfield	22	101 5 0	..	16 0 4	..	..	Killner, Elizabeth D.	D3	F	114 0 0	..
Woodstock	20	86 12 6	7 10 0	15 13 2	..	..	Hayes, Helena J.	Lic.	F	99 0 0	..
GRADE 2.											
Ashley Gorge	24	113 8 10	35 0 1	86 1 9	..	..	McMeekan, C. A.	D3	F	122 0 0	20
Broadfield	26	114 0 0	..	16 4 5	..	..	Egan, Victoria H. W.	D3	F	122 0 0	..
Courtenay	17	118 0 0	..	79 0 6	..	..	Rankin, Elizabeth E.	D3	F	118 0 0	..
Eiffelton	17	118 0 0	..	14 15 7	..	..	Meyenberg, D. J.	E3	F	118 0 0	..
Elgin	17	116 7 0	..	14 14 5	..	..	McLean, Elizabeth	D2	F	114 0 0	..
Flemington	18	130 0 0	..	14 4 3	..	..	McLennan, H. T. W.	D4	M	130 0 0	..
Hammer Plains	24	130 0 0	20 0 0	14 7 6	414 11 2	2 16 6	Hare, Irene M.	D3	F	130 0 0	20
Kirikiri	22	126 0 0	20 0 0	16 2 11	..	..	Callaghan, M. M.	D3	F	126 0 0	20
Lauriston	25	106 10 0	..	17 5 6	..	..	Taylor, William N.	D3*	M	126 0 0	..
Lismore	22	122 0 0	..	16 3 0	..	..	Smith, Edward	E4	M	122 0 0	..
Little River (side)	27	131 5 0	20 0 0	20 2 2	..	..	Bell, Matilda	E2	F	133 0 0	20
Lowcliffe	18	126 0 0	..	15 3 7	..	..	Craig, Sarah M.	D2	F	126 0 0	..
Mason's Flat	25	130 6 9	..	105 15 8	..	..	Wilkinson, M., Mrs.	E2	F	130 0 0	..
Medbury	24	122 0 0	..	16 15 0	Padbrooke, C. J.	D3	F	122 0 0	..
Midland Railway	35	107 17 1	18 9 11	17 4 10	Keeling, Gray	..	M	126 0 0	20

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		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£
GRADE 2—<i>continued</i>.											
Mount Grey Downs ..	21	114 0 0	..	15 15 1	Armstrong, C. M. ..	E3	F	114 0 0	..
Omihi ..	31	129 5 0	20 0 0	26 13 5	..	..	Dynes, Arabella ..	D2	F	135 0 0	..
Pigeon Bay (side) ..	17	114 0 0	..	14 4 3	..	..	Parkin, Emily M. ..	D4	F	114 0 0	..
Port Robinson ..	22	118 0 0	..	16 5 2	..	..	Hodgson, Adèle ..	D2	F	118 0 0	..
Riverside ..	19	122 0 0	..	14 19 0	..	..	Peppler, Catherine C.	D4	F	122 0 0	..
Sedgemere ..	22	122 0 0	..	16 10 7	..	..	Metherell, Rosa M.	Lic.	F	122 0 0	..
The Peaks ..	22	110 5 0	17 11 1	17 2 6	..	..	McGorman, Sarah A.	D3	F	122 0 0	..
Wainui ..	26	142 15 8	..	19 7 11	..	..	Lewis, Lydia, B.A.	B2	F	132 0 0	..
Weedon's ..	26	124 0 0	..	17 5 6	..	..	Webster, Isabella ..	D2	F	130 0 0	..
GRADE 3.											
Alford Forest ..	28	146 0 0	..	19 6 0	..	..	Gillman, Alfred I. ..	E3	M	146 0 0	..
Ashton ..	27	128 17 8	..	19 0 10	..	..	Campbell, J. B. I. ..	D2	M	132 0 0	..
Aylesbury ..	24	137 7 6	..	18 16 2	..	..	Thompson, Emma E.	E3	F	133 0 0	..
Balcarrn ..	30	138 12 6	..	24 19 9	..	..	Berry, William ..	D2	M	136 0 0	..
Barrhill ..	34	150 11 5	..	21 15 6	..	..	Sayers, May, Mrs. ..	D3	F	137 0 0	..
Bushside ..	32	136 0 0	..	23 0 0	..	..	Moses, William H. ..	D2	M	136 0 0	..
Carleton ..	29	135 0 0	..	22 0 1	..	..	Dick, Janet ..	E2	F	135 0 0	..
Chertsey ..	35	146 0 0	..	21 0 3	..	..	Chapman, Henry J.	D3	M	146 0 0	..
Domett ..	24	136 19 5	..	18 2 4	..	..	Brown, John B. ..	D4	M	136 0 0	..
Davauchelle's Bay ..	30	138 7 6	..	19 13 4	..	..	Smith, Ellen ..	E3	F	132 0 0	..
Ellesmere ..	36	148 7 6	20 0 0	21 4 2	..	..	Revell, Percy ..	D3	M	148 0 0	20
Fairton ..	30	144 0 0	20 0 0	20 6 7	..	..	Campbell, John ..	D4	M	144 0 0	20
German Bay ..	35	140 15 0	..	32 5 3	..	..	Anderson, C. V. ..	D3	F	137 0 0	..
Governor's Bay ..	29	140 0 0	..	31 7 6	..	..	Budd, George W. E.	E3	M	140 0 0	..
Greendale (main) ..	31	154 0 0	..	47 2 5	..	..	Morland, Charles J.	D3	M	154 0 0	..
Halkett ..	23	136 0 0	..	24 13 9	..	..	Maber, William G. ..	E1	M	136 0 0	..
Kilinchy ..	33	136 0 0	..	75 9 9	..	..	Warnock, Selina M.	D2	F	136 0 0	..
Kimberley ..	30	140 0 0	..	27 3 10	..	..	Stewart, James ..	E2	M	140 0 0	..
Kirwee ..	34	137 0 0	..	34 7 5	..	..	Sloane, William J. ..	D2	M	146 0 0	..
Kowai Bush ..	22	131 0 0	..	21 11 2	..	..	Savill, Harriet, Mrs.	D1	F	131 0 0	..
Le Bon's Bay ..	33	148 0 0	..	34 17 6	..	..	Gillman, H. A. W. ..	C3	M	148 0 0	..
Little Akaloa (side) ..	27	133 0 0	20 0 0	18 11 1	..	15 0 0	Duncan, Agnes ..	D2	F	133 0 0	20
Loburn ..	30	150 8 5	..	25 4 10	..	..	Pavitt, Norman W.	D3	M	150 0 0	..
Loburn North ..	31	144 0 0	..	83 7 7	..	..	Dalby, John S. ..	D2	M	144 0 0	..
Mandeville Plains ..	26	134 18 9	..	18 6 5	..	..	Bussell, Lilian E. ..	E5	F	131 0 0	..
Mount Somers ..	36	144 0 0	..	77 6 3	..	..	Cook, John ..	D2	M	144 0 0	..
Overdale ..	23	136 7 6	..	23 1 8	..	..	McGill, Robina L. ..	D3	F	132 0 0	..
Rotherham ..	38	141 10 0	..	38 9 9	..	..	Dickie, William ..	D2	M	154 0 0	..
Ruapuna ..	28	120 8 3	..	36 4 9	..	..	Sloan, Caroline ..	E4	F	133 0 0	..
Saltwater Creek ..	24	132 16 10	..	18 15 9	..	..	Cartwright, Maud J.	D2	F	132 0 0	..
South Malvern ..	36	147 2 6	..	34 8 10	..	..	Riordan, Annie W.	D3	F	139 0 0	..
Springburn ..	43	176 11 8	..	30 1 7	..	..	Baird, Samuel ..	D2	M	156 0 0	..
Waikuku ..	41	174 2 2	..	25 7 6	..	..	Arnold, William H.	D1	M	156 0 0	..
Wakanui (main) ..	23	135 12 6	..	17 10 10	..	..	Rosewarne, Elizabeth	D2	F	133 0 0	..
West Melton ..	31	152 0 0	..	21 5 10	..	..	Silcock, Frederick A.	D4	M	152 0 0	..
Willowby ..	37	147 0 0	..	21 16 7	..	..	Watson, Joseph ..	E2	M	146 0 0	..
Winchmore ..	33	137 0 0	20 0 0	30 13 4	..	..	Forsyth, Alice J. ..	D2	F	137 0 0	20
Winslow ..	36	156 0 0	..	22 5 11	..	..	Aldridge, George W.	D3	M	156 0 0	..
GRADE 4.											
Annat ..	53	243 10 0	..	28 9 0	..	..	Dawe, James, B.A.	B1	HM	163 10 0	..
Ashley ..	49	244 0 0	..	45 16 8	..	..	Hewitt, Emma E. ..	E3	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Brookside ..	42	240 19 11	..	24 15 8	..	..	Grant, Henry A. ..	D2	HM	164 0 0	..
Cooper's Creek ..	49	265 1 10	..	27 17 11	..	..	Withell, Alice M. ..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Cust ..	45	252 2 1	..	24 5 6	..	..	Douds, Thomas ..	C2	HM	162 10 0	..
Dromore ..	34	241 7 1	..	44 15 6	..	..	Cooper, Edith M. ..	E5	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Eyretton ..	35	241 18 8	..	23 5 5	..	..	Arncutt, David ..	D2	HM	165 0 0	..
Eyretton West ..	43	244 9 3	..	26 12 8	..	..	Metherell, F. R. S.	D4	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Fernside ..	45	241 0 0	..	149 8 1	..	..	Fergusson, F. D. (1)	C1	HM	162 0 0	..
Greenpark ..	44	241 0 0	..	24 14 10	..	..	Wilson, Grace E. ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Highbank ..	51	244 10 0	..	27 6 8	..	..	Smith, William C. ..	C4	HM	162 0 0	..
Hinds ..	48	245 0 0	..	38 3 8	..	..	Smith, Gertrude C. (2)	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Hororata ..	33	208 3 4	..	23 0 8	..	..	Hunnebell, Arthur ..	D2	HM	161 10 0	..
Irwell ..	46	240 8 6	..	26 7 11	..	..	Hempleman, Dora C.	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Mounsey, Robert ..	D3	HM	163 10 0	..
							Mason, Rose H. (1) ..	D5	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Pearson, Robert S.	D3	HM	161 0 0	..
							Lockwood, Mabel F.	D3	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Whitelaw, George ..	D2	HM	161 0 0	..
							Manifold, Dorothy ..	D3	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Graham, C. H. E. ..	E2	HM	164 10 0	..
							Graham, J. A., Mrs.	E3	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Sheldon, James C. ..	E2	HM	165 5 0	..
							Greer, Ellen ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Quartermain, George	D2	M	161 10 0	..
							Walker, Joseph W. A.	D1	HM	161 10 0	..
							Hodgson, Mabel E.	D4	Mis.	80 0 0	..

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		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£	
GRADE 4— <i>continued.</i>												
Leithfield ..	43	234 16 8	..	25 2 8	Anderson, George ..	D2	HM	161 10 0
Longbeach ..	45	242 15 8	..	26 9 2	..	..	Parkin, Alice M. ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..	..
Mayfield ..	42	242 10 8	..	31 10 6	..	..	Watson, John ..	D2	HM	163 10 0	..	..
Motukarara ..	39	241 10 0	..	24 11 2	..	..	Davidson, May ..	D4	Mis.	80 0 0	..	..
O'Kain's Bay ..	45	244 4 5	..	37 14 1	..	..	Withell, Charles W. ..	D2	HM	162 0 0	..	..
Rolleston ..	46	235 17 4	..	28 16 2	..	..	Hight, Maud L. ..	D3	Mis.	80 0 0	..	..
Spotswood ..	48	243 0 0	..	32 9 0	..	..	Cutler, Thomas E. ..	D3	HM	161 10 0	..	..
Springfield ..	49	244 10 0	..	38 10 0	..	..	Watson, Mary H. C. ..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..	..
Springston South ..	44	244 0 0	..	38 8 0	..	..	Thomas, Walter ..	D3	HM	164 0 0	..	..
Yaldhurst ..	41	240 16 2	..	28 18 6	..	..	Lowe, Constance M. (1) ..	D3	Mis.	80 0 0	..	..
							Pike, William H. ..	D2	HM	161 5 0	..	..
							Roberts, Georgina ..	E2	Mis.	80 0 0	..	..
							Polson, John G. ..	D2	HM	163 0 0	..	..
							Polson, M. J., Mrs. (2) ..	D3	Mis.	80 0 0	..	..
							Glanville, James E. ..	D1	HM	164 10 0	..	..
							Glanville, T., Mrs. ..	D3	Mis.	80 0 0	..	..
							Allen, George F. ..	D2	HM	164 0 0	..	..
							Anderson, Rosaline ..	D3	Mis.	80 0 0	..	..
							Bowler, Frederick H. ..	D2	HM	162 0 0	..	..
							Milne, Euphemia ..	D4	Mis.	80 0 0	..	..
GRADE 5.												
Bromley ..	57	281 17 6	..	51 9 10	..	..	Everiss Andrew (1) ..	E1	HM	175 0 0	..	..
Clarkville ..	51	253 15 0	..	26 16 0	..	..	Gilmour, Lily ..	D2	Mis.	85 0 0	..	..
Darfield D.H.S. ..	49	259 18 2	..	33 8 4	..	..	Watson, Lancelot ..	D2	HM	168 15 0	..	..
							Hiatt, Fanny C. ..	D2	Mis.	85 0 0	..	..
							Parlington, B. ..	D1	HM	172 15 0	..	..
							Coomer, Edith R. ..	D3	Mis.	85 0 0	..	..
							Opie, L. W., B.A. (2) ..	B5	Sec.	..	..	..
Doyleston ..	69	271 5 0	..	36 7 6	..	..	Burns, Trevethan ..	D1	HM	186 5 0	..	..
Flaxton ..	71	268 17 4	..	32 16 2	..	..	Greenup, Jessie P. ..	D3	Mis.	85 0 0	..	..
Kaikoura Suburban ..	68	268 7 9	..	43 3 0	..	..	Bussell, Henry ..	E2	HM	185 0 0	..	..
Ladbrooke's ..	64	271 5 0	..	101 10 0	..	..	Breeze, Catherine J. ..	D3	Mis.	85 0 0	..	..
Lakeside ..	61	252 10 0	..	30 5 9	..	..	Allison, Herbert H. ..	D2	HM	183 15 0	..	..
Lincoln D.H.S. ..	73	272 10 0	..	124 10 7	..	..	Joll, Alice F. M. ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..	..
							Kippenberger, Karl ..	C2	HM	186 5 0	..	..
							Bowden, Bessie E. ..	D3	Mis.	85 0 0	..	..
							Jackson, Joseph ..	D3	HM	167 10 0	..	..
							McIlraith, Alice E. ..	D4	Mis.	85 0 0	..	..
							Cookson, Arthur ..	D1	HM	187 10 0	..	..
							Haughton, S., Mrs. ..	D1	Mis.	85 0 0	..	..
							Gibson, G. F., M.A. ..	..	Sec.	..	..	..
Little River (main) ..	56	260 0 0	..	56 19 10	..	..	Gilling, George ..	D2	HM	180 0 0	..	..
Marshland ..	67	262 10 0	..	109 0 0	..	..	Webster, Eliz. N. ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..	..
Oxford West ..	67	273 15 0	..	33 12 3	..	..	Bowbyes, Alfred C. ..	D1	HM	177 10 0	..	..
Springston ..	66	265 0 0	..	31 15 3	..	..	Noall, Alice G. ..	D4	Mis.	85 0 0	..	..
Waiau ..	68	263 15 0	..	30 18 9	465 10 3	..	Harbidge, James ..	D2	HM	188 15 0	..	..
Waikari ..	55	259 7 1	..	35 6 2	..	..	Eyes, Itta L. ..	E5	Mis.	85 0 0	..	..
							McCullough, Samuel ..	D1	HM	180 0 0	..	..
							Kime, Henrietta ..	D2	Mis.	85 0 0	..	..
							Marr, Thomas M. ..	D2	HM	178 15 0	..	..
							Rogers, Edith F. H. ..	D4	Mis.	85 0 0	..	..
							Stout, Thomas ..	D1	HM	176 5 0	..	..
							Nicholls, Dora ..	E5	Mis.	85 0 0	..	..
GRADE 6.												
Burwood ..	77	290 0 0	..	34 6 3	..	..	Davidson, George ..	D1	HM	195 0 0	..	..
Dunsandel ..	81	301 7 1	..	35 13 9	..	..	Spence, Mary L. ..	E2	Mis.	95 0 0	..	..
Glentunnel ..	62	311 11 7	..	32 7 0	..	..	Irvine, Thomas ..	D2	HM	202 10 0	..	..
							Simpson, M. E., Mrs. ..	E1	Mis.	95 0 0	..	..
							Benjamin, Frank ..	D2	HM	192 10 0	..	..
							Kirkpatrick, L. J., Mrs. (1) ..	D3	Mis.	95 0 0	..	..
Malvern ..	79	307 10 0	..	59 3 4	..	..	Pole, Thomas L. P. ..	D2	HM	212 10 0	..	..
Sefton ..	79	309 7 5	..	33 15 6	..	..	Steele, Elizabeth ..	D4	Mis.	95 0 0	..	..
Sumner ..	110	323 15 0	..	100 18 5	..	..	Thomson, Hugh F. ..	D2	HM	195 0 0	..	..
							Brown, Grace ..	D2	Mis.	95 0 0	..	..
							Kerr, Matthew J. ..	D2	HM	202 10 0	..	..
							Budden, Amy H. ..	D2	Mis.	95 0 0	..	..
							Holton, Clarice M. ..	..	FP3	45 0 0	..	..
Tai Tapu ..	75	278 6 8	..	36 6 5	..	..	Maxwell, Alfred C. ..	D2	HM	191 5 0	..	..
							Picken, Jessie M. D. ..	D2	Mis.	95 0 0	..	..
GRADE 7.												
Akaroa D.H.S. ..	101	377 7 6	..	41 15 0	..	..	Nicholls, Alfred ..	D1	HM	221 0 0	..	..
							Wallace, Emilie ..	E3	Mis.	100 0 0
							Moore Maurice	MP1	30 0 0
							Gray, Alexander, B.A. ..	A1	Sec.

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GRADE 7—continued.											
Amberley D.H.S. ..	103	349 16 9	..	51 6 1	Alley, Frederick J.	C1	HM	221 0 0	..
							Stanton, Edith E. F.	E2	Mis.	100 0 0	..
							Turner, Bireham R.	..	MP2	30 0 0	..
							Peebles, Madeline G.	..	Sec.	..	..
Halswell ..	93	359 19 1	..	39 11 0	..	..	Guiney, Samuel P.	D2	HM	216 4 0	..
							Lezard, Ida ..	D2	Mis.	100 0 0	..
							Smith, Annie ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
Harewood Road ..	107	361 0 0	..	58 11 9	..	..	Twose, Richard J. H.	D1	HM	221 0 0	..
							Douds, Maria ..	E3	Mis.	100 0 0	..
Heathcote Valley ..	92	367 0 9	..	66 4 10	..	..	Wardle, Charlotte E.	D2	AF	(1)40 0 0	..
							Stout, William ..	D1	HM	217 2 0	..
							Pavitt, Marie A. ..	D2	Mis.	100 0 0	..
Leeston ..	92	337 12 6	..	41 5 3	..	..	Scott, Jeannie ..	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
							Anderson, John ..	C1	HM	215 18 0	..
							Cook, Alice J. ..	E2	Mis.	100 0 0	..
							Lockwood, Helena..	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
Mackenzie ..	97	330 18 2	..	40 5 5	..	..	Thompson, Robt. J.(?)	D3	HM	215 12 0	..
							Chapman, Gertrude	D3	Mis.	100 0 0	..
							Sustins, Nolan ..	..	MP1	20 0 0	..
Methven ..	101	339 16 8	..	40 6 9	..	..	Gillanders, James ..	D1	HM	216 10 0	..
							Willis, Eliza M. ..	E1	Mis.	100 0 0	..
							Wilson, David ..	..	MP2	30 0 0	..
Prebbleton ..	112	366 3 8	..	48 11 6	..	..	Bramley, Arthur ..	D1	HM	221 12 0	..
							Cradock, Mary A. ..	D2	Mis.	100 0 0	..
							Atkinson, Thomas S.	..	MP3	45 0 0	..
Templeton ..	103	340 16 0	..	141 10 9	..	..	Sinclair, David ..	E2	HM	218 6 0	..
							Woodford, Kate S. .	E3	Mis.	100 0 0	..
							Sinclair, Emilie I. .	..	FP2	30 0 0	..
Tinwald ..	91	355 13 4	..	38 18 6	..	..	Culverhouse, George	C1	HM	216 10 0	..
							Bonnington, R. ..	D3	Mis.	100 0 0	..
							Campbell, Mysie ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
Woodend ..	106	353 10 0	..	89 13 1	..	..	Sutherland, J., B.A.	B1	HM	221 0 0	..
							Harvey, Matilda E.	D2	Mis.	100 0 0	..
							Chambers, Edwin S.	..	MP3	40 0 0	..
GRADE 8.											
Hornby ..	123	401 9 0	..	62 15 6	..	..	Dunnnett, Andrew ..	E1	HM	225 4 0	..
							Menzies, Kitty ..	D2	Mis.	105 0 0	..
							Sandercrook, Selina	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
							McNally, May R. . .	..	FP1	30 0 0	..
Kaikoura Town ..	111	413 4 0	..	64 1 10	186 1 9	20 15 0	West, William M. .	C2	HM	228 4 0	..
							McLauchlan, J. G.	E2	Mis.	105 0 0	..
							McLauchlan, M. J. R.	D3	AF	80 0 0	..
Oxford East ..	136	422 12 0	..	69 4 10	..	..	Bourke, Charles ..	C1	HM	230 12 0	..
							Buchanan, Margaret	D2	Mis.	105 0 0	..
							Dyson, Priscilla ..	..	FP4	55 0 0	..
							Newport, Elizabeth	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
Rakaia South ..	127	431 6 2	..	91 4 5	..	..	White, George H. .	C1	HM	224 12 0	..
							Anslay, Annie ..	D1	Mis.	105 0 0	..
							Osborne, Fanny ..	..	FP4	55 0 0	..
							McLean, Annie ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
Southbrook ..	137	401 14 4	..	66 7 3	..	..	Borthwick, James B.	D1	HM	228 16 0	..
							Hewinson, Emma W.	D3	Mis.	105 0 0	..
							Thwaites, Gertrude	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Sullivan, Samuel H.	..	MP1	30 0 0	..
GRADE 9.											
Lyttelton West ..	163	491 17 6	32 1 8	60 7 2	..	..	Ryder, Robert B. .	C1	HM	239 0 0	35
							Pilliet, Francesca A.	D2	Mis.	110 0 0	..
							Meddins, Olive M. .	D4	AF	80 0 0	..
							Harris, Myrtle D. .	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
							Dyson, Ruth ..	..	FP1	30 0 0	..
Riccarton ..	176	520 8 8	..	129 1 7	..	..	English, Henry ..	E1	HM	234 4 0	..
							Joyce, Blanche ..	D2	Mis.	100 0 0	..
							Smith, Lilian ..	D3	AF	80 0 0	..
							O'Callaghan, S. R. .	..	MP4	50 0 0	..
							Hunt, Florence M. .	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
Southbridge D.H.S. .	170	462 6 2	..	64 6 0	..	..	Gates, Thomas A. .	D1	HM	238 2 0	..
							Taylor, Elizabeth ..	D1	Mis.	110 0 0	..
							Tulloch, Elizabeth	D3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Rapley, Ivy M. A. .	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
							Hicks, Charles ..	C1	Sec.	..	..
Spreydon ..	170	496 8 8	..	59 3 6	..	..	Hunnibell, F. W. .	D1	HM	238 2 0	..
							Stephens, Mary M.	E2	Mis.	110 0 0	..
							Dash, Lucie ..	C4	AF	80 0 0	..
							Gates, Beatrice ..	..	FP2	40 0 0	..
							Wilkins, Cuthbert .	..	MP2	30 0 0	..
GRADE 10.											
Belfast (main) ..	219	673 4 6	..	90 3 9	..	..	Balch, William ..	C1	HM	258 10 0	..
							Coleman, Frances (?)	D5	Mis.	125 0 0	..
							Alley, Amy J. ..	E2	AF	115 0 0	..
							Saunders, Ann ..	D4	AF	80 0 0	..
							Adamson, David ..	..	MP4	55 0 0	..
							Voss, Ruby ..	..	FP2	40 0 0	..

(1) Also receives £40 from the headmaster by special arrangement

(2) Temporary.

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TABLE No. 8.—LIST of the PUBLIC SCHOOLS, the EXPENDITURE, STAFF, &c.—*continued.*NORTH CANTERBURY—*continued.*

1	2	Expenditure for the Year.					Names, Classification, and Status of Teachers.			Annual Rates of Pay- ment during Last Month of Year.	
Name of School.	Average for the Year 1905.	3 Teachers' Salaries, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	4 Teachers' House Allowances.	5 Other Ordinary Expendi- ture, in- cluding Re- building, Repairs to Buildings, &c.	6 Buildings, Sites, Furniture, and Apparatus.	7 Rent of School Buildings.	8 Teachers on the Staff at the End of the Year.	9 Classification.	10 Position in the School.	11 For Salary, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	12 For Teachers' House Allowances.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£
GRADE 15—continued.											
Lyttelton D.H.S. ..	447	1,239 15 11	..	139 15 3	..	..	Just, Emile U. ..	D1	HM	307 0 0	..
							Olliver, Mary E. ..	D2	Mis.	140 0 0	..
							Voss, Johann ..	D1	AM	220 0 0	..
							Hunter, Margaret ..	D3	AF	110 0 0	..
							Jack, David, B.A. ..	B2	AM	125 0 0	..
							Rutledge, Mary W. ..	D2	AF	100 0 0	..
							Osborn, Mabel E. ..	C5	AF	80 0 0	..
							Dyer, Henrietta E. ..	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
							Wood, Lily M. ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Morgan, Alice F. ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Webb, Eric N. ..	..	MP1	20 0 0	..
							Burley, W. E., B.A. ..	B3	Sec.	..	..
Woolston ..	461	1,202 10 10	..	171 10 2	..	..	Binnie, Archibald ..	C1	HM	304 0 0	..
							Barker, Anne E. ..	E1	Mis.	140 0 0	..
							Kennedy, William A. ..	C2	AM	220 0 0	..
							Ritchie, Eliza J.(1) ..	D2	AF	110 0 0	..
							Peacock, John ..	Lic.	AM	112 10 0	..
							Wilkinson, E. M.(1) ..	D3	AF	100 0 0	..
							Ewart, Jane(1) ..	..	AF	80 0 0	..
							Macfarlane, S. G. ..	..	MP3	40 0 0	..
							Andrews, Cora ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Robertson, Hilda B. ..	..	FP2	30 0 0	..
							Bradley, Ida ..	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
GRADE 16.											
Waltham ..	561	1,275 10 2	..	355 14 4	..	..	Hughes, T., B.A. ..	B1	HM	316 8 0	..
							King, Annie D. ..	E1	Mis.	145 0 0	..
							Adams, John J., B.A. ..	B1	AM	235 0 0	..
							Reese, Jeanie ..	D2	AF	110 0 0	..
							Pratt, Colonel F. ..	D3	AM	130 0 0	..
							Menzies, Agnes ..	C3	AF	105 0 0	..
							Wills, Mabel S. M. J. ..	D3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Wraight, Grace M. ..	D4	AF	80 0 0	..
							Cornwell, Edith M. ..	..	FP2	30 0 0	..
							Hunter, Reginald ..	..	MP1	30 0 0	..
							Lucas, Annie L. ..	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
GRADE 17.											
Richmond ..	583	1,424 1 1	..	208 11 8	..	..	Brock, William ..	C1	HM	326 4 0	..
							Spence, Annie W. ..	D1	Mis.	150 0 0	..
							Schneider, George ..	C1	AM	235 0 0	..
							McGregor, E. J. ..	E2	AF	115 0 0	..
							Watson, Harold C. N. ..	D3	AM	130 0 0	..
							Osborn, A. E., B.A. ..	B2	AF	105 0 0	..
							Sørensen, Marian J. ..	D3	AF	95 0 0	..
							Newton, Kate E. ..	D2	AF	80 0 0	..
							Isherwood, Grace I. ..	..	FP5	50 0 0	..
							Firth, Clara I. ..	D5	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Vallance, Nellie M. ..	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
							Hay, Jessie F. ..	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
							Bowden, John ..	..	MP1	20 0 0	..
St. Albans ..	650	1,551 3 8	..	376 19 1	100 0 0	..	Mayne, J. B., B.A. ..	B1	HM	325 4 0	..
							Donds, Martha ..	D2	Mis.	150 0 0	..
							Hall, Charles ..	C2	AM	235 0 0	..
							Smith, Sarah E. ..	E1	AF	150 0 0	..
							Lawrence, Grace ..	D2	AF	110 0 0	..
							Morland, Thomas A. ..	D5	AM	130 0 0	..
							Newman, Mabel M. ..	D2	AF	95 0 0	..
							Morrow, Fannie E. ..	D3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Partridge, Alice L. ..	D3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Hannan, Lillian C. ..	D3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Marshall, Gladys M. ..	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Davey, Douglas J. ..	..	MP3	40 0 0	..
							Fletcher, Gertrude ..	..	FP2	30 0 0	..
							Rout, Blanch C. ..	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
GRADE 21.											
Normal School D.H.S.	393	1,501 5 9	46 13 4	525 14 7	..	..	Aschman, C. T. ..	C1	HM	300 0 0	40
							Starkiss, Harriet E. ..	D1	Mis.	200 0 0	..
							Shrimpton, Arnold W., M.A. ..	A2	AM	230 0 0	..
							Taylor, Alfred S., B.A., LL.B. ..	B2	AM	200 0 0	..
							Glanville, G. M. ..	C1	AF	155 0 0	..
							Grand, Ellen ..	D2	AF	110 0 0	..
							Smith, Mabel ..	D2	AF	100 0 0	..
							Patrick, Cherrie L.(1) ..	D3	AF	90 0 0	..
							Snowball, Laura E.	AF	80 0 0	..
							Sinclair, John R. ..	C1	M	220 0 0	20

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NORTH CANTERBURY—*continued.*

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		3 Teachers' Salaries, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	4 Teachers' House Allowances.	5 Other Ordinary Expenditure, including Re-building, Repairs to Buildings, &c.	6 Buildings, Sites, Furniture, and Apparatus.	7 Rent of School Buildings.	8 Teachers on the Staff at the End of the Year.	9 Classification.	10 Position in the School.	11 For Salary, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	12 For Teachers' House Allowances.
GRADE 22. Christchurch West D.H.S.	941	£ s. d. 2,083 13 3	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 643 5 3	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	Hardie, Chas. D., B.A. Grant, Mary A. .. Menzies, Peter, B.A. Smith, James E. R. Menzies, Margaret Morrison, M. P. .. Irwin, James .. Thompson, Ethel .. Menzies, William G. Grogan, Ellen S. .. Hughes, Alice M. .. McGregor, Mabel S. Just, Leonie C. B. . Morrison, Isabella .. Wilkinson, Henry F. Patterson, Lily .. Ryder, Aby R. .. Williams, Verona B. Foster, Sylvia M. .. Kininmonth, H. M. Isbister, Annie .. Waller, F. D., B.A. Chaplin, E. A., B.A. Denham, H. G., M.A. Malcolm, T. G. .. Smith, Rose M. ..	B1 E1 B1 C2 D1 D2 C2 D2 C4 D2 C3 D4 E5 B1 B2 A2 C1 C2	HM Mis. AM AM AF AF AM AF AM AF AF AF AF FP4 MP3 FP3 MP3 FP2 FP2 FP1 FP1 Sec. Sec. S. c. S. c. Sec.	£ s. d. 357 18 0 195 0 0 240 0 0 185 0 0 150 0 0 125 0 0 145 0 0 95 0 0 115 0 0 80 0 0 80 0 0 80 0 0 80 0 0 50 0 0 40 0 0 40 0 0 40 0 0 30 0 0 30 0 0 20 0 0 20 0 0	£ ..
GRADE 25. Sydenham ..	898	2,343 11 4	..	356 14 3	..	..	Baldwin, John .. Hall, Mary .. McGallan, T. G. .. Newton, I. E., B.A. Harrison, Nellie .. Baldwin, Ada .. Malcolm, Robert A. Duncan, Robena .. Irwin, Samuel J. .. Morrison, Mary J. . Watson, Margaret R. Adams, Mary A. .. Pearson, Florence .. McKeown, B. A. .. Hughey, Annie .. Early, Edith .. Warner, Helen A. .. Miles, Iris .. Hilson, James S. .. Webster, Janet .. Barrell, Arthur F. . Carter, Elsie ..	C1 E1 C1 B3 D2 C2 D3 D2 Lic. D2 D2 D3 D3	HM Mis. AM AM AF AF AM AF AM AF AF AF MP4 FP3 FP3 FP3 FP3 MP3 FP2 FP2 FP2 FP2	372 12 0 205 0 0 245 0 0 185 0 0 155 0 0 130 0 0 150 0 0 100 0 0 108 0 0 85 0 0 80 0 0 80 0 0 80 0 0 50 0 0 45 0 0 40 0 0 40 0 0 40 0 0 40 0 0 40 0 0 40 0 0 40 0 0 30 0 0	............................................................
GRADE 27. Gloucester Street ..	1175	2,684 13 9	50 0 0	725 8 5	Owen, S. C., B.A. . Baldwin, Kate .. Evans, Francis T. . Kennedy, John S. . Menzies, Annie J. . Wagstaff, J. W., Mrs. Cookson, Walter G. Gilmour, Ruth .. Kirkpatrick, W. D. Rundle, Frederick T. Scott, Elizabeth M. Wauchop, E. L. .. Kent, Helen M. .. Williams, Nellie G. Aiken, Janet M. .. Osborn, Frank E. . Williamson, K. H. . Wills, Kathleen P. Kent, Florence E. . Gibbs, Nellie .. Reece, Marion .. Cullen, Gladys .. Marriott, Gladys .. Jameson, Doris .. Blank, Albert R. .. Wauchop, M. S. .. Foster, Frances H.	B1 D1 C1 D2 D1 D2 D2 D2 D3 E4 D2 D3 D4 D4 D5 E5* D5*	HM Mis. AM AM AF AF AM AF AM AM AF AF AF AF MP4 MP4 FP4 FP4 FP4 FP4 FP4 FP3 FP3 FP3 MP2 FP1 FP1	375 0 0 205 0 0 245 0 0 190 0 0 155 0 0 130 0 0 150 0 0 135 0 0 120 0 0 105 0 0 120 0 0 80 0 0 80 0 0 80 0 0 80 0 0 50 0 0 50 0 0 50 0 0 50 0 0 50 0 0 50 0 0 40 0 0 40 0 0 40 0 0 30 0 0 20 0 0 20 0 0	50 ..

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Schools not open in December, 1905—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£
Charteris Bay	24 18 6
Marawiti	24 4 9	2 0 4	4 8 11
Pendarves	7 7 7
Mead	0 15 10
Lower Riccarton	542 9 2
Expenditure not classified—											
Architect	526 13 11
Auditing School Committee's accounts	30 0 0
Insurance of casual labour against accident	6 10 0
Instructing school children in tree-planting	5 0 0
Totals	57,296 16 6	649 17 4	11,661 16 0	2188 16 0	66 14 0	57,631 13 0	673

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GRADE 0.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£
Totara Valley ..	7	36 0 0	..	2 4 9	Balfour, Isabella	F	36 0 0	..
Waitohi Upper ..	7	60 0 0	..	2 14 9	Stevenson, Eliz. M.	E4	F	60 0 0	..
GRADE 1.											
Clandeboye ..	18	110 15 0	..	9 2 9	..	..	Taylor, Helena M.	D3	F	110 0 0	..
Chamberlain ..	19	99 4 2	10 0 0	10 4 0	250 14 0	..	Barr, B. H., M.A. ..	B4	F	105 0 0	10
Gapes Valley ..	12	52 14 2	7 0 7	4 13 9	..	..	Tod, Winifred J. ..	Lic.	F	75 0 0	10
Kakahu Bush ..	15	80 0 0	..	5 12 0	..	..	White, Angulina M.	..	F	80 0 0	..
Kapua ..	16	102 0 0	..	6 3 9	..	..	Anderson, M. ..	Lic.	F	100 0 0	..
Orari Gorge ..	9	60 0 0	7 10 0	3 10 0	..	..	Scott, James, M.A.	B1	M	80 0 0	10
Orton ..	16	77 10 0	..	6 1 3	..	..	Wagh, Agnes, Mrs.	D3	F	85 0 0	..
Pleasant Valley ..	14	95 0 0	..	5 17 9	..	..	Molloy, Annie L.	D2	F	95 0 0	..
Rangitata Island ..	16	75 0 0	10 0 0	19 1 6	..	..	Gough-Gubbins, M. C., Mrs.	Lic.	F	80 0 0	10
Scotsburn ..	16	80 18 3	..	6 9 0	..	..	Griffin, Isabella, Mrs.	E3	F	100 0 0	..
Skipton ..	9	66 13 11	9 10 6	3 12 0	..	..	Jeffries, Alice ..	Lic.	F	70 0 0	10
Te Moana ..	15	68 6 5	8 0 9	7 7 3	..	..	Sheard, Fanny ..	C3	F	85 0 0	10
Waikakahi ..	22	106 5 0	..	21 14 9	..	2 8 0	Bannerman, Edward	Lic.	M	110 0 0	..
Waihaorunga ..	21	103 15 0	..	7 14 6	..	..	Jones, Frances I. ..	D5	F	110 0 0	..
GRADE 2.											
Adair ..	22	126 0 0	20 0 0	8 12 3	..	..	Ritchie, Annie M. ..	D3	F	126 0 0	20
Arundel ..	21	122 0 0	20 0 0	8 6 0	..	..	Sunaway, Edith H.	E3	F	122 0 0	20
Burke's Pass ..	21	118 0 0	..	8 18 3	..	..	Jones, M. F., Mrs.	D3	F	118 0 0	..
Cave ..	33	133 10 0	..	13 8 0	..	..	Jones, Amy E. ..	E2	F	138 0 0	..
Hakataramea Valley ..	18	111 3 0	20 0 0	26 11 6	..	..	Hanley, Patrick ..	..	M	102 12 0	20
Kohika ..	26	127 10 0	20 0 0	24 19 11	..	..	Yates, William M. ..	D2	M	132 0 0	20
Lyalldale ..	26	126 0 0	20 0 0	11 3 3	..	..	Oxby, Annie E. ..	D2	F	126 0 0	20
Opihi ..	21	118 0 0	..	9 14 0	..	..	McKenzie, Ida B. ..	D3	F	118 0 0	..
Orari Bridge ..	17	126 0 0	..	40 19 5	..	..	Le Fleming, J., Lady	D2	F	126 0 0	..
Otaio ..	23	126 0 0	..	44 9 9	..	..	Fyfe, Jessie ..	D2	F	126 0 0	..
Rangitata Station ..	23	126 0 0	..	9 2 6	..	..	Clark, Hugh ..	D3	M	126 0 0	..
Rangatira Valley ..	21	118 0 0	20 0 0	8 16 3	..	..	Baragwanath, John	D2	M	118 0 0	20
Salisbury ..	26	120 0 0	20 0 0	9 12 6	..	..	Campbell, Emma G.	D1	F	126 0 0	20
Southburn ..	26	130 0 0	20 0 0	13 9 0	..	..	Hutton, Janet C. ..	E3	F	130 0 0	20
Sutherland's ..	32	135 0 0	..	28 5 3	..	..	Ellis, Leonard R. ..	E4	M	142 0 0	..
Willowbridge ..	24	119 0 0	20 0 0	12 12 3	..	..	Kirkcaldy, Mary J.	D3	F	122 0 0	20
GRADE 3.											
Ashwick Flat ..	27	122 16 8	..	18 1 9	..	..	Matheson, D. E., Mrs.	D3	F	134 0 0	..
Belfield ..	25	136 0 0	..	11 8 0	..	..	Davie, Peter E. ..	D4	M	136 0 0	..
Cricklewood ..	32	145 15 0	20 0 0	19 19 8	..	..	Todd, David T. ..	D2	M	148 0 0	20
Esk Valley ..	28	140 0 0	..	40 3 3	Bruce, Elizabeth ..	D1	F	140 0 0	..
Fairview ..	27	136 0 0	..	12 10 9	Ritchie, C., Mrs. ..	E1	F	136 0 0	..

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SOUTH CANTERBURY—*continued*.

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Name of School.	Average for the Year 1906.	3 Teachers' Salaries, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	4 Teachers' House Allowances.	5 Other Ordinary Expenditure, including Rebuilding, Repairs to Buildings, &c.	6 Buildings, Sites, Furniture, and Apparatus.	7 Rent of School Buildings.	8 Teachers on the Staff at the End of the Year.	9 Classification.	10 Position in the School.	11 For Salary, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	12 For Teachers' House Allowances.
GRADE 3—continued.											
Hakataramea ..	23	£ s. d. 136 0 0	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 11 5 0	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	Renton, William ..	D2	M	£ s. d. 136 0 0	£
Hook ..	27	131 0 0	..	15 14 6	..	..	Mackay, C. F., Mrs.	E2	F	131 0 0	..
Hunter's ..	41	143 0 0	..	46 14 0	..	..	McIntyre, Isabella	D2	F	143 0 0	..
Hilton ..	42	152 0 0	..	17 4 6	..	..	Morris, Gerald ..	D2	M	152 0 0	..
Kingsdown ..	32	142 0 0	..	54 3 3	..	..	Stewart, Robert ..	D2	M	142 0 0	..
Redcliff ..	26	134 0 0	..	12 5 3	..	..	Goodeve, Henry E.	C1	M	134 0 0	..
Silverstream ..	30	138 0 0	..	12 9 3	..	..	Pilkington, G. M. ..	D2	M	138 0 0	..
Te Ngawai ..	24	131 0 0	..	17 14 7	..	..	Steel, Robina E. ..	D3	F	131 0 0	..
Waihao Downs ..	30	140 0 0	20 0 0	13 3 3	..	..	McCarthy, M. A. R.	D2	F	140 0 0	20
Waitohi Flat ..	27	140 0 0	..	29 18 6	..	..	McIntyre, Hugh ..	D1	M	140 0 0	..
GRADE 4.											
Albury ..	57	240 10 0	..	63 11 6	200 0 0	..	Lindsay, Alexander	D1	HM	160 10 0	..
Claremont ..	46	226 10 0	..	19 3 3	..	..	Lindsay, J. G., Mrs.	E1	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Glenavy ..	46	233 16 8	..	27 12 8	..	..	Black, Flora L., Mrs.	D1	HF	146 10 0	..
Hannaton ..	53	244 10 0	..	47 19 3	..	..	Williamson, Agnes	..	AF	80 0 0	..
Hazelburn ..	37	242 0 0	..	76 3 0	68 5 0	..	Gilmour, William O.	Lic.	HM	160 10 0	..
Makikihi ..	36	240 10 0	..	14 0 9	..	..	Alexander, Anne E.	D4	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Pareora ..	46	243 10 0	..	17 12 5	..	..	Walsh, James ..	D1	HM	164 10 0	..
Springbrook ..	59	235 6 8	..	17 3 0	162 6 4	..	Freeman, Martha F.	E3	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Waitaki ..	43	244 0 0	20 0 0	15 16 0	..	..	Smart, John T. ..	D2	HM	162 0 0	..
Waituna Creek ..	44	244 0 0	..	15 16 0	..	..	Shires, Mary ..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Washdyke ..	54	243 0 0	..	31 19 5	..	..	Goodall, Alexander	D2	HM	160 10 0	..
Woodbury ..	44	243 0 0	..	15 14 6	..	..	Gorman, Annie ..	D2	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Smith, Frederick ..	D2	HM	163 10 0	..
							Byers, Mary H. ..	E3	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Browne, William ..	D2	HM	162 0 0	..
							Hope, Julia Annie ..	D4	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Clark, Robert B. ..	D3	HM	164 0 0	20
							Smart, Alice R. ..	D3	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Menzies, John ..	E2	HM	164 0 0	..
							Crowley, Honora M.	D2	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Cooke, Montague P.	D2	HM	163 0 0	..
							Riordan, Margaret A.	E3	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Don, William G. ..	D1	HM	163 0 0	..
							Hosking, Blanche B.	E5	Mis.	80 0 0	..
GRADE 5.											
Milford ..	52	258 15 0	..	57 12 6	..	..	Glanville, William J.	E2	HM	173 15 0	..
St. Andrew's ..	63	265 0 0	..	51 3 0	..	..	Lawlor, Mary K. ..	E4	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Seadown ..	63	267 10 0	..	20 4 5	..	..	Hawkes, R. N. N. ..	D1	HM	180 0 0	..
							Kelcher, Annie, Mrs.	D3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
							Schmedes, C. F. ..	D1	HM	182 10 0	..
							Oliver, Amy E. E. ..	D3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
GRADE 6.											
Morven ..	81	295 0 0	..	64 9 8	137 6 0	..	Thomas, W., B.A.	B2	HM	200 0 0	..
Orari South ..	78	295 0 0	..	23 14 0	..	..	Goodall, Agnes S. ..	D4	Mis.	95 0 0	..
Wai-iti ..	88	293 15 0	..	34 13 5	..	..	Corbet, William ..	D2	HM	200 0 0	..
Winchester ..	79	296 5 0	..	35 16 9	..	..	Higgins, Jessie ..	D3	Mis.	95 0 0	..
							Greaves, Joseph ..	D1	HM	198 15 0	..
							Stenhouse, Christina	D4	Mis.	95 0 0	..
							Kalaugher, James P.	D1	HM	201 5 0	..
							Aimers, Amelia ..	D2	Mis.	95 0 0	..
GRADE 7.											
Farlie ..	101	347 14 0	..	55 6 8	..	..	Wallace, J. R., B.A.	B2	HM	217 14 0	..
							Rugsted, Lavrine D.	D5	Mis.	100 0 0	..
							Caskey, Margaret ..	..	FP2	30 0 0	..
GRADE 8.											
Pleasant Point D.H.S.	168	505 16 8	..	78 6 8	..	..	Dalglish, G., B.A. ..	B1	HM	*230 0 0	..
							Irwin, Major G. ..	D4	AM	*100 0 0	..
							Haskell, Amy E. ..	E2	Mis.	105 0 0	..
							Ray, Mabel A. ..	Lic.	Sec.	..	..
							Maze, Eliza Anne ..	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Sutherland, E. J. ..	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
GRADE 9.											
Geraldine D.H.S.	165	540 16 0	..	136 7 2	..	..	Montgomery, J. R., M.A.	B1	HM	*240 16 0	..
							Doubleday, W. H. ..	Lic.	AM	*100 0 0	..
							Pearson, Mia O ..	E2	Mis.	110 0 0	..
							Hughes, Edith Jessie	Lic.	Sec.	..	..
							Farnie, Violet C. ..	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Parr, Cuthbert ..	..	MP2	40 0 0	..

TABLE No. 8.—LIST of the PUBLIC SCHOOLS, the EXPENDITURE, STAFF, &c.—*continued*.
SOUTH CANTERBURY—*continued*.

1		2		Expenditure for the Year.					Names, Classification, and Status of Teachers.			Annual Rates of Payment during Last Month of Year.	
Name of School.		Average for the Year 1905.		3 Teachers' Salaries, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	4 Teachers' House Allowances	5 Other Ordinary Expenditure, including Re-building, Repairs to Buildings, &c.	6 Buildings, Sites, Furniture, and Apparatus.	7 Rent of School Buildings.	8 Teachers on the Staff at the End of the Year.	9 Classification.	10 Position in the School.	11 For Salary, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	12 For Teachers' House Allowances.
				£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£
GRADE 10.													
Timaru South	..	225		676 17 8	..	135 17 8	180 0 0	..	Valentine, J. A., B.A. Marriott, William G. Rowley, Jane G. .. Campbell, Alice E. Stewart, Jeannie D. Blue, Jessie ..	B1 D4 E2 D3	HM AM Mis. AF FP3 FP1	249 16 0 155 0 0 115 0 0 80 0 0 40 0 0 30 0 0	............
GRADE 12.													
Waimataitai	..	305		920 0 0	..	115 2 10	..	..	Wood, John .. Werry, Alfred E. .. Rowley, Elizabeth M. Fyfe, Evelyn .. Pearson, Agnes A. .. Ziesler, Freja L. .. Hunt, Margaret L. Cross, Alexander J.	D1 D2 E1 D2 D2 .. C5 ..	HM AM Mis. AF AF FP5 FP4 MP4	280 0 0 185 0 0 125 0 0 100 0 0 80 0 0 50 0 0 50 0 0 50 0 0	................
GRADE 13.													
Temuka D.H.S.	..	346		1,026 10 4	..	122 16 9	54 3 6	..	McLeod, M., B.A. .. McCaskill, D., B.A. Hintz, Alfred A. S. Phillips, Leonora M. Cooper, Emma, B.A. Scott, Annie .. Baillie, Grace .. Leary, Bridget .. Metson, James .. O'Connor, Maurice J.	B1 B2 D3 E1 C3 D2 Lic.	HM AM Sec. Mis. AF AF AF FP4 MP3 MP2	*283 12 0 *195 0 0 .. 130 0 0 105 0 0 100 0 0 80 0 0 55 0 0 40 0 0 40 0 0	....................
GRADE 15.													
Waimate D.H.S.	..	426		1,258 7 4	..	111 17 3	722 5 4	1 13 0	Pitcaithly, G., B.A. Goldstone, Charles J. Crawford, Mary H. Laing, T. M. M., B.A. Ritchie, James .. Smart, M. A. L. .. Bruce, Sarah C. .. Bruce, Anne .. McKenzie, George .. Taylor, Robert M. .. Miller, Annie M. .. Foweraker, C. E. ..	B1 C2 D1 B2 C3 D3 E2 D2 Lic.	HM AM Mis. Sec. AM AF AF AF MP3 MP3 FP3 MP3	*304 4 0 220 0 0 140 0 0 .. 140 0 0 105 0 0 100 0 0 80 0 0 45 0 0 40 0 0 40 0 0 40 0 0	........................
GRADE 19.													
Timaru Main	..	654		1,675 13 3	..	497 7 9	..	..	Johnson, J. A., M.A. Collins, Charles F. .. Avison, Martha .. Fleming, James J. W. Shirtcliffe, Clara I. Morgan, Richard W. Sibly, Clara A. C. .. Smith, Ellen C. .. Hall-Jones, Harriet Baird, May Louisa Tait, Allan G. .. Stevenson, Jeanie .. Saxon, Harriet L. .. Seyb, Elizabeth .. Dare, Constance ..	B1 D2 E1 D2 E2 D4 E2 D4 D4	HM AM Mis. AM AF AM AF AF AF FP4 MP4 FP4 FP3 FP3 FP1	345 16 0 235 0 0 165 0 0 150 0 0 120 0 0 135 0 0 100 0 0 80 0 0 80 0 0 50 0 0 50 0 0 50 0 0 40 0 0 40 0 0 40 0 0 20 0 0	..............................
Expenditure not classified—													
Architect's commission	..	..		..	..	261 10 6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Unclassified	..	..		..	..	17 8 3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Gray's Corner ⁽¹⁾	86 9 0	150 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..
Rosewill ⁽¹⁾	110 6 0	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tycho Flat ⁽¹⁾	0 5 0	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals		17,127 10 2	292 1 10	2,952 15 4	2035 11 2	4 1 0	17,277 15 0	300

(1) School building.

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GRADE 0.													
Ahuriri Flat ..	9	£ 60 0 0	s. d. 10 0 0	£ 8 7 6	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	McKenzie, George ..	Lic.	M	£ 60 0 0	£ 10		
Akatore Coast ..	9	50 0 0	..	8 7 6	Green, Alice Mary	F	60 0 0	..		
Allendale ..	6	30 0 0	..	0 3 9	..	..	Reid, Euphemia E. ..	..	F	30 0 0	..
Bendigo ..	5	15 0 0	..	..	..	..	Beattie, Helen M. ..	..	F	30 0 0	..
Circle Hill ..	9	52 12 3	..	8 6 9	..	..	Gillespie, Margaret	..	F	54 0 0	..
Inch Valley ..	9	42 0 0	..	3 1 2	..	..	Gibson, Ellen ..	..	F	60 0 0	..
Luggate ..	11	60 0 0	..	9 15 0	..	..	Primate, Mary E. ..	..	F	60 0 0	..
Maungawera ..	5	38 10 0	..	0 5 3	..	..	Esther, Robert T. ..	..	M	42 0 0	..
Mount Stoker ..	4	24 0 0	..	0 3 0	..	..	Aitken, Margaret ..	..	F	24 0 0	..
Pomahaka Downs ..	5	70 0 0	..	0 3 9	..	..	McDougall, Isabel ..	..	F	(1)70 0 0	..
Springvale ..	20	67 0 0	10 0 0	10 17 6	..	..	Hetherington, Sarah	Lic.	F	81 0 0	10
Table Hill ..	9	45 0 0	..	8 6 9	..	..	Monfries, Abigail ..	..	F	54 0 0	..
Tapui ..	4	30 0 0	..	0 3 9	..	..	Williams, Maud M.	..	F	30 0 0	..
Tawanui ..	9	20 0 0	..	..	..	..	Fleming, Muriel ..	..	F	54 0 0	..
Waibemo ..	8	49 10 0	..	23 5 8	..	..	Edmonston, E. ..	..	F	54 0 0	..
Wanaka Road ..	8	49 10 0	9 3 4	6 6 9	..	..	Birch, Helen ..	..	F	54 10 0	..
Wangaloa ..	6	48 0 0	..	0 6 0	..	..	Mitchell, Janet ..	Lic.	F	48 0 0	..
GRADE 1.													
Akatore ..	20	96 13 4	..	21 6 8	..	..	Main, Agnes ..	Lic.	F	110 0 0	..
Arthurton ..	11	70 4 2	..	8 9 9	..	..	Taylor, Margaret ..	..	F	75 0 0	..
Bald Hill ..	36	118 10 0	..	20 2 0	..	..	Burns, William G.	D3	M	142 0 0	..
Blackstone ..	17	110 0 0	..	20 13 7	..	..	Mitchell, W. M. ..	D3	F	110 0 0	..
Clydevale ..	13	80 0 0	10 0 0	8 10 6	..	..	Fraser, Marian ..	..	F	80 10 0	..
Glenore ..	11	85 0 0	..	9 1 3	..	..	McLeod, Isabella ..	D2	F	85 0 0	..
Hillend ..	16	77 15 0	..	11 12 1	..	..	Johnstone, C. S. ..	Lic.	F	81 0 0	..
Houipapa ..	22	102 12 0	..	21 4 9	..	..	Waddell, Joseph A.	..	M	106 4 0	..
Kahuika ..	15	90 18 0	..	10 3 6	..	..	Miller, James M. ..	..	M	80 0 0	..
Kaihiku ..	20	105 0 0	..	16 13 4	..	..	Grigor, Janet Pantan	C3	F	105 0 0	..
Kakapuaka ..	9	65 0 0	..	8 8 3	..	..	White, Janet Milne	..	F	65 0 0	..
Kokoamo ..	17	99 3 4	..	10 3 6	..	..	McNeill, Eliz. L. ..	D4	F	100 0 0	..
Kokonga ..	16	95 0 0	..	10 12 9	..	..	Young, Margaret C.	E4	F	95 0 0	..
Kuri Bush ..	15	105 0 0	..	13 8 0	..	..	Anderson, Agnes ..	D3	F	105 0 0	..
Kyeburn Diggings	16	100 0 0	..	24 8 6	..	..	Dillon, F. L., Mrs.	E3	F	100 0 0	..
Lauder ..	18	103 16 11	..	11 9 3	..	..	Byers, Evaline H. F.	..	F	105 0 0	..
Macrae's ..	17	95 0 0	..	10 12 9	..	..	Chalmers, Ellen J.	D3	F	95 0 0	..
Makarora ..	13	75 0 0	..	8 9 9	..	..	McArthur, Neil ..	..	M	75 0 0	..
Manuka Creek ..	15	81 16 4	..	53 15 10	..	..	Sutherland, M. A. ..	Lic.	F	80 0 0	..
Merton ..	19	105 0 0	..	10 14 3	..	..	Anderson, Ann C. ..	D4	F	105 0 0	..
Moa Flat ..	21	120 0 0	..	23 18 11	..	..	Gray, Mary ..	E3	F	126 0 0	..
Mount Cargill ..	17	95 0 0	..	10 12 9	..	..	Landreth, Eliz., Mrs.	D3	F	95 0 0	..
Mount Stuart ..	11	65 0 0	..	8 8 3	..	..	Beattie, Nellie M. ..	Lic.	F	65 0 0	..
Nevis ..	11	80 0 0	..	15 11 10	..	..	Thomas, Annie, Mrs.	D2	F	80 0 0	..
Saddle Hill ..	16	85 0 0	..	10 11 3	..	..	McIvor, Georgina ..	D5	F	85 0 0	..
Stoneburn ..	10	75 0 0	..	8 9 9	..	..	Cameron, J. F. L. ..	Lic.	F	75 0 0	..
Stony Creek ..	21	105 0 0	..	11 9 3	..	..	Bowie, Jane Milne	D3	F	105 0 0	..
Tahatika ..	19	108 3 4	10 0 0	13 5 5	..	..	Cowie, Elizabeth C.	D4	F	110 0 0	10
Tahora ..	11	65 0 0	..	8 8 3	..	..	Harrison, Thomas ..	..	M	65 0 0	..
Taieri Ferry ..	15	100 0 0	..	9 13 6	..	..	Fegans, F. M. S. ..	D2	F	100 0 0	..
Taumata ..	15	95 0 0	..	10 2 9	..	..	Pretsch, Annie M.	D3	F	95 0 0	..
Te Houka ..	19	96 5 0	10 0 0	10 12 0	..	..	Walker, Clarice A. R.	C4	F	105 0 0	10
Tuapeka Flat ..	12	70 0 0	..	15 4 3	..	..	French, Henrietta A.	..	F	70 0 0	..
Waianakarua ..	21	95 0 0	3 11 0	13 2 3	..	..	Spraggon, Lilian E.	D4	F	110 0 0	10
Waitahuna West	10	62 13 1	..	8 8 3	..	..	Smith, Elizabeth ..	..	F	65 0 0	..
Wharekuri ..	11	65 0 0	..	15 9 10	..	..	Oliver, Janet S. ..	E3	F	65 0 0	..
Purakauiti ..	11	50 0 0	..	7 0 0	..	..	Bradfield, Esther M.	..	F	65 0 0	..
GRADE 2.													
Ardgowan ..	23	122 0 0	20 0 0	13 17 3	..	..	Maule, A. B. C., Mrs.	E3	F	122 0 0	20
Broad Bay ..	22	118 0 0	..	44 15 4	..	..	Kemshed, S. A., Mrs.	E2	F	118 0 0	..
Coal Creek ..	27	128 7 0	..	22 17 3	..	..	Taylor, Lillias O. ..	D3	F	130 0 0	..
Clark's Flat ..	23	104 10 0	..	19 9 0	..	..	Burnside, Mary A. ..	D2	F	114 0 0	..
Dunrobin ..	27	130 0 0	..	16 18 9	..	..	Farquharson, J. H.	D3	F	130 0 0	..
Evans Flat ..	18	126 0 0	..	11 13 0	..	..	Woodhill, Ellen ..	E4	F	126 0 0	..
Gimberburn ..	22	126 12 4	..	15 6 0	..	..	Sim, Jane C. ..	C4	F	126 0 0	..
Glenkenich ..	22	118 0 0	..	13 16 6	..	..	White, Eliza ..	D2	F	118 0 0	..
Glenomaru ..	21	126 0 0	..	13 3 0	..	..	Carrick, Marie, Mrs.	E2	F	126 0 0	..
Goodwood ..	20	114 0 0	..	10 15 9	..	..	Steel, M. D., B.A. ..	B1	F	114 0 0	..
Hamilton ..	21	118 0 0	..	13 1 6	..	..	Symes, G. M., Mrs.	E3	F	118 0 0	..
Island Cliff ..	21	101 9 2	..	13 0 9	..	..	Cox, Annie Hudson	..	F	102 12 0	..
Kartigi ..	17	126 0 0	..	39 18 0	..	..	Dippie, Margaret ..	E1	F	126 0 0	..
Katea ..	25	103 13 6	..	20 19 1	..	..	Labes, Arthur ..	..	M	109 16 0	..
Kyeburn ..	21	126 0 0	..	13 3 0	..	..	O'Connell, Catherine	D3	F	126 0 0	..
Maruimato ..	23	126 0 0	..	13 18 0	..	..	Pretsch, Maria S. ..	D2	F	126 0 0	..
Merino Downs ..	19	114 0 0	..	10 15 9	..	..	Hopcraft, Flora L.	D4	F	114 0 0	..
Moa Creek ..	26	119 18 9	20 0 0	13 18 0	Mackellar, Jean L.	Lic.	F	126 0 0	20		

(1) £40 additional provided out of other grants.

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GRADE 2—continued.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£
Otakeia ..	19	114 0 0	..	24 6 8	MacLeod, Margaret	D3	F	114 0 0	..
Owaka Valley ..	26	117 5 2	..	13 17 3	..	..	Nesbit, James W. ...	Lic.	M	117 0 0	..
Pukepito ..	24	110 8 5	..	13 17 3	..	..	Rooney, C., Mrs. ...	E2	F	122 0 0	..
Purekireki ..	20	114 16 8	..	12 6 6	..	..	Bonin, John L. ...	E2	M	118 0 0	..
Rongahere ..	20	122 0 0	..	12 7 3	..	..	Woodhouse, M. A. ...	Lic.	F	122 0 0	..
Tahakopa ⁽¹⁾ ..	24	75 5 1	..	15 13 0	..	..	Williamson, John	D2	M	81 18 0	..
Rimu ⁽¹⁾ ..	22	59 19 11	8 11 5	6 0 0	..	..				69 6 0	10
Taiaroa Head ..	22	109 16 0	..	19 17 0	..	..	Simpson, H. G. E. ...	..	M	109 16 0	..
Taiari Beach ..	20	104 10 0	..	10 15 9	..	..	Alexander, William	Lic.	M	102 12 0	..
Tarara ..	22	122 0 0	..	12 7 3	..	..	Scott, Jane Clark ..	D3	F	122 0 0	..
Tuapeka West ..	26	123 0 0	..	13 17 3	..	..	Knight, Mary, Mrs.	D4	F	126 0 0	..
Waipiaia ..	24	126 0 0	..	13 18 0	..	..	Smith, Lucy E. D.	D4	F	126 0 0	..
Wairuna ..	26	126 0 0	..	21 13 3	..	..	Gray, John Anderson	E2	M	126 0 0	..
Wetherstones ..	23	118 0 0	..	13 1 6	..	..	Pope, Josephine M. J.	E4	F	118 0 0	..
Wylie's Crossing ..	22	130 0 0	..	14 19 4	..	..	Blair, Robert	E2	M	130 0 0	..
GRADE 3.											
Awamoko ..	38	158 0 0	..	61 9 5	..	..	Burnard, John Dufty	D2	M	158 0 0	..
Beaumont ..	29	134 0 0	..	44 1 9	334 17 1	..	Masters, Jemima E.	D2	F	134 0 0	..
Brighton ..	31	138 0 0	..	18 3 6	..	..	Hogg, Sarah Jane ..	D3	F	138 0 0	..
Cambrian's ..	28	139 11 8	..	16 7 6	..	..	Williamson, G. W.	D1	M	140 0 0	..
Chasland's ..	26	144 0 0	..	14 19 0	..	..	Appleby, William B.	D2	M	144 0 0	..
Chatto Creek ..	22	122 8 0	33 6 8	14 8 3	..	..	Noone, Isabella ..	..	F	122 8 0	20
Crookston ..	34	138 0 0	..	21 6 3	..	..	Fraser, Johanna ..	E2	F	138 0 0	..
Normal (model)	35	..	..	..	..	..	Marshall, A., B. A. ...	B1	M	160 0 0	20
Earnsclough ..	37	150 3 2	..	17 7 0	..	..	Kerr, Charles K. ...	D1	M	152 0 0	..
Evansdale ..	36	152 0 0	..	30 18 1	..	..	Percy, David	D2	M	152 0 0	..
Eweburn ..	31	135 0 0	..	15 12 6	..	..	Drummev, Agnes J.	D3	F	135 0 0	..
Henley ..	39	148 0 0	..	20 12 11	..	..	Fergus, Robert	D1	M	148 0 0	..
Hooper's Inlet ..	27	138 0 0	..	14 1 9	..	..	Thomson, Magnus ..	D2	M	138 0 0	..
Hyde ..	42	154 0 0	..	24 8 3	..	..	Bremner, Philip ..	D2	M	154 0 0	..
Incholme ..	24	135 0 0	..	17 4 6	..	..	Broome, Annabella	E1	F	135 0 0	..
Maerewhenua ..	30	116 18 8	..	14 0 3	..	..	McKenzie, Georgina	Lic.	F	118 16 0	..
Matau ..	22	131 0 0	..	15 19 0	..	..	McDonald, E. J. M.	D3	F	131 0 0	..
Moonlight ..	25	110 11 10	..	19 7 6	..	..	Sargison, James H.	..	M	126 0 0	..
North Taieri ..	28	146 0 0	..	34 12 9	..	..	Anderson, George B.	C1	M	146 0 0	..
Otakou ..	30	128 9 10	..	37 5 4	..	..	Hansard, George A.	C4	M	144 0 0	..
Otiake ..	23	132 0 0	..	17 10 3	..	..	Wilson, Dinah ..	D3	F	132 0 0	..
Patearoa ..	28	136 0 0	..	20 8 6	..	..	Annett, Alice ..	E2	F	136 0 0	..
Pine Hill ..	36	150 0 0	..	28 16 5	..	..	Carrington, G. W. ...	D2	M	150 0 0	..
Poolburn ..	28	131 0 0	..	13 19 6	..	..	Collis, Mabel ..	D3	F	131 0 0	..
Rae's Junction ..	32	133 0 0	..	23 15 11	..	..	Firth, Elizabeth H.	D3	F	133 0 0	..
Ratanui ..	37	158 0 0	..	21 4 3	..	..	Bannerman, William	D2	M	158 0 0	..
Reomoana ..	28	123 0 9	..	21 9 6	..	..	Kinder, Jessie ..	D4	F	131 0 0	..
Sandymount ..	22	135 6 8	..	18 7 3	..	..	Blackie, Walter G.	C4	M	142 0 0	..
Southbridge ..	31	135 0 0	..	17 2 6	..	..	Paterson, J., M. A. ...	B1	F	135 0 0	..
Sutton ..	31	133 0 0	..	18 9 8	..	..	White, Katharine ..	D3	F	133 0 0	..
Tokarahi ..	33	135 0 0	..	106 1 10	..	..	Jones, Constance E.	D2	F	135 0 0	..
Waiholā ..	33	144 0 0	..	20 12 6	..	..	Paterson, William A.	D2	M	144 0 0	..
Waikoikoi ..	34	140 0 0	..	21 2 6	..	..	Beattie, John ..	D1	M	140 0 0	..
Waipahi ..	23	136 17 8	..	16 2 3	..	..	Murphy, Frank G. ...	D3	M	136 0 0	..
Waipori Lake ..	30	146 0 0	..	20 19 9	..	..	Ferguson, William	E2	M	146 0 0	..
Waitahuna Gully ..	31	132 12 10	..	14 18 3	..	..	Blair, Robert L. D.	E5	M	142 0 0	..
Waitapeka ..	28	152 0 0	..	20 12 5	..	..	Bringans, Robert ..	D3	M	152 0 0	..
GRADE 4.											
Allanton ..	52	244 10 0	..	37 12 0	..	..	Clark, George B. ...	E1	HM	164 10 0	..
Flag Swamp ..	45	242 10 0	..	66 18 3	..	..	McKay, Elizabeth ..	E1	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Hawea ..	51	244 0 0	..	22 6 0	..	..	Nelson, James ..	D2	HM	162 10 0	..
Kelso ..	50	244 0 0	..	22 16 0	..	..	Dugdale, Matilda C.	D4	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Lvingstone ..	42	244 0 0	..	31 16 0	306 2 8	..	Ferguson, A. J., M. A.	B2	HM	164 0 0	..
Leith Valley ..	42	241 10 0	..	61 13 11	..	..	Brown, Catherine C.	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Lovell's Flat ..	41	240 15 9	..	21 13 0	..	..	Malcolm, A. S. ...	C1	HM	164 0 0	..
Lowburn ..	46	245 0 0	..	26 16 6	..	..	O'Shea, Eliza A. ...	D4	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Lower Harbour ..	43	228 13 4	..	25 7 5	..	..	McLay, James ..	C3	HM	164 0 0	..
Maungatua ..	37	240 10 0	..	26 16 8	..	..	Garrey, Margaret ..	D4	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Moeraki ..	52	238 12 6	..	24 10 3	..	..	Moodie, John ..	D3	HM	161 10 0	..
							Henderson, Jessie ..	D2	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Urquhart, Henry R.	C3	HM	161 0 0	..
							Rutherford, Violet ..	D4	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Abel, William F. ...	D1	HM	165 0 0	..
							Alexander, Marion ..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Davidson, Andrew ..	D2	HM	162 0 0	..
							Dale, Anne ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Service, William A.	D3	HM	160 10 0	..
							McDiarmid, N. G.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Rogers, Walter John	D1	HM	163 10 0	..
							Andrew, Kate ..	D1	Mis.	80 0 0	..

(1) Half-time.

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GRADE 4—continued.											
Momona	45	£ s. d. 242 10 0	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 21 13 9	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	Chesney, Andrew ..	D2	HM	162 10 0	£
Papakaio	54	244 10 0	..	78 12 7	..	..	Campbell, Jessie ..	D2	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Romahapa	44	243 3 10	..	21 12 3	..	..	Rennie, William H.	D1	HM	164 10 0	..
Rough Ridge ..	36	242 10 0	..	18 13 9	..	..	Dunlop, Isabella ..	D3	Mis.	80 0 0	..
St. Bathan's ..	48	242 10 0	..	21 13 9	..	..	Harrison, Samuel J.	D2	HM	161 10 0	..
Tuapeka Mouth ..	39	227 3 4	..	52 5 9	..	..	Gawn, Elizabeth C.	D4	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Upper Junction ..	37	242 10 0	..	38 4 0	..	..	Botting, John F. ..	D2	HM	162 10 0	..
Waipori	37	230 0 10	..	22 7 0	..	..	Milne, Annie Jane..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Waiwera	39	241 0 0	..	20 11 6	..	..	Cowan, Robert ..	D2	HM	162 10 0	..
GRADE 5.											
Bannockburn ..	61	256 11 6	..	25 13 9	..	..	Wade, Annie C. ..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Black's	56	252 18 4	..	47 1 3	..	..	Moore, John A. ..	E3	HM	160 10 0	..
Bluespur	54	258 15 0	..	24 2 9	..	..	Drakley, May E. ..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Dunback	55	255 0 0	..	24 0 6	..	..	Barnett, Abraham M.	D1	HM	162 10 0	..
Heriot	59	257 10 0	..	25 17 7	..	..	Beckingsale, Ada L.	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Highcliff	46	253 15 0	..	22 15 3	..	..	(¹)	..	..	..	..
Kakanui	57	251 6 10	..	24 11 0	..	..	Cotton, Amy M. ..	D3	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Matakanui	61	258 3 9	..	78 11 7	..	..	Robertson, A. G. ..	D1	HM	161 0 0	..
Milburn	61	260 0 0	..	31 6 0	..	..	Eason, Minnie ..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
North-east Harbour ..	54	254 3 4	..	24 4 3	..	..	Menzies, James Kerr	D1	HM	178 15 0	..
Portobello	53	256 5 0	..	24 1 3	..	..	Keys, Agnes, Millar	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Pukeuri	56	261 5 0	..	26 4 9	..	..	Menzies, George ..	D2	HM	171 5 0	..
Purakanui	48	253 15 0	..	26 16 9	..	..	Townshend, Edith M.	E2	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Seacliff	73	272 10 0	..	28 1 0	..	..	Tindall, Arthur W.	C1	HM	173 15 0	..
St. Leonard's ..	62	260 0 0	..	103 1 6	..	..	Harrison, E. M. ..	D2	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Teaneraki	67	272 10 0	..	44 9 2	..	..	Mills, John ..	E2	HM	170 0 0	..
Totara	67	271 5 0	..	32 18 7	..	..	Barclay, Helen T.	Lic.	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Waitati	54	251 5 0	..	23 18 3	..	..	Williamson, A. H. ..	D2	HM	172 10 0	..
Walton	58	261 5 0	..	65 19 0	..	..	Bonnin, Fannie ..	E4	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Warepa	63	263 15 0	..	31 12 3	..	..	Whyte, John ..	D2	HM	168 15 0	..
West Taieri ..	51	255 16 8	..	24 1 3	..	..	Hodges, Bithia L. C.	D3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Windsor	55	251 10 4	..	32 15 6	..	..	Grant, John B. ..	D2	HM	170 0 0	..
GRADE 6.											
Olyde	69	288 15 0	..	34 16 0	..	..	Lothian, Jeanie M.	D3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Cromwell	92	297 10 0	..	40 4 0	..	..	Jack, James A. ..	C2	HM	181 5 0	..
Duntroon	71	268 5 0	..	64 3 0	..	..	Hurley, Irene Norma	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Fairfax	91	306 5 0	..	32 0 3	..	..	Smith, James ..	D2	HM	175 0 0	..
Kurow	80	293 15 0	..	37 17 9	..	..	Budd, Elizabeth ..	D2	Mis.	85 0 0	..
Miller's Flat ..	78	296 5 0	..	66 18 11	..	..	McClelland, William	D2	HM	176 5 0	..
							Galloway, Agnes J.	D3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
							Barton, James ..	E1	HM	171 5 0	..
							Crawley, Janet Lucy	D3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
							Moir, James ..	D1	HM	176 5 0	..
							Paterson, Jessie ..	D4	Mis.	85 0 0	..
							Rawlinson, C. C. ..	D2	HM	168 15 0	..
							Jordan, Ethel A. P.	D3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
							Marshall, Hugh ..	D2	HM	187 10 0	..
							Dale, Sarah ..	D3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
							Phillipps, William..	C2	HM	175 0 0	..
							McCulloch, Christina	D3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
							Golding, Francis ..	D1	HM	187 10 0	..
							Guffie, Selina ..	D4	Mis.	85 0 0	..
							Reid, John ..	C1	HM	186 5 0	..
							Cairns, Jessie ..	E2	Mis.	85 0 0	..
							Hilgendorf, Francis	C1	HM	166 5 0	..
							Farquharson, E. ..	E1	Mis.	85 0 0	..
							Ellisson, Lionel E.	D1	HM	176 5 0	..
							Mills, Jessie Gibson	E1	Mis.	85 0 0	..
							Wilson, John ..	D1	HM	178 15 0	..
							Paterson, Jessie R. A.	D3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
							Finlay, Thomas A.	D2	HM	171 5 0	..
							Lyders, Caren Louise	D4	Mis.	85 0 0	..
							Duggan, Patrick J.	D2	HM	168 15 0	..
							Platts, Lillian N. ..	D4	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Stevens, Joseph E.	D1	HM	193 15 0	..
							Stevens, D. S., Mrs.	E2	Mis.	95 0 0	..
							Warburton, Abel ..	D2	HM	202 10 0	..
							Bowling, Alice G. ..	D2	Mis.	95 0 0	..
							Stewart, David ..	D1	HM	191 5 0	..
							Tempero, Emma C.	D2	Mis.	95 0 0	..
							Mahoney, Cornelius	D1	HM	211 5 0	..
							Murray, Ethel May	D2	Mis.	95 0 0	..
							Kelly, John ..	D1	HM	198 15 0	..
							Ford, Margaret ..	D2	Mis.	95 0 0	..
							Pilling, Ewen ..	E1	HM	201 5 0	..
							Graham, Jane S. B.	D3	Mis.	95 0 0	..

(1) Vacant.

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1	2	Expenditure for the Year.					Names, Classification, and Status of Teachers.			Annual Rates of Pay-ment during Last Month of Year.	
Name of School.	Average for the Year 1906.	3 Teachers' Salaries, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	4 Teachers' House Allowances.	5 Other Ordinary Expendi-ture, in-cluding Re-building, Repairs to Buildings, &c.	6 Buildings, Sites, Furniture, and Apparatus.	7 Rent of School Buildings.	8 Teachers on the Staff at the End of the Year.	9 Classification.	10 Position in the School.	11 For Salary, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	12 For Teachers' House Allowances.
GRADE 6—continued.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£
Ngapara	80	306 5 0	..	30 5 3	..	..	Robertson, J., B.A.	B1	HM	211 5 0	..
Otepopo	77	288 15 0	..	56 5 11	..	..	Kay, Margaret ..	D3	Mis.	95 0 0	..
Pukeiwhitahi ..	71	292 10 0	..	32 17 11	..	..	Fleming, James ..	D2	HM	193 15 0	..
Strath Taieri ..	98	300 0 0	..	56 17 6	..	..	Campbell, Jane ..	D2	Mis.	95 0 0	..
Waitabuna... ..	89	296 5 0	..	32 7 3	..	..	Bell, Cecil F. J. ..	D1	HM	197 10 0	..
Wakari	81	302 10 0	..	58 18 7	..	..	Fleming, Janet ..	E1	Mis.	95 0 0	..
Weston	79	302 10 0	..	31 15 0	..	..	Matheson, John ..	D2	HM	205 0 0	..
GRADE 7.							Liddle, C. W. ..	D4	Mis.	95 0 0	..
Anderson's Bay ..	122	377 4 0	..	87 4 4	..	..	Patrick, John H. ..	E1	HM	201 5 0	..
Clinton	98	360 18 0	..	43 6 7	..	..	Wall, Mary A. J. ..	D2	Mis.	95 0 0	..
Maheno	112	367 1 4	..	43 16 0	..	..	Harrison, Thomas C.	E1	HM	207 10 0	..
Outram	118	351 12 0	..	36 4 0	..	..	Christie, Jessie C. ..	D2	Mis.	95 0 0	..
Owaka	90	362 14 0	..	38 15 7	..	1 0 0	Bastings, William E.	D1	HM	207 10 0	..
Sawyer's Bay ..	96	341 8 8	..	173 5 9	..	8 6 0	Paul, Eliza F. M. H.	D2	Mis.	95 0 0	..
Musselburgh ..	122	154 4 5	12 10 0	20 7 0	2257 2 6	..	Jeffery, James ..	D1	HM	222 4 0	..
GRADE 8.							Gunn, Elizabeth J.	D2	Mis.	100 0 0	..
East Taieri... ..	122	423 15 10	..	42 17 6	..	..	Roseveare, Ethel A.	..	FP4	55 0 0	..
Hampden D.H.S. ..	113	429 18 0	..	197 1 9	..	..	Mackie, William W.	D2	HM	215 18 0	..
Roxburgh	129	411 14 0	..	48 18 4	..	..	King, Rosetta R. ..	D2	Mis.	100 0 0	..
Stirling	117	410 10 0	..	45 9 10	..	..	Colquhoun, Mary H.	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
St. Clair	128	404 8 8	..	52 4 6	..	..	Grant, John Black	D1	HM	220 8 0	..
Waikouaiti	139	414 8 0	..	60 11 3	..	..	Christie, Elizabeth G.	D2	Mis.	100 0 0	..
GRADE 9.							Hayes, Mahala L. ..	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
Alexandra	186	483 4 0	..	50 4 3	..	..	Strong, William J.	D2	HM	221 12 0	..
Naseby D.H.S. ..	157	491 3 4	..	86 16 6	..	..	Little, D. C., Mrs. ..	D1	Mis.	100 0 0	..
Ravensbourne ..	166	509 5 7	35 0 0	67 12 7	..	..	Mackellar, Ethel E.	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
Tapanui D.H.S. ..	161	524 12 0	..	60 11 10	212 7 4	..	Bryant, James T. ..	E2	HM	217 14 0	..
							Nichol, Mary M. ..	D4	Mis.	100 0 0	..
							Bradfield, Rosetta A.	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
							Flamank, Oscar D.	D1	HM	215 12 0	..
							Johnstone, Cecilia ..	E1	Mis.	100 0 0	..
							Mackay, Isabella ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							White, John ..	D1	HM	224 12 0	30
							Chalmer, Clara E. ..	D2	Mis.	105 0 0	..
							Sinclair, Agnes ..	C4	AF	80 0 0	..
							Waddell, J. N., B.A.	B2	HM	227 0 0	..
							Harlow, Wilhelmina	D2	Mis.	105 0 0	..
							McKenzie, I. M. ..	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Crombie, Jeannie M.	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
							Patterson, T. A., B.A.	B1	HM	*224 18 0	..
							Watt, Margaret, Mrs.	E1	Mis.	105 0 0	..
							Mechaelis, W. R. ..	D3	AM	*100 0 0	..
							Reilly, W. A., B.A.	B1	HM	226 14 0	..
							Pilkington, Jane ..	D3	Mis.	105 0 0	..
							Waddell, B. C. N. ..	D5	AF	80 0 0	..
							Jones, Herbert, C. ..	C1	HM	225 10 0	..
							Tregonning, Mary ..	E2	Mis.	105 0 0	..
							Hopcraft, Victoria K.	D3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Pope, Langley ..	C1	HM	226 2 0	..
							Marchbanks, D. V. ..	D1	Mis.	105 0 0	..
							Walton, M. A. S. ..	D3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Stewart, John Neil	C1	HM	229 8 0	..
							Kirby, Christiana E.	D2	Mis.	105 0 0	..
							Stratton, Florence G.	D4	AF	80 0 0	..
							Closs, James G. ..	D1	HM	235 14 0	..
							Paul, Susan ..	E2	Mis.	110 0 0	..
							Loudon, Rubina ..	..	AF	80 0 0	..
							Closs, William O. ..	..	MP3	40 0 0	..
							Dewar, Janet B. ..	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
							Malcolm, J. P. F. ..	D1	HM	234 10 0	..
							Heckler, Louisa A.	D2	Mis.	110 0 0	..
							Will, Louisa M., B.A.	B3	AF	*115 0 0	..
							Brown, Isabel E. ..	D4	Sec.	..	..
							Brown, Edward ..	..	MP1	30 0 0	..
							Macdonald, G. W. C.	C1	HM	242 0 0	35
							Mackenzie, Margaret	D1	Mis.	110 0 0	..
							Newlands, M. S. S.	B3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Macdonald, I. M. ..	D3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Eudey, Walter ..	C1	HM	*239 12 0	..
							Main, Catherine P.	D2	Mis.	110 0 0	..
							Healey, Ernest J. ..	D4	AM	135 0 0	..
							Howat, Helen C. ..	D3	Sec.
							Dale, Mary	FP3	40 0 0	..

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1	2	Expenditure for the Year.					Names, Classification, and Status of Teachers.			Annual Rates of Payment during Last Month of Year.	
Name of School.	Average for the Year 1905.	3 Teachers' Salaries, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	4 Teachers' House Allowances.	5 Other Ordinary Expenditure, including Re-building, Repairs to Buildings, &c.	6 Buildings, Sites, Furniture, and Apparatus.	7 Rent of School Buildings.	8 Teachers on the Staff at the End of the Year.	9 Classification.	10 Position in the School.	11 For Salary, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	12 For Teachers' House Allowances.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£
GRADE 10.											
Palmerston D.H.S. ..	211	696 17 8	..	75 3 3	..	..	Ferguson, D., M.A.	B1	HM	*249 16 0	..
							Sinclair, M. A., B.A.	B1	Mis.	115 0 0	..
							Harrison, W. L., M.A.	A4	AM	*155 0 0	..
							Cumming, Eliza ..	E2	AF	80 0 0	..
							McGregor, Isabella	D3	Sec.	..	..
							Elder, Violet ..	..	FP4	55 0 0	..
							Brown, Mary ..	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
Tokomairiro D.H.S. ...	231	699 12 0	..	77 9 6	..	..	Reid, James ..	E1	HM	*254 12 0	..
							McLaren, Mary ..	E1	Mis.	*115 0 0	..
							Coutts, T. R. W., B.A.	B1	AM	*155 0 0	..
							Dare, Olive J. M. ..	C4	AF	80 0 0	..
							Keys, May ..	D4	Sec.	..	..
							Rush, Agnes ..	..	FP4	55 0 0	..
							McMurtrie, A. F. ..	..	MP3	40 0 0	..
GRADE 11.											
Balclutha D.H.S. ..	294	777 17 4	..	102 3 5	..	..	McElrea, W., B.E.	B1	HM	*268 14 0	..
							Allan, Mary Kinloch	E1	Mis.	*120 0 0	..
							Turner, William W.	C1	AM	*170 0 0	..
							McGregor, Isabella	C4	AF	85 0 0	..
							Murray, Florence ..	D4	Sec.	..	..
							Robertson, H. M. ..	..	FP4	55 0 0	..
							Algie, Colvin S. ..	..	MP3	45 0 0	..
							Nelson, John Smith	..	MP1	30 0 0	..
Kensington ..	258	734 11 4	40 0 0	120 19 3	..	4 0 0	Moore, William John	D1	HM	265 8 0	40
							Hooper, Jane D. ..	D1	Mis.	120 0 0	..
							Allan, John M. ..	D1	AM	170 0 0	..
							Aitchison, Louisa M.	E2	AF	85 0 0	..
							Johnson, H. C. W.	D3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Brims, Elizabeth S.	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
Lawrence D.H.S. ..	264	771 12 8	..	85 19 8	..	..	Stenhouse, John ..	C1	HM	*270 16 0	..
							Fowler, Jane B. ..	E1	Mis.	*120 0 0	..
							Darton, Henry L. ..	D1	AM	*170 0 0	..
							Craik, Mabel R. K.	Lic.	AF	85 0 0	..
							Hay, Isabella Currie	D3	Sec.	..	..
							Cormack, Isabella ..	..	FP5	50 0 0	..
							McIntosh, M. E. ..	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Walker, David A. ..	..	MP2	30 0 0	..
Mosgiel D.H.S. ..	256	800 1 0	..	305 1 9	..	..	Pinder, Edward, M.A.	A1	HM	*264 16 0	..
							Scott, Mary ..	D1	Mis.	120 0 0	..
							Graham, George P.	B1	AM	170 0 0	..
							Ross, Annie Murray	D1	AF	85 0 0	..
							McArthur, Grace C.	C1	Sec.	..	..
							Todd, Beatrice ..	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Miller, Jessie Ross ..	..	FP4	55 0 0	..
							Newlands, Margaret	..	FP4	55 0 0	..
Oamaru Middle ..	263	763 14 0	..	257 2 10	..	..	Earl, Edwin T., B.A.	B1	HM	268 14 0	..
							King, Mary ..	D1	Mis.	120 0 0	..
							Fisher, Horace R. ..	D2	AM	170 0 0	..
							Wilding, Mary Jane	E2	AF	85 0 0	..
							Nelson, Jessie R. ..	D2	AF	80 0 0	..
							Davis, Thomas B. ..	..	MP3	45 0 0	..
Oamaru North ..	312	823 17 5	..	169 12 5	..	..	Lindsay, James ..	D1	HM	268 14 0	..
							Thompson, Alicia M.	D1	Mis.	120 0 0	..
							Begg, Thomas ..	D2	AM	170 0 0	..
							Bevin, Elizabeth E.	D2	AF	85 0 0	..
							Allan, Isabella C. ..	D2	AF	80 0 0	..
							Greig, Ivy Constance	D3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Lindsay, Catherine	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
GRADE 12.											
Green Island ..	300	913 4 0	..	112 9 4	..	..	McDonald, William	D1	HM	273 4 0	..
							Horne, Ellen Jane	D1	Mis.	125 0 0	..
							Wilson, Robert ..	D1	AM	185 0 0	..
							Mills, Mary Wilson	E2	AF	100 0 0	..
							Jones, Lillian Frances	D3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Cuttle, Ivy ..	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Martin, William ..	..	MP4	50 0 0	..
							McNeill, Mary ..	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
GRADE 13.											
Dunedin Normal ..	393	1,295 0 0	50 0 0	180 16 2	..	..	White, D. R., M.A.	A1	HM	293 12 0	40
							Haig, Catherine ..	D1	Mis.	130 0 0	..
							McMillan, Hugh ..	D1	AM	195 0 0	..
							Hardy, James W. ..	D2	Sec.	..	..
							Stevens, Emma ..	D1	AF	125 0 0	..
							Ironside, John ..	D2	AM	100 0 0	..
							Renton, William ..	D3	AM	80 0 0	..
							Huie, Marjory S. ..	D1	AF	80 0 0	..
							Strachan, Mary A. ..	D1	AF
							Alexander, Ann C. ..	D3	AF

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Name of School.	Average for the Year 1905.	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
		Teachers' Salaries, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	Teachers' House Allowances.	Other Ordinary Expendi-ture, in-cluding Re-building, Repairs to Buildings, &c.	Buildings, Sites, Furniture, and Apparatus.	Rent of School Buildings.	Teachers on the Staff at the End of the Year.	Classification.	Position in the School.	For Salary, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	For Teachers' House Allowances.
GRADE 13—continued.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£
Kaitangata ..	341	1,053 13 6	..	93 11 2	..	..	Moir, John H., B.A.	B1	HM	282 16 0	..
							Paterson, Jane ..	E2	Mis.	130 0 0	..
							Smith, Charles R. . .	C1	AM	195 0 0	..
							Lockart, John W. . .	E3	AM	125 0 0	..
							Livingston, C. . .	D2	AF	100 0 0	..
							Robertson, Jane ..	D3	AF	80 0 0	..
							McLean, Islay ..	..	FP4	55 0 0	..
							Frazer, Helen F. . .	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
Oamaru South ..	319	1,012 8 0	..	356 16 11	..	..	Arnold, Margaret P.	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
							Aldred, Frederick S.	D1	HM	282 8 0	..
							Cooke, Jean Laird. .	D1	Mis.	130 0 0	..
							Cron, William ..	C2	AM	195 0 0	..
							McNaught, G. C. S.	D2	AF	105 0 0	..
							Gunn, Elizabeth M.	E2	AF	100 0 0	..
							Faulks, Kate ..	D3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Jackson, Mary Joan	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Standring, Victor ..	..	MP2	40 0 0	..
GRADE 14.							Copland, Catherine ..	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
Macandrew Road ..	406	1,078 18 0	..	141 6 7	..	..	Bennett, William ..	D1	HM	296 8 0	..
							Forsyth, Agnes ..	E1	Mis.	135 0 0	..
							Smeaton, Charles G.	D1	AM	205 0 0	..
							Faulks, Flora ..	D1	AF	105 0 0	..
							Nelson, Hannah C.	Lic	AF	100 0 0	..
							Walker, Mary Maria	E2	AF	80 0 0	..
							Don, Helen ..	D2	AF	80 0 0	..
							Mackisack, E. W. . .	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Mitchell, Emily ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
Port Chalmers D.H.S.	408	1,137 16 0	..	156 19 3	..	..	Rennie, James, B.A.	B1	HM	*297 16 0	..
							Orkney, Eva Marion	C1	Mis.	*135 0 0	..
							Gray, James H., B.A.	B1	AM	*205 0 0	..
							Paterson, Thomas ..	D3	AM	130 0 0	..
							Murray, Hannah B.	E1	AF	100 0 0	..
							Bott, Amelia ..	E2	AF	80 0 0	..
							McCallum, Maria M.	D2	AF	80 0 0	..
							Graham, A. S. F. de L.	D3	Sec.	..	..
GRADE 15.							Kaye, William T. O.	..	MP4	55 0 0	..
							Williams, Ethel D.	..	FP4	55 0 0	..
Mornington ..	411	1,223 10 8	245 19 1	..	..	..	Davidson, William	D1	HM	300 4 0	..
							McIntosh, Janet ..	E1	Mis.	140 0 0	..
							Mathews, Alfred ..	D1	AM	220 0 0	..
							Turner, George A. . .	D3	AM	140 0 0	..
							Whinam, Lois A. P.	D2	AF	105 0 0	..
							Loan, Marion S. . .	D3	AF	100 0 0	..
							Calder, Elizabeth M.	D3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Cameron, Louisa F.	D2	AF	80 0 0	..
							Morris, Thirza Sarah	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Rutherford, J. A. D.	..	MP1	20 0 0	..
North-east Valley ..	462	1,231 15 0	..	131 9 3	..	..	Murray, David ..	D1	HM	306 4 0	..
							Little, Caroline Eliza	D1	Mis.	140 0 0	..
							Booth, George F. . .	C1	AM	220 0 0	..
							Cook, William R. . .	D2	AM	140 0 0	..
							Palmer, Ellen H. . .	D1	AF	105 0 0	..
							Paterson, Eliz. S. . .	D2	AF	100 0 0	..
							Waugh, M. A. P. . .	D3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Jones, Florence Alice	D3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Partridge, Ernest ..	..	MP1	30 0 0	..
GRADE 16.							McIntyre, Davina R.	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
Union Street ..	511	1,345 12 1	..	181 5 8	..	..	Stewart, Alexander	C1	HM	316 16 0	..
							McMillan, Mary S.	E1	Mis.	145 0 0	..
							Stewart, Peter G. . .	D1	AM	235 0 0	..
							Heatley, F. J., M.A.	A2	AM	145 0 0	..
							Rodger, Agnes W. . .	D2	AF	110 0 0	..
							McLean, Alexander	C3	AM	125 0 0	..
							Cameron, Sarah ..	D3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Greaves, Alice ..	D3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Burnside, Margaret	..	FP3	50 0 0	..
							McKenzie, Robert.	MP3	40 0 0	..
							Bremner, V. H. T.	..	FP1	30 0 0	..
							Gillies, Agnes May. .	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
							Wilson, Alice	FP1	20 0 0	..

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GRADE 17.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£
Caversham ..	523	1,432 2 0	..	318 0 11	Milne, William, M.A.	B1	HM	319 12 0	..
							Donald, Elizabeth L.	E1	Mis.	150 0 0	..
							Young, Charles ..	C1	AM	235 0 0	..
							Melville, John ..	D2	AM	150 0 0	..
							Barnett, Annie H...	D2	AF	110 0 0	..
							Kennedy, A. S. ..	D4	AM	130 0 0	..
							McPherson, G. C. ..	D2	AF	95 0 0	..
							Ash, Eva Mary ..	D2	AF	80 0 0	..
							Low, Jessie ..	D1	AF	80 0 0	..
							Lawless, Cyril N. ..	..	MP4	50 0 0	..
							Walton, William L.	..	MP1	20 0 0	..
Dunedin, Arthur Street	499	1,494 12 0	..	262 2 0	..	..	Woodhouse, B. J. ..	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
							Chapman, John H.	D1	HM	319 12 0	..
							Sheriff, Eliza Grant	D1	Mis.	150 0 0	..
							Barrett, Richard J.	D1	AM	235 0 0	..
							Hunter, Joseph ..	C2	AM	150 0 0	..
							Thomson, M. H. ..	D1	AF	110 0 0	..
							Bannerman, H. D.	D4	AM	130 0 0	..
							Scott, Marjory T. ..	D2	AF	95 0 0	..
							Orkney, Daisy M. ..	D3	AF	80 0 0	..
							McLellan, Ellen ..	..	FP4	55 0 0	..
							Wilson, Janet C. ..	..	FP5	50 0 0	..
							Farquharson, M. G.	..	FP5	50 0 0	..
							Tomlinson, H. B. ..	..	MP5	50 0 0	..
Dunedin, High Street	522	1,402 4 4	50 0 0	415 17 9	..	..	Neale, Clara ..	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Smith, James W. ..	C1	HM	325 0 0	50
							Anderson, Annie C.	E1	Mis.	150 0 0	..
							Robertson, John A.	D1	AM	235 0 0	..
							Stables, Robert H.	D2	AM	150 0 0	..
							Andrew, Alice Mary	D2	AF	110 0 0	..
							Hoggans, Alexander	D4	AM	130 0 0	..
							Taylor, Mabel A. ..	D2	AF	95 0 0	..
							Farnie, Grace M. ..	D2	AF	80 0 0	..
							Brown, Jane K. ..	D3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Clothier, Helen C. ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Connor, James ..	..	MP1	20 0 0	..
GRADE 18.							Widdowson, Florence	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
George Street ..	565	1,525 15 4	50 0 0	251 19 8	..	..	McNicoll, David A.	D1	HM	331 12 0	50
							Turnbull, Isabella ..	D1	Mis.	155 0 0	..
							McLean, Alexander	C1	AM	235 0 0	..
							McPhee, John H. A.	B1	AM	150 0 0	..
							Campbell, V. H. D.	E1	AF	115 0 0	..
							Lomas, Edmund K.	B4	AM	130 0 0	..
							Luscombe, Blanche	D2	AF	95 0 0	..
							Sullivan, Lily ..	B4	AF	80 0 0	..
							Ford, Margaret ..	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Hastings, M. E. ..	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Allan, Flora M. ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Overton, George E.	..	MP4	55 0 0	..
							Moodie, Bedford ..	..	MP1	20 0 0	..
							Garney, Phoebe ..	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
Forbury ..	584	1,519 19 4	..	130 1 8	..	..	Whetter, R. G., M.A.	B1	HM	330 16 0	..
							Gordon, Rebecca ..	D1	Mis.	155 0 0	..
							Graham, Walter B.	C1	AM	235 0 0	..
							Borthwick, James ..	E2	AM	150 0 0	..
							Lawrence, Dora S.	E2	AF	115 0 0	..
							Sherriff, Margaret R.	D2	AF	105 0 0	..
							Cooper, Isabella Orr	D1	AF	95 0 0	..
							Ralston, Mary ..	D2	AF	80 0 0	..
							Woodhouse, H. ..	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Anderson, Peter J...	..	MP4	50 0 0	..
							Thomson, Archibald	..	MP3	40 0 0	..
							Farrant, Mary M...	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Graham, K.A.C. de G.	..	FP5	50 0 0	..
GRADE 19.							Kirby, Alban M. ..	..	MP1	30 0 0	..
Albany Street ..	606	1,621 11 4	50 0 0	240 13 5	..	..	Hodge, Owen James	C1	HM	337 8 0	50
							Maxwell, Jessie ..	D1	Mis.	165 0 0	..
							McLaren, William	D1	AM	235 0 0	..
							Nicolson, John McN.	D1	AM	150 0 0	..
							Fowler, Lillias A. ..	E1	AF	120 0 0	..
							Rodger, William ..	C3	AM	135 0 0	..
							Given, Jessie Isabel	D2	AF	100 0 0	..
							Evans, Lily ..	D3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Alexander, Janetta C.	D3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Gillies, Amelia F...	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Bagley, Leith V. ...	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Nichol, Vera ..	..	FP5	55 0 0	..
							Robinson, Arthur H.	..	MP	20 0 0	..
							Pollock, Cecil	MP1	20 0 0	..
							Matheson, Dora G.	..	FP1	20 0 0	..

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GRADE 20.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£
Kaikorai	670	1,733 4 0	..	137 2 8	Allnutt, William C.	D1	HM	348 4 0	..
							McEwan, Mary ..	E1	Mis.	175 0 0	..
							Fitzgerald, John A.	D1	AM	240 0 0	..
							Kelk, Henry P. ..	D1	AM	165 0 0	..
							Wilson, Jane ..	E2	AF	130 0 0	..
							Munro, William F. J.	B3	AM	140 0 0	..
							Callender, Mary ..	E2	AF	110 0 0	..
							Macgregor, Grace E.	D3	AF	85 0 0	..
							Dow, Annie Cecilia	D2	AF	80 0 0	..
							Reid, Wilhelmina R.	D3	AF	80 0 0	..
							Hunter, Robert R.	..	MP5	50 0 0	..
							Scully, Rachel B.	FP3	40 0 0	..
							Macdonald, Agnes C.	..	FP1	30 0 0	..
							McLay, Alice Eva.	FP1	30 0 0	..
							Macdonald, Ralph N.	..	MP1	30 0 0	..
Schools not open in December, 1905—											
Beaumont Station	4 10 0	..	0 2 3
Deep Stream	33 2 0	..	2 0 0
Kukinga	27 0 0	..	5 16 9
Lee Stream	5 0 0
Tarras	45 0 0	..	6 7 6
Lander Railway-station	210 6 4
Unclassified	299 3 3
School appliances	72 1 1
Architect	190 12 7	150 0 0
Totals	61,217 4 0	432 2 5	10,329 16 2	3470 15 11	0 13 6	61,708 13 0	455

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GRADE 0.												
Beaumont	2	£ s. d. 12 0 0	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	Duncan, William ..	C1	M	£ s. d. 12 0 0	£
Benmore	11	61 15 0	..	4 17 6	Biggar, Margaret H.	..	F	65 0 0
Burke's Hill	12	41 13 4	2 10 0	1 12 6	..	..	Munro, Flora ..	..	F	75 0 0	..	10
Centre Island ..	3	30 11 5	..	..	..	..	McKenzie, Agnes ..	..	F	18 0 0	..	..
Dog Island	3	28 0 0	..	..	..	..	Daplyn, Clarissa ..	..	F	18 0 0	..	..
Glencairn	3	39 3 4	..	..	..	..	Gwynne, Madge ..	..	F	18 0 0	..	..
Glenham II(?) ..	..	13 11 7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kaiwera	12	54 5 0	..	4 4 6	..	..	Golden, Agnes ..	..	F	65 0 0	..	..
Kynwood	2	31 2 11	..	..	..	..	Falconer, Elizabeth	..	F	12 0 0	..	..
Manapouri	5	22 6 3	..	..	..	..	Campbell, Louisa ..	..	F	30 0 0	..	..
Maori Point(?) ..	2	..	..	..	..	..	McMahon, Lillian ..	..	F	12 0 0	..	..
Miller's Flat ..	8	48 0 0	..	3 17 6	..	..	Smith, Frances H.	..	F	48 0 0	..	..
Montevue	6	33 18 7	..	..	..	..	McIntyre, Jessie ..	..	F	30 0 0	..	..
Redan Valley ..	7	61 2 7	..	6 17 6	..	..	Jamieson, Mary H.	..	F	60 0 0	..	..
Shotover, Upper ..	10	61 0 0	..	13 5 0	..	..	Barnett, J. C., Mrs.	E3	F	65 0 0	..	..
Waikawa	11	51 6 8	9 3 4	6 11 0	..	6 10 0	Wild, Elizabeth M.	..	F	65 0 0	10	..
Waikawa N. II ..	5	35 15 6	..	..	..	..	Dallas, Isabella ..	..	F	30 0 0	..	..
GRADE 1.												
Arthur's Point ..	15	90 0 0	10 0 0	7 17 6	..	..	Mackay, Gordon ..	..	M	90 0 0	10	..
Cardrona	20	90 17 3	..	8 17 6	..	..	Barker, Caroline ..	..	F	94 10 0	..	..
Caroline	17	94 10 0	..	75 8 6	..	..	Ward, Agnes, Mrs.	..	F	94 10 0	..	..
Chatton	15	71 5 0	..	6 7 6	..	..	Brown, Isabella ..	..	F	80 0 0	..	..
Crown Terrace ..	12	80 18 0	9 9 3	7 0 0	..	..	Orr, Margaret F. M.	..	F	85 10 0	10	..
Daore	15	75 0 0	10 0 0	6 17 6	..	5 0 0	Prichard, Emily M.	..	F	75 0 0	10	..
Eastern Bush ..	16	85 10 0	..	8 5 0	..	..	Fahey, Helena R. ..	Lic.	F	85 10 0	..	..
Fairfax	29	115 15 0	..	12 2 3	..	..	Cameron, Jessie ..	D3	F	131 0 0	..	..
Feldwick	10	78 7 2	10 0 0	5 10 0	..	..	Fahey, Nora F. ..	..	F	75 0 0	10	..
Ferndale	16	81 0 0	10 0 0	31 7 10	..	..	Shand, Florence J.	..	F	81 0 0	10	..
Flint's Bush ..	21	100 12 0	..	10 0 0	..	..	Lind, Madeline ..	..	F	99 0 0	..	..
Forest Hill South ..	11	75 0 0	..	6 19 6	..	..	Irwin, Margaret A.	Lic.	F	75 0 0	..	..
Gibbston	16	90 0 0	..	16 5 0	..	..	Stevens, Amy ..	..	F	90 0 0	..	..
Gladfield	24	99 9 0	10 0 0	15 0 0	..	..	Murphy, Katherine	Lic.	F	106 4 0	10	..
Greenvale	20	91 2 6	..	12 2 6	..	..	Egan, Thomas ..	..	M	99 0 0	..	..
Grove Bush	16	76 15 0	..	7 5 0	..	..	McKenzie, Alexander	..	M	80 0 0	..	..
Hamilton Bush ..	15	80 0 0	10 0 0	7 7 6	..	..	Popham, Ivy M. ..	..	F	80 0 0	10	..
Holmsdale	11	75 0 0	10 0 0	5 12 6	..	..	Vallance, Ruth ..	..	F	75 0 0	10	..
Morton Mains ..	20	87 15 0	10 0 0	8 15 0	..	..	Hanning, Elizabeth	..	F	94 10 0	10	..
Otara	25	119 0 0	..	52 15 4	McLauchlan, M. F.	E3	F	126 0 0

(1) Closed.

(2) Opened 1st November; no payments made, 1905.

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GRADE 1—continued											
Papatotara ..	16	£ 94 10 0	£ ..	£ 13 5 0	£ ..	£ ..	Hamilton, Hilda	F	£ 94 10 0	£ ..
Pine Bush ..	14	80 15 0	..	8 0 0	Boyce, May	F	81 0 0	..
Pyramid Siding ..	19	90 0 0	..	7 15 0	..	..	Millar, William ..	E2*	M	90 0 0	..
Quarry Hills and Wai-kawa Valley ..	20	132 2 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	..	..	Powis, Mary ..	E3	F	140 0 0	10
Roslyn Bush ..	18	90 0 0	..	8 5 0	..	..	Dewar, Janet ..	D1	F	95 0 0	..
Scott's Gap ..	17	93 12 2	..	8 7 6	..	..	McArthur, Grace ..	..	F	85 10 0	..
Slopedown ..	21	107 5 0	10 0 0	9 17 6	..	..	Simmonds, S.E., Mrs.	E2	F	114 0 0	10
Springhills ..	13	64 14 7	..	67 13 8	..	..	Cameron, Annie R.	..	F	70 0 0	..
Waimumu ..	18	110 0 0	..	37 12 6	..	..	Gavey, Francis ..	E4	M	110 0 0	..
Waicola ..	20	84 2 6	10 0 0	8 7 6	..	..	Miller, Jane ..	..	F	90 0 0	10
Wairaki ..	13	71 14 5	5 0 0	3 5 0	..	..	Wraytt, Sarah Alice	..	F	80 0 0	10
GRADE 2.											
Athol ..	33	123 10 0	..	68 14 8	..	..	Gilfedder, Thomas J.	D3	M	136 0 0	..
Benio ..	23	123 13 3	19 12 6	9 18 9	..	..	Wilson, Maud M. ..	D4	F	126 0 0	20
Clifden ..	22	122 0 0	..	16 19 0	..	..	Southberg, Eleanor	E3	F	122 0 0	..
Croydon Siding ..	20	114 0 0	20 0 0	13 15 0	..	..	Sutherland, Jane ..	E1	F	114 0 0	20
Glenorchy ..	18	102 12 0	20 0 0	9 5 0	..	..	Evison, Charlotte E.	..	F	102 12 0	20
Haldane ..	22	130 0 0	..	28 0 10	..	..	Cusack, James ..	E2	M	130 0 0	..
Hokonui ..	22	129 8 2	..	10 0 10	..	..	McCallum, Mary ..	D2	F	130 0 0	..
Macetown ..	21	128 6 9	..	10 0 10	..	..	Orr, Marion ..	..	F	117 0 0	..
Maitland Village ..	27	130 0 0	..	14 3 5	..	..	White, Mary E. ..	D2	F	130 0 0	..
Mokoreta ..	24	118 9 5	..	10 0 0	..	..	McKay, Helen ..	..	F	109 16 0	..
Opio ..	28	124 10 6	..	25 6 1	..	..	Mehaffey, John ..	..	M	122 8 0	..
Oraki ..	22	126 0 0	20 0 0	10 10 0	..	..	Ball, Alice A. ..	D4*	F	126 0 0	20
Riverside ..	22	109 16 0	..	11 5 0	..	..	McAllister, C. S. ..	..	F	109 16 0	..
Seaward Downs ..	28	130 15 0	..	25 18 8	..	..	Enright, Mary A. ..	D3	F	133 0 0	..
Springbank ..	17	114 13 4	..	9 0 0	..	..	Purvis, Patience I.	E3	F	118 0 0	..
Waimahaka ..	31	132 13 4	20 0 0	11 11 4	..	..	Wilson, Jessie ..	E2	F	135 0 0	20
Wairekiki & Waikana ..	16	145 16 8	..	9 5 8	..	..	Kelly, Thomas ..	E2	M	146 8 0	..
Wendon Valley ..	19	116 4 6	..	31 4 5	..	..	Webber, John O. ..	..	M	109 16 0	..
Wild Bush ..	28	126 15 0	..	14 11 7	..	..	Fairbairn, W. S. ..	D4*	F	132 0 0	..
GRADE 3.											
Aparima ..	27	140 0 0	..	11 14 2	..	..	McDonald, Kenneth	D2	M	140 0 0	..
Ardlussa ..	24	144 0 0	..	7 18 8	..	..	Field, John L. ..	C1	M	144 0 0	..
Awarua Plains ..	26	127 7 0	..	10 4 4	..	..	Brownlie, Robert ..	C2	M	136 0 0	..
Charlton ..	34	135 0 0	..	82 18 1	..	..	McAllister, Agnes G.	D3	F	135 0 0	..
Croydon ..	27	133 0 0	..	10 14 10	..	..	Biggar, Mary M. ..	D4	F	133 0 0	..
Elderslie ..	30	136 0 0	..	11 0 0	..	..	Clark, Alexander ..	D2	M	136 0 0	..
Fernhills ..	28	144 0 0	..	14 17 6	..	..	Kilburn, Joseph ..	E2	M	144 0 0	..
Forest Hill North ..	23	131 0 0	..	10 3 5	..	..	Campbell, Mary A. E.	E2	F	131 0 0	..
Fortrose ..	34	166 19 1	..	15 12 6	..	..	Millard, Arthur J. ..	E2	M	156 0 0	..
Garston ..	36	158 0 0	..	12 1 10	..	..	Lea, William S. ..	E2	M	158 0 0	..
Glenham ..	42	154 3 4	..	12 5 5	..	..	Eggelton, William C.	Lie.	M	135 0 0	..
Greenhills ..	38	152 0 0	..	12 2 10	..	..	Mackenzie, John A.	D3	M	152 0 0	..
Gummie's Bush ..	42	144 0 0	..	21 8 8	..	..	Carnahan, Jessie M.	E2	F	144 0 0	..
Half-moon Bay ..	32	140 0 0	20 0 0	11 0 10	..	..	Peterson, William ..	E2	M	140 0 0	20
Heddon Bush ..	37	180 0 0	..	12 7 2	..	..	Hassing, George M.	E2	M	160 0 0	..
Hillend South ..	38	152 0 0	..	12 2 9	..	..	Milne, James ..	E1	M	152 0 0	..
Kapuka ..	23	133 0 0	..	10 1 9	..	..	Watson, Isabella H.	D3	F	133 0 0	..
Koromiko ..	32	132 0 0	..	80 9 7	..	..	Cochran, I. C. J. K., Mrs., M.A.	B3	F	132 0 0	..
Limestone Plains ..	30	146 0 0	..	13 8 5	..	..	McKinnon, Charles	E2	M	146 0 0	..
Longridge ..	27	132 0 0	..	10 7 0	..	..	Mitchell, R. C. F. ..	D4	F	132 0 0	..
Longridge Village ..	27	136 0 0	..	10 12 3	..	..	Lyttle, John ..	E2	M	136 0 0	..
Longbush ..	29	136 0 0	..	10 10 5	..	..	Stott, Alexander ..	C2	M	136 0 0	..
Mabel ..	30	135 3 5	..	10 17 6	..	..	Linn, Mary I., Mrs.	E4	F	138 0 0	..
Mandeville ..	28	136 0 0	..	10 13 11	..	..	Overton, William R.	E2	M	136 0 0	..
Merrivale ..	33	135 8 4	..	11 0 11	..	..	Diack, William A. ..	D2	M	140 0 0	..
Mimihaui ..	27	131 0 0	..	39 15 10	..	..	Healey, Florence E.	E2	F	131 0 0	..
Mossburn ..	28	131 0 0	..	21 18 10	..	..	Wraytt, Chris., Mrs.	E3	F	131 0 0	..
Moturimu ..	35	126 0 0	20 0 0	11 6 2	..	..	Donnelly, Peter C.	Lie.	M	126 0 0	20
Myross Bush ..	30	133 15 10	..	138 13 6	..	..	Harvey, James ..	E3	M	136 0 0	..
Niagara ..	33	150 0 0	..	18 2 3	..	..	Wild, Herbert A. ..	D2	M	150 0 0	..
Otakau ..	30	135 7 6	..	18 18 6	..	..	Mackay, Leslie D. ..	D4	M	150 0 0	..
Otapiri Gorge ..	31	138 0 0	..	11 3 7	..	..	Gray, Agnes ..	E2	F	138 0 0	..
Oteramika ..	25	138 14 1	..	34 9 8	..	..	Nicoll, Jessie J. ..	..	F	118 16 0	..
Oteramika Gorge ..	30	150 0 0	..	17 18 10	..	..	Monteath, Thomas	E1	M	150 0 0	..
Pembroke ..	40	156 0 0	..	12 10 8	..	..	Thomson, Alex. G.	E1	M	156 0 0	..
Ryal Bush ..	36	146 0 0	..	85 18 0	..	..	Officer, John ..	E1	M	150 0 0	..
Shotover, Lower ..	33	148 0 0	..	113 4 8	..	..	Fisher, Esau ..	E2	M	148 0 0	..
Spar Bush ..	33	146 0 0	..	11 6 2	Park, William F. ..	D2	M	146 0 0	..
Tokonui ..	27	129 13 0	18 9 8	215 17 5	Sangster, M. M. ..	D1	F	136 0 0	20

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		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£
GRADE 3—continued.											
Waikaka Valley ..	30	128 7 3	..	13 2 7	Sinclair, W. H. C.	M	127 16 0	..
Waipounamu ..	27	131 0 0	..	24 1 11	..	..	Haydon, Kate F. ..	D3	F	131 0 0	..
Wairio ..	41	131 13 4	..	12 12 4	..	..	McDonald, Christina	E2	F	145 0 0	..
Wallacetown ..	28	148 0 0	..	10 17 5	..	..	Macan, George H. ..	E1	M	148 0 0	..
Wendonside ..	28	138 0 0	..	13 9 7	..	..	Shepard, Henry ..	E2	M	138 0 0	..
GRADE 4.											
Hedgehope Upper and Hedgehope Lower	50	191 3 5	..	45 11 5	..	..	Wilson, James R. ..	D2	M	194 8 0	..
Mataura Island ..	44	242 10 0	..	16 4 8	..	..	Macdonald, George C.	D2	HM	162 10 0	..
Oreti Plains ..	45	243 6 4	..	80 17 3	..	..	Golden, Mary ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Otama ..	47	242 10 0	..	79 10 6	..	..	Donald, James ..	D1	HM	162 10 0	..
Otatara Bush ..	44	240 10 0	..	13 1 2	..	..	McLeod, Helen ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Pahia ..	44	245 7 3	..	13 16 11	..	..	Fraser, Robert ..	D2	HM	162 10 0	..
Round Hill..	42	241 0 0	20 0 0	12 19 5	101 0 3	..	Clapp, Bertha ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Te Tua ..	43	242 0 0	..	26 6 1	..	..	Merrie, Thomas ..	D2	HM	160 10 0	..
Tuturau ..	34	240 10 0	..	50 4 6	..	..	Cosgriff, Johanna ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Waianiwa ..	52	251 4 9	..	14 12 8	..	..	Lea, Albert G. ..	E2	HM	163 0 0	..
Waikaka ..	56	245 15 3	..	15 2 4	..	..	Brungot, M. J. L. ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
GRADE 5.											
Arrow ..	69	265 0 0	..	42 7 8	..	..	McLauchlan, Joseph	C2	HM	161 0 0	20
Balfour ..	58	260 16 8	..	48 1 1	..	..	Murdoch, Sarah ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Clifton ..	58	259 16 2	..	17 1 7	..	..	Archdall, Hewan A.	D3	HM	162 0 0	..
Dipton ..	63	266 9 3	..	44 5 0	..	..	McEwan, Flora ..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Drummond ..	61	260 0 0	..	24 4 11	235 0 0	..	Gibb, Robert ..	E2	HM	160 10 0	..
Knapdale ..	55	250 0 0	..	15 6 8	..	..	Nickless, Elsie ..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Limehills ..	62	247 3 1	..	16 1 7	..	..	Smith, Aaron Y. ..	C1	HM	165 0 0	..
Pukerau ..	59	262 14 10	..	45 16 8	..	..	Macdonald, A. ..	E3	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Rimu ..	56	261 11 11	..	17 5 8	..	..	McLeod, John W. ..	E2	HM	165 0 0	..
Thornbury ..	55	272 6 2	..	22 14 3	..	..	Robertson, Mary G.	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Waimatuku ..	47	247 10 0	..	14 6 7	..	..	Orr, James ..	D1	HM	180 0 0	..
Wendon ..	56	250 0 0	..	39 17 10	..	..	McDonnell, B. M. ..	E2	Mis.	85 0 0	..
West Plains ..	57	263 15 0	..	17 1 11	..	..	Learmonth, Robert	D1	HM	186 5 0	..
GRADE 6.											
Edendale ..	114	329 5 3	..	24 6 10	..	..	Lynn, Ruth ..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Kennington ..	78	302 13 6	..	60 5 8	..	..	Murdoch, James ..	E2	HM	177 10 0	..
Queenstown ..	77	293 1 10	..	50 4 1	..	..	Turner, Olive A. ..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
Riversdale ..	78	285 10 0	..	19 15 1	..	..	Millar, William ..	E2*	HM	182 10 0	..
Waikiwi ..	93	307 3 4	..	32 19 1	..	..	Lucas, Evelynne M.	D4	Mis.	85 0 0	..
GRADE 7.											
Colac Bay ..	93	355 2 2	..	131 9 1	..	..	Greig, Alexander ..	C2	HM	180 0 0	..
Makarewa ..	94	366 16 0	..	22 8 1	..	..	Jamieson, Violet ..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Blue, Francis R. ..	D2	HM	170 0 0	..
							Eggleton, Ada L. ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Murray, Henry E. ..	D1	HM	172 10 0	..
							Barclay, Lily C. ..	Lic.	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Smith, William ..	D1	HM	175 0 0	..
							Smith, Annie J. ..	D3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
							Gazzard, Thomas E.	D1	HM	175 0 0	..
							Brennan, Margaret	E4	Mis.	85 0 0	..
							Soar, James ..	D1	HM	176 5 0	..
							Meek, Ada M. ..	E3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
							McKenzie, Duncan	E1	HM	167 10 0	..
							Pilcher, Christina H.	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							Sutherland, F. R. H.	D1	HM	170 0 0	..
							Boyd, Flora J. ..	..	Mis.	80 0 0	..
							McKillop, David S.	D1	HM	178 15 0	..
							Hannan, Cecilia ..	E3	Mis.	85 0 0	..
							Hoddinott, F.W., B.A.	B2	HM	211 5 0	..
							Webber, Jane ..	D4	Mis.	95 0 0	..
							Spratt, Mary ..	..	FP1	30 0 0	..
							Featherstone, A. E.	D1	HM	203 15 0	..
							Carswell, Helen ..	D3	Mis.	95 0 0	..
							Hiddleston, A. H. ..	E1	HM	201 5 0	..
							Selby, Bertha G. ..	D3	Mis.	95 0 0	..
							Munro, Donald, B.A.	B2	HM	200 0 0	..
							Brown, Caroline F.	Lic.	Mis.	85 10 0	..
							Greig, David M. ..	C1	HM	213 15 0	..
							Lind, Janet ..	D1	Mis.	95 0 0	..
							McNeil, Angus, M.A.	A1	HM	217 14 0	..
							McKay, Annie ..	Lic.	Mis.	90 0 0	..
							Gazzard, Harry ..	..	MP4	55 0 0	..
							Mackay, Eric K. F.	D1	HM	216 16 0	..
							Hardie, Margaret ..	E3	Mis.	100 0 0	..
							Donnan, Mary R. ..	..	FP4	55 0 0	..

TABLE No. 8.—LIST of the PUBLIC SCHOOLS, the EXPENDITURE, STAFF, &c.—*continued*.
SOUTHLAND—*continued*.

1	Average for the Year 1905.	Expenditure for the Year.					Names, Classification, and Status of Teachers.			Annual Rates of Payment during Last Month of Year.	
Name of School.		3 Teachers' Salaries, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	4 Teachers' House Allowances.	5 Other Ordinary Expenditure, including Rebuilding, Repairs to Buildings, &c.	6 Buildings, Sites, Furniture, and Apparatus.	7 Rent of School Buildings.	8 Teachers on the Staff at the End of the Year.	9 Classification.	10 Position in the School.	11 For Salary, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	12 For Teachers' House Allowances.
GRADE 7—continued.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£
Nightcaps	115	379 18 5	...	43 2 1	..	..	Gray, John ..	D1	HM	221 12 0	..
							Adams, Margaret H.	E3	Mis.	100 0 0	..
Otautau	123	353 7 2	..	25 18 5	..	..	McNaughton, Jane	..	FP4	55 0 0	..
							Rowe, William A. ..	D1	HM	230 2 0	..
Tisbury	133	343 10 5	30 0 0	55 16 5	..	..	Greenslade, Mary G.	D2	Mis.	100 0 0	..
							Lloyd, Alice ..	..	FP1	30 0 0	..
							Hamilton, Martha	D1	HF	174 1 0	30
Waikaia	108	340 18 9	..	104 11 11	..	..	Macdonald, Sarah M.	E2	Mis.	100 0 0	..
							Cushen, John ..	..	MP3	40 0 0	..
							McNaughton, M. ..	..	FP2	40 0 0	..
Woodlands	94	357 7 2	..	31 17 7	..	..	Sproat, William A.	D2	HM	218 18 0	..
							Ingram, Charlotte C.	Lic.	Mis.	90 0 0	..
							Herlichy, Mary ..	..	FP2	30 0 0	..
GRADE 8.							Mehaffey, John ..	D1	HM	215 18 0	..
Invercargill North ..	132	410 12 2	..	46 17 9	..	..	Todd, Eliza T. ..	E2	Mis.	100 0 0	..
							Leith, Maitland J. ..	..	MP2	30 0 0	..
							Inglis, Alex., M.A. ..	A1	HM	226 2 0	..
Lumsden	112	407 8 0	..	30 13 3	95 0 0	..	Hardie, Mary ..	E2	Mis.	105 0 0	..
							Daplyn, Rosina M.	..	FP3	45 0 0	..
Orepuki	152	398 19 4	..	41 11 3	..	..	Salmond, Elizabeth I.	..	FP1	30 0 0	..
							Clark, W. H., B.A.	B1	HM	224 18 0	..
							Thomson, Jane H. ..	D1	Mis.	105 0 0	..
							Clapp, Lewis ..	..	MP3	45 0 0	..
							Lymburn, Janet ..	..	FP3	40 0 0	..
Waihopai	139	427 17 0	..	64 8 11	..	..	Young, Henry P. ..	D1	HM	229 14 0	..
							Lea, Mary ..	D1	Mis.	105 0 0	..
							Mullay, Elvina ..	..	FP2	40 0 0	..
							McLeod, John W. ..	..	MP1	30 0 0	..
							Hutchinson, James B.	C1	HM	227 0 0	..
Wyndham	131	411 8 0	..	116 13 4	..	..	Perrin, M. C., BA.	B2	Mis.	105 0 0	..
							McChesney, Hugh ..	..	MP5	50 0 0	..
GRADE 9.							Baird, Mary ..	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
East Gore	196	509 19 3	..	54 14 10	..	..	Golding, Jabez ..	D2	HM	226 8 0	..
							Dickie, Agnes ..	D3	Mis.	105 0 0	..
							Gordon, Elizabeth	E4*	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Hunter, Elizabeth	..	FP2	40 0 0	..
Winton D.H.S.	181	513 4 0	..	37 17 4	..	..	Gilchrist, William ..	D1	HM	245 6 0	..
							Grant, Marianne ..	D2	Mis.	110 0 0	..
							Kennedy, Mary J. ..	Lic.	AF	115 0 0	..
							Rae, Duncan ..	..	MP1	30 0 0	..
							Wyllie, A. L., M.A.	B1	HM	243 4 0	..
							McKenzie, Mary S. H.	D2	Mis.	110 0 0	..
							Mackay, James G. ..	C4	Sec.	..	..
							Wilson, Robert N. ..	Lic.	AM	90 0 0	..
							Ritchie, Thomas R.	..	MP4	50 0 0	..
							Welsh, Charlotte ..	..	FP2	30 0 0	..
GRADE 10.							Young, Andrew ..	E1	HM	260 6 0	..
Bluff	262	688 1 11	..	97 16 4	..	..	Apstein, Emilie B.	D2	Mis.	115 0 0	..
							Smith, Edward ..	D2	AM	155 0 0	..
							Gifford, Margaret A.	E4	AF	80 0 0	..
							Hamilton, C. D. ..	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							McKenzie, Lionel ..	..	MP1	20 0 0	..
Mataura	242	677 7 8	..	50 11 2	..	..	Macandrew, William	D1	HM	260 12 0	..
							Fowler, Lillian E. ..	D1	Mis.	115 0 0	..
							Steadman, David D.	D1	AM	155 0 0	..
							Balneaves, Kate ..	D4	AF	80 0 0	..
							Winning, Muriel ..	..	FP4	50 0 0	..
							Pryde, Annie ..	..	FP1	20 0 0	..
Riverton D.H.S.	208	678 17 9	..	79 14 10	..	..	Hewat, E. C., B.A.	B1	HM	250 8 0	..
							Hamilton, Janet A.	D2	Mis.	115 0 0	..
							Robertson, George E.	D1	AM	155 0 0	..
							Acheson, Cath. E. A.	D4	Sec.	..	..
							McLeod, Cath. E. ..	..	AF	80 0 0	..
							Lenihan, James ..	..	MP4	50 0 0	..
							Roderique, Jane ..	..	FP2	40 0 0	..
GRADE 11.							Hain, James ..	D1	HM	265 8 0	..
Invercargill Park ..	252	717 9 4	..	89 7 4	..	..	Dryburgh, Isabella	E1	Mis.	120 0 0	..
							Stenhouse, Robert A.	C2	AM	170 0 0	..
							Hanning, Minnie L.	E2	AF	120 0 0	..
							Prentice, John O. ..	..	MP2	40 0 0	..
							Seed, Jessie ..	..	FP2	30 0 0	..

TABLE No. 8.—LIST of the PUBLIC SCHOOLS, the EXPENDITURE, STAFF, &c.—*continued.*
SOUTHLAND—*continued.*

Name of School.	Average for the Year 1906.	Expenditure for the Year.					Names, Classification, and Status of Teachers.			Annual Rates of Payment during Last Month of Year.	
		Teachers' Salaries, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	Teachers' House Allowances.	Other Ordinary Expenditure, including Re-building, Repairs to Buildings, &c.	Buildings, Sites, Furniture, and Apparatus.	Rent of School Buildings.	Teachers on the Staff at the End of the Year.	Classification.	Position in the School.	For Salary, including Lodging-allowances to Pupil-teachers.	For Teachers' House Allowances.
GRADE 14.											
Gore D.H.S. ..	422	£ s. d. 1,088 8 0	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 148 2 6	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	Golding, J., B.A. .. Howes, Edith A. .. Brunton, John, B.A. Thompson, Marion Grenfell, Alfred F... Wilson, Elizabeth M. Lyttle, David J. A. . Robinson, Mary K. Shepherd, Ellen M. J. de Laurie, Herbert J. Fisher, Mary K. Aitken, A. H. W. ...	B1 D1 B2 D2 D1 D3 .. E3	HM Mis. Sec. Sec. AM AF AM AF FP5 MP5 FP1 MP1	£ s. d. 298 0 0 135 0 0 205 0 0 105 0 0 108 0 0 80 0 0 55 0 0 55 0 0 30 0 0 20 0 0	£
GRADE 17.											
Invercargill Middle ..	514	1,458 16 10	..	264 5 2	..	..	Mehaffey, William G. Birss, Helen L. Selby, Charles W. G. Cockroft, George W. Melhop, Frank G. ... Thomson, Annie .. Dundas, Jessie A. ... Pasley, Margaret S. McFeely, Hugh .. Brown, Lucy .. Barber, Elizabeth .. Woollett, Ethel J.... Selby, Ralph ..	D1 D1 D1 D3 D4* E2 D3 D3	HM Mis. AM AM AM AF AF AF MP4 FP3 FP2 FP4 MP4	321 8 0 150 0 0 235 0 0 150 0 0 130 0 0 105 0 0 95 0 0 80 0 0 55 0 0 45 0 0 40 0 0 50 0 0 50 0 0	..........................
GRADE 19.											
Invercargill South ..	669	1,641 1 1	..	160 18 4	..	..	Webber, Edmund .. McLeod, C., M.A. ... Armour, W. A., M.A. Sebo, William H. ... Joyce, Lucy J. Bain, Andrew .. King, Jane .. Ramsay, W. A. Wild, Cyril T., B.A. Murdoch, Vera .. Henderson, Alice .. Wild, Leonard J. Barron, Isabella .. Hall, Andrew .. Rowe, Lilian J.	C1 B1 A4 E1 E1 D3 D1 D2 B4	HM Mis. AM AM AF AM AF AF AM FP4 FP1 MP3 FP2 MP1 FP1	342 4 0 165 0 0 235 0 0 150 0 0 120 0 0 135 0 0 100 0 0 80 0 0 90 0 0 50 0 0 20 0 0 45 0 0 40 0 0 30 0 0 30 0 0	..............................
Schools not open in December, 1905—											
Waituna ..	..	13 1 3	..	2 2 6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Brydone (Ota Creek) ..	..	..	..	..	75 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..
Waikaka Siding ..	..	..	..	65 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wyndham South ..	..	..	..	66 15 9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Expenditure not classified—											
Plans, supervision, and fees	..	..	..	392 12 5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sites ..	..	..	..	37 11 5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Advertising tenders ..	..	..	..	31 19 6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Freight and railage ..	..	..	..	29 10 7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Appliances ..	..	..	..	141 0 3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Insurance of employees	..	..	..	10 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals ..	..	32,037 5 6	344 4 9	5,532 15 7	716 0 3	11 10 0	..	..	..	32,155 14 0	360

REPORTS OF EDUCATION BOARDS.

[Details are in some cases omitted.]

AUCKLAND.

SIR,—

Auckland, March, 1906.

The Auckland Education Board presents the following report of its proceedings during the year 1905 :—

BOARD.—The members in office at the beginning of the year were : Messrs. L. J. Bagnall, G. Edgecumbe, H. J. Greenslade, A. R. Harris, R. Hobbs, S. Luke (Chairman), J. D. McKenzie, C. J. Parr, and J. Stallworthy. The annual election of three members resulted in the re-election of Messrs. Harris, Luke, and Stallworthy. Mr. Luke was re-elected Chairman in August. Mr. Hobbs resigned his membership in September, and Mr. G. L. Peacocke was elected in November to fill the vacancy. Twenty-five meetings of the Board were held during the year, with an average attendance of seven members. A committee consisting of all members meets on the day preceding each Board meeting to deal with finance and the selection of teachers. All nine members will retire from office in August, 1906, after the election of their successors, three for each ward.

SCHOOLS.—There were 442 schools in operation at the end of the year, including 72 schools taught half-time. By reckoning every combination of two half-time schools as one school the number is reduced to 406. The number of schools has increased by fifty-two during the past five years, and a still greater increase may be looked for in the future, as the growth of settlement continues to extend. The task of providing the means of education in outlying districts beyond reach of any existing school has been rendered easier by the increase of the statutory capitation grant to £6 a year ; and it is now possible to meet requirements by the temporary establishment of "household" schools. In some cases the employment of an itinerant teacher might be tried as an experiment. Excepting two schools, for which a grant is made by Government to convey scholars by boat, no advantage has yet been taken of the provision for conveyance of children to and from existing schools, the obstacle being the almost impassable state of the roads for vehicular traffic.

TEACHERS.—The total number of teachers is 872—males, 380 ; females, 492. There is still a large proportion of uncertificated teachers in the service. There is a dearth of teachers, especially for schools in country districts, notwithstanding the increased remuneration offered under the revised scale of salaries. For positions in or near town there is a fairly adequate supply. At the yearly examination of candidates held in June last 42 candidates passed the entrance examination. All, or nearly all, of these found early employment. In the selection of pupil-teachers a preference is given to candidates who have passed the University Matriculation Examination. The Board is glad to learn that a scheme for the superannuation of teachers is now in operation.

ATTENDANCES.—The roll-number of scholars at the end of 1905 was 32,497, an increase of 2,290 above the number in December, 1904. The number of Maori and half-caste scholars was 2,084. The average attendance for the year was 27,507, equal to about 80 per cent. of the roll number. The daily absence of more than 1,600 children from school, in spite of the law relating to compulsory attendance, is to be regretted. It cannot be accounted for by illness or bad weather. It is feared that many parents fail to recognise their duty in the matter of promoting regular and punctual attendance at school, and that, in many instances, trivial and inadequate reasons are accepted as grounds for the granting of exemption certificates under the Act.

SCHOLARSHIPS.—The scholarships under tenure at the end of the year were : Junior National, 11 ; Junior District, 61 ; Senior District, 24 ; special for girls, 6 : total, 102. The Board has resolved to retain the age-limit of fourteen years for the Junior District Scholarships.

DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOLS.—Nine district high schools have been maintained during the year, having a total of 368 pupils receiving secondary education.

TRAINING COLLEGE.—After an interval of eighteen years a training college has again been established in Auckland. There being no other building available, the Wellesley Street School has been taken and is being used for the purpose. The Board has every hope that the institution will prove a real and lasting benefit to the teachers of the district.

FINANCE.—The Board began the year with a debit balance of £350 10s. 7d. The income and expenditure during the year are classified as follows :—

	Income.			Expenditure.			Balance.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Administration Account	113,332	16	0	112,735	13	1	Cr.	597	2 11
Secondary education	4,134	12	7	4,155	7	6	Dr.	20	14 11
Manual and technical	5,039	16	6	6,043	15	6	Dr.	1,003	19 0
Buildings Account	26,177	4	11	29,243	12	8	Dr.	3,066	7 9
Unclassified	877	19	6	67	7	7	Cr.	810	11 11
Total	£149,562	9	6	£152,245	16	4	Dr.	£2,683	6 10

The debit balance on Manual and Technical Account is covered by claims for capitation earned during last year but not receivable until this year. The expenditure on buildings has nearly always exceeded the receipts. During last year the outlay on new buildings was nearly £4,500 in excess of the special grants received from Government, and the ordinary grant for the maintenance of buildings

TARANAKI.

SIR,—

New Plymouth, 31st March, 1906.

In accordance with the provisions of section 166 of "The Education Act, 1904," the Education Board of the District of Taranaki has the honour to submit the following report of its proceedings for the year 1905.

THE BOARD.—At the beginning of the year the Board was comprised of the following members :—E. G. Allsworth, Esq. (Chairman), Mrs. Jane R. Dougherty, Messrs. G. A. Adlam, Henry Faull, Arthur Morton, Joseph Mackay, M.A., D. H. McDonald, William Monkhouse, and James Wade. At the meeting of the Board held on the 19th January, 1905, Mr. E. G. Allsworth forwarded his resignation, which was accepted, and Mr. James Wade appointed Chairman. Mr. G. H. Maunder was elected to fill the vacancy on the Board. Messrs. Adlam, Monkhouse, and Wade retired in the terms of section 31 of the Act, and were re-elected. On the 25th October Mr. Joseph Mackay forwarded his resignation, which was accepted, and Mr. H. Trimble was elected to fill the vacancy on the Board. The Board held fifteen ordinary meetings and one special meeting.

SCHOOLS AND TEACHERS.—New schools have been opened at Kohuratahi and Makahu. There were seventy-six schools open at the end of the year, including the six half-time schools, and the number of teachers employed was 138, who were graded as follows : Sole teachers, 27 female and 20 male ; head-teachers, 5 female and 21 male ; assistants, 37 female and 8 male ; pupil-teachers, 17 female and 3 male.

MAINTENANCE GRANT.—The Board is well satisfied with the basis upon which the maintenance grant is at present allocated, and recognises that the Department has dealt reasonably and fairly with applications for new schools and additions to existing schools.

CAPITATION GRANT.—The Board finds that the 11s. 3d. is inadequate to meet its departmental expenses, and hopes that the Minister will favourably consider that the cost of administration is dependent upon the distribution of the pupils in the district, rather than upon the number ; and the preponderance of small schools, combined with the absence of large centres of population, renders the cost of administration per pupil particularly heavy in this and similar districts.

FINANCE.—The receipts of the Board from all sources, including a balance of £314 4s. 10d. brought forward from 1904, amounted to £25,897 10s. 7d., while the expenditure was as follows : Administration, £1,614 16s. 6d. ; teachers' salaries and allowances, £16,380 13s. 9d. ; incidental expenses of schools, £1,349 14s. ; secondary education, £786 9s. 7d. ; manual and technical, £926 10s. 7d. ; buildings, £4,010 2s. 7d. ; leaving a balance of £1,084 11s. 1d., against which are liabilities fully covering it.

BUILDINGS.—New schools have been erected at Makahu and Matiere, and the West End, Fitzroy, Mahoe, Salisbury Road, and Waitara Schools have been enlarged, and the Stratford District High School, which was seriously damaged by fire, has been reinstated. New latrines have been built at the Central, Courtenay Street, and West End Schools, and septic tanks at Stratford and West End.

DRILL.—In all schools physical exercises are taken daily, with a more extended period for instruction once a week. Military drill is taken at a number of schools, and companies are formed at the Central School, New Plymouth, Stratford, Inglewood, West End, Waitara, and detachments at Ngairi, Urenui, Okato, and Opunake.

MANUAL INSTRUCTION.—Elementary handwork was undertaken at thirty-one schools, and sewing under the manual regulations in thirteen schools. In addition to the above, manual work as defined by clauses 22 to 27 of the Regulations for Manual and Technical Instruction was recognised in twenty-seven cases, the subjects embracing woodwork, botany, dairying, physiography, advanced needlework, ambulance, elementary agriculture, swimming, and life-saving.

TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION.—Classes continue to be held at Stratford and New Plymouth, and are doing good work. During the year the Board applied for a Manual Training centre and Technical School for New Plymouth. The plans were approved, and a grant of £3,500 for a brick building has been notified. Training classes for teachers were held at Stratford and New Plymouth, the principal subject of instruction being agriculture, theoretical and practical.

CONCLUSION.—The relations of the Board with the Education Department, its official and teaching staff, and with the School Committees have been most cordial and pleasant throughout the year.

I have, &c.,

JAMES WADE, Chairman.

The Hon. the Minister of Education, Wellington.

GENERAL STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending 31st December, 1905.

Receipts.	£	s.	d.	Expenditure.	£	s.	d.
Balance at beginning of year—				Staff salaries and clerical assistance ..	975	11	10
On General Account	22	19	11	Office contingencies	637	13	0
On Building Account	291	4	11	Teachers' and pupil-teachers' salaries, and			
Grants from Government for—				allowances to pupil-teachers	15,880	2	2
Teachers' and pupil-teachers' salaries,				Relieving-teachers' salaries	64	5	8
and allowances to pupil-teachers ..	14,199	17	11	Incidental expenses of schools	1,194	8	3
Reserves revenue for primary education ..	1,898	18	0	Capitation, 9d.	155	5	9
Capitation at 11s. 3d. and grant of £250 ..	2,628	16	6	Scholarships and expenses of examination ..	349	9	0
Capitation for relieving-teachers	105	14	9	Salaries of staffs of district high schools ..	412	15	4
Special grant, School Committees	155	5	9	Other expenses—			
Makahu inspections	4	0	0	Secretary, £5; books, £19 5s. 3d. ..	24	5	3
Receipts from other sources—				Manual and technical instruction—			
Subsidy towards Central School repairs ..	22	2	6	School classes	172	10	1½
Sale of old material, &c.	5	14	0	Special classes	433	1	6½
Refunds	18	10	0	General maintenance of school buildings—			
Grants from Government for—				Repairs, repainting, &c.	1,203	19	1
Scholarships	262	17	9	Rebuilding	503	12	3
District high schools	352	5	0	Alterations and small additions	75	0	0
Receipts from other sources—				House allowances	436	5	11
District high school fees	31	2	0	New schools, additions, furniture, sites, &c. ..	2,027	3	9
Refund Wing Kee's Scholarship	1	0	0	Buildings, class-rooms, furniture, &c., for			
Grants from Government for manual and				manual and technical purposes—			
technical instruction—				School classes	224	15	2
Capitation (general and scholarship) ..	354	12	7	Special classes	91	3	9
Instruction of teachers	100	0	0	Other expenses—			
Subsidies on voluntary contributions and				Railway fare refunded, 7s.; cost of lease,			
bequests	40	10	0	14s. 8d.	1	1	8
Receipts from other sources—				Police Department, service of summons ..	0	10	0
Fees	193	17	4	Balance at end of year—			
Voluntary contributions	5	4	6	On General Account	14	12	3
Sale of material	1	16	5	On Building Account	1,014	18	10
Grants from Government for—							
Maintenance of buildings, rebuilding, &c. ..	2,551	8	7				
House allowances	411	18	4				
New schools, additions, furniture, &c. ..	2,028	0	0				
Technical-school buildings, fittings, &c. ..	138	3	8				
Other receipts—							
Rents of school-sites	67	7	2				
Truancy fines, £2 1s.; costs of leases,							
£2 2s.	4	3	0				
	£25,897	10	7		£25,897	10	7

8th May, 1906.

Examined and found correct.—J. K. Warburton, Controller and Auditor-General.

JAMES WADE, Chairman.
P. S. WHITCOMBE, Secretary.

WANGANUI.

SIR,—

Wanganui, 31st March, 1906.

In accordance with the provisions of "The Education Act, 1904," the Education Board of the District of Wanganui has the honour to present the following report of its proceedings for the year 1905.

BOARD.—At the beginning of the year the Board consisted of the following members: Messrs. G. S. Bridge, G. Carson, F. M. Spurdle, F. Pirani, E. Dixon, F. Y. Lethbridge, M.H.R., A. H. Atkinson, H. E. P. Adams, and A. Fraser. The retiring members, Messrs. Pirani, Lethbridge, and Dixon, were re-elected at the annual election in July. Mr. G. S. Bridge was re-elected Chairman.

NUMBER OF SCHOOLS.—At the end of 1904 there were 178 schools in operation in the district, 14 schools were opened and 9 closed, leaving 184 in operation on the 31st December, of which 21 were placed in Grade O.

TEACHERS.—The number of teachers increased by 12, there being at the end of the year 360 teachers, 138 male and 168 female adults, and 54 pupil-teachers—11 males and 43 females. During the year the Board experienced considerable difficulty in obtaining assistants for schools in the lower grades, and had, in some cases, to promote to assistantships pupil-teachers with less than two years' teaching experience. A similar difficulty arose in obtaining teachers for small schools in the outlying parts of the district, and in not a few cases the Board found it necessary, in order to obviate the closing of the schools, to appoint temporarily applicants without any experience.

SALARIES.—The Board is pleased to know that additions have been made to the salaries of the teachers of small schools, and that pupil-teachers are at last to receive nearly enough to enable them to keep themselves from the beginning of their service. It is, however, a matter for regret that a number of deserving teachers, such as the first assistants in the large schools, were not included in the increase, and that adequate provision was not made for the special assistants in district high schools at least on the scale hitherto paid by the Board.

PUPIL-TEACHERS.—At the last examination conducted by the Board's Inspectors 54 candidates presented themselves for examination, and 45 obtained the percentage of marks necessary for a pass.

SCHOLARSHIPS.—At the annual examination for the Board's scholarships 23 senior and 50 junior pupils were examined. Eleven senior and 12 junior scholarships were awarded, 4 of the former going to former winners of Junior Scholarships.

NATIONAL SCHOLARSHIPS.—The three scholarships were awarded to girls—two from country schools and one from a town school. Owing to the legislation of last year two scholarship holders of Board and National Scholarships have had to forfeit one of the two scholarships. Retrospective legislation of this kind hardly accords with the general idea of justice.

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE.—At the end of 1904 the number of pupils in attendance was 12,201, and at the end of last year 12,486, showing an increase of only 285, a much smaller increase than during the previous year. The average attendance showed an increase of 383 over the attendance for 1904. The average weekly roll number and the average attendance for the four quarters were: First quarter—Roll, 12,674, average attendance, 10,827; second quarter—Roll, 12,579, average attendance, 10,654; third quarter—Roll, 12,463, average attendance, 10,743; fourth quarter—Roll, 12,615, average attendance, 10,873. The average for the year was 10,774, and a percentage of 85·6 of the mean of the average weekly roll number for the four quarters—that is 1·2 higher than in 1904, and 0·1 in excess of the average of the colony for the same year. Owing to the large number of schools in the backblocks the administration of the school attendance clauses is a rather expensive item. Application was made to the Department for a railway pass for the Truant Inspector without success.

DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOLS.—The attendance at these schools was much the same as during 1904, the numbers of pupils in the secondary departments being 137 boys, 107 girls. The amount paid during the year to head teachers and special assistants was £1,179 12s.

MANUAL AND TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION.—Mr. Ritchings Grant gave instruction in woodwork to the pupils in the upper classes at the three schools in Palmerston North, the Wanganui and Hawera District High Schools, and, by arrangement with the Board of Governors, at the Palmerston North High School. Cookery classes were conducted at the same centres by Miss Mollison, the classes in Wanganui being held in a room at the Technical School, for the erection of which a grant was received from the Government. The classes at Hawera were carried on as during the previous year at considerable disadvantage in the science room.

Other classes were held during the year as follows: Kindergarten, &c., at 89 schools; elementary agriculture at 14, chemistry at 2, ambulance work at 1, chip carving at 1, perspective at 2, swimming and life-saving at 3, advanced plain needlework at 1, and dressmaking at 2. Instruction in needlework was given during the year at 38 schools in charge of male teachers, the average attendance at which did not exceed 40. Owing, doubtless, to the low rate of capitation difficulty was found in some cases in obtaining suitable teachers.

The Technical School at Wanganui was largely attended during the year owing to the provision in the regulations for free instruction to holders of Junior Technical Scholarships. So great was the attendance at the classes in some subjects that the Board was compelled to erect three class-rooms. Suitable provision was made for the plumbing classes by the erection of a workshop, for which a grant was received. Cookery classes were held in the room built for the school classes. As showing the benefit derived from the provision in the regulations for the technical scholarships, it may be stated that the additional capitation earned under these regulations by junior technical scholars exceeded £300. The classes at Palmerston North Technical School were fairly attended, the largest being the Saturday classes for teachers. These classes had a larger attendance at Hawera than the ordinary art classes, which were but poorly attended.

TRAINING OF TEACHERS.—The woodwork classes held in Wanganui were attended by very few teachers. From the beginning of July classes for the instruction of pupil-teachers in drawing, singing, mathematics, Latin, and science have been held on Saturdays at Palmerston North, Marton, Wanganui, and Hawera.

BUILDINGS.—The additions to Taihape, Kaitoke, and Lytton Street (Feilding) Schools, contracts for which were entered into in December, 1903, were completed during last year. The new schools at Makohau, near the site of the old Glen Nevis School, and Kaukatea were completed during the year, the latter being opened in April. A grant of £800 was made by the Government for the erection of a new school at Foxton, and the contract for this work was let in October. In February, 1905, two rooms of the Queen's Park School, Wanganui, were destroyed by fire, and in their place were erected three rooms fitted with up-to-date furniture. The cost of this work exceeded the amount granted for the reinstatement. The Pine Creek School, begun in 1904, was completed during the year. A contract was let for the rebuilding of two rooms of the Waverley School. The residence at Turakina was condemned, and a contract entered into for the erection of a new building. The Hurleyville residence was enlarged, and contracts entered into for the erection of residences at Utiku, Table Flat, Rata, and Mokoia, all of which, excepting Table Flat, were completed by the end of the year. Contracts were let or additions made to the residences at Bull's, Denlair, Mangatoki, and Hunterville, and minor additions to other residences. New schools were built at Wangahu, Mangaeturoa, and Rangiwaea, a contract let for a school at Waipuru, and considerable additions made to the schools at College Street, and Terrace End (Palmerston North), Westmere, and minor additions to other schools. Painting schools and residences and making repairs before painting necessitated an expenditure of more than £500.

INSPECTION.—Towards the end of the year Mr. W. Gray, M.A., B.Sc., Chief Inspector, resigned his position, having been selected for the Principalship of the Wellington Training College. The vacancy was filled by the appointment of Mr. G. D. Braik, M.A., who had for many years held a similar position under the Southland Board, and who is carrying on the duties of Chief Inspector with energy and ability.

AGRICULTURE AND NATURE STUDY.—Realising the necessity of placing the work in elementary agriculture and the instruction of teachers in this subject and nature study under an expert, the Board appointed Mr. James Grant, B.A., supervisor of the school classes in elementary agriculture and instructor of teachers' classes, and he has already made great progress in the work of organization and instruction. An experimental station is being established at the Halcombe School for the purpose of giving instruction in the propagation of seeds.

PHYSICAL DRILL.—Physical drill is taught in all schools, and instruction in many cases is given in deep-breathing exercises, which have proved very beneficial. A special report on these exercises has been forwarded to the Department.

FINANCE.—From the statement of receipts and expenditure it will be seen that the amount paid in teachers' salaries and allowances (including house allowance, £1,480 17s. 6d.) was £43,004 13s. This amount includes £252 12s. 10d. paid to relieving-teachers. The sum of £2,886 7s. 4d. was paid to School Committees. On small additions, repairs, and painting the sum of £2,743 19s. was expended, on rebuilding £373 19s. 5d., and from special grants £4,159 10s.

Shortly after the end of March the Chairman of the Board, Mr. G. S. Bridge, died after a long illness, and the Board desires to place on record here its high appreciation of the great services he has rendered to the cause of education, no trouble being too great and no time too long for him to devote to the work he had so much at heart. His death created an extraordinary vacancy, but as there was no provision in the Act for an election, no steps were taken in the matter.

I have, &c.,

W. J. CARSON, Secretary.

The Right Hon. the Minister of Education, Wellington.

GENERAL STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending 31st December, 1905.

Receipts.			Expenditure.		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
Balance at beginning of year—			Staff salaries and clerical assistance ..	1,679	17 1
On General Account	1,333	11 1	Office contingencies	964	0 6
On Building Account	41	18 5	Teachers' and pupil-teachers' salaries, and		
Grants from Government for—			allowances to pupil-teachers	39,930	2 11
Teachers' and pupil-teachers' salaries, and			Relieving-teachers' salaries	252	12 10
allowances to pupil-teachers	37,332	8 6	Incidental expenses of schools	2,886	7 4
Reserves revenue for primary education ..	2,866	2 6	Truant inspection	259	6 8
Capitation at 11s. 3d., and grant of £250 ..	6,248	4 6	Board Fund—		
Capitation for relieving-teachers	266	12 0	Teachers' salaries	143	2 9
Other grants—			House allowance	9	4 7
For School Committees	392	3 6	Teachers' bonus	9	0 0
Receipts from other sources—			Training of teachers	241	0 5
Fees, teachers' classes	35	6 3	Scholarships and expenses of examination ..	770	10 3
Truant inspection, Court fines	91	19 0	Salaries of staffs of district high schools ..	1,197	17 0
Grants from Government for—			Other expenses—		
Scholarships	780	0 11	Marton District High School: Amount		
District high schools	1,096	15 0	of voluntary contributions, £34; sub-		
Receipts from other sources—			sidy thereon, £34	68	0 0
District high school fees	31	15 0	Hawera District High School Science		
Subsidy on voluntary contributions	34	0 0	Scholarships	35	0 0
Voluntary contributions	34	0 0	Manual and technical instruction—		
Grants from Government for—			School classes	1,092	10 4
Capitation (general and scholarship)	1,641	7 2	Special classes	1,751	0 6
Subsidies on voluntary contributions and			Other expenses—		
bequests	9	4 0	Office salaries	5	0 0
Receipts from other sources—			Scholarships	36	17 6
Fees	657	2 4	Fire insurance	10	9 6
Bequests	350	0 0	Prizes	11	12 11
Voluntary contributions	91	0 6	Examination expenses	5	0 0
Refund	10	1 9	Fee refunded	0	7 6
Examination fees	1	7 6	General maintenance of school buildings—		
Material sold	22	16 6	Repairs, repainting, &c. (including fire		
Capitation from Palmerston North High			insurance)	1,948	1 5
School Board	64	10 0	Rebuilding	373	19 5
Grants from Government for—			Alterations and small additions	795	17 7
Maintenance of buildings, rebuilding, &c. ..	2,048	0 0	House allowances	1,480	17 6
House allowances	1,490	19 0	Rents of buildings and site	80	13 0
New schools, additions, furniture, &c. ..	2,378	4 10	New schools, additions, furniture, sites,		
Technical-school buildings, fittings, &c. ..	481	17 11	&c.	4,159	10 0
Other receipts—			Buildings, class rooms, furniture, &c., for		
Proceeds of sale of sites	128	3 1	manual and technical purposes—		
Rent of sites let	55	13 6	School classes	33	8 3
Material sold	2	0 0	Special classes	1,329	12 0
Rent of buildings let	19	3 4			
Donation towards purchase of site	23	6 8			
Balance at end of year	1,501	5 0			
	£61,560	19 9		£61,560	19 9

FRED. PIRANI, Chairman.

W. J. CARSON, Secretary.

19th July, 1906.

WELLINGTON.

SIR,—

Education Board Office, Wellington, 31st March, 1906.

In accordance with the provisions of "The Education Act, 1904," I beg to submit the following report of the proceedings of the Wellington Board of Education for the year 1905.

BOARD.—Until the annual election the Board was composed of Messrs. R. Lee (Chairman), W. Allan, E. Feist, W. C. Buchanan, M.H.R., W. H. Field, M.H.R., A. W. Hogg, M.H.R., J. Kebbell, J. Robertson, and T. W. McDonald. Of these Messrs. Lee, Buchanan, and J. Robertson retired by effluxion of time. To the regret of the Board and Committees generally, the last-mentioned, after nine years' faithful service, found it necessary for business reasons not to seek re-election. Messrs. Lee and Buchanan were re-elected, and Mr. A. H. Vile, who, it is worthy of note, was trained in our own schools, was elected to the seat vacated by Mr. Robertson. At the first meeting of the new Board Mr. R. Lee, who was absent on a visit to Great Britain, was unanimously re-elected Chairman. During the absence of Mr. Lee in England Mr. James Robertson acted in the capacity of Chairman until his retirement in July, and from that time until Mr. Lee's return Mr. W. Allan acted in that capacity. Both of these gentlemen gave much attention to the onerous duties they were called on to perform, and the Board has placed on record its appreciation of their services. On expiration of his term of office as Board's representative School Commissioner, Mr. J. R. Blair, who had announced his intention of retiring, consented, at the Board's special request, to accept appointment for a further term. The Board's representatives on the Wellington Technical Education Board were Messrs. Lee, Allan, and McDonald, Mr. J. Robertson being subsequently appointed in place of the first mentioned, on his resigning to visit England.

NUMBER OF SCHOOLS.—There were at the beginning of 1905 152 schools under the control of the Board. In the course of the year there were established new schools at Momona, Akitio, Whatarangi, Waiohine, and Korora, while schools were closed at Wai-o-waka, Ngakonui, and Waingawa, so that at the end of the year 154 schools remained in operation.

ATTENDANCE.—The average attendances for the respective quarters were: March, 14,106; June, 14,038; September, 13,942; December, 14,198. The average for the year was 14,071. The average roll was 16,235. Included in the numbers were 196 Maoris and 109 half-castes in attendance at Board schools. The percentage of attendance was 86·7, which, compared with 84·7 in 1904 and 82·6 in 1903, shows an improvement of 4 per cent. in two years. Further, while the average number of pupils on the roll was 739 greater than two years ago, the average attendance was 1,270 greater. The periodic reports on irregular pupils required of teachers have, by directing attention to such pupils, enabled the Truant Officers to work more effectively. A very large number of our schools now show an excellent attendance, and it is a well-observed fact that, with very few exceptions and these all capable of easy explanation, the best conducted schools are marked by a high average of attendance. In the course of the year another of the local Truant Officers resigned, and the Board decided that the attendance conditions of the town schools had so greatly improved as to justify the Board in placing the whole district under one officer. The following is a summary of the work of the Truant Officers: Visits to schools, 476—373 city and suburban, 42 West Coast, 61 Wairarapa, and 39 to Catholic schools. Total cases of irregular attendance dealt with by Chief Truant Officer, 3,636; by country officers, 933: total, 4,569. Proceedings were taken in 189 cases, in 142 of which convictions were recorded—133 with fines and costs, 9 without fines. Twelve cases were dismissed, 24 withdrawn owing to improved attendance, and 20 discontinued owing to removal of parents from locality or district. The fines collected amounted to £22 12s. 6d. Some of the worst truants were neglected children, and of this class 16 boys and 6 girls from seven to fourteen years of age were, at the instance of the police, committed to industrial schools. The Truant Officer in the course of the year sent to various schools 19 children of school-age who were previously not in attendance at any school. Grateful acknowledgment is made of the courteous assistance rendered to the Truant Officer by the Bench, by the police, by the officers of the Labour Department, and by teachers and Committees. The practice of employing children of school age during school hours in the capacity of messengers and on tradesmen's delivery carts has, as a result of the attention given to it, been much reduced. To the Catholic schools the same attention has been given as to our own schools, as it is noticed that any difference in treatment results in a drift from the Board to the Catholic schools, or *vice versa*.

TEACHING STAFF.—At the close of the year there were in the service of the Board 135 male and 188 female teachers, 9 male and 85 female pupil-teachers: total, 144 males, 273 females, or 417 in all. The corresponding numbers for 1904 were 130 males, 264 females, or 397 in all, so that the proportion of males has slightly increased; and it is hoped that the better salaries offered under the scale of 1905 may induce a larger number of promising boys to enter the profession. The enactments of 1905, providing for a retiring-allowance and for an improved rate of payment of teachers, have met with very general approval.

TRAINING OF TEACHERS.—A large number of teachers again availed themselves of the instruction in manual and technical subjects offered at the Wellington and Masterton classes conducted by teachers of the Technical School, and at the Pahiatua District High School class conducted by Mr. G. A. Jones and Misses Petrie and McCaul. At Wellington between eighty and a hundred teachers attended, and the subjects were arranged to suit both those preparing for examinations and those giving instruction in drawing subjects in schools. The course included model and memory drawing, drawing plant forms and small designs, and brushwork, including drawing from nature. The progress is reported as satisfactory on the whole, the students in many instances evincing considerable enthusiasm. Mr. Foster again conducted with success a pupil-teachers' science class. The attempt to start a class for instruction in woodwork resulted in failure, owing to the small number who attended. A Saturday class for instruction of lady teachers in cookery, conducted at the Terrace School by the Wellington instructor, was attended by over twenty teachers, and a number of others expressed a desire to attend. Physical training classes for lady teachers were held at Wellington and Masterton, the Board paying for the instruction; but the Department's grant for instruction of men in military drill was withdrawn, owing to the unsatisfactory attendance. The Board is well pleased to note the considerable number of teachers who have been steadily endeavouring to improve their educational status on University lines. A few cases have, however, come under notice wherein a quite immoderate amount of such work has been undertaken, to the detriment of health and efficiency. Such teachers will do well to remember that the proper discharge of their duties as teachers and the welfare of their pupils should be their first and last care.

TRAINING COLLEGE.—The Board records with much satisfaction that the establishment of a Training College for the Middle University District has been sanctioned; that a grant has been made for the necessary additions to the Thorndon School, that plans have been drawn and approved, and that at the time of writing the work is well under way. Applications were invited throughout Australia and New Zealand for the position of Principal, the Board having decided that the appointee should have an intimate knowledge of colonial conditions. For the position of Kindergarten Mistress applications were invited in Great Britain as well, as the Board considered that the appointee should have wide knowledge of recent developments in kindergarten. The position of Principal was conferred on Mr. William Gray, M.A., B.Sc., Chief Inspector of Schools in the Wanganui Education District; and, on the advice of Professor Sadler, that of Kindergarten Mistress on Miss Dorothy Fitch, of the Home and Colonial Institute, London. The remaining members of the staff have been appointed since the end of the year. The institution thus established will, the Board trusts, become, by wise management, a potent factor in promoting educational efficiency and raising educational ideals throughout the colony. I may add that while students are received from all parts of the Middle University District, the cost of administra-

tion is apparently to be a charge on the funds of this Board alone. The Board desires me to acknowledge its special indebtedness to the Inspector-General for the valuable assistance he has rendered in all difficulties which presented themselves in the establishment of the College, and thanks are due to the Thorndon School Committee, which very courteously and very readily fell in with the views of the Board.

SCHOLARSHIPS AND SECONDARY EDUCATION.—For Board scholarships 115 candidates entered. Eighteen scholarships were awarded to candidates from schools of over 200 pupils in average attendance; twelve to candidates from schools of between 41 and 200 in average attendance; and two to candidates from schools of less than 41 in average attendance. Only five candidates presented themselves from schools of the last class, which, considering the inducements offered, was a much smaller number than might reasonably be expected to compete. In accordance with the provisions of the Education Act three National Scholarships were awarded to candidates from this education district; three candidates were awarded Queen's Scholarships. Awards of all three scholarships were determined by the results of the National Scholarship examination. A prominent feature of the educational work of the year was the establishment of seven district high schools in addition to the two previously in operation at Masterton and Pahiatua, a secondary department having, with Government sanction, been added to the schools at Terrace and Newtown (Wellington), at Levin, Petone, Hutt, Carterton, and Greytown. The total district high school averages increased from 93 in 1904 to 314 in 1905. The programmes of work have, as far as possible, been designed to meet the requirements of the respective districts. In view of the great success of the Technical School day classes, of the increasing attendance at the district high schools, and of the failure or delay on the part of the Governors of the Boys' and Girls' Colleges to provide free places in these institutions for even scholarship winners, it now appears to the Board imperative that a high school should be established in Wellington under section 88 of "The Education Act, 1904." Application has already been made in the direction indicated, but the need of such a school has since then received further emphasis for the reasons mentioned above.

MANUAL AND TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION.—Capitation was earned by 110 schools in 1905 as compared with 96 in 1904. The subjects most widely taught were brushwork and plasticine modelling; but classes were also recognised in elementary agriculture, 12; dressmaking, 1; chemistry, 2; first aid and ambulance, 1; swimming, 1; botany, 1; physics, 1; cookery, Wellington and Wairarapa centres. The last-mentioned subject has been satisfactorily taught by the Instructors in Wellington, and in various Wairarapa centres, from Pahiatua in the north to Featherston in the south. The work at Masterton should be conducted in much more pleasant conditions in the fine new cookery room just approaching completion; and it is hoped in time to provide, in all the growing centres of the Wairarapa, appliances more in keeping with requirements. Application has been made for a grant for a cookery room at Levin, and in the proposed new technical buildings at Petone provision will be made for instruction in cookery. Woodwork has not hitherto formed a subject of instruction in our schools, but a room now being fitted up at the Normal School will serve for pupils attending schools in the north end of the town, and the Board hopes shortly to be provided with the means to establish a woodwork and cookery centre at South Wellington. Before the close of the year the Board, in conjunction with the Technical Education Board, appointed as Instructor in Elementary Agriculture Mr. W. C. Davies, of Mauriceville West, the excellence of whose work in this department of school instruction has been widely recognised. Printed suggestions for a two-years course in nature study and agriculture, drawn up by the Inspectors and the Instructor, have been supplied to teachers, many of whom evince a keen interest in the subject. As soon as possible arrangements will be completed for the systematic instruction of teachers in Saturday classes at different centres, taking them in turn. In this, the latest of the Board's enterprises, very wide interest has been aroused outside purely educational circles.

BUILDINGS.—The spread of settlement and the largely increased attendance at existing schools rendered necessary the erection or enlargement of many of them. After production of convincing evidence of need grants were, in accordance with recent practice, authorised for the following works: For new schools at Longbush, Korora, Northland (brick), Nireaha; for additions at Te Horo; for additions for district high school purposes at Masterton (brick), Carterton (brick), Petone, Pahiatua (partly brick); for erection of old Horowhenua School and at Kereru; for re-erection of schools destroyed by fire at Hukanui and South Wellington. In rebuilding the South Wellington School improved construction and arrangement of rooms are introduced. Government grants were supplemented by considerable sums from the Board funds for purposes of reconstruction at Shannon and Carterton. A new school was erected at Akatarawa from a grant previously received.

In the expenditure of the maintenance of buildings grant the efforts of the Board were steadily directed to placing in thorough repair as many of the schools and residences as means at disposal would permit, these works being undertaken in order of time; and to improving the latrine accommodation at fourteen schools. The receipts for buildings maintenance were £3,073 15s., the disbursements £3,002 12s. 6d.

FINANCE.—The total receipts and expenditures of the Board for all purposes are classified under the following headings:—

	Receipts.			Expenditures.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance 31st December, 1904..	278	2	0			
Administration	9,216	9	11	8,443	3	10
Buildings	10,563	10	5	11,815	1	8
Secondary (including scholarships) ..	3,514	10	4	3,578	13	11
Manual and technical (school classes) ..	1,287	2	10	1,079	6	11
Teachers' salaries	46,082	2	1	46,014	19	2
Technical School	4,527	5	1	4,703	17	3
Deposits	420	19	6	300	15	9
Balance, 31st December, 1905	45	16	4			
	£75,935	18	6	£75,935	18	6

SCHOOL COMMITTEES.—The Board again places on record its appreciation of the excellent work which continues to be done by Committees. Some have improved the school reserves by levelling, grading, and tree-planting; others have purchased library books and extra apparatus. The kindly interest manifested in the well-being of teachers and pupils has contributed not a little to the successful working of the schools.

STAFF.—Since the transfer of a large part of individual examination to the headmasters and the retirement of the Chief Inspector, two Inspectors were relied on to do the work; but, owing to increase in attendance, to the growth of district high schools, and to extra work arising from the introduction of the new syllabus, the Board decided on the appointment of a third Inspector. Mr. J. S. Tennant, M.A., B.Sc., headmaster of the High School, Ashburton, was appointed to the position. The relations of the Board with its staff officers, and with the teaching staff of the district, continue to be of a cordial nature.

I have, &c.,

The Right Hon. the Minister of Education.

ROBERT LEE, Chairman.

GENERAL STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE for the Year ending 31st December, 1905.

<i>Receipts.</i>			<i>Expenditure.</i>		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
Balance at beginning of year	194	14 3	Staff salaries and clerical assistance ..	2,725	3 11
Grants from Government for—			Office contingencies	998	11 5
Teachers' and pupil-teachers' salaries, and allowances to pupil-teachers ..	42,447	2 7	Teachers' and pupil-teachers' salaries, and allowances to pupil-teachers ..	46,014	19 2
Reserves revenue for primary education ..	3,634	19 6	Relieving-teachers' salaries	407	19 5
Capitation at 11s. 3d., and grant of £250 ..	8,093	13 3	Training-colleges	20	0 0
Capitation for relieving-teachers ..	348	12 3	Conveyance of school-children	13	4 0
Conveyance of school-children	6	9 0	Incidental expenses of schools	3,279	0 9
Drill-instruction	6	5 0	Special grant at 9d. per head	507	1 6
Grant to Committees, at 9d. per head ..	505	3 3	Alterations to Board's offices	310	11 0
Receipts from other sources—			Scholarships and expenses of examination ..	1,183	3 10
Truancy fines	22	12 6	Salaries of staffs of district high schools paid out of receipts for such schools ..	2,119	6 4
Grants from Government for—			Other expenses—		
Scholarships	1,185	5 6	Voluntary contributions and subsidies ..	238	11 0
District high schools	2,214	3 0	Apparatus	37	12 9
Receipts from other sources—			Manual and technical instruction—		
District high school fees	32	19 0	School classes	1,079	6 11
Voluntary contributions	82	2 10	Special classes	73	11 11
Grants from Government for manual and technical instruction—			Managers of associated classes ..	3,445	4 9
Capitation (general and scholarship) ..	4,454	7 9	Other expenses—		
Instruction of teachers	233	14 8	Expenses of Agricultural Instructor ..	6	0 0
Subsidies on voluntary contributions and bequests	170	0 0	Instruction of teachers	175	11 10
Receipts from other sources—			General maintenance of school buildings—		
Voluntary contributions	15	0 0	Repairs, repainting, small additions, &c. ..	2,578	1 9
Rent from Victoria College	65	0 0	Rebuilding	493	7 10
Sale of goods	59	15 2	Rents	667	0 11
Grants from Government for—			House allowances	2,059	3 5
Maintenance of buildings, rebuilding, &c. ..	3,924	5 8	New schools, additions, furniture, sites, &c. ..	6,001	10 9
House allowances	2,061	13 4	Buildings, class-rooms, furniture, &c., for manual and technical purposes—		
New schools, additions, furniture, &c. ..	4,461	19 7	Managers of associated classes ..	1,185	0 7
Technical-school buildings, fittings, &c. ..	1,000	0 0	Other expenses—		
Rents	50	5 0	Sites (from Land Sales Account) ..	15	17 0
Other receipts—					
Sale of sites	10	0 0			
Rents from school-site reserves	105	11 10			
Balance at end of year	249	7 10			
	<u>£75,635</u>	<u>2 9</u>		<u>£75,635</u>	<u>2 9</u>

30th May, 1906.

ROBERT LEE, Chairman.
G. L. STEWART, Secretary.

Examined and found correct.—J. K. WARBURTON, Controller and Auditor-General.

HAWKE'S BAY.

SIR,—

Napier, 5th April, 1906.

I have the honour to present a summary record showing the progress of education in this district for the year 1905.

BOARD.—The members of the Board are: T. Tanner (Chairman), Rev. W. J. Comrie, Rev. A. Grant, C. Hall, M.H.R., S. McLernon, J. J. Patterson, J. C. Westall, C. Whittington, and Sir William Russell.

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE.—The average attendance for 1904 was 7,408; for 1905, 7,667. The roll number for 1904, 8,707; and for 1905, 9,002.

SCHOOLS.—Two aided schools have been opened at Mangatarata, and schools have been erected at the Argyll, Whatatutu, Port Awanui, and Wigan Settlements. Several additions have been made to schools and teachers' residences, and an entirely new residence has been erected at Waerenga-a-hika out of the maintenance grant. In some districts rooms are occupied for teaching that are not the Board's property; most of these have been erected by settlers who are a long distance from any public established school, but who receive assistance to the extent of £6 per average attendance. This the Board considers a wise measure, as it enables settlers to avail themselves of the great benefit of the education of their children.

The conditions under which the Board can expend the maintenance grant are now more liberal than those of the last three years. There is one subject—the erection of teachers' residences—which the Department does not seem willing to touch upon. The Board is of the opinion that this is a matter

that requires careful consideration by the Department. It is well known there are dozens of places where a teacher cannot obtain even the semblance of a dwelling for love or money. If we are to keep our teachers, proper dwellings must be found for them. House-allowance grants do not meet the requirements.

APPARATUS AND APPLIANCES.—The syllabus of instruction as provided for in the new regulations makes it compulsory to supply new apparatus and appliances to meet the requirements.

SCHOLARSHIPS.—There are 38 scholarship holders under the Board in this district—32 junior, 4 national, and 2 senior—not to mention 2 Victoria Scholarships gained by children in this district.

DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOLS.—Four district high schools are established in the district; the average attendance for the December quarter was 184. The Board is of the opinion that provision should be made to accommodate pupils in the Hastings district. The average attendance for the December quarter was 184.

TECHNICAL EDUCATION.—The work shows an advance on the work of 1904. Classes in woodwork, dressmaking, and cookery are being carried on throughout the district by special instructors, who devote their whole time to the work, with every promise of good results. The Department is to be thanked for the liberal grants for fitting up cookery rooms at Napier and Hastings. The Board has purchased a site on which to erect a technical school at Napier. The plans for the proposed building will be submitted for the Department's approval, and it is hoped that the coming year will see the classes in Napier enjoying the advantage of suitable accommodation.

TEACHERS' SATURDAY CLASSES.—These classes are carried on in Dannevirke, Gisborne, and Napier in subjects of drawing, dressmaking, woodwork, and cookery, and are well attended. A teachers' winter class was taken during the holidays to allow of teachers in outlying districts who, on account of distance, were unable to attend the weekly Saturday classes. Some sixty-five students attended over a two weeks' course of instruction. The work taken was similar to the programme set down for the Saturday classes, and the teachers returned home well pleased with the training they had received.

SCHOOL COMMITTEES.—It is a matter of congratulation that the Board continues to be on such friendly terms with the School Committees of the district. Some expressions of discontent have been made that the Board does not fulfil all demands; but the Board's resources do not permit them to meet all requests. The Board has always endeavoured to meet the wishes of School Committees, and several of them have subsidised the Board's grants. Several beautiful gardens around some of the schools show what interest the School Committees and teachers take in the establishment of school gardens, for nature study as well as ornamentation.

FINANCE.—The amount paid for teachers' salaries is £25,833 5s. 6d.; to School Committees, £2,594 19s. 5d.; and an extra grant by the Government of £278 4s. 3d.; total, £2,873 3s. 8d. The amount expended (exclusive of technical) on the purchase of sites, erection of school buildings, and repairs was £4,749 5s. 10d.

I have, &c.,

The Right Hon. the Minister of Education, Wellington.

THOS. TANNER, Chairman.

GENERAL STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending 31st December, 1905.

<i>Receipts.</i>			<i>Expenditure.</i>		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
Balance at beginning of year	4,052	15 2	Staff salaries and clerical assistance ..	1,071	18 4
Grants from Government for—			Office contingencies	551	14 11
Teachers' and pupil-teachers' salaries, and allowances to pupil-teachers ..	21,142	12 2	Teachers' and pupil-teachers' salaries, and allowances to pupil-teachers ..	25,833	5 6
Reserves revenue for primary education ..	4,975	0 0	Relieving-teachers' salaries	174	4 3
Capitation at 11s. 3d., and grant of £250 ..	4,525	8 6	Incidental expenses of schools, School Committees	2,594	19 5
Capitation for relieving-teachers ..	190	0 9	Special grant to School Committees ..	278	4 3
Grants for School Committees at 9d. ..	278	4 3	Transfer to Technical Fund	105	0 3
Receipts from other sources—			Travelling-expenses member and Inspector attending conference at Wellington ..	15	12 6
Sale of certificates	3	10 0	Scholarships and expenses of examination ..	631	16 6
Miscellaneous	8	3 4	Salaries of staffs of district high schools ..	1,256	10 0
Grants from Government for—			Other expenses—		
Scholarships	495	10 3	Printing, &c., £22 12s. 3d.; furniture, £10 11s.	33	3 3
District high schools	1,010	0 0	Manual and technical instruction—		
Receipts from other sources—			School classes	676	1 3
Refund, Gisborne High School Governors ..	275	7 9	Special classes	735	18 10
Grants from Government for manual and technical instruction—			Other expenses—		
Capitation (general and scholarship) ..	699	6 5	Material for special classes	88	15 3
Instruction of teachers	157	0 0	Maintenance of school buildings—		
Refunds, railway fares, winter classes ..	18	19 4	Rebuilding and alteration	1,994	12 4
Receipts from other sources—			Rents	314	15 4
Fees	231	4 8	House allowances	656	12 7
Miscellaneous	14	0 0	New schools, additions, furniture, sites, &c. ..	2,341	16 11
Transfer from School Fund	105	0 3	Buildings, class-rooms, furniture, &c., for manual and technical purposes—		
Grants from Government for—			School classes	234	4 2
Maintenance of buildings, rebuilding, &c. ..	1,653	0 0	Special classes	109	12 9
Grant to cover damage by earthquake ..	250	0 0	Purchase of site for technical school, Napier	760	15 10
House allowances	644	16 6	Other expenses—		
New schools, additions, furniture, &c. ..	1,050	0 0	Waipiro Bay	44	2 6
Technical-school buildings, fittings, &c. ..	289	14 2	Mohaka	48	18 9
Donation towards purchase site for technical school, Napier	387	10 3	Balance at end of year	2,017	5 10
Miscellaneous rents, £16 5s.; refund, £3 11s. 6d.	19	16 6			
Other receipts—					
Government grant, Waipiro Bay	44	2 6			
Donation purchase site, Mohaka	48	18 9			
	<u>£42,570</u>	<u>1 6</u>		<u>£42,570</u>	<u>1 6</u>

30th April, 1906.

THOS. TANNER, Chairman.
G. T. FANNIN, Secretary.

Examined and found correct, except as follows:—

1. The following accounts⁷ are unlawfully charged with more than the amount of the moneys provided for them—namely, House Allowance Account, New Buildings Account, Technical Fund General Account, Technical Fund New Buildings, &c., Account, and the Secondary Education Account.

2. The expenditure of £15 12s. 6d. for “Expenses, Members and Inspector attending Education Conference at Wellington,” is without the authority of law.

J. W. POYNTON,
Deputy-Controller and Auditor.

MARLBOROUGH.

SIR,—

Blenheim, 31st May, 1906.

I have the honour to present the report of the Marlborough Education Board for the year ending 31st December, 1905.

BOARD.—At the commencement of the year the Board consisted of the following gentlemen: John Clervaux Chaytor, John Duncan, Alfred John Litchfield, Richard McCallum, William Henry Macey, William Benoni Parker, Alfred George Fell, Charles Ferguson, and John James Winsbury White. The members retiring in August by rotation (Messrs. Fell, Ferguson and Parker) were re-elected without opposition. The Board held twelve meetings during the year.

SCHOOLS.—The number of schools at the beginning of the year was 61; of these, 27 were in grade 0, 14 in grade 1, 6 in grade 2, 3 in grade 3, 3 in grade 4, 2 in grade 5, 2 in grade 7, 3 in grade 8, and 1 in grade 10. At the end of the year the number had increased to 67, including 5 that were temporarily closed or were working with teachers not recognised by the Board. The increase was entirely in the schools in grade 0, the number of which had increased to 38. Several fresh applications for the establishment of such schools are already spoken of, and for the reasons given in my last report it is impossible to ignore them, and thereby condemn the majority of the unfortunate children to a lifelong condition of comparative ignorance.

The spread of settlement, more particularly at Flaxbourne, has rendered it necessary to make provision for several new schools. Special grants for buildings at Grassmere, Ward, and Seaview have been made, and by the time this report reaches you that at Seaview will be finished, and contracts let for those at Ward and Grassmere. The new school at North Bank has been built, and was opened at the beginning of 1906. As a considerable number of the Flaxbourne settlers had taken up their residence soon after the allotment of the sections, the Board decided to rent a building that was available, and to open a temporary school in the Township of Ward, so that the children should not waste their time while waiting for the completion of the new building. The fitting-up of this building was completed in time to allow of the opening of the school early in January.

After some unsuccessful attempts to obtain a suitable site for the Technical School, it was ultimately resolved to erect the same on the north-western corner of the Borough School grounds, and a contract for the erection of the building was let at the end of the year.

Under the energetic management of Mr. Strachan, the Board's Inspector, a winter school for teachers was organized and set to work during the winter holidays. This was attended by nearly all the teachers of public schools in the district, and by several teachers of private schools. The Department's assistance in granting railway passes, as well as substantial aid of a pecuniary character, is gratefully acknowledged, and more especially for giving us the personal assistance of the Inspector-General and of Mr. Isaac, the Organizing Inspector. Saturday classes for teachers have been held during the year at Havelock and Blenheim; the latter were well attended by all the teachers along the line of railway, and by not a few from less favoured localities. The good effect of these classes is beginning to show itself in the ordinary work of the schools, and the Board has to thank the Inspector for the energy and perseverance with which he organized and followed them up.

The passing of the Teachers' Superannuation Act was perhaps the most noteworthy event of the year in educational matters, and will be an immense benefit to the teachers, more especially to the younger members of the profession. The Board, however, is of opinion that sufficient consideration has not been given to the cases of teachers and officers of Boards who spent their lives in the service, and would respectfully suggest that an amendment of the Act should be introduced to enable the Superannuation Board to take into account the whole length of such service, instead of limiting it to the years that have passed since the Act of 1877 came into force.

The case of our present Secretary (and former Inspector) seems to us to be specially deserving of consideration. After upwards of forty-two years of service, the Board thinks that although service has been given in three different provinces of the colony, he should be treated at least as well as he would have been had that time been completed under almost any branch of the Civil Service of the General Government.

GENERAL MAINTENANCE OF BUILDINGS.—The Board, with the view of the more economical, and at the same time more efficient administration of this fund, determined to adopt the plan of purchasing the materials direct from the importers, and employing a competent man to undertake the painting and petty repairs required throughout the district, and there is ample reason to be satisfied with the result, as it is found that, while the work is better done, the expense is considerably less than under the contract system. The following schools have been well painted and repaired during the year: Canvastown, Fairhall, Kaituna, Okaramio, Onamalutu, Rai Valley, and Renwick, at a cost in labour and material of about £180, while the Board has the satisfaction of knowing that the best materials have been used, and that the work has been thoroughly well done.

THE WARD SYSTEM.—This latest innovation in educational management appears to the Board to be an utterly useless, as well as a most mischievous “tinkering” with the Education Act. If any necessity for such experimental legislation existed in any of the large districts, there was not the slightest need for such a change in Marlborough, or, probably, in any of the smaller education districts. It cannot truthfully be said that any—even the most remote—portion of this district has had cause to complain of the neglect of its requirements. Every member of the Board has acted as though he were representing every part, as well as the whole of the district. No complaint of undue preference of one part, to the detriment of any other, has ever been heard in Marlborough. The change will introduce a most undesirable element of parochialism into the proceedings of the Board, and, judging by analogy with other representative institutions, a member will in future be valued according to the amount of money he can cause to be devoted to his particular ward, with little consideration for the welfare of the district as a whole. The change is particularly mischievous in this district, as it will give some Committees a most undesirable preponderance of influence in the election. For instance, one Committee, if its members are, as they probably will be, unanimous, will be able to outvote all the Committees in the same ward, although having control of over less than one-fifth of the children in that ward. This difficulty might have been avoided if the framers of the Act had shown the usual courtesy of consulting the Boards. On the whole, the Board is of opinion that this latest example of ill-advised legislation is calculated to diminish, if not entirely to destroy, the influence of the Boards.

The report of the Board’s Inspector, already forwarded, gives all the information required as to educational progress within the district.

I have, &c.,

JOHN DUNCAN, Chairman.

The Right Hon. the Minister of Education, Wellington.

GENERAL STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending 31st December, 1905.

Receipts.	£	s.	d.	Expenditure.	£	s.	d.
Balance at beginning of year—				Staff salaries and clerical assistance ..	475	0	0
On General Account	185	16	3	Office contingencies	194	17	5
On Building Account	281	3	3	Teachers' and pupil-teachers' salaries, and allowances to pupil-teachers ..	6,630	12	11
Grants from Government for—				Relieving-teachers' salaries ..	5	16	2
Teachers' and pupil-teachers' salaries, and allowances to pupil-teachers ..	6,467	9	11	Incidental expenses of schools (including subsidies on moneys raised locally and grant to Committee of 9d.) ..	578	6	5
Reserves revenue for primary education ..	300	0	0	Truant officers	41	0	0
Capitation at 11s. 3d. and grant of £250 ..	1,171	19	0	Capitation, 9d.	56	2	0
Capitation for relieving-teachers ..	40	19	6	Scholarships and expenses of examination ..	145	0	0
Special grant for Committees	56	2	0	Manual and technical instruction—			
Receipts from other sources—				School classes (needlework classes) ..	7	14	3
Rents of school reserves	12	10	0	Special classes (instruction of teachers) ..	33	19	3
Sundry sales	2	16	6	Managers of associated classes ..	139	15	10
Truancy fines	4	11	0	Maintenance of school buildings—			
Grants from Government for—				Repairs, repainting, &c.	258	12	11
Scholarships	141	1	5	Plans and supervision	14	19	0
Grants from Government for manual and technical instruction—				Alterations and small additions ..	188	11	8
Needlework classes	7	14	3	House allowances	80	0	0
Capitation (general and scholarship) ..	37	10	10	Fencing reserve, Grassmere	4	10	6
Instruction of teachers	133	3	4	New schools, additions, furniture, sites, &c. (North Bank)	128	15	3
Subsidies on voluntary contributions and bequests	1	0	0	Buildings, class-rooms, furniture, &c., for manual and technical purposes—			
Receipts from other sources—				Plans	23	5	6
Voluntary contributions	8	7	6	Other expenses—			
Grants from Government for—				Land Sales Account	26	0	0
Maintenance of buildings, rebuilding, &c. ..	451	0	0	Rent of side school	12	5	2
House allowances	64	3	4	Insurance of school buildings ..	8	17	9
Teacher's house, Fairhall	240	0	0	Refunds	3	8	4
Refund of rent of side school for 1904 ..	26	0	0	Balance at end of year	645	0	8
Rent of old school buildings	12	8	0				
Sale of old residence, Tuamarina	12	10	0				
Rent of side school	2	10	3				
Okaramio Committee: Piano Fund	12	0	0				
Other receipts—							
Proceeds of sale of sites	26	0	0				
Refunds (various)	3	10	8				
Sale of old wire	0	4	0				
	£9,702	11	0		£9,702	11	0

JOHN DUNCAN, Chairman.

JOHN SMITH, Secretary.

26th March, 1906.

NELSON.

SIR,—

Education Office, Nelson, 5th April, 1906.

I have the honour to lay before you a report of the proceedings of the Nelson Education Board for the year 1905.

THE BOARD.—At the annual election of three members of the Board the retiring members were re-elected, so that the *personnel* of the Board is the same as at the end of the previous year—viz., Messrs. W. N. Franklyn, T. J. Baigent, A. T. Maginnity, George Talbot (Chairman), J. D. Beuke, T. Bailie, H. Atmore, W. H. Phillips, and W. Lock. In the opinion of the Board the method of electing members of Education Boards as it has obtained during the last twenty-seven years was perfectly satisfactory,

and there seemed to be no sufficient reason, at least in this education district, where the retiring members have almost invariably been re-elected, to warrant the drastic change effected by the Act of last session.

MEETINGS OF THE BOARD.—The Board has held twenty-four meetings during the year, the average attendance reaching the satisfactory figure of 8·3.

PRIMARY SCHOOLS.—At the close of the year 1904 there were 114 schools open; of these a few household schools have been closed and others of the same kind opened. River Terrace School was made a side school to Brightwater; Oparara School was closed in the middle of November, arrangements having been made for conveying the children to Karamea School, leaving 112 schools in operation at the end of the year. With respect to the conveyance of children to school at the cost of the State, the Board has adopted the suggestion of the Department and consulted its solicitors as to its liability for damages in case of accident. The Board is advised that it is not responsible unless the accidents are due to "gross carelessness" on the part of its employee; but as it is impossible for the Board to insure that no person in charge of a boat, trap, or other conveyance taking children to or from school will ever be guilty of "gross carelessness," it is thought that it might be well for the Department to take such measures as would free the Board from this responsibility.

ATTENDANCE OF SCHOLARS.—The slight increase in roll-number and attendance shown in the operations of 1904 has been maintained in the past year. The average roll-number in 1904 was 5·596, during last year it was 5·607, the average attendance for the two years being respectively 4,711·75 and 4,830·75. The Board has found that the appointment of head and sole teachers as Truant Officers is working satisfactorily, and no cases of friction have been brought to the notice of the Board.

PHYSICAL INSTRUCTION.—The returns show that physical instruction in some form is now given in every school in this education district. Cadet corps are established in connection with the schools at Nelson, Richmond, Wakefield, Motupiko, Motueka, Westport, Waimangaroa, Denniston, and Reefton. The corps at Westport and neighbourhood constitute a battalion.

BUILDINGS.—During the year the first wing of the Westport brick school has been erected, and the School Committee are now urging upon the Board the necessity of continuing the work, so that before long the whole design of ten rooms may be completed. The Coal Creek School has been removed to a more central position at Sedddonville, and enlarged by the addition of one room. An addition has been made also to Granity Creek School. The Motupipi School has been thoroughly renovated and enlarged, the older portion of the building having been taken away and the newer one added to at a cost of nearly £200. Most of these works have been assisted by special grants from the Department, and the Board desires to express its appreciation of the courtesy with which its applications have been received, and of the substantial help afforded the Board in carrying out these works.

SUPERANNUATION.—The Board desires to congratulate the Department on the passing of the Teachers' Superannuation Act, which it believes will prove of great value to the cause of Education in New Zealand. The scheme may not be as perfect as could be wished, and in some cases appears to work an injustice; but the Board is satisfied that the same wise statesmanship which initiated the scheme will ultimately succeed in removing all imperfections therefrom, and in placing an equitable and workable Act upon the statute-book. Meanwhile, it is hoped that the present Act will be administered with discrimination, and not be allowed to inflict hardship upon old and deserving servants of the public.

TECHNICAL SCHOOL.—During the year a technical school has been erected in Nelson, consisting of woodwork and plumbers' workrooms, a cookery room (used also for dressmaking), an art room, a room for architectural drawing and mechanical drawing, and two rooms for continuation classes. One session has been held, and the attendance tended to prove that the school supplied an actual need. The following is a list of the classes held, and the number of pupils on the roll of each: Mechanical drawing, 15 pupils; architectural drawing, 19; woodwork, 26; dressmaking, 29; plumbing, 13; free-hand drawing from casts and in light and shade, 36; modelling, 1; cookery, 18; woodcarving, 11; mathematics, 4. The above were all technical classes. The following continuation classes were also held: English, 33 pupils; arithmetic, 33; shorthand, 33; book-keeping, 25.

The following teachers' classes have been held in the Nelson Technical School or in connection therewith—viz., woodwork, cookery, vocal music, drawing, physiography, dressmaking. Teachers' classes in drawing of various kinds have been held at Westport and Reefton in modelling in plasticine, in drawing, and in brushwork.

Handwork was taught in thirty-eight of the public schools of the district, including most of the larger ones. It is a matter for regret that no understanding has yet been arrived at to enable the Board to erect a building at Westport that would be suitable for both a school of mines and a technical school.

SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.—The three district high schools in the Board's district continue their good work, but the past year has witnessed so serious a falling-off both in average roll number and average attendance that one is driven to the conclusion that the advantages of higher education are not yet realised by parents.

SECONDARY SCHOOLS.—Westport: 1904—Average roll, 60; average attendance, 44. 1905—Average roll, 44; average attendance, 32. Reefton: 1904—Average roll, 29; average attendance, 17. 1905—Average roll, 23; average attendance, 20. Motueka: 1904—Average roll, 25; average attendance, 18. 1905—Average roll, 19; average attendance, 15.

FINANCE.—At the beginning of the year the Board had a credit balance on the General Account of £65 2s. 1d., and on the Building Account of £2,519 6s. 7d. The balance at the end of the year stood as follows: General Account, debit, £152 8s. 3d.; Building Account, credit, £1,176 19s. 5d. The statement of assets and liabilities shows that the General Account has liabilities over assets amounting to about £300; this amount represents some of the loss sustained by the Board in carrying on the three district high schools, through the withdrawal of the School Commissioners' grants for secondary

TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION.—Saturday classes for teachers were established during the year, and a course of work in physical measurements was taken. In August the Board received authority to erect a woodwork and a cookery room as portion of a technical-school building. Tenders were called, and the rooms will be ready shortly. Four schools took a branch of handwork as part of the year's syllabus.

FINANCE.—The balance-sheet shows in the General Account a debit balance of £318 11s. 3d., and in the Building Account a debit balance of £100 2s. 6d. The Board found it absolutely necessary to rebuild its office, the old insanitary wooden structure which had done duty for many years being replaced by a small but substantial brick building. This expenditure is responsible for the debit balance.

I have, &c.,

The Right Hon. the Minister of Education, Wellington.

JOHN BYRNE, Chairman.

GENERAL STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE for the Year ending 31st December, 1905.

<i>Receipts.</i>			<i>Expenditure.</i>		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
Balance at beginning of year	178	13 11	Staff salaries and clerical assistance ..	462	14 2
Grants from Government for—			Office contingencies	220	19 5
Teachers' and pupil-teachers' salaries, and allowances to pupil-teachers ..	5,243	14 0	Teachers' and pupil-teachers' salaries, and allowances to pupil-teachers ..	5,356	3 11
Reserves revenue for primary education ..	88	0 0	Relieving-teachers' salaries	2	0 0
Capitation at 11s. 3d., and grant of £250 ..	1,029	1 3	Incidental expenses of schools	311	10 8
Capitation at 6d. for relieving-teachers ..	34	12 9	Capitation, 9d.	51	18 0
Special grants for School Committees ..	51	18 0	Scholarships and expenses of examination ..	107	19 6
Grants from Government for—			Salaries of staffs of district high schools ..	276	14 5
Scholarships	107	19 6	Manual and technical instruction—		
District high schools	173	10 0	School classes	1	9 8
Receipts from other sources—			Special classes	34	10 6
Grant from High School Board ..	75	0 0	Maintenance of school buildings—		
Grants from Government for manual and technical instruction—			Repairs, repainting, &c.	61	13 6
Capitation (general and scholarship) ..	32	10 6	Rebuilding	1,152	3 8
Instruction of teachers	75	0 0	House allowances	325	0 0
Grants from Government for—			New schools, additions, furniture, sites, &c. ..	597	17 9
Maintenance of buildings, rebuilding, &c. ..	448	3 6	Other expenses—		
House allowances	325	0 0	Insurance	1	12 0
New schools, additions, furniture, &c. ..	690	11 6	Unclassified, 12s.; bank, £10 16s. 3d. ..	11	8 3
Other receipts—			Commission and advertising reserves ..	9	15 0
Rent of school-sites	12	8 9			
Refund, office contingencies	0	13 0			
Balance at end of year—					
On General Account	318	11 3			
On Building Account	100	2 6			
	<u>£8,985</u>	<u>10 5</u>		<u>£8,985</u>	<u>10 5</u>

JOHN BYRNE, Chairman.

H. SMITH, Acting-Secretary.

9th March, 1906.

WESTLAND.

SIR,—

Hokitika, 13th February, 1906.

I have the honour to present the report of the Westland Education Board for the year ending 31st December, 1905.

THE BOARD.—The members that retired in August were Messrs. Clarke, Duff, and Michel, who were re-elected. The retiring Chairman, Mr. T. W. Beare, and the treasurer, Mr. H. L. Michel, were reappointed. Mr. Grimmond continued to represent the Board as School Commissioner, and Mr. Michel as one of the High School Board of Governors. The Board held during the year thirteen meetings.

SCHOOLS.—The number of schools open at the beginning of the year was 33. During the year one household school (Waikukupa) was closed and another (Cook's River) opened, leaving the total number unchanged. In addition to these 5 Catholic Schools of the district were examined by the Board's Inspector.

The secondary class of the Hokitika District High School had an average roll-number of 42, and the number at the end of the year was 39. Of these pupils five were holders of the Board's Scholarships, two of the Junior National Scholarships and one of a Queen's Scholarship. A separate report shows that the class has fully maintained its efficiency, and it may be added that in connection with examinations held near the end of the year 3 have passed the Matriculation Examination and 8 the Junior Civil Service (seven with credit).

ATTENDANCE.—While the roll-number still shows a slight decrease, the average attendance of the pupils has again maintained a high standard, being 89.3 of the average roll-number.

TEACHERS.—The 47 teachers in the employ of the Board at the end of the year include 5 headmasters, 27 sole teachers, 10 assistants, and 5 pupil-teachers. Of those other than pupil-teachers engaged in schools with an attendance above 20, seventeen are certificated and one uncertificated. In schools of the lower grade 7 possess certificates, licenses, or partial certificates, while 17 are uncertificated.

SCHOLARSHIPS.—The scholarships held by pupils of the district are those mentioned as attending the secondary class. The annual value of the Board's scholarships in force is two of £24, one of £12, and two of £4. At the end of the year the Board allotted three scholarships, tenable for two years and of the annual value respectively of £20, £10, and £4.

MANUAL AND TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION.—During the year the following classes, recognised specially by the Education Department, have been in force: (1.) A teachers' instruction class in carton work correlated with geometrical drawing; the average attendance during the six months of the existence

of the class was 17. (2.) One special class and one school class in woodwork; the roll was respectively 29 and 26. (3.) Three special classes and one school class in cookery; the total number in attendance was 95. (4.) Seven school classes in handwork were in force in the larger schools, and two sewing classes with an extra instructor in the schools under a male sole teacher. In addition, the junior pupils of a considerable number of schools received practical instruction in handwork. With the aid of a special grant from the Education Department a technical-school building has been erected in Hokitika, and has already been utilised for cookery classes. The room to be devoted to practical work in science will be available during the present year.

PHYSICAL INSTRUCTION.—The cadet corps carried on in the previous year have been continued, and special physical instruction has formed part of the course in 18 schools, including all those above the first grade that are under a master.

FINANCE.—The balance-sheet shows in the General Account a credit balance of £21 0s. 7d. As, however, subsidiary accounts relating to secondary and technical education have credit balances, the purely administrative part of the General Account has a small debit balance.

Including a credit balance of £679 0s. 6d. at the beginning of the year, the Building Fund shows the receipts of £851 18s. 6d., including £60 for new school buildings, and £250 for building for technical purposes. The expenditure exceeds this by £89 9s. 2d. Part of this, however, consists of a sum spent in anticipation of a special grant.

I have, &c.,

The Right Hon. the Minister of Education, Wellington.

T. W. BEARE, Chairman.

GENERAL STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE for the Year ending 31st December, 1905.

<i>Receipts.</i>	£	s.	d.	<i>Expenditure.</i>	£	s.	d.
Balance at beginning of year—				Staff salaries and clerical assistance ..	415	0	0
On General Account	104	7	7	Office contingencies	228	9	3
On Building Account	679	0	6	Teachers' and pupil-teachers' salaries, and			
Grants from Government for—				allowances to pupil-teachers	3,866	13	11
Teachers' and pupil-teachers' salaries, and				Relieving-teachers' salaries	21	17	0
allowances to pupil-teachers	3,865	19	4	Incidental expenses of schools	166	11	2
Capitation at 11s. 3d. and grant of £250	757	4	9	Refund from capitation grant for School			
Capitation for relieving-teachers	22	11	3	Committees	0	3	9
Special capitation for School Committees	34	15	3	Capitation, 9d.	34	11	6
Receipts from other sources—				Scholarships and expenses of examination	85	10	0
Transferred from Secondary Account ..	43	16	0	Salaries of staffs of district high schools ..	375	0	0
Interest on fixed deposits	5	0	0	Other expenses—			
Examination fee (Junior National				Incidental expenses	5	0	0
Scholarship)	0	5	0	Transferred to Administration Account,			
Grants from Government for—				share of expenses	43	16	0
Scholarships	85	10	0	Manual and technical instruction—			
District high schools	238	5	0	School classes	28	3	11
Receipts from other sources—				Special classes	190	17	2
Hokitika High School Board subsidy ..	200	0	0	Maintenance of school buildings—			
Grants from Government for manual and				Repairs, repainting, &c.	833	19	8
technical instruction—				Rebuilding	296	0	7
Capitation (general and scholarship) ..	111	4	9	Alterations and small additions	98	18	6
Receipts from other sources—				House allowances	22	10	0
Fees	6	10	6	New schools, additions, furniture, sites, &c.	60	0	0
Voluntary contributions	5	0	0	Buildings, class-rooms, furniture, &c., for			
Grants from Government for—				manual and technical purposes—			
Maintenance of buildings, rebuilding, &c.	517	0	0	School classes	24	3	2
House allowances	22	10	0	Special classes	306	11	3
New schools, additions, furniture, &c. ..	60	0	0	Other expenses—			
Technical-school buildings, fittings, &c.	259	13	6	Insurance of residences	1	1	4
Other receipts—				Rent paid to teachers	18	2	4
Rent of residences and reserves	21	8	6	Expenditure on reserves	0	15	0
Sale of buildings	15	5	0				
Balance at end of year	68	8	7				
	<u>£7,123</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>6</u>		<u>£7,123</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>6</u>

THOS. W. BEARE, Chairman.

A. J. MORTON, Secretary.

31st January, 1906.

NORTH CANTERBURY.

SIR,—

Christchurch, 25th April, 1906.

I have the honour to present the following report of the proceedings of the Education Board of the District of North Canterbury for the year ending the 31st December, 1905.

THE BOARD.—The retiring members—viz., Mr. T. W. Adams, Mr. C. H. Opie, and Mr. H. W. Peryman, were re-elected without opposition, there being no other candidates nominated. In July, Dr. Charles Chilton, M.A., resigned as a member of the Board, and in the following month Mr. George Warren Russell was elected (also unopposed) to fill the vacancy thereby created. The Board held seventeen meetings during the year. The Buildings Committee also met seventeen times, the Appointments Committee thirty-five times, and the Normal School and Technical Committee eighteen times. Several other meetings were held during the year by committees specially set up to consider and report on matters hereinafter referred to. The Board desires, by means of this report and in pursuance of resolution carried, to record its deep sense of the loss sustained not only by the North Canterbury Education District, but by the whole colony, in the death of Mr. Alfred Saunders, which took place in October last. For over twenty years Mr. Saunders was a valued member of the Board, and during that long period he gave his earnest attention and faithful services to every detail connected with the important work with which he was intrusted, and by so doing contributed very materially to the successful working of the system established by "The Education Act, 1877."

THE BOARD'S REPRESENTATIVES.—At a meeting held on the 3rd May, 1905, Mr. D. Buddo was re-elected as a Commissioner of Education Reserves, the election of members to represent the Board

on the several High School Boards being as follows: Akaroa, Mr. R. Latter; Ashburton, Mr. A. Orr and Rev. G. B. Inglis; Rangiora, Mr. A. S. Bruce.

BUILDINGS.—One of the main features in connection with building operations during the year has been the expenditure on the Christchurch suburban schools, substantial additions having been necessary in the cases of Addington, St. Albans, and Waltham, while a new school has also been provided for the locality known as the Port Hills. The Hanmer Plains School has been practically rebuilt, and at Waiau and Templeton new rooms have been added. The Ellesmere School and the small school at Ashley Gorge have been enlarged. Early in the year the Kaikoura Town School was destroyed by fire. The new building to take its place is at the date of this report about to be opened. The school at Omihi, which had become too small for the increased attendance, has been enlarged and removed to a more central site. A large expenditure in the aggregate has been incurred on alterations and improvements to the schools at Christchurch West, South Belt, Normal School, Fernside, Kaiapoi, Leithfield, Papanui, Rangiora, St. Albans, Sydenham, and Waltham; while many other schools have either been painted or repaired. The cost of the new schools erected and of all the substantial additions has been met by special grants from the Government, to whom the thanks of the Board are due for the manner in which these requirements have been provided for. The Department has also recently authorised a grant for erection of school in the Lower Riccarton locality, for which a valuable site has already been procured. Owing to the continued extension of North Linwood, the claims of that locality for an additional school will shortly demand the Board's further consideration. The restrictions placed on the Board as regards the expenditure of its building fund continued during the year now under review, but the Board has recently learned, with a good deal of satisfaction, that in future it will be allowed more freedom of action when dealing with applications for additions or for new schools, provided due provision has been made for maintenance, repairs, and rebuilding worn-out schools. The total expenditure on buildings during 1905, including repairs, painting, and improvements, was £7,199 9s. 8d.

For a considerable time the Board has been aware of the objections to the old style of desks and forms in use in its schools—that they are out of date, sometimes insanitary, and should be replaced by modern furniture better suited to the hygienic and educational requirements of school life. The Board has therefore had this matter under its earnest consideration, has inspected some of the most modern school furniture imported from America and elsewhere, and has also had the benefit of the best expert advice, before adopting the dual desk for primary schools and single desks for the secondary department of district high schools. Though the Board is aware of the desirability of equipping its schools with the most modern furniture—and it is not surprised that School Committees are constantly making requests in this direction—yet it is quite unable, from financial reasons, to do much more than furnish additions and new schools in the manner stated. But the Board hopes that the funds available may also be sufficient to replace old worn-out furniture with modern. The larger question of replacing the whole of the furniture in the Board's schools is one for the consideration of Parliament. It would cost for North Canterbury alone quite £20,000; but this expense would probably be less than the cost of the additions that would be necessary to the schools consequent on the introduction of the modern desks, which require more space than those at present in use. In dealing with all the schools, but more especially the larger ones, the question of staff would also have to be considered, seeing that with the modern desks, whether single or dual, the number of children in each class-room would necessarily be considerably reduced and additional room have to be found elsewhere, in this way at once creating the need of a larger staff.

The number of schools in operation at the end of the year, including 23 aided schools, was 210, classified as follows: Not over 10, 18; 11 to 20, 43; 21 to 25, 19; 26 to 40, 41; 41 to 50, 22; 51 to 70, 15; 71 to 90, 11; 91 to 120, 12; 121 to 150, 5; 151 to 200, 4; 201 to 250, 4; 251 to 280, 2; 281 to 330, 2; 331 to 390, 3; 421 to 480, 3; above 510, 6.

MAINTENANCE.—The expenditure on salaries and allowances to teachers engaged in primary departments amounted to £57,965 18s. 7d., and grants to School Committees and other incidental expenses (inclusive of special grant of 9d.) to £6,717 16s. 4d., making a total of £64,683 14s. 11d. The average attendances on which payment of salaries and incidentals was made were 16,703 and 16,822 respectively, so that the cost per head of salaries was nearly £3 9s. 5d., and that of incidental expenses 8s., a total of £3 17s. 5d. per head. The expenditure on the salaries of teachers engaged in secondary departments was £2,506 12s. 7d.

TEACHERS.—The total number of teachers in the Board's service at the end of 1905 was 520. Of these, 206 (120 males and 86 females) were heads of schools or departments, or in sole charge; 207 (43 males and 164 females) were assistants; and 107 (31 males and 76 females) were pupil-teachers. There were 27 sewing mistresses in the Board's employment at the end of the year.

IRREGULAR ATTENDANCE.—The improvement in the attendance at the Board's schools, referred to in report of last year, has been sustained, the Truant Officer reporting that generally speaking parents are now more ready to comply with the law. Fines were inflicted in eighty of the 125 cases taken into Court during the year, the total amount of fines being £15 4s., a slight decrease as compared with the previous year.

TRAINING COLLEGE.—In his report the Director of the Training College gives full particulars as to the number of students that entered for training during the year. Mr. Watkins also refers to the difficulties met with in the children's department owing to the many changes that have taken place. The newer conditions under which the training and practising departments are now carried on have necessitated extensive alterations to several of the class-rooms. The increased grant lately made by the Department for training colleges has enabled the Board to increase the staff, which can now be arranged on a more satisfactory basis. There has been some difficulty in finding a suitable location for the science laboratory. The conversion of part of the old drill-shed for the purpose has been definitely decided upon.

INSPECTION.—In the Inspectors' report will be found the statistical information annually furnished in regard to the number of children examined, also interesting reference to the principal subjects of instruction. Out of an enrolment of 19,590 pupils attending the Board's schools 18,556 presented

themselves for examination, to which number must be added the 1,074 children who, out of a roll of 1,233, were present as pupils in attendance at the private schools examined. It is a matter for regret that the time spent in examining the private schools should have prevented the Inspectors from completing their inspection of the public schools—a feature which the Board will not be able to disregard should additional applications for the services of the Board's Inspectors be received. During the year the Board's attention has been drawn by School Committees to the absence in the examination reports of information in regard to the progress of pupils in classes below Standard VI. In the opinion of the Board the complaints in this connection are well founded, as it believes a mistake has been made in omitting from the examination schedules the information previously given in respect of the progress made by all the pupils. The Board also feels that this failure to record "passes" at the several stages below Standard VI will result in much inconvenience in later years, when no provision will exist for supplying the information on which employment in the public service often depends. In December, 1905, after a service of nineteen years, Dr. W. J. Anderson resigned his position as Inspector. The Board much regrets the loss of Dr. Anderson's services to this district, but congratulates him on having received the appointment of Assistant Inspector-General, to the discharge of whose duties the Board feels he brings ripe experience and proved enthusiasm in scholastic work.

SCHOLARSHIPS.—The results of the Board's scholarship examinations, held at the Training College in the month of December, 1905, were as follows: In the Senior Scholarship competition 15 candidates presented themselves. There were 74 candidates for Junior Scholarships. Owing to the reduction made in the value of its scholarships, consequent upon holders of scholarships being entitled to free places, the Board has been able to largely increase the number of scholarships, 28 having been awarded instead of 18. The four National Scholarships allotted to the North Canterbury district were duly awarded. Under the regulations it was incumbent on the Board to reserve one scholarship for candidates entering from schools having a yearly average attendance of not more than 40, and one for candidates from schools above 40 but not more than 200. There were eight candidates for the two Gam-mack Scholarships.

MANUAL AND TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION.—Speaking generally, the interest in manual and technical instruction has been sustained during the year at the several centres where either associated or special classes are carried on. Towards the end of the year an associated board of managers was formed at Akaroa for the purpose of establishing technical classes. Early in the year a special committee was set up to consider whether it was practicable and desirable for the Board to carry on the Christchurch technical classes. The committee's report emphasized the necessity of appointing a Director, and recommended that another effort should be made to obtain the co-operation of the several local bodies, with the view of appointing a board of managers and raising annually by way of contribution and subsidy a sum sufficient to allow of the classes being continued on a more satisfactory basis. The action taken by the Board on the committee's recommendations and the personal representations made by Mr. Hight and Mr. Russell, the members of the Board who interviewed the local bodies interested, were entirely successful, and the classes were formally taken over by the new board of managers in November, 1905. The generous contribution made by the Christchurch City Council, the support of other local bodies, and the appointment of a Director to personally supervise and control the classes encourage the belief that technical instruction in Christchurch will shortly be developed on sound lines, providing valuable opportunities for apprentices to acquire a sound knowledge of the principles underlying their respective trades and occupations. In response to numerous requests, and after ascertaining that a large number of teachers were desirous of receiving instruction in the subject, the Board has recently agreed to the appointment of an instructor in agriculture, one of whose principal duties will be to conduct theoretical and practical classes. The matter will form the subject of further reference in the Board's report for this present year.

DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOLS.—No additional district high schools have been constituted during the year 1905. Since the close of the year an application has been received for the school situated on the South Belt to be converted into a district high school, for which step, however, the Board has decided that the time is not ripe. The introduction of a fixed scale of staffs and salaries for teachers in secondary departments marks a great improvement on the old unsatisfactory method under which at the end of the year surplus salary moneys had to be divided among the members of the staff. The new regulations make no provision for grants for the apparatus required in the secondary departments.

CORPORAL PUNISHMENT.—During the year a very important question was raised in connection with the administration of the Education Act—viz., whether in effect a teacher has the right to administer corporal punishment if the parent of the child concerned objects to such form of correction. In the opinion of the Board's solicitors, to whom the matter was referred, there is no room to doubt the power of a school-teacher to include corporal punishment as a part of the discipline of his school, and that the law will not interfere with him in the exercise of such power unless it be proved that he has exercised it unreasonably. It is the rule of the Board that all children attending its schools shall be subject to the discipline of the school which they attend. The Board has sufficient confidence in its teachers to leave it to their discretion to determine when the administration of corporal punishment is necessary, and to believe that when they do find it necessary they will see that it is administered in a reasonable and proper manner. The Board has already notified its teachers that they will be expected to inflict corporal punishment with great care and moderation, and that undue severity or infringement of the rules laid down will render them liable to dismissal.

PUPIL-TEACHERS.—The issue by the Education Department of new regulations for the employment and examination of pupil-teachers made it necessary for the Board to materially alter its own regulations respecting pupil-teachers. For the future in the appointment of pupil-teachers preference must be given to those who have passed two years in a secondary school, or in the secondary classes of a district high school, or in the Seventh Standard of any other public school. There will be two general examinations for all pupil-teachers of the second and fourth years, called respectively the first and second examinations, and, in addition, all pupil-teachers of the first and third years will be required

SOUTH CANTERBURY.

SIR,—

Education Office, Timaru, 1st March, 1906.

In accordance with the provisions of "The Education Act, 1904," I have the honour to submit the report of the Education Board of the District of South Canterbury for the year ending 31st December, 1905.

THE BOARD.—At the beginning of the year the Board was composed of the following members: Messrs. G. W. Armitage, John Campbell, William M. Hamilton, William B. Howell, J.P., John Jackson, J.P., Daniel McCaskill, J.P., John S. Rutherford, J.P., John Talbot, J.P., and the Rev. George Barclay, J.P. Messrs. Campbell, Howell, and McCaskill retired during the year, and the election to fill the vacancies resulted in the re-election of the Messrs. Howell and McCaskill, and in the election of Mr. C. S. Howard. It is with feelings of deep regret that the Board has to record the deaths of two of its members during the year, Mr. Campbell dying before the election was complete, and Mr. McCaskill soon after the declaration of the results. Mr. Thomas Sherratt, of Geraldine, was elected to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. McCaskill. In August Mr. Howell was elected Chairman of the Board for the tenth time in succession. The Board held twelve meetings during the year, the average attendance of members being seven.

THE SCHOOLS.—There were 74 schools in operation during the year. New school districts were declared at Gray's Corner, Rosewill, and Tycho, and contracts let for the erection of buildings.

TEACHERS.—In December, 1905, there were in the service of the Board 147 teachers; of these 124 were adults, and 23 pupil-teachers. Of the adults, 51 were men and 73 were women; of the pupil-teachers, 8 were males and 15 were females.

"THE EDUCATION ACT AMENDMENT ACT, 1905."—The new provisions for the appointment of teachers will not materially alter the method adopted in this district some years ago; indeed, with the exception of some unimportant details, the steps provided by the Act are the same as those practised by this Board.

The increases in salaries will be welcomed by teachers, especially by those in charge of small country schools. The Act now provides for a salary at the rate of £6 per unit of the average attendance of the smallest schools. One result of the increased pay has been that it is not now so difficult as it was formerly to get teachers for our small schools. Certainly the teachers are often not so competent and well-trained as could be wished for, still it is hoped that the time is not far distant when the Board will be able to provide all except the very smallest schools with fully certificated teachers.

The new provisions for the staffing of district high schools have compelled the Board to give notice of dismissal to six teachers in order to adjust the staffs in accordance with the requirements of the amended Act. This has been a hardship to some of the teachers concerned.

PUPIL-TEACHERS.—During 1905 four ex-pupil-teachers and one other student from this district attended the Training College, Christchurch, and it is expected that about twelve more will be in attendance during 1906. The experience thus gained by these teachers should materially help them in their subsequent careers, and it is hoped that in future few of our pupil-teachers will be satisfied unless they spend at least one year at a training college. It is worthy of note that with one exception all the pupil-teachers appointed during 1905 and the first two months of 1906 (fourteen in all) had passed the Matriculation Examination.

SUPERANNUATION.—The Board views with satisfaction the passing of the Superannuation Act, making provision for the paying of retiring-allowances to teachers and others in the Education service. Not only will this provide for the retirement of many who have given a lifetime to the cause of education, but it will hold out a strong inducement to those contemplating entering the service.

SCHOLARSHIPS.—The annual scholarship examinations were held in December, the number of candidates being, for the junior examination 18, for the senior examination 14. The latter examination was conducted for the first time by the Education Department on the same papers as the Civil Service Junior Examination. One reason for this change was that many candidates for senior free places in secondary schools were saved from sitting for two or three examinations in close succession. Nine Senior and 10 Junior Scholarships were awarded.

SCHOOL FURNITURE.—The desks in use in many of our schools are very old, out of date, inconvenient, and uncomfortable. Recently all infant schools have been supplied with desks, and the old galleries have in most cases been displaced. The Board has now under consideration the question of adopting for general purposes a more comfortable and hygienic school desk. From many points of view the best desk is undoubtedly the single desk, but the floor space in many of our schools is too limited for its adoption unless the accommodation provided is to be increased. Whether the single or the dual desk is chosen, the Board hopes soon to be able to find a satisfactory type of desk which can be made at a reasonable cost in the colony. Single desks for the secondary classes of the district high schools have been ordered from America.

PHYSICAL DRILL.—This subject has received attention in almost every school in the district, and while generally the work done is reported on by the Board's Inspectors as satisfactory, that of all the larger schools is worthy of special praise. In these latter the upper boys have been organized into cadet companies, which are as efficient in their drill as many adult Volunteer companies, and the physical training of the girls and lower standards has also received its full share of attention.

ATTENDANCE.—The number on the roll at the end of the year shows an increase of 32 over that of the previous year, and the yearly average attendance (4,501) an increase of 57. The average attendance expressed as a percentage of the mean of the average weekly rolls for the four quarters was 88.2, the highest since the Board has been in existence. It is gratifying to be able to say that the attendance for the past year has been more regular than that for any previous year.

MANUAL AND TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION.—The number of schools taking up this work continues to increase; and, indeed, there are few schools in the district in which some of the subjects provided for in the Act are not successfully taught. The amount of capitation earned during the year by the various

primary schools amounted in the aggregate to about £550. The newly appointed teacher of cookery took up her duties in February, and her classes have been well attended and successfully conducted. At the end of the year a teacher of woodwork was appointed to commence duties early in 1906. Arrangements have been made for the teaching of the subjects of cookery and woodwork to the upper classes of eight of the larger schools, and the number will be gradually increased. Classes for the training of teachers in manual and technical subjects were conducted at Timaru and Waimate, those at the former place being well attended. Twelve teachers passed the City and Guilds first-year examination in woodwork, and intend sitting for the final examination during 1906. Seventeen others passed the St. John's Ambulance Association examination for first aid. During the week before Christmas a summer school for the instruction of teachers in cardboard modelling and geology was held, nearly all the teachers in the district attending. The former class was taught by Mr. Isaac, Inspector of Technical Schools, assisted by Mr. Clarke, of Stratford; the latter class by Dr. Marshall, of the Otago University. The attendance at these classes was good, the teachers took a keen interest in their work, and the instruction must result in increased efficiency in the schools. The "associated classes" at Timaru, Waimate, and Temuka continue to do good work in their districts. Classes are formed in shorthand, bookkeeping, typewriting, English, arithmetic, and other commercial subjects; but when the teaching is good, the classes in which the greatest interest is taken are those in the more technical subjects, such as plumbing, carpentry, cookery, dress-cutting, &c. Efforts are being made to increase the number and efficiency of such classes. A pleasing feature in connection with the Timaru classes is the increasing interest taken in the plumbing and carpentry classes by the master builders. If employers generally would follow this example and encourage their apprentices to attend evening classes, and were to take a hand in helping to increase the efficiency of the classes by giving financial help and practical suggestions, the success of the technical schools would be assured. During the year the Government made a grant of £1,000 for the Temuka Technical School building, and it is expected to be ready for use in a few weeks. A grant of £200 was also made for enlarging the building for plumbing and woodwork in Timaru.

BUILDINGS.—The receipts for buildings during the year were: Ordinary grant, £1,073 5s. 2d.; special grants, £1,254 19s. 9d.; subsidies from School Committees, £54 5s.; interest, £20; balance from previous year, £2,703 8s. 7d.: total, £5,105 18s. 5d. The total expenditure was £3,748 1s. 3d., leaving a balance in hand at the end of the year of £1,357 17s. 2d. Besides the ordinary works of painting and repairing buildings, the more important new works undertaken during the year were new schools at Gray's Corner, Rosewill, and Tycho, a new residence at Chamberlain, additional rooms at Waimate, Timaru South, and Glenavy, a technical and high school combined at Temuka, and a gymnasium at Waimate.

FINANCIAL.—The financial position has slightly improved during the year, and, taking advantage of this, the Board decided to increase the amount of incidental grants to the Committees of small schools to the extent of over £100 annually.

I have, &c.,

W. B. HOWELL, Chairman.

The Right Hon. the Minister of Education, Wellington.

GENERAL STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending 31st December, 1905.

Receipts.			Expenditure.		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
Balance at beginning of year	4,554	7 3	Staff salaries and clerical assistance	1,211	15 3
Grants from Government for—			Office contingencies	366	5 11
Teachers' and pupil-teachers' salaries, and allowances to pupil-teachers	13,658	9 0	Teachers' and pupil-teachers' salaries, and allowances to pupil-teachers	17,127	10 2
Reserves revenue for primary education	3,392	9 5	Relieving-teachers' salaries	51	1 1
Capitation at 11s. 3d., and grant of £250	2,775	15 0	Conveyance of school-children	113	8 4
Capitation at 6d. for relieving-teachers	112	5 3	Incidental expenses of schools	1,076	14 6
Conveyance of school-children	113	8 4	Teachers' share of rents	27	6 10
Special grant for School Committees	167	11 9	Capitation, 9d.	167	11 9
Receipts from other sources—			Scholarships and expenses of examination	351	15 1
Truancy fines	3	13 0	Salaries of staffs of district high schools	1,063	5 0
Interest	15	0 0	Manual and technical instruction—		
Rents	94	16 0	School classes	601	10 2
Grants from Government for—			Special classes	112	3 7
Scholarships	354	18 9	Managers of associated classes	921	17 7
District high schools	947	0 0	Other expenses—		
Receipts from other sources—			School classes	46	7 1
Rents	20	0 0	Special classes	10	0 0
Waimate High School Board subsidy	30	0 0	Maintenance of school buildings—		
Grants from Government for manual and technical instruction—			Repairs, repainting, &c.	1,275	5 10
Capitation (general and scholarship)	1,119	13 3	Rebuilding	226	2 9
Instruction of teachers	125	0 0	Rent	4	1 0
Subsidies on voluntary contributions and bequests	147	17 6	Alterations and small additions	170	12 2
Receipts from other sources—			House allowances	292	1 10
Cookery fees	19	9 6	New schools, additions, furniture, sites, &c.	1,349	14 2
Contributions from technical associations to salary of cookery teacher	61	0 0	Buildings, class-rooms, furniture, &c., for manual and technical purposes—		
Grants from Government for—			Managers of associated classes	369	7 6
Maintenance of buildings, rebuilding, &c.	1,073	5 2	Other expenses—		
House allowances	297	18 6	Expenditure out of proceeds of sale of Waimate site	722	5 4
New schools, additions, furniture, &c.	1,254	19 8	Balance at end of year	3,174	6 11
Technical-school buildings, fittings, &c. (associated classes)	369	7 6			
Other receipts—					
Subsidies from School Committees	54	5 0			
Interest, Building Account	20	0 0			
	£30,832	9 10		£30,832	9 10

WM. B. HOWELL, Chairman.
A. BELL, Secretary.

26th February, 1906.

OTAGO.

SIR,—

Education Office, Dunedin, 30th April, 1906.

In accordance with the provisions of section 166 of "The Education Act, 1904," the Education Board of the District of Otago has the honour to submit the following report of its proceedings for the year 1905.

BOARD.—At the beginning of the year the Board was composed of the following members: Hon. Thomas Fergus, Messrs. James Sim, Alexander Marshall, Thomas Mackenzie, M.H.R., James Mitchell, Andrew McKerrow, Donald Borrie, William Nicolson, and William Snow. Messrs. Borrie, Nicolson, and Snow were the members who retired. Five candidates were nominated by the School Committees for the vacancies occurring in the month of August. The result was the re-election of the three retiring members. At the first meeting of the Board in September, Mr. Donald Borrie was re-elected Chairman. The Board held thirty-one meetings during the year.

The Hon. Thomas Fergus and Mr. Thomas Mackenzie, M.H.R., were reappointed members of the Board of Governors of the Otago Boys' and Girls' High Schools, and Mr. Donald Borrie was re-appointed the Board's representative on the Waitaki High School Board. Mr. Donald Borrie continues to represent the Board as one of the Education Reserves Commissioners.

NUMBER OF SCHOOLS.—At the close of 1904 there were 221 schools in operation in the district. New schools were opened at Musselburgh, Inch Valley, and Tawanui. The schools at Purakauiti and Bendigo were reopened. The Beaumont Station, Deep Stream, Hukinga, Lee Stream, Moutere, and Tarras Schools were closed. The number of schools in operation at the end of the year was 220. The Normal School and the Model School in connection with it are now reckoned as two schools. The following table shows the classification of the schools according to their average attendance for the year 1905 :—

Grade of Schools.			Number of Schools.	Aggregate of the Average Attendance.	Grade of Schools.			Number of Schools.	Aggregate of the Average Attendance.
Grade 0—	1 to	15	34	340	Brought forward	..	196	7,949	
" 1—	16 "	20	23	420	Grade 12—	201 to	250	3	700
" 2—	21 "	25	30	651	" 13—	251 "	280	3	783
" 3—	26 "	32	24	685	" 14—	281 "	330	4	1,225
" 4—	33 "	40	18	653	" 15—	331 "	390	1	341
" 5—	41 "	50	13	582	" 16—	391 "	420	4	1,618
" 6—	51 "	60	16	871	" 17—	421 "	480	1	462
" 7—	61 "	75	11	726	" 18—	481 "	510	1	499
" 8—	76 "	90	8	654	" 19—	511 "	570	4	2,121
" 9—	91 "	120	9	935	" 20—	571 "	600	1	584
" 10—	121 "	150	6	762	" 21—	601 "	660	1	606
" 11—	151 "	200	4	670	" 22—	661 "	690	1	670
Carried forward	..		196	7,949	Total	..	220	117,558	

TEACHERS.—On the 31st December there were 556 teachers in the Board's service, classed as under: Head teacher, 96 males; sole teacher, 35 males, 88 females; mistress, 96 females; assistant, 48 males, 85 females; relieving-teacher, 1; pupil-teacher, 27 males, 57 females; teachers of needlework, 23 females; total, 207 males, 349 females. The above shows an increase of 17 teachers for the year.

In December, 1905, there were 39 uncertificated teachers in the Board's service, a decrease of 11 for the year. Of this number 9 were males and 30 were females. Fourteen were employed as sole teachers in schools with an average attendance below 11, eleven in schools from 11 to 20, seven in schools from 21 to 25, and seven were mistresses in schools from 41 to 50. It will be noted that of the 39 uncertificated teachers in the service at the end of last year, 14 were employed in schools the greater number of which would not now be carried on under the conditions existing prior to the passing of "The Public-School Teachers' Salaries Act, 1901." There are indications that in a year or two the supply of trained and certificated teachers will again equal the demand; but even when this takes place it will probably be found that the majority of schools in grade 0 (average attendance under 11) will, owing to the smallness of the salaries earned by the attendance at these schools, be taught by uncertificated or partially certificated teachers. Trained and fully certificated teachers will not be found willing to teach in schools in isolated districts for salaries the maximum of which is £60 per annum. On the whole, the number of trained and certificated teachers now available very nearly meets the demand, but there is a very serious lack of competent male teachers. Whatever may have been the cause, the number of suitable young men desiring of late years to enter the profession has been very small, only four male students having passed through the Dunedin Training College during the past two years. Lately there have been for male teachers quite a number of good appointments that have had to be filled by female teachers. It is satisfactory to note that there were in the Board's service last year 27 male pupil-teachers, an increase of 11 for the year. The number of female pupil-teachers has decreased by 8.

ATTENDANCE.—The following is an abstract of the attendance at the public schools of this district from the institution of the Otago Education scheme in the year 1856 to the present time. At the beginning of 1878 the new Education District of Southland was created, and 37 schools were handed over to the newly formed Board :—[Not reprinted.] The table shows an increase of 109 in the number of pupils who attended the schools during the year. The number of pupils who attended the Dunedin schools shows a falling-off of 32. The number of pupils in attendance at all the schools at the end of the year was 166 less than at the end of the previous year, the Dunedin schools accounting for 75 of this decrease. The figures relating to average attendance show an increase of only 42 pupils for the year.

The average attendance at the Dunedin schools shows a decrease of 38 pupils as compared with the previous year's attendance. The average attendance expressed as a percentage of the weekly roll shows a further increase for the year. In 1904 this percentage was 90 for the Oamaru schools and the twenty schools in Dunedin and suburbs, and 86·6 for the whole district. Last year the percentages were—Oamaru schools, 91; Dunedin and suburbs, 90·9; whole district, 89·7. If the mean weekly roll for the district be taken at 19,433, the average percentage attained shows that 17,439 pupils attended school every school day and that 2,000 were absent. This is easily the highest percentage of attendance recorded, and indicates a degree of regularity of attendance of pupils that is highly satisfactory.

INSPECTION OF SCHOOLS.—The Inspectors group the schools according to efficiency as follows: Good to very good, 45 per cent.; satisfactory, 42 per cent.; fair, 10 per cent.; weak or very weak, 3 per cent. The percentages in the second and fourth groups are the same as those of last year; that of the third group has decreased by 3, and the group "Good to very good" has increased by 3 per cent., a result the Inspectors regard as very satisfactory in the circumstances in which the schools had to work. In their report the Inspectors dwell at considerable length on the circumstances that in their judgment are inimical to efficiency. Making due allowance for these, they think that the majority of the schools rank as high in efficiency as could be reasonably expected. The following shows the Inspectors' estimate of the quality of the work done in Standard VII in schools other than district high schools: Very good, 7; good, 23; satisfactory, 21; fair, 5; weak, 1. In 13 other schools there was a Standard VII class, the pupils of which were absent on examination day. As the Inspectors remark, the labourer is worthy of his hire; and the teacher of a small school who gives satisfactory instruction to this class is worthy of extra remuneration for the extra work the instruction entails. The Board would again urge upon the Minister the reasonableness of this plea.

MANUAL AND TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION.—During 1905 there were 92 schools in which instruction in handwork of some kind or other was given. As this is just about the number of schools in the district that are taught by more than one teacher, it is evident that nearly all the schools that might fairly be expected to undertake this work are devoting at least some portion of time to it. In many of the schools that are taught by only one teacher great difficulty must naturally be experienced in devoting to manual and technical subjects the time necessary to qualify for capitation, or indeed to devote any time at all to them. There are in the district about 128 of such schools, and this is about the number in which, so far, no work of this nature has been undertaken. In 1904 the number of pupils receiving instruction in handwork was 6,027, or 31 per cent.; during last year the number rose to 10,010, or 52 per cent. Of the 92 schools in which the instruction was carried on, 67 devoted to the subjects the time necessary to qualify for the Government capitation grant. In the previous year the number of such schools was 54, so that during the year just closed the list of capitation-earning schools has increased by 13; and not only so, but in most of these schools the range of the instruction has been much extended. In many cases all the classes now participate in the instruction, where formerly only the infants and Standards I and II did so. The Board's aim is that in all schools above grade 4 some subject of handwork or science shall be taken by each standard class. The subjects most favoured by the teachers of this district appear to be: Paper-work for classes below Standard III; brush drawing, modelling in carton, cardboard, and plasticine, for classes in Standard III and higher standards. In the large schools the handwork subjects taken by Standards V and VI are woodwork, cookery, physical measurements, elementary physiology, first aid; and elementary agriculture. It is apparent that for many years to come agriculture must be the chief pursuit of a very large number of the inhabitants of this colony, and it is gratifying that a marked extension in the instruction in the subject of elementary agriculture is noticeable throughout the district, there being at the end of last year 34 schools in various parts of the district in which such instruction was being carried on, each school having connected with it a suitably equipped cottage garden where the practical work is done. The Inspectors report that the instruction given is of a very practical and educative character. The Board is of opinion that in consideration of the very great importance of this subject, and the large number of schools now giving instruction in it, the time has arrived when a specialist in agricultural subjects should be appointed. Instruction in paper-work, brush-drawing, carton, cardboard, plasticine, or clay modelling (sufficient to qualify for the Government capitation grant) was given in 33 schools, agricultural chemistry in 1, elementary physiology and first aid in 2, swimming in 4, woodwork in 21, cookery in 22, and elementary agriculture in 34. During the year cookery and woodwork classes were established at Kaitangata School, and a cookery class was commenced at Mosgiel District High School. Special teachers of needlework were employed in 24 schools having an average attendance below 41 and taught by male teachers. Special classes for instruction of teachers in woodwork and cookery were held during the year. Six of the Board's female teachers sat for the London City and Guilds examination in plain cookery, five of them obtaining first-class certificates, and one a second-class certificate. Nine of the Board's male teachers presented themselves for the London City and Guilds Final Examination in Woodwork, five of them obtaining first-class and three second-class certificates. The Saturday classes at the Dunedin School of Art in drawing, elementary designing, brushwork, and cardboard and clay modelling have been largely taken advantage of by country teachers and pupil-teachers. The following is a summary of the receipts and expenditure in connection with the manual and technical classes (exclusive of Dunedin, Oamaru, and Kaitangata technical classes) for the year:—

					<i>Receipts.</i>					
From Government—					£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Capitation	..	..	..	..	1,691	19	9			
Buildings, apparatus, and fittings	365	14	0			
Special grant for training of teachers	200	0	0			
Fees	176	1	3			
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Expenditure.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Maintenance (salaries, material, &c.)	1,885	10	3			
Buildings, fittings, and apparatus	476	13	9			
				2,362	4	0
Gain for the year				71	11	0

TRUANCY.—From the following statement an estimate may be formed of the work undertaken during the year for the suppression of truancy and irregular attendance : 984 notices were served on parents and guardians for infringements of “The Education Act, 1904,” section 141 ; 34 notices were served on parents whose children were not attending any school ; 347 cases of irregular attenders were investigated ; 169 penalty summonses were issued under section 145. Under the above 169 penalty summonses 164 convictions were obtained, 3 cases were withdrawn, and 2 cases were dismissed owing to the production of exemption certificates. The total amount of fines inflicted for the year was £35 3s. 6d. The Board lays upon head teachers the duty of furnishing at the beginning of each month information concerning all pupils who during the preceding month have failed to attend school each week the number of times obligatory under the Act. Head teachers are also enjoined to be very careful in the exercise of their powers regarding the granting of exemption certificates, and not to omit from their monthly return for the Truant Officer the name of any defaulter, unless they are satisfied of the genuineness of the plea of exemption.

SCHOLARSHIPS.—During last year the Board decided to adopt the proposal of the Education Department that the Junior National Scholarships Examination be the examination for the Board’s Junior Scholarships, and that the Civil Service Junior Examination be the examination for the Board’s Senior Scholarships. In support of the proposal it was pointed out that, if the Board continued to hold its scholarship examinations according to its own syllabus of work, there would have to be carried on in many of its schools preparation for four different sets of examinations—viz. : For the Board’s Junior and Senior Scholarships, for National Scholarships, and for the Junior Civil Service. Consideration for the interests of the teachers and pupils induced the Board to waive its own syllabus of work and examinations, and to award its scholarships upon the results of the Junior National and the Civil Service Junior Examinations. The annual examinations in December last were held in accordance with the amended regulations. The Department conducted the examinations and examined the papers of the candidates, thereafter transmitting the results to the Board, and the latter awarded the scholarships according to the marks gained. Of the 65 competitors for Junior Scholarships who sat for the Department’s Junior National Scholarship Examination, 36 were successful in passing the examination, and 25 of them received scholarships. Of the 30 competitors for the Board’s Senior Scholarship who sat for the Civil Service Junior Examination, 27 were successful in passing the examination, and 25 of them received scholarships. Of those who gained Junior Scholarships, 14 of them were boys and 11 girls ; and of the successful senior candidates, 20 of them were boys and 5 girls. Twelve of the Senior Scholarship winners had previously held Junior Scholarships. The amount expended on scholarships for the year was £1,130 5s. 6d.

PHYSICAL EXERCISES.—As in previous years, instruction in physical exercises and drill has been carried on in a satisfactory manner in all the schools in the district. There seems reason, however, to doubt whether the greater number of commodious and well-furnished gymnasiums attached to many of the schools in and around Dunedin were utilised as much as they might have been. If fairly regular practice of the exercises with backboards, horse, bridge-ladder, and parallel-bars as recommended by the Board were carried out, the injurious effects alleged to be produced by the use of non-hygienic desks and seats would, no doubt, be more than counteracted.

CONVEYANCE OF CHILDREN TO SCHOOL.—The Department’s attitude on this question is beyond the Board’s comprehension. It will make no payment for children under seven years of age unless they are accompanied by at least an equal number of children over twelve years of age ; none for any child under ten years of age unless the distance from his home is over four* miles by the nearest road, and none for any child of ten years of age and upwards unless the distance from his home is over four miles by the nearest road. The Board cannot conceive why children between six and seven should be excluded from the benefits of conveyance unless they are accompanied by an equal number over twelve, nor why no payment should be made for children under ten whose home is not more than three miles, and for those of ten and upwards whose home is not more than four miles from the school, nor why the Department should have prescribed distances without regard to the character of the roads over which they are measured. For children of from ten to twelve years of age, two miles an hour is not bad walking over many of our country roads. If they live from three to four miles from school, they are on the tramp from three to four hours a day. This, with the time they work at school, makes for them a working-day of from nine to ten hours—truly a cruel burden of work for children of tender years. In the Board’s opinion, the Department has entirely failed to realise the conditions on which the conveyance system can be successfully worked in this part of the colony. As the Board has more than once pointed out, no system of *per capita* payment for the carriage of children can work satisfactorily, for it ignores the varying conditions as to the configuration of the country, the character of the roads, and the number of children to be conveyed. The sum suffices in cases where the conditions are favourable, but it is altogether inadequate where the roads are bad, and only a small number of children are to be provided for. The inevitable result has been that children in very sparsely populated districts have been deprived of the means of education, for it has been found impossible to get people to undertake the work of conveyance for the amount made available. The Board again urges that the only satisfactory solution of the problem is to give to Boards sufficient grants to enable them, with their

* Three miles.—Sec., Educ.

special knowledge of the circumstances, supplemented by the local knowledge of School Committees, to make the best possible arrangement in each case.

TRAINING COLLEGE.—Under the regulations for the conduct of training colleges, the College controlled by the Board for thirty years has become almost, if not entirely, a Government institution. It is true the regulations set out with the declaration: "The Education Board of any district in which any training college is situated, hereinafter called the 'Board,' shall have the entire control and management of such college, subject to the provisions hereinafter contained"; but "the provisions hereinafter contained" provide for everything that is essential to the control and management, and divest the Board of every shred of real authority. The relation of the Board to the training college is precisely that of a Committee to the school of its district, and the Department is to training colleges what the Education Board of a district is to the schools of that district. That, it seems to the Board, exactly defines the position in which the Boards are placed by the regulations. Realising as it did and does that a single examination is not always an adequate test of a student's acquirements, and, above all, that a teacher's personality is of greater importance than are his literary qualifications, and that personality cannot be tested at all by a written examination, the Board proposed that the teacher's certificate should depend not solely upon a single written examination applied by the Department at the end of the year, but in large part upon the results gained in class and college examinations conducted by the principal and his staff during the currency of the year, and that the judgment of the principal as to the fitness or unfitness of a student for a teacher's certificate should be the chief determining factor in the classification of the students under his charge. Regulations to give effect to this proposal were submitted to the Department; but neither the one nor the other found favour there. It would, the Board considered, be a great boon to settlers living remote from surgical aid to have among them a person capable of administering first aid in cases of accident, and accordingly recommended that skill in this branch of work should be allowed to count a pass for a teacher's certificate; but the recommendation was rejected by the Department.

Recognising the importance of what is implied in "nature study" and the impossibility of its adequate treatment by teachers who have done little or no field-work, the Board recommended that the following course should be substituted for some of the work at present prescribed for the teacher's certificate: (a.) A course of experimental work in elementary physics and chemistry extending over the winter session. (b.) A summer course of outdoor studies having for its subject-matter the meteorology, physical geography, geology, and plant and animal life of the district. The plant and animal life may be made the chief subject of investigation, but the relation of the others to it must be kept in view; and, as opportunity offers, the attention of the students should be directed to significant facts irrespective of the branch of nature-knowledge to which they are related. Every outdoor excursion should have a definite purpose, and should be carefully planned beforehand; and accurate notes should be made by the students of what they observe in the field. The notes made and the objects collected during the outdoor excursions will furnish material for study in the lecture-room. To this, as to the other proposals made by the Board, the Department answered: "It does not seem practicable or indeed desirable at present to alter the requirements for teachers' certificates in the way suggested by the Board." Of the recommendations made by the Board, one was adopted, the recommendation, namely, that the bursary for trainees who have during their training to live away from their homes should be greatly increased.

Sixty-two students entered the College at the beginning of the session; one retired during the year, leaving 61 on the roll at 31st December, 1905. Twenty-nine were in their second year, and 32 were in their first year, as follows: First year, 2 males and 30 females; second year, 2 males and 27 females. Fifty-three of the students attended classes at the University. Eight students who had not passed matriculation were not required to undertake University work.

FINANCE.—A statement of the Board's income and expenditure for the year is given below. The sum expended in teachers' salaries, including house and lodging allowances, was £61,649 6s. 5d.; the amount paid to School Committees for incidental expenses was £5,848 1s. 7d.; the amount expended in the erection, enlargement, and improvement of school buildings and the purchase of sites was £7,965 16s. 6d. The receipts for school buildings include grant for maintenance, £8,407 6s.; special grants for new buildings, £2,970 10s.; house allowances to teachers, £431 18s. 1d.; local contributions, £116 15s. 4d.; deposits on contracts, £148 6s. 6d.; special grants for technical-school buildings, and furniture, fittings, &c., for same, £895 19s.: total, £12,970 14s. 11d. The main items of expenditure on buildings were: General maintenance (repairs, alterations, and small additions), £4,375 18s.; rebuilding, £119 2s. 7d.; new buildings, £3,470 15s. 11d.; house allowances, £432 2s. 5d.; for manual and technical purposes, £599 5s. 1d. At the end of the year the credit balances were: On Buildings Account, £312 15s. 5d.; on General Account, £6,474 4s.: total, £6,786 19s. 5d. Against this credit balance of £6,474 4s. on General Account there were various liabilities on account of primary-reserve rents, technical classes association, training college bursaries, and general purposes amounting in total to £5,123 11s. 4d., leaving the available credit balance £1,350 12s. 8d.

By order of the Board.

The Right Hon. the Minister of Education, Wellington.

P. G. PRYDE, Secretary.

GENERAL STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending 31st December, 1905.

<i>Receipts.</i>			<i>Expenditure.</i>		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
Balance at beginning of year	1,589	12 2	Staff salaries and clerical assistance ..	3,070	11 1
Grants from Government for—			Office contingencies	1,254	0 9
Teachers' and pupil-teachers' salaries, and allowances to pupil-teachers ..	51,810	9 1	Teachers' and pupil-teachers' salaries, and allowances to pupil-teachers ..	61,217	4 0
Reserves revenue for primary education ..	9,703	12 1	Relieving-teachers' salaries	479	1 7
Capitation at 11s. 3d., and grant of £250 ..	10,087	19 9	Training colleges	2,616	16 8
Capitation for relieving teachers ..	437	5 0	Conveyance of school-children	198	10 6
Training colleges	3,228	17 8	Incidental expenses of schools	5,194	15 1
Conveyance of school-children	180	7 0	Capitation, 9d.	653	6 6
Other grants—			Gymnastic instruction	136	5 6
Pomahaka School	40	0 0	Truant Officer's salary and expenses ..	191	5 5
Special grants to School Committees ..	653	6 6	Exchange on teachers' salaries	7	1 6
Receipts from other sources—			Conference of Education Boards	30	4 4
Rent of offices	65	0 0	Scholarships and expenses of examination ..	1,130	5 6
Balance of School Committee account closed	24	12 8	Salaries of staffs of district high schools ..	1,898	0 6
Truancy fines	52	11 6	National scholarships	204	10 8
Grants from Government for—			Manual and technical instruction—		
Scholarships	1,127	5 6	School classes	848	9 10
District high schools	1,933	15 0	Special classes	1,037	0 5
Receipts from other sources—			Managers of associated classes	1,331	9 6
National scholarships	169	10 8	Maintenance of school buildings—		
Grants from Government for manual and technical instruction—			Repairs, repainting, &c.	3,077	14 0
Capitation (general and scholarship) ..	2,469	8 2	Rebuilding	119	2 7
Instruction of teachers	200	0 0	Alterations and small additions	1,298	4 0
Subsidies on voluntary contributions and bequests	409	18 3	House allowances	432	2 5
Receipts from other sources—			New schools, additions, furniture, sites, &c. ..	3,470	15 11
Fees	176	1 3	Buildings, class-rooms, furniture, &c., for manual and technical purposes—		
Voluntary contributions	93	12 5	School classes	469	16 1
Grants from Government for—			Special classes	6	17 8
Maintenance of buildings, rebuilding, &c. ..	8,407	6 0	Managers of associated classes	122	11 4
House allowances	431	18 1	Other expenses—		
New schools, additions, furniture, &c. ..	2,970	10 0	Purchase of sites	129	4 1
Technical-school buildings, fittings, &c. ..	895	19 0	Interest	32	8 9
Local contributions	116	15 4	Bank account fees	1	10 0
Other receipts—			Balance at end of year	6,708	6 11
Examination fees	2	0 0			
Rents of school-sites	90	0 0			
	£97,367	13 1		£97,367	13 1

6th March, 1906.

P. G. PRYDE, Secretary.

Examined and found correct, except as to the payment of £30 4s. 4d. as expenses of delegates to Wellington, for which there is no written authority of law.—J. W. POYNTON, Deputy Controller and Auditor.

SOUTHLAND.

SIR,—

Education Office, Invercargill, 20th March, 1906.

In conformity with the provisions of section 166 of "The Education Act, 1904," the Education Board of the District of Southland has the honour to present the following report of its proceedings for the year ended 31st December, 1905.

THE BOARD.—The election of members to fill the vacancies caused by the retirement of Messrs. Alfred Baldey, George McLeod, and I. W. Raymond was held, as required by the Act, in July. Five nominations were received, and the voting resulted in the election of Messrs. McLeod, Raymond, and Hammond. Mr. Baldey did not seek re-election. At the ordinary meeting of the Board held in September, Mr. W. Macalister was unanimously appointed Chairman for the ensuing year. During the year Messrs. W. Macalister and J. C. Thomson continued their membership of the Southland High Schools Board, and Mr. Thomas MacGibbon was re-elected as the Board's representative on the Trust of the School Commissioners of Otago. After a continuous membership from the constitution of the Board in 1878—a period of over twenty-seven years—the Hon. Alfred Baldey, owing to his change of residence from Southland to Wellington, retired from his position. Mr. Baldey during his tenure of office proved himself a most useful and attentive member. Towards the close of the year the Board and the Education District of Southland sustained a severe loss by the death of Mr. George McLeod, one of the recently re-elected members. As required by the provisions of sections 15 (2) and 37 of "The Education Act, 1904," steps were taken to fill the vacancy caused by Mr. McLeod's death, and resulted in the election of Mr. Andrew Bain, who will hold office till the ordinary election in July. During the year the Board held fourteen meetings—twelve ordinary and two special—and the Executive Committee met twenty-two times. The attendance of members was quite satisfactory. The change in the method of the election of members of Boards as proposed in "The Education Act Amendment Act, 1905," does not favourably impress the Board. In the opinion of this Board the proposed innovation of the division of the district into wards, with the election of members to specially represent different sections of the district, does not seem to be called for, neither does the Board consider that the interests of education as a whole demand any alteration in the system previously in operation. The experience of the Board shows that members under the old conditions knew no distinctions as to town or country, east or west, but looked on themselves as representing the district as a whole, and acted accordingly.

SCHOOLS AND ATTENDANCE.—At the close of the previous year there were 160 schools in operation. This number was added to by the establishment of new schools in the districts of Burke's Hill, Waikawa Valley II, Lynwood, and Maori Point—the three last mentioned being household schools. The small schools at Waituna and Glenham II (household) were closed. There were thus, on the 31st December last, 163 schools under the jurisdiction of the Board.

In the matter of attendance there is but little out of the usual to report. The average weekly roll-number for the year was 9,705, and the average attendance 8,447, an increase of 100 and 158 respectively over the numbers reported as in attendance for the preceding year. The percentage of average attendance to the weekly roll-number is now 87·3. The figures in each case constitute a record for this education district.

TEACHERS AND TEACHERS' SALARIES.—In this district there were, at the close of the period to which this report has reference, 281 teachers in the service of the Board. Of these 120 were males and 161 females. As in past years the Board has experienced an increasing difficulty in securing the services of certificated teachers for the smaller schools. This fact seems to be only in part accounted for by the effect of recent legislation. One would have supposed that since the passing of the Act of 1901, the extra demand then created by the more liberal staffing of the public schools of the colony would ere this have been met; but, notwithstanding the more liberal scale of payment introduced, the supply, so far as Southland is concerned, of duly qualified applicants for vacancies does not meet the demand. The consequence is that many appointments of uncertificated teachers to schools where the salary is considerably above the limit of a living wage have been made. If these new entrants into the profession were invariably possessed, in some degree, of practical experience in the work of teaching, the result of such appointments need cause no alarm; but in many cases the Board is compelled to accept the services of young people, fairly well fitted it may be so far as character and scholastic attainments are concerned, but lacking the great essential of practical skill in the work to which they have put their hand. Of course, many such appointments have given great satisfaction to both Board and Committees; but it is hoped that no effort will be spared, by the establishment of fully equipped training-schools, to meet more adequately the demand which undoubtedly exists. The inducements provided by (1) the new schedule of salaries in "The Education Act Amendment Act, 1905," and by (2) the passing into law of "The Teachers' Superannuation Act, 1905," should be sufficient to attract the attention of capable men and women to a service which has, in many ways, much to commend it. Though the Superannuation Act is not in all respects as liberal a measure as might be wished for, still it makes some provision for the retirement of aged teachers and others who come within the scope of its operations.

PUPIL-TEACHERS.—New regulations, on lines suggested by the Education Department, were brought into operation during the year. Under these regulations the examination of pupil-teachers was taken over by the Department, and was held in the month of December last. As a result of this examination most of the candidates were promoted to a higher grade, some attained partial success, and one only failed to satisfy the requirements of the examiners. It may be noted that in place of four there are now only two examinations—the first for all pupil-teachers of the second and third years of their apprenticeship, the test for which is the Civil Service Junior Examination; the second examination is for all pupil-teachers of the fourth and fifth years, the test for which is the Matriculation Examination of the University of New Zealand, or the teachers' examination for Class D. Of course, there is provision for recognition of the attainments of those who, previous to entering the service, have passed either or both of the examinations referred to. Failure to pass the examination does not now necessarily involve non-promotion in respect of salary, but the regulations do provide that the engagement of those who twice fail to pass either of the prescribed examinations shall be summarily determined. This provision is considered a sufficient incentive to effort on the part of those desirous of making the profession of teaching their life work. The increase in the salaries of pupil-teachers, for which provision is made in the Act of 1905, and more especially the substantial advance made in the lodging-allowances to those resident away from home, should render this department of the service more attractive to our young people of both sexes, and so ultimately increase the supply of adult teachers.

SCHOLARSHIPS.—In the month of August last the Board adopted a new set of regulations, under which the scholarships, junior and senior, are awarded on the results of the National Scholarships and the Civil Service Junior Examinations respectively. The acceptance by the Board of these examinations as the basis on which scholarships are allocated results in a very considerable saving, both in the Inspectors' time and in the actual expenditure. The first examination under the altered conditions was held in December, and with perfectly satisfactory results. The value of the scholarships (junior and senior) under the new regulations is £30 per annum for non-resident, and £5 per annum for resident candidates respectively. There is now no deduction from the gross value of the scholarship, as under the free place regulations no fees are now payable in respect of scholarship holders. This relief from payment of fees enables the Board, out of the funds available, to award a greater number of scholarships than has hitherto been possible. The amount disbursed during the year in respect of Board's scholarships was £602 9s. 4d., while for National Scholarships a sum of £161 17s. 7d. was received and paid.

DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOLS.—"The Education Act Amendment Act, 1905," makes provision for a fixed payment of salaries to special assistants, with bonus addition to the salary of the headmaster of district high schools. This is a much more equitable arrangement than was formerly possible, when payments to the teachers depended almost wholly on the average attendance of secondary pupils. The result of the working of the past system in this district was not quite satisfactory. In two of the three district high schools the revenue from the capitation on average attendance was inadequate to provide for payment of reasonable salaries to specially qualified assistants, while in the other (Gore) the capitation earned was ample to provide for the efficient staffing of the secondary department, with something to spare for payment of bonuses at the end of the year to all who participated in the work of actual instruction. It may be noted, also, that the old regulations governing district high schools contained

no provision whereby the surplus from the working of one school might be applied to make up the deficiency arising in any other school, the net result to this Board being that in one of its district high schools, owing largely to a difficulty of properly adjusting the staff to meet the requirements of the school in its primary and secondary departments, a loss averaging £43 per annum has been entailed.

PHYSICAL TRAINING.—In compliance with the provisions of section 137 of "The Education Act, 1904," the Board has to report that the subject of physical training has received due attention in nearly all the schools in the district during the year. The services of Instructor J. V. Hanna have been retained on the same terms and conditions as during the preceding year.

INSTRUCTION OF TEACHERS.—The special grant of £150 made by the Department for the instruction of teachers was profitably spent. Two courses of lectures in botany and nature study were delivered on consecutive Saturdays, at Invercargill and Gore respectively, by Mr. George M. Thomson, F.L.S., F.I.C., of Dunedin. At these classes there was a very large attendance of teachers and pupil-teachers from all parts of the district accessible by railway. The lectures were most interesting and profitable, were much appreciated by the students, and will doubtless result in more effective treatment of these subjects in the various schools of the district. Classes in the subject of drawing—model and black-board—under the charge of the late Mr. J. J. McLean, were also established, and carried on during the winter months, and much effective work was done.

MANUAL AND TECHNICAL.—The report of the Board's Director of Technical Instruction affords ample testimony to the success achieved by classes carried on during the year, and gives detailed information respecting the number of students in attendance, and other aspects of this department of the Board's operations. The completion of the new Technical School buildings, for which a special grant has been made by the Department, has now been undertaken, and this work, when completed, will greatly facilitate the prosecution of this branch of education. A contract, at £2,850, for the erection of the building was entered into in August last, and the work is now (March) approaching completion.

"THE EDUCATION ACT AMENDMENT ACT, 1905."—It would be premature to express any decided opinion as to the probable results of the altered conditions in the system of making appointments of teachers. Experience alone will justify or otherwise the new departure. The Board is in entire sympathy with section 11 of the Act, in which provision is made whereby the salaries of teachers shall not, under normal conditions, be reduced. The new and more liberal scale of teachers' salaries meets with the Board's unqualified approval. Section 15 of the Act, making definite and fairly liberal provision for the payment of special assistants (and headmasters) of district high schools, meets with the Board's hearty approval. The provision, however, for staffing the primary department of the district high schools on the attendance of pupils in this department alone is, in the opinion of the Board, a retrograde step. When it is considered that a portion of the headmaster's time may be devoted to secondary instruction, and a further and no inconsiderable portion to the work of supervision and examination of these classes, it is reasonable to assume that this can only be done at the expense of the pupils in the primary department, unless the staff in such department is (as the salaries are) based upon the combined average of primary and secondary pupils. By the operation of this new principle two of our district high schools lose an extra assistant—a loss which, in the case of the weaker of the two, is well nigh irreparable.

BUILDINGS.—The Board notes with satisfaction the relaxation of the conditions under which the annual grant for buildings may be expended. The parliamentary grant for the general maintenance of school buildings amounted to £2,152, one-half the vote being paid at the close of 1904. In addition, special grants of £200 and £229 7s. 6d. were received for the erection of an addition to the school at Drummond and the reinstatement of the school at Tokonui, unfortunately destroyed by fire during the year. The expenditure on general maintenance amounted to £2,572 7s. 8d., in addition to which a sum of £1,340 14s. was spent in the erection of new schools, additions, furniture, &c. A considerable proportion of the latter sum was due by the Department as special grants promised for various works recently erected or in process of completion.

FINANCE.—The year opened with a credit balance of £4,002 6s. 8d., and at its close the accounts stood in credit £3,254 10s. 4d. Of the latter sum £1,177 5s. 11d. belonged to the General Account, and £2,077 4s. 5d. to the Building Account. From these balances there has, of course, to be deducted the amounts shown in the statement of assets and liabilities as due on the several accounts. The decrease in the amount to credit at the end as compared with the commencement of the year is more apparent than real, owing to the fact that one-half of the annual building grant (usually received at the beginning of the year) was paid into the Board's account in December of the preceding year, and this practice was not continued at the close of 1905. The general statement of receipts and expenditure shows a gross income (exclusive of balances) amounting to £43,882 18s. 8d., and an expenditure of £44,630 15s., leaving an apparent deficit on the year's operations of £747 16s. 4d. The Board has again occasion to regret that a form of balance-sheet acceptable alike to the Education and Audit Departments has not yet been approved and issued. It is hoped that the anomaly at present existing, whereby the statements of accounts supplied to the Education and Audit Departments respectively are separate and distinct, the one certified as correct, the other, though containing the same figures, uncertified, may be removed ere another balance period comes round.

In conclusion, the Board is pleased to report that generally the progress of education in its district during the past year has been in most respects eminently satisfactory, that the Board's relations with the School Committees and teachers, as a whole, have been harmonious, and that the year has closed with a credit balance substantial enough to meet all reasonable demands.

I have, &c.,

W. MACALISTER, Chairman.

The Right Hon. the Minister of Education, Wellington.

GENERAL STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending 31st December, 1905.

<i>Receipts.</i>			<i>Expenditure.</i>		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
Balance at beginning of year ..	4,002	6 8	Staff salaries and clerical assistance ..	1,429	8 5
Grants from Government for—			Office contingencies ..	694	4 6
Teachers' and pupil-teachers' salaries, and allowances to pupil-teachers ..	27,885	6 11	Teachers' and pupil-teachers' salaries, and allowances to pupil-teachers ..	32,037	5 6
Reserves revenue for primary education ..	3,983	2 7	Conveyance of school-children ..	26	0 0
Capitation at 11s. 8d., and grant of £250 ..	5,032	11 8	Incidental expenses of schools ..	2,309	12 9
Capitation for relieving-teachers ..	212	11 7	School Committees, special grant ..	311	14 9
Conveyance of school-children ..	26	0 0	Truant Officer, salary and expenses ..	191	17 10
School Committees, special grant, 9d. ..	311	19 3	Gymnastic Instructor, salary and expenses ..	132	11 0
Receipts from other sources—			Scholarships and expenses of examination ..	764	6 11
Rents, school-sites ..	68	18 7	Salaries of staffs of district high schools ..	621	4 3
Household-school subsidies ..	88	19 9	Apparatus, district high schools ..	17	13 0
Interest ..	85	5 0	Manual and technical instruction—		
Other refunds ..	3	1 5	School classes ..	529	3 0
Grants from Government for—			Special classes ..	538	5 4
Scholarships ..	764	6 11	Other expenses—		
District high schools ..	561	15 0	Office salaries ..	100	0 0
Grants from Government for manual and technical instruction—			Maintenance of school buildings ..	2,572	7 8
Capitation (general and scholarship) ..	1,409	17 7	House allowances ..	344	4 9
Instruction of teachers ..	150	0 0	New schools, additions, furniture, sites, &c. ..	1,340	14 0
Receipts from other sources—			Technical School building ..	376	2 6
Fees ..	165	4 0	Buildings, class-rooms, furniture, &c., for manual and technical purposes—		
Voluntary contributions ..	37	6 6	School classes ..	139	9 5
Grants from Government for—			Special classes ..	62	3 3
Maintenance of buildings, rebuilding, &c. ..	2,381	7 6	Technical School site ..	2	16 3
House allowances ..	348	14 9	Other expenses—		
New schools, additions, furniture, &c. ..	200	0 0	Purchase of sites ..	37	11 5
Technical-school buildings, fittings, &c. ..	67	14 6	Gymnasium, rent ..	50	0 0
Other receipts—			Interest on overdraft ..	1	18 6
Donations to Building Account ..	62	4 2	Balance at end of year ..	3,254	10 4
Rents, &c., Technical School site ..	36	11 0			
	<u>£47,885</u>	<u>5 4</u>		<u>£47,885</u>	<u>5 4</u>

19th March, 1906.

W. MACALISTER, Chairman.
JOHN NEILL, Secretary.

Examined and found correct.—J. W. POYNTON, Deputy Controller and Auditor.

SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS' REPORTS.

AUCKLAND.

SIR,—

Office of the School Commissioners, Auckland, 11th May, 1906.

I have the honour to forward the accounts of the School Commissioners for the year ending 31st December, 1905.

The amounts paid over for primary and secondary education were respectively £3,600 and £803 3s.

The reserves let during the year comprised fourteen sections of town and suburban lands, and thirty-two sections of country lands, yielding a rental jointly of £342 4s. 6d.

The Commissioners report, with much regret, the death in November last of their Chairman, Mr. Richard Udy, who for upwards of seventeen years was one of the representatives of the Education Board, and was Chairman of the Commissioners continuously from May, 1896. Mr. Udy was always a zealous and practical member, sparing neither time nor expense in the duties of his office. Mr. L. J. Bagnall was appointed to fill the vacancy.

I have, &c.,

JAS. M. LENNOX, Chairman.

The Hon. the Minister of Education, Wellington.

STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending the 31st December, 1905.

I. GENERAL ACCOUNT.

	Primary.	Secondary.	Total.
<i>Receipts.</i>			
Balance at 31st December, 1904 ...	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Rents received—			
Arrears of 1904 ...	689 1 4		
Due in 1905 ...	3,327 4 4		4,016 5 8
Arrears of 1904 ...		134 9 10	
Due in 1905 ...		424 6 2	558 16 0
Gisborne High School rents—			
Arrears of 1904 ...		117 0 9	
Due in 1905 ...		211 16 8	328 17 5
Interest on deposits ...	0 3 6	2 19 6	3 3 0
Miscellaneous ...	4 5 0	0 15 0	5 0 0
Refunds ...	0 2 6	13 8 2	13 10 8
Insurance recovered ...	16 0 0		16 0 0
Lease deposits ...	55 13 0	9 9 0	65 2 0
Total receipts ...			5,155 5 1
<i>Expenditure.</i>			
Office salary ...	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Office expenses ...	105 0 0	35 0 0	140 0 0
Commissioners' travelling-expenses attending meetings	31 15 4	11 0 4	42 15 8
Legal expenses ...	3 15 0	1 5 0	5 0 0
Crown-grant fees ...	23 14 6	9 19 6	33 14 0
Expenses of leasing ...	23 18 3		23 18 3
Expenditure on reserves ...	64 1 8	27 2 10	91 4 6
Paid Education Boards—	103 16 2	84 3 0	187 19 2
Auckland ...	3,375 0 0		
Hawke's Bay ...	225 0 0		3,600 0 0
Paid secondary schools—			
Auckland Grammar School ...		428 18 1	
Thames High School ...		42 16 10	
Whangarei High School ...		21 15 1	803 3 0
Gisborne High School ...		309 13 0	
Lease deposits paid out ...	54 10 0	6 6 0	60 16 0
Insurance paid over ...	16 0 0		16 0 0
Bank balance, 31st December, 1905 ...	152 5 0		
Less unrepresented cheque ...	1 10 6		150 14 6
Total expenditure ...			5,155 5 1

II. ENDOWMENT ACCOUNT.

	Primary.	Secondary.	Total.
<i>Receipts.</i>			
Balance, 31st December, 1904	£ s. d. 5 3 2	£ s. d. 85 11 10	£ s. d. 90 15 0
Sale of timber... ..	104 0 0	...	104 0 0
Total receipts	109 3 2	85 11 10	194 15 0
<i>Expenditure.</i>			
Balance, 31st December, 1905	£ s. d. 109 3 2	£ s. d. 85 11 10	£ s. d. 194 15 0
Total expenditure	109 3 2	85 11 10	194 15 0

III. STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES.

<i>Assets.</i>			
Bank balance (General Account)	£ s. d. 47 16 1	£ s. d. 102 18 5	£ s. d. 150 14 6
(Endowments Account)	109 3 2	85 11 10	194 15 0
Rents, 1903, unpaid	15 1 3	4 5 0	19 6 3
" 1904, "	89 11 2	23 14 3	113 5 5
" 1905, "	719 4 9	274 17 11	994 2 8
Total assets	980 16 5	491 7 5	1,472 3 10
<i>Liabilities.</i>			
Lease deposits held	£ s. d. 12 6 0	£ s. d. 6 6 0	£ s. d. 18 12 0
Total liabilities	12 6 0	6 6 0	18 12 0

H. N. GARLAND, Secretary and Treasurer.

TARANAKI.

SIR,—

School Commissioners' Office, New Plymouth, 4th May, 1906.

I have the honour to hand you herewith a copy of the Board's annual statement of accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1905, which has been duly audited and is certified by the Deputy Controller and Auditor. It will be seen that the regular income for the twelve months amounted to £3,556 7s. 8d., as against £3,235 3s. for 1904.

The retirement of Mr. R. Cock, after six years' useful service as Chairman of the Board, caused a vacancy which was filled by the appointment of Mr. C. E. Major, M.H.R., the place of Mr. E. G. Alls-worth (removed from the district) having previously been taken by Mr. W. T. Jennings, M.H.R. The present Commissioners are Messrs. F. Simpson (Commissioner of Crown Lands), W. T. Jennings, M.H.R., C. E. Major, M.H.R. (appointees of the Government), and Mr. H. Faull and myself as representing the Taranaki Education Board.

I have, &c.,

JAMES WADE, Chairman.

The Right Hon. the Minister of Education, Wellington.

GENERAL STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending the 31st December, 1905.

<i>Receipts.</i>			
	Primary.	Secondary.	Total.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
To Balance at 1st January, 1905 ... ..	...	...	322 2 8
Income—			
To Rents from reserves	3,033 7 4	496 19 2	3,530 6 6
Transfer fees	8 10 0	1 0 0	9 10 0
Interest on fixed deposit ... ..	...	...	6 2 2
Compensation ... ..	...	...	266 9 10
Law-costs refunded	33 10 2	...	33 10 2
Valuation fee refunded	1 1 0	...	1 1 0
Total receipts	3,076 8 6	497 19 2	4,169 2 4

GENERAL STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending the 31st December, 1905—continued.

	Primary.	Secondary.	Total.
<i>Expenditure.</i>			
By Office salaries, 1st January to 31st December ...	£ 93 15 0	£ 31 5 0	£ 125 0 0
Stationery, stamps, telegrams, &c. ...	11 18 10	3 13 0	15 11 10
Office accommodation, 1st June to 31st December ...	10 18 9	3 12 11	14 11 8
Commissioners' travelling-expenses ...	13 4 1	4 8 1	17 12 2
Arbitrations and valuations ...	21 16 8	...	21 16 8
Surveys and plans ...	3 0 0	...	3 0 0
Inspection of reserves ...	89 9 0	29 7 8	118 16 8
Bank charges ...	0 8 6	0 2 6	0 11 0
Fire premiums, £2 7s. 7d.; guarantee premium, £10	9 15 1	2 12 6	12 7 7
Costs of re-entry ...	2 5 0	...	2 5 0
Labour on reserves ...	1 13 0	...	1 13 0
Commission on rents ...	2 12 6	...	2 12 6
Court fees, registrations, &c. ...	10 6 3	3 8 9	13 15 0
Costs arbitration, Eltham Borough ...	19 1 6	...	19 1 6
Board's law-costs for year ...	19 5 9	6 8 9	25 14 6
Distribution from revenue—			
Taranaki Education Board...	1,898 18 0	...	...
Wanganui Education Board ...	901 2 0	...	2,800 0 0
New Plymouth High School Board ...	...	100 0 0	100 0 0
Purchase of school-site ...	...	...	55 4 0
	3,109 9 11	184 19 2	3,349 13 1
Balance, 31st December, 1905 ...	...	...	819 9 3
Total expenditure ...	...	...	4,169 2 4

STATEMENT OF BALANCES.

Primary Education Account	£ 314 19 6	Bank of New Zealand, Current Account ..	£ 100 4 6
Land Fund	574 19 6	Bank of New Zealand, fixed deposit ..	630 3 6
Trust Account	13 7 11	Cash in office	89 1 3
	903 6 11		
Deduct advances to Secondary Fund	83 17 8		
Net balance	£819 9 3	Net balance	£819 9 3

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES.

Bank balance, 31st December, 1905 ...	£ 100 4 6	£ s. d.
Cash in office ...	89 1 3	
Fixed deposit ...	630 3 6	
Rents in arrear ...	717 19 4	
Rents prepaid ...	...	1 3 4
Trust account ...	...	13 7 11
Balance of assets ...	...	1,522 17 4
Total ...	£1,537 8 7	£1,537 8 7

JAMES WADE, Chairman.

New Plymouth, 7th March, 1906.

F. P. CORKILL, Secretary and Treasurer.

Examined and found correct.—J. W. POYNTON, Deputy Controller and Auditor.

WELLINGTON.

SIR,—

Office of School Commissioners, Wellington, 23rd February, 1906.

I have the honour to forward the report and statement of receipts and expenditure of the School Commissioners for the Wellington Provincial District for the year ended 31st December last.

The following are the members of the Board of Commissioners: Mr. J. R. Blair (Chairman), Mr. W. H. Field, M.H.R., Mr. A. W. Hogg, M.H.R., Mr. F. Pirani, and Mr. J. Strauchon (Commissioner of Crown Lands).

During the year thirteen reserves, comprising 2,070 acres and 11 perches, were added to the area vested in the Commissioners.

The total area now included in the educational-reserve estate in this provincial district is 102,277 acres and 1 perch, of which 4,642 acres 3 roods 11 perches (consisting mainly of rough and inferior country) are at present unlet.

The sales of leases for the year resulted in twelve lessees taking up an area of 2,918 acres and 16 perches, at an annual rental of £408 7s. 2d., which brings the total number of lessees now on the books up to 476, holding an area of 97,634 acres and 30 perches, and paying an annual rental of £6,461 11s. 10d.

The Commissioners have had occasion in past reports to draw attention to the disability under which they laboured in being prevented from subdividing certain valuable endowments under their control, owing to their being barred by law from expending any portion of the funds administered by them upon the construction of the subdivisional roads required by the Public Works Acts. They note with satisfaction that by "The Education Reserves Act, 1905," the necessary power has now been conferred on them, and that they will therefore in future be able to deal to better advantage, in the interests of their trust, with many of the reserves as the present leases fall in.

I have, &c.,

The Hon. the Minister of Education, Wellington.

J. R. BLAIR, Chairman.

GENERAL STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending the 31st December, 1905.

	Primary.	Secondary.	Total.
<i>Receipts.</i>			
To Balance on the 1st January, 1905 ...	£ 370 s. 6 d. 0	£ 38 s. 18 d. 7	£ 409 s. 4 d. 7
Rent paid on account of previous years ...	84 5 0	0 0 9	84 5 9
Rent paid on account of year 1905 ...	5,153 6 3	774 3 8	5,927 9 11
Rent paid on account of year 1906 ...	268 14 0	0 0 4	268 14 4
Rent paid on account of year 1907 ...	0 5 0	...	0 5 0
Preparation and registration of leases ...	32 10 0	...	32 10 0
Land purchase account ...	358 16 0	...	358 16 0
Interest and sinking fund on improvements ...	86 3 11	...	86 3 11
Total receipts ...	6,354 6 2	813 3 4	7,167 9 6

<i>Expenditure.</i>			
By Payments to educational bodies—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Wellington Education Board ...	3,634 19 6	}	5,600 0 0
Wanganui Education Board ...	1,965 0 6		
Wellington College ...	...	
Wellington Girls' High School ...	...	
Wanganui Girls' High School ...	...	
Palmerston North High School ...	...	152 4 0	800 0 0
Salaries of officers ...	300 0 0	...	
Printing, stationery, and office expenses ...	123 13 6	...	123 13 6
Commissioners' travelling-expenses ...	14 6 0	...	14 6 0
Commission on sales of leases ...	22 3 6	...	22 3 6
Advertising ...	37 4 6	...	37 4 6
Crown-grant fees ...	13 6 0	...	13 6 0
Travelling-expenses of Secretary ...	13 3 11	...	13 3 11
Arbitration ...	12 18 3	...	12 18 3
Survey ...	13 10 0	...	13 10 0
Land purchase account ...	24 16 8	...	24 16 8
Bank balance ... £188 19 4	179 3 10	13 3 4	192 7 2
Cash in hand ... 3 7 10	...	...	...
Total expenditure ...	6,354 6 2	813 3 4	7,167 9 6

<i>Assets.</i>			
Balance on the 31st December, 1905 ...	£ 179 s. 3 d. 10	£ 13 s. 3 d. 4	£ 192 s. 7 d. 2
Arrears of rents ...	130 11 10	0 2 0	130 13 10
Total assets ...	309 15 8	13 5 4	323 1 0

<i>Liabilities.</i>			
Land Purchase Account ...	£ 431 s. 12 d. 7	£ ... s. ... d. ...	£ 431 s. 12 d. 7

27th January, 1906.

J. H. W. WARDROP, Secretary and Treasurer.

Examined and found correct.—J. K. WARBURTON, Controller and Auditor-General.

HAWKE'S BAY.

SIR,—

Office of the School Commissioners, Napier, 4th May, 1906.

I have the honour to forward herewith statement of the Commissioners' accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1905, duly audited, and to report as follows:—

Two auction sales of leases were held during the year, when forty town sections, three suburban sections, and three rural sections were offered. Sixteen town sections, two suburban sections, and all the rural sections were sold, and realised an aggregate annual rental of £9 7s. 6d., £7, and £664 7s. 6d. respectively. Nine of the town sections and two of the suburban sections had been previously let at small rentals. One of the rural sections (let at £15 per annum) was previously subject to heavy expenditure for keeping down rabbits. Of the other two rural sections, one was let at £9 7s. 6d., and the other at £640. The latter had been previously leased at £202. The sum of £200 was obtained for timber on one of the rural sections.

The payments made to the Education Board during the year were larger than usual, owing to a balance in hand from previous year derived from sales of timber.

I have, &c.,

ERIC C. GOLD SMITH, Chairman.

The Hon. the Minister of Education, Wellington.

GENERAL STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending the 31st December, 1905.

	Primary.	Secondary.	Total.
<i>Receipts.</i>			
To Credit balances on the 1st January, 1905	£ 1,967 s. 8 d. 8	£ 209 s. 13 d. 9	£ 2,177 s. 2 d. 5
Arrears of revenue for previous years—viz., rents, issues, profits, or receipts from reserves	398 0 10	90 4 3	488 5 1
Interest on overdue rents	32 18 3	0 1 11	33 0 2
Revenues, viz.,—			
Rents, &c., of reserves for current year	2,642 12 10	755 8 3	3,398 1 1
Other receipts for current year, viz.,—			
Rents collected by Receiver of Land Revenue	402 7 11	...	402 7 11
Interest on deposits	12 15 10	...	12 15 10
Sales of timber	200 0 0	...	200 0 0
Royalty on road-metal	3 17 6	...	3 17 6
Instalments on account of fencing...	19 12 4	...	19 12 4
Total receipts	5,679 14 2	1,055 8 2	6,735 2 4
<i>Expenditure.</i>			
By Salaries and allowances to officers	£ 100 s. 3 d. 9	£ 29 s. 16 d. 3	£ 130 s. 0 d. 0
Printing, stationery, &c.	6 8 10	1 18 10	8 7 8
Auctioneer's charges	2 2 0	...	2 2 0
Advertising	18 11 0	...	18 11 0
Rates	19 13 11	38 11 10	58 5 9
Insurance	1 17 0	8 17 9	10 14 9
Law charges	9 6 2	1 6 4	10 12 6
Repairs to buildings	2 18 0	8 16 0	11 14 0
Destroying rabbits	35 7 0	...	35 7 0
Clearing blackberries	3 0 0	...	3 0 0
Payments to Hawke's Bay Education Board	4,750 0 0	...	4,750 0 0
Payments to Governors of Napier High Schools	...	925 0 0	925 0 0
Credit balances at the 31st December, 1905—			
Deposit at Post-Office Savings-Bank	506 6 0	...	506 6 0
Current Account at bank	224 0 6	41 1 2	265 1 8
Total expenditure	5,679 14 2	1,055 8 2	6,735 2 4
<i>Assets.</i>			
Balance of cash on the 31st December, 1905	£ ... s. ... d. ...	£ ... s. ... d. ...	£ 771 s. 7 d. 8
Arrears due at 31st December, 1905—			
Arrears of year 1904	20 7 0	...	20 7 0
Arrears of year 1905	327 1 6	98 1 8	425 3 2
Total assets	347 8 6	98 1 8	1,216 17 10

GENERAL STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending the 31st December, 1905—continued.

	Primary.	Secondary.	Total.
<i>Liabilities.</i>			
Awaiting appropriation in purchase of land ...	£ s. d. ...	£ s. d. ...	£ s. d. 506 6 0
Total liabilities ...	..	...	506 6 0

ERIC C. GOLD SMITH, Chairman.

EDMD. P. A. PLATFORD, Secretary.

Examined and found correct.—J. K. WARBURTON, Controller and Auditor-General.

MARLBOROUGH.

GENERAL STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending the 31st December, 1905.

	Primary.	Secondary.	Total.
<i>Receipts.</i>			
To Balance on 31st December, 1904 ...	£ s. d. 97 16 9	£ s. d. 14 7 3	£ s. d. 112 4 0
Rents—			
Current ...	104 17 6	32 15 0	137 12 6
Arrears ...	205 13 0	7 10 0	213 3 0
Miscellaneous (in error) ...	...	...	0 3 6
Total receipts ...	408 7 3	54 12 3	463 3 0

<i>Expenditure.</i>			
By Marlborough Education Board ...	£ s. d. 300 0 0	£ s. d. ...	£ s. d. 300 0 0
High School Board ...	...	50 0 0	50 0 0
Secretary ...	21 17 4	3 2 8	25 0 0
Stationery ...	1 2 4	0 3 2	1 5 6
Bank fee ...	0 8 8	0 1 4	0 10 0
Advertising ...	0 14 6	...	0 14 6
Refund to Education Board ...	0 3 6	...	0 3 6
Balance on 31st December, 1905 ...	84 4 5	1 5 1	85 9 6
Total expenditure ...	408 10 9	54 12 3	463 3 0

<i>Assets.</i>			
Cash in bank ...	£ s. d. ...	£ s. d. ...	£ s. d. 85 9 6
Outstanding rents ...	...	...	93 9 6
Total assets ...	...	...	178 19 0

<i>Liabilities.</i>			
Nil.			

<i>Statement of Rents.</i>		£ s. d.
Outstanding, 31st December, 1904 ...	...	167 7 6
Annual charges ...	...	276 17 6
Cash received ...	...	350 15 6
Outstanding rents, 31st December, 1905 ...	...	93 9 6

JOHN SMITH, Secretary.

Examined and found correct.—J. W. POYNTON, Deputy Controller and Auditor.

NELSON.

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE for the Year ending the 31st December, 1905.

				Primary.	Secondary.	Total.
<i>Receipts.</i>						
To Balance, 31st December, 1904	...	...	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Rents of Reserves—						
Arrears ...	...	...	101 4 7	36 15 6	138 0 1	
Current ...	...	...	705 8 0	255 17 0	961 5 0	
Refund, Nelson Education Board	...	...	...	74 7 6	74 7 6	
Total receipts ...	...	...	976 16 9	374 9 4	1,351 6 1	
<i>Expenditure.</i>						
By Nelson Education Board	...	...	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Grey Education Board	...	...	635 4 0	...	635 4 0	
North Canterbury Education Board	...	...	88 0 0	...	88 0 0	
Nelson College	...	...	26 8 0	...	26 8 0	
Commissioners' travelling-expenses	...	...	42 2 10	314 17 6	314 17 6	
Boarding allowance, scholarships	...	...	...	21 1 4	63 4 2	
Law-costs ...	...	...	...	8 10 0	8 10 0	
Printing ...	...	...	...	1 1 0	1 1 0	
Secretary's salary, exchange, &c.	...	...	0 12 8	0 6 4	0 19 0	
Bank charge, keeping account	...	...	33 15 2	16 18 4	50 13 6	
Balance, 31st December, 1905	...	...	0 6 8	0 3 4	0 10 0	
	...	...	150 7 5	11 11 6	161 18 11	
Total expenditure	...	...	976 16 9	374 9 4	1,351 6 1	

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES.

Assets.

				£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance, Union Bank, 31st December, 1905	...	...	£188 15 11			
Less unrepresented cheque	26 8 0	...				
Less overpaid	0 9 0	...				
	26 17 0	...				
Rents outstanding	...	...		150 7 5	11 11 6	161 18 11.
	...	...		323 7 2	161 18 5	485 5 7
Total assets	...	...		473 14 7	173 9 11	647 4 6

Liabilities.

Nil.

STATEMENT OF RENTS.

		Arrears on 31st December, 1904.	Yearly Rental.	Cash collected.	Written off.	Arrears on 31st December, 1905.
Primary	...	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Secondary	...	315 16 3	836 18 1	806 12 7	22 14 7	323 7 2
	...	119 7 3	336 11 7	292 12 6	1 7 11	161 18 5
		435 3 6	1,173 9 8	1,099 5 1	24 2 6	485 5 7

ALFD. THOS. JONES, Secretary.

Examined and found correct.—J. W. POYNTON, Deputy Controller and Auditor.

WESTLAND.

GENERAL STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending the 31st December, 1905.

	Primary.	Secondary.	Total.
<i>Receipts.</i>			
To Credit balance on the 1st January, 1905	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Rents of reserves—			
Arrears	7 10 0	14 12 0	22 2 0
Current	66 2 6	6 0 0	72 2 6
Royalties on timber	50 0 0	126 6 8	176 6 8
" flax	10 11 0	...	10 11 0
" boring rights	...	65 0 0	65 0 0
Mining fees	...	19 1 6	19 1 6
Sale of sections, Reserve 128	...	2 10 0	2 10 0
Deposit forfeited	5 0 0	...	5 0 0
Total receipts	139 3 6	270 8 4	409 11 10

<i>Expenditure.</i>			
By Debit balance on the 1st January, 1905	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Grant to Greymouth High School Board	12 19 5	...	12 19 5
" Hokitika High School Board	...	75 0 0	75 0 0
Commissioners' travelling-expenses—			
Attending meetings	29 8 0	16 16 0	46 4 0
Inspecting reserves	12 12 0	...	12 12 0
Secretary's salary	12 10 0	16 5 0	28 15 0
Secretary's travelling-expenses	7 10 0	...	7 10 0
Commission on collection of royalties	0 11 8	6 3 1	6 14 9
Legal expenses	2 12 6	1 1 0	3 13 6
Poisoning rabbits on reserves	4 5 3	...	4 5 3
Advertising and printing	16 5 9	2 7 3	18 13 0
Expenses—leasing and arbitration	30 7 0	...	30 7 0
Cost of survey	6 6 0	...	6 6 0
Clerical assistance	2 2 0	...	2 2 0
Other expenses	0 11 0	0 8 3	0 19 3
Credit balance on the 31st December, 1905	1 2 11	77 7 9	78 10 8
Total expenditure	139 3 6	270 8 4	409 11 10

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES.

<i>Assets.</i>			
Credit balance	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Rents due—	1 2 11	77 7 9	78 10 8
Current	1 10 0	2 7 6	3 17 6
Arrears	0 10 0	0 0 6	0 10 6
Deposits on royalties due	40 0 0	...	40 0 0
Total assets	43 2 11	79 15 9	122 18 8

Liabilities.

Nil.

STATEMENT OF RENTS.

Arrears on 1st January, 1905	£ s. d.
Yearly charge for 1905	32 12 6
	76 0 0
	108 12 6
Cash received	£94 4 6
Written off	10 0 0
	104 4 6
Arrears on the 31st December, 1905	4 8 0

THOMAS V. BYRNE, Chairman.
A. J. MORTON, Secretary.

Examined and found correct.—J. K. WARBURTON, Controller and Auditor-General.

CANTERBURY.

SIR,—

Government Buildings, Christchurch, 25th January, 1906.

In accordance with Order in Council of date 17th September, 1878, I have the honour to forward the report of the School Commissioners for the Canterbury Provincial District for the year ending the 31st December, 1905, together with a copy of its accounts duly audited.

The total area of the primary education estate under lease on the 31st December, 1905, was 67,170½ acres, producing an annual rental of £18,544 1s. 6d. Of this area, 23,315 acres is contained in what is known as "Pastoral Run No. 5."

The fixed deposit of £163 3s. 5d., which matured on the 22nd December last (and is only available for the purchase of land), has been renewed for one year.

During the year three reserves were relet; two of these by arbitration under clause 244 of "The Land Act, 1892," and the other, containing 49½ acres, was let by public tender.

I have, &c.,

The Hon. the Minister of Education, Wellington.

JOHN RENNIE, Chairman.

GENERAL STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending the 31st December, 1905.

	Primary Education Estate.	Total.
<i>Receipts.</i>		
To Balance brought down from 31st December, 1904	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Arrears of rent from last account collected	...	2,683 7 2
Moneys payable within the year 1905, and collected—		1,798 1 1
On account of half-year's rent payable in advance on the 1st May, 1905	9,222 12 6	
On account of half-year's rent payable in advance on the 1st November, 1905	7,227 15 4	
		16,450 7 10
Other receipts: Bank of New Zealand—Interest on £163 3s. 5d. placed on deposit for one year (see statement of 31st December, 1904)	...	5 14 1
Total receipts	...	20,937 10 2
<i>Expenditure.</i>		
By Office expenses and management—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Salary of steward (inclusive of all travelling-expenses)	540 0 0	
Stationery and postage	7 1 8	
School Commissioners, railage and expenses	13 16 0	
Bank exchange on cheques	0 7 0	
Bank exchange on remittances to the South Canterbury Education Board, Timaru	4 6 0	
		565 10 8
Expenses of leasing—		
Advertising and printing	5 9 0	
Share of arbitrators' fees for assessing rental of reserves 1241 and 1329	3 3 0	
Share of cost of arbitration deeds	2 7 0	
		10 19 0
Special expenditure—		
Cost of field-pipes supplied to lessees of Reserve 1197 and Lots 1 and 2 of Reserve 1191	24 5 0	
Contribution towards repair of culverts at Lake Taumutu	20 0 0	
Contribution to Kowai Road Board towards protective work on north bank of River Ashley	10 0 0	
		54 5 0
Payments to Education Boards—		
North Canterbury	14,357 10 7	
South Canterbury	3,392 9 5	
		17,750 0 0
		18,380 14 8
Balance in Bank of New Zealand, 31st December, 1905—		
At credit of current account	2,393 12 1	
On fixed deposit	163 3 5	
		2,556 15 6
Total expenditure	...	20,937 10 2

STATEMENT OF ASSETS and LIABILITIES.

	Primary Education Estate.	Total.
<i>Assets.</i>		
Cash in bank, as above	£ s. d. ...	2,556 15 6
Rents payable in advance, 1st Nov., 1904—Proportion uncollected...	22 18 6	
Rents payable in advance, 1st May, 1905—Proportion uncollected ...	43 9 0	
Rents payable in advance, 1st Nov., 1905—Proportion uncollected...	2,044 5 5	
		2,110 12 11
Total assets	...	4,667 8 5
<i>Liabilities.</i>		
Steward's salary, December, 1905	£ s. d. ...	45 0 0
Awaiting appropriation in purchase of land	...	264 5 11
Total liabilities	...	309 5 11

JOHN RENNIE, Chairman.
H. H. PITMAN, Secretary.

Examined and found correct.—J. K. WARBURTON, Controller and Auditor-General.

OTAGO.

SIR,—

Education Reserves Office, Dunedin, 26th May, 1906.

In accordance with Order in Council of the 15th December, 1878, I have the honour to forward report of the School Commissioners of Otago for the year ended the 31st December, 1905.

During the year the Commissioners leased fifty-four reserves for agricultural purposes, two for pastoral purposes, and thirty-four township sections. The area of the agricultural land was 9,992 acres, leased to fifty-four tenants at £999 16s. 5d., or an average of a fraction over 2s. per acre; the area of the pastoral land was 860 acres, leased to two tenants at £19 19s. 8d., or about 5½d. per acre; and the area of the town sections 14 acres 1 rood 10 perches, leased to thirty-one tenants at £102 18s. per annum. The Commissioners' rent roll now contains 928 tenants.

The total area of the land vested in the School Commissioners of Otago is 390,503 acres, and the present annual rent is £13,890 2s. 9d.

The sum of £40,761 5s. 1d. is invested on mortgage over freehold securities, bringing in £1,910 13s. interest per annum, or £4 13s. 8½d. per cent. In addition there is a sum of £1,800 in the Bank of New Zealand on fixed deposit. During the year the sum of £2,000 was advanced on mortgage, and £788 7s. was received on account of repayment of loan. £373 6s. 9d. was expended on the purchase of land in the Greenfield Estate, which area has been added to the endowments.

Of the sum of £3,099 15s. 4d. shown in the statement of receipts and expenditure as rent in arrear on the 31st December last (the most of which became due on the 1st November previous), the sum of £1,203 12s. 6d. has since been collected.

Of the sum of £1,925 0s. 9d. shown in the statement of accounts as expenses of management, the sum of £265 14s. 4d. was expended on the permanent improvement of endowments in the shape of drain-tiles, ditching, and river-protective works. £95 3s. 6d. was paid to the Government for train fares, stamps, &c., and £135 14s. 6d. was expended on the preparation of plans, field-books, &c., which will not be a recurring item.

The appointment of a Ranger, with a practical knowledge of farming, who makes regular inspections of all the holdings under the Commissioners' management, and reports periodically on the same, has been attended with good results, and has been found to be absolutely necessary to the efficient supervision of the large estate under the Commissioners' control.

The School Commissioners take this opportunity of drawing attention to the necessity for legislation empowering them to sell or exchange township sections and isolated reserves which are unlettable and unproductive of revenue. There are two classes of land coming under the above category from which the Commissioners are unable to obtain any revenue, and upon which they are forced to expend money without any return. The one class comprises township sections (notably in the Township of Lumsden), for which it is impossible to find tenants owing to the sections being scattered and requiring to be cleared of noxious weeds and rabbits, and also drained. The other class comprises small, rough, isolated reserves of about 40 or 50 acres, surrounded by pastoral land, and too small for occupation by themselves. These sections are all of small value.

The School Commissioners of Otago are unanimous in their opposition to the sale of a single acre of their endowments except in cases where a tenant cannot be obtained, and they are agreeable that any safeguards which you think fit should be made. They suggest that the proceeds of any land sold should be expended in the purchase of other freshhold lands as soon as convenient, and also that the consent of the Hon. the Minister of Education must be obtained to each case of sale or exchange.

Annexed hereto is a copy of the balance-sheet and statement of income and expenditure for the year ended 31st December, 1905, duly certified to by the Controller and Auditor-General.

I have, &c.,

WM. DALLAS, Chairman.

The Hon. the Minister of Education, Wellington.

GENERAL STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE for the Year ending the 31st December, 1905.

	Primary.	Secondary.	Total.
<i>Receipts.</i>			
To Credit balances on the 1st January, 1905—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Bank of New Zealand and in hand ...	...	...	368 17 2
Bank of New Zealand, fixed deposit ...	...	...	2,800 0 0
Arrears of revenue for previous years, viz.,—			
Rents of reserves ...	4,296 13 2	154 5 0	4,450 18 2
Interest on mortgages ...	46 18 9	...	46 18 9
Revenues, viz.,—			
Rents of reserves for current year ...	9,662 5 1	607 19 3	10,270 4 4
Interest on mortgages ...	1,791 17 7	...	1,791 17 7
Interest on fixed deposits ...	89 10 0	...	89 10 0
Other receipts, viz.,—			
Net proceeds of land sales ...	...	...	1,140 4 5
Repayment of loans ...	...	...	788 7 0
Cash received for preparing leases ...	...	...	53 12 8
Valuation for improvements collected from incoming tenants ...	...	...	1,706 19 6
Deposit on survey ...	...	...	5 0 0
Total receipts ...	...	...	23,512 9 7
<i>Accounts—</i>			
Credit, Bank of New Zealand, Dunedin ...	...	£2,021 15 2	
Less outstanding cheques ...	...	1,649 19 10	
		371 15 4	
Cash in hand, 31st December, 1905; banked, 3rd January, 1906 ...		406 4 9	
		778 0 1	
Credit amount on fixed deposit, Bank of New Zealand ...		1,800 0 0	
		£2,578 0 1	

GENERAL STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending the 31st December, 1905—*continued.*

	Primary.	Secondary.	Total.
<i>Expenditure.</i>			
By Salaries and allowances to officers—Secretary, £300; clerk, £150; Southland agent, £83 6s. 8d.; Ranger, £200	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Clerical assistance	733 6 8
School Commissioners' travelling-expenses attending meetings at Dunedin: Hon. A. Baldey—fare £7, hotel expenses £11 5s.; Hon. H. Feldwick—hotel expenses, £9; John Hay, hotel expenses, £15 15s.; William Dallas—fare £6 10s., hotel expenses £18; T. MacGibbon—fare £13 7s. 8d., hotel expenses £24 15s.; Donald Borrie, fare £11 12s. 10d., hotel expenses £16 10s.	6 0 0
Survey of reserves and preparation of field-books of endowments	133 15 6
Office rent, cleaning, fuel, and light	135 14 6
Printing and stationery	106 2 2
Incidentals	89 11 3
Stamps and telegrams, £49 12s. 3d.; telephone, £7 0s. 9d.	11 7 3
Legal expenses	56 13 0
Expenses of leasing—	55 17 6
Auctioneer's commission, &c.	53 14 9
Advertising	60 10 9
Inspection of reserves—Travelling-expenses and valuation fees	202 12 11
Expenditure on reserves—Drainage and protection from river encroachment	265 14 4
Insurance premiums	10 0 0
Office furnishing	4 0 2
Land purchase (part Greenfield Estate)	373 6 9	...	373 6 9
Payments of valuation for improvements to outgoing tenants	2,090 18 10
Amounts advanced on mortgage	2,000 0 0
Payments towards primary education—
Otago Education Board	9,703 12 1)	...	13,798 17 6
Southland Education Board	4,095 5 5)	...	...
Payments towards secondary education—
Otago High Schools Board	391 5 10)	746 5 8
Southland High Schools Board	213 16 7)	...
Waitaki High Schools Board	141 3 3)	...
Credit balances on the 31st December, 1905	2,578 0 1
Total expenditure	23,512 9 7

Assets.

Arrears on the 31st December, 1905, viz.—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Arrears of rent due in and prior to 1902... ..	0 10 0	...	0 10 0
Arrears of rent due in 1903	6 6 6	...	6 6 6
Arrears of rent due in 1904	90 18 8	...	90 18 8
Arrears of rent due in 1905	2,892 2 8	109 17 6	3,002 0 2
Arrears of interest due in 1905... ..	32 2 1	...	32 2 1
Amount due on fixed deposit	1,800 0 0	...	...
Amount of balance in bank and in hand	2,427 19 11	...	...
Amount advanced on mortgage	40,761 5 1	...	...

GENERAL STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending the 31st December, 1905—continued.

	Primary.	Secondary.	Total.
<i>Liabilities.</i>			
Due Primary: Apportionment to Education Boards...	£ 503 15 3	£ ...	£ 503 15 3
Due Secondary: Apportionment to High Schools Board ...	...	£ 4 10 6	£ 4 10 6
Rents overpaid ...	£ 30 0 1	...	£ 30 0 1
Outstanding cheques ...	...	...	£ 1,649 19 10
Deposit for survey ...	...	...	£ 5 0 0

BALANCE ACCOUNT, 1905.

1905.	£	s.	d.	1905.	£	s.	d.
Jan. 1. Balances brought down—				Jan. 1. Balances brought down—			
Capital	42,531	15	4	Fixed deposit, Bank of New Zealand	2,800	0	0
Primary rents under-apportioned	253	3	9	Investments	39,649	12	1
Secondary rents under-apportioned	22	4	5	Cash in Bank of New Zealand	368	17	2
Valuation Account	11	5	9				
Dec. 31. Balances forward—				Dec. 31. Balances forward—			
Fixed deposit, Bank of New Zealand	1,800	0	0	Capital	43,198	13	0
Investments	40,761	5	1	Primary rents under-apportioned	503	15	3
Cash in Bank of New Zealand, less outstanding cheques ..	778	0	1	Secondary rents under-apportioned	4	10	6
Valuation Account	372	13	7	Deposit for survey	5	0	0
	<u>£86,530</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>0</u>		<u>£86,530</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>0</u>
1906.				1906.			
Jan. 1. Balances down—				Jan. 1. Balances brought down—			
Capital	43,198	13	0	Fixed deposit, Bank of New Zealand	1,800	0	0
Primary rents under-apportioned	503	15	3	Investments	40,761	5	1
Secondary rents under-apportioned	4	10	6	Cash in Bank of New Zealand	778	0	1
Deposit on survey	5	0	0	Valuation Account	372	13	7
	<u>£43,711</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>9</u>		<u>£43,711</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>9</u>

WM. DALLAS, Chairman.
C. MACANDREW, Treasurer.

Examined and found correct.—J. W. POYNTON.

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