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E D U C A T I O N : TEACHERS' SUPERANNUATION FUND.

Laid before Parliament in pursuance of the Act.

SECOND REPORT OF THE BOARD CONSTITUTED BY "THE TEACHERS' SUPERANNUATION ACT, 1905."

FOR YEAR ENDING 31st MARCH, 1908.

Wellington, 13th July, 1908.

The Board has to submit the following report for the year ending 31st March, 1908.

The number of contributors to the fund on the 31st March, 1908, was 2,882, being an increase of 70 above the number on the register on the 31st March, 1907. Of this number, 2,505 were original members and 377 ordinary members—that is, persons who were first permanently employed after the date of the coming into operation of the Act. Details are given in the following table:—

A. STATEMENT OF MEMBERSHIP AS FROM THE 1ST JANUARY, 1906.

Original Members.			Ordinary Members.			Total Number at End of Year.	
Admitted.	Left.	Number at End of Year.	Admitted.	Left.	Number at End of Year.	Number.	Year ending.
2,720	127	2,593	219	..	219	2,812	31st March, 1907.
50	138	2,505	197	39	377	2,882	1908.

It is found on comparison of the number of *original* contributors at the 31st March, 1907, with the number as at 31st March, 1908, that, as a net result of the admissions to and withdrawals from the fund during the year, there is a decrease of 27 contributors whose contributions were at the rate of 5 per cent., 21 at 6 per cent., 16 at 8 per cent., 11 at 9 per cent., and 17 at 10 per cent.; while there was an increase of 4 at 7 per cent.: the net totals showing a *decrease* of 88 in the number of original contributors. A similar comparison of the number of *ordinary* contributors shows a net increase of 120 at 5 per cent., 11 at 6 per cent., 9 at 7 per cent., 11 at 8 per cent., 3 at 9 per cent., and 4 at 10 per cent.: a total net *increase* of 158 ordinary members. It will be observed that the decrease relates to "original" members on account of whom a greater liability is attached to the fund than in the case of ordinary members. Details are given in the following table:—

B. STATEMENT OF CONTRIBUTORS ON THE REGISTER AS AT 31ST MARCH, 1908, grouped according to Rate of Contribution per Cent. of Salary.

Contribution per Cent. of Salary (Date when First Contribution became payable).	Original Members.			Ordinary Members.			Total.		
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
5	361	554	915	91	171	262	452	725	1,177
6	175	239	414	10	25	35	185	264	449
7	212	197	409	10	24	34	222	221	443
8	181	115	296	10	12	22	191	127	318
9	145	71	216	5	11	16	150	82	232
10	229	26	255	7	1	8	236	27	263
Totals ...	1,303	1,202	2,505	133	244	377	1,436	1,446	2,882

The aggregate annual rate of salaries of the contributors to the fund on the 31st March, 1908, was £446,607, as compared with £426,855 as at the end of the previous year, and the annual rate of contributions increased from £32,048 to £32,870, the actual amount of contributions received during the year being £32,676. Details are given in the following table:—

C.—STATEMENT OF CONTRIBUTORS showing Annual Rates of Salaries and Contributions as at 31st March, 1908.

	Number.			Annual Salary.	Annual Contributions.				
	M.	F.	Total.		£	s.	d.		
Contributors at 31st March, 1907 ...	1,427	1,385	2,812	£ 426,855	0	0	£ 32,048	0	0
New contributors entered during the year	84	163	247	34,600	0	0	1,860	0	0
Increase in salaries and contributions by promotion during the year	...	...	...	14,446	0	0	914	0	0
Totals	1,511	1,548	3,059	475,901	0	0	34,822	0	0
Contributions discontinued during the year by resignations, &c.	50	91	141	19,595	0	0	1,363	18	0
Number of informal applications registered in error and now cancelled	25	11	36	...	...	...	...	...	...
Decrease in salaries and contributions during the year	...	...	...	9,699	0	0	588	0	0
Totals at 31st March, 1908 ...	1,436	1,446	2,882	446,607	0	0	32,870	2	0

D.—PROGRESS OF CONTRIBUTORS SINCE DATE OF ESTABLISHMENT OF THE FUND (1st January, 1906, to 31st March, 1908).

	Number.			Annual Salary.	Annual Contributions.		
	M.	F.	Total.		£	s.	d.
Total entered (including increases in salary and contributions)	1,562	1,588	3,150	493,996	36,426	0	0
Total discontinued (including reductions in salary and contributions)	126	142	268	47,389	3,555	18	0
Total existing at 31st March, 1908 ...	1,436	1,446	2,882	446,607	32,870	2	0

The number of contributors to the fund who, having attained the statutory age of retirement, are still employed in the Education service shows a decrease of two since the end of the previous year:—

E.—CONTRIBUTORS OF THE STATUTORY AGE OF RETIREMENT.

Age: Years.	As at 31st March, 1908.			As at 31st March, 1907.		
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
65-66	6	...	6	2	...	2
66-67	1	...	1	4	...	4
67-68	2	...	2	1	...	1
68-69	1	...	1	2	...	2
70-71	1	...	1	2	...	2
60-61 ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...
61-62 ... ..	...	...	...	...	1	1
62-63 ... ..	...	...	...	...	1	1
Totals	11	...	11	11	2	13

Particulars of retirements from the fund are given in Table I of the Appendix.

Of the number of contributors who retired during the year 24 (including 4 "medically unfit" cases) were granted annual allowances aggregating £1,389 10s. Six (6) widows and 8 children, the representatives of 6 contributors who died, were granted annual allowances (£212), and also a refund of the contributions (£132 9s. 9d.). The total number of retired contributors on account of whom annual allowances were granted during the year was therefore 30. Four (4) contributors whose length of service was not over fifteen years retired as being "medically unfit for further duty": In each of these cases, a sum equal to one-twelfth part of the total salary received by them during all the years of their service prior to the 1st January, 1906, was granted, together with a refund of their contributions to the fund. The total amounts were £212 10s. 1d. and £21 9s. 9d., respectively: total, £233 19s. 10d. Seven (7) contributors died before entering upon pension, and their contributions to the fund, amounting to £87 4s. 3d., were paid to their legal representatives. To one hundred (100) contributors who voluntarily retired from the Education service before becoming entitled to participate in the benefits of the fund contributions amounting to £1,014 10s. 1d. were returned. The total number of contributors who retired from the Education service during the year was 141.

Particulars regarding the retiring-allowances current at the end of the year are given in Table 2 of the Appendix.

Five (5) pensioners died during the year, of whom 4 left widows, and 2 children under the age of fourteen years, to whom annual allowances were granted. Three (3) children attained the age of fourteen years, and their allowances consequently ceased.

The balance to the credit of the fund is £62,222 11s., and of this sum £48,100 has been invested on mortgage—£37,100 at 4½ per cent., and £11,000 at 5 per cent. The balance, £14,122 11s., bearing interest at 4 per cent., is awaiting investment by the Public Trustee.

GEO. FOWLDS,
Chairman of the Board.

APPENDIX.

1. PARTICULARS OF CONTRIBUTIONS DISCONTINUED during the Year ending 31st March, 1908.

How discontinued.	Number of Contributors.			Annual Rate at Date of Retirement.		Allowances granted.		
	M.	F.	Total	Salary.	Contributions.	Pensions: Annual Rate.	Other Payments (non-recurring).	
By death before pension entered upon—				£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Contributions paid to personal representative (section 15, (1))	2	5	7	989	72 11 0	...	87 4 3	
Leaving widow or child (section 15, (2) and (3))	6	...	6	1,240	106 2 0	212 0 0	132 9 9	
By voluntary retirement (section 14)	22	78	100	12,441	725 17 0	...	1,014 10 1	
Medically unfit—								
(a.) Not over fifteen years' service (section 13, (1))	3	1	4	605	35 2 0	...	233 19 10	
(b.) Over fifteen years' service (section 13, (2))	2	2	4	655	57 16 0	208 0 0	...	
By retirement at pension age (section 12)	15	5	20	3,665	366 10 0	1,181 10 0	...	
Totals	50	91	141	19,595	1,363 18 0	1,601 10 0	1,468 3 11	

2. STATEMENT OF RETIRING-ALLOWANCES for the Year ending 31st March, 1908.

(1.) Particulars.	(2.) Total Retiring-allowances.										(3.) Details of Column (2).								
	Number.			Amount.			Section 12: On Attainment of Retiring-age.			Section 13, (2): Medically unfit.			Section 15, (2): Widows.			Section 15, (3): Children.			
	M.		F.	£		s. d.	M.		F.	£		s. d.	M.		F.	£		s. d.	
	Number.		Amount.	Number.		Amount.	Number.		Amount.	Number.		Amount.	Number.		Amount.	Number.		Amount.	
Retiring-allowances at 31st March, 1907 ...	51	43	94	4,674	3	3	47	31	4,207	3	3	3	312	0	0	5	90	0	0
Retiring-allowances granted during the year	20	18	38	1,601	10	0	15	5	1,181	10	0	2	208	0	0	6	108	0	0
at retirement of contributor	...	6	6	98	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	72	0	0
Retiring-allowances granted to widows and children of deceased annuitants	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	71	67	138	6,373	13	3	62	36	5,388	13	3	5	520	0	0	15	270	0	0
Retiring-allowances discontinued during year*	5	3	8	311	2	4	4	...	220	2	4	1	52	0	0	...	...	...	...
Retiring-allowances existing at end of year	66	64	130	6,062	10	11	58	36	5,168	10	11	4	468	0	0	15	270	0	0

* Particulars of Retiring-allowances discontinued during the Year.

How discontinued—	Number.		Amount.		Section 12: On Attainment of Retiring-age.		Section 13, (2): Medically unfit.		Section 15, (2): Widows.		Section 15, (3): Children.	
	M.	F.	£	s. d.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
By death ...	5	...	272	2	4	4	...	1	...	52	0	0
By expiry ...	...	3	39	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Total	5	3	311	2	4	4	...	1	...	52	0	0

Progress of Retiring-allowances since Establishment of the Fund to 31st March, 1908.

Particulars.	Number.		Amount.		Section 12: On Attainment of Retiring-age.		Section 13, (2): Medically unfit.		Section 15, (2): Widows.		Section 15, (3): Children.	
	M.	F.	£	s. d.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Total granted ...	71	67	138	6,373	13	3	62	36	5,388	13	3	15
Total discontinued	5	3	8	311	2	4	4	...	220	2	4	...
Total existing at 31st March, 1908	66	64	130	6,062	10	11	58	36	5,168	10	11	15

RETURN OF PERSONS IN RECEIPT OF ANNUAL ALLOWANCES—continued.
A. Allowances granted under Section 12 of the Act—continued.

Name.	Occupation.	Annual Rate of Allowance.		
		£	s.	d.
	Brought forward	567	10	10
11. Duncan, William	Teacher, Southland Education Board	52	0	0
12. Dyer, Henry H.	" Wellington Education Board	52	0	0
13. Dyer, Robert C.	" Auckland Education Board	52	0	0
14. Everiss, George	" Marlborough Education Board	52	0	0
15. Fannin, George T.	Secretary to Hawke's Bay Education Board	52	0	0
16. Ferguson, William	Teacher, Otago Education Board	52	0	0
17. Field, John L.	" Southland Education Board	52	0	0
18. Gerring, Albert	" Auckland Education Board	52	0	0
19. Gillman, Alfred I.	" North Canterbury Education Board	52	0	0
20. Glenny, Joseph	" Auckland Education Board	52	0	0
21. Goodwin, John S.	Inspector, Auckland Education Board	101	10	0
22. Gover, Frederick	Teacher, Wellington Education Board	52	0	0
23. Grant, James	" Taranaki Education Board	52	0	0
24. Gribble, Charles	" Auckland Education Board	52	0	0
25. Hardie, George	" Southland Education Board	52	0	0
26. Hardie, C. J.	" Wellington Education Board	77	15	4
27. Hassing, G. M.	" Southland Education Board	52	0	0
28. Howard, Charles C.	" Marlborough Education Board	68	8	2
29. Ingpen, Ernest H.	" Hawke's Bay Education Board	52	0	0
30. Ingpen, E. L.	" Wanganui Education Board	52	0	0
31. Johnston, Robert	" Wellington Education Board	52	0	0
32. Kilburn, Joseph	" Southland Education Board	52	0	0
33. Lee, Wesley	" Auckland Education Board	52	0	0
34. Macbeth, J. J.	Clerk, North Canterbury Education Board	52	0	0
35. McDonald, Kenneth	Teacher, Southland Education Board	52	0	0
36. McFarlane, Peter G. M.	" North Canterbury Education Board	52	0	0
37. Maddison, John	"	52	0	0
38. Malcolm, Andrew	" Hawke's Bay Education Board	52	0	0
39. Matthews, E. W. D.	" Native school	52	0	0
40. Menzies, George	" Otago Education Board	52	0	0
41. Milne, William	"	85	4	5
42. Mulhern, John	" Native school	52	0	0
43. Murdoch, James	" Southland Education Board	52	0	0
44. Nicholls, Alfred	" North Canterbury Education Board	56	5	9
45. Peterson, William	" Southland Education Board	52	0	0
46. Pole, R. P.	" North Canterbury Education Board	52	0	0
47. Porritt, Thomas, Rev.	" Wellington Education Board	52	0	0
48. Reid, James	" Otago Education Board	89	0	11
49. Schmidt, Peter E.	Architect to North Canterbury Education Board	52	0	0
50. Scholes, Abraham	Teacher, North Canterbury Education Board	52	0	0
51. Scott, James	" South Canterbury Education Board	52	0	0
52. Smith, John	Secretary to Marlborough High School, Secretary to Marlborough Education Board	78	19	10
53. Stewart, Alexander	Teacher, Otago Education Board	88	6	0
54. Stewart, Washington	" Wanganui Education Board	55	9	8
55. Taylor, William N.	" North Canterbury Education Board	52	0	0
56. Ward, Joseph	" Marlborough Education Board	52	0	0
57. Ward, William	"	52	0	0
58. Young, Henry	" Native school	52	0	0
	Total	£3,296	10	11
<i>Females.</i>				
1. Anderson, Barbara C.	Teacher, Auckland Education Board	52	0	0
2. Anderson, Elizabeth	" Native school	52	0	0
3. Barton, Annie	" Auckland Education Board	52	0	0
4. Batten, Annie E.	" Westland Education Board	52	0	0
5. Beale, Arundel M.	" Auckland Education Board	52	0	0
6. Beattie, Jane, Mrs.	" Native school	52	0	0
7. Blythe, Sarah F.	" Wanganui Education Board	52	0	0
8. Bullock, Julia W., Mrs.	" North Canterbury Education Board	52	0	0
9. Christie, Catherine W.	" Native school	52	0	0
10. Dement, M. A.	" Nelson Education Board	52	0	0
11. Dunning, E. L.	" Auckland Education Board	52	0	0
12. Francis, C. A., Mrs.	" Wellington Education Board	52	0	0
13. Goulding, Jane E.	" Auckland Education Board	52	0	0
14. Greensill, Susan M., Mrs.	" Native school	52	0	0
15. Houghton, S. E. J., Mrs.	" North Canterbury Education Board	52	0	0
16. Haultain, F. A.	" Native school	52	0	0
	Carried forward	832	0	0

RETURN OF PERSONS IN RECEIPT OF ANNUAL ALLOWANCES—continued.
A. Allowances granted under Section 12 of the Act—continued.

Name.	Occupation.	Annual Rate of Allowance.		
		£	s.	d.
	Brought forward	832	0	0
17. Hoey, J. N., Mrs. ...	Teacher, Wanganui Education Board	52	0	0
18. Hyatt, Alice S. ...	" Auckland Education Board	52	0	0
19. Kitchingman, E. ...	" North Canterbury Education Board	52	0	0
20. Lissaman, M. H., Mrs. ...	" Hawke's Bay Education Board	52	0	0
21. Longmore, F. ...	" Auckland Education Board	52	0	0
22. McGavin, Jessie, Mrs. ...	" Native school	52	0	0
23. Peake, Sarah N., Mrs. ...	" Marlborough, Education Board	52	0	0
24. Phillips, Mary, Mrs. ...	" Auckland Education Board	52	0	0
25. Plummer, Mary, Mrs. ...	"	52	0	0
26. Ritchie, Christian, Mrs. ...	" South Canterbury Education Board	52	0	0
27. Simpson, M. E., Mrs. ...	" North Canterbury Education Board	52	0	0
28. Stevens, Dora S., Mrs. ...	" Otago Education Board	52	0	0
29. Stewart, Jessie ...	" Native school	52	0	0
30. Taylor, Mary C. ...	" North Canterbury Education Board	52	0	0
31. Tennent, M. I., Mrs. ...	" Native school	52	0	0
32. Tregear, Mary K., Mrs. ...	" Auckland Education Board	52	0	0
33. Will, Louisa M. ...	" Otago Education Board	52	0	0
34. Wimperis, Frances ...	" Otago Boys and Girls' High School	52	0	0
35. Woodward, Laura, Mrs. ...	" Auckland Education Board	52	0	0
36. Wraytt, Christina, Mrs. ...	" Southland Education Board	52	0	0
	Total	£1,872	0	0
94	Grand Total	£5,168	10	11

B. Allowances granted under Section 13 of the Act to Contributors medically unfit for Further Duty.

Name.	Occupation.	Annual Rate of Allowance.
<i>Males.</i>		
1. Burton, F. P. ...	Teacher, Education Board, Auckland	£ 52
2. Harrison, T. C. ...	" " Otago	52
3. Maber, William G. ...	" " North Canterbury	52
4. Marx, Thomas M. ...	" " "	52
<i>Females.</i>		
1. Boulcott, Henrietta ...	" " Wellington	52
2. Osmers, M. E., Mrs. ...	" " Westland	52
3. Paul, Susan B. ...	" " Otago	52
4. Peat, Janet H., Mrs. ...	" " Wanganui	52
5. Rowley, Jane G. ...	" " South Canterbury	52
9	Total	£468

C. Allowance granted under Section 15, (2), of the Act to Widows of Deceased Contributors.

Widows.	Occupation of Deceased Contributor.	Annual Rate of Allowance.
1. Bamfield, E., Mrs. ...	Secretary to Education Board, South Canterbury	£ 18
2. Berry, Alice M., Mrs. ...	Teacher, Education Board, North Canterbury	18
3. Bramley, C. A., Mrs. ...	" " " " " "	18
4. Crummy, Sarah, Mrs. ...	Clerk to Board, Canterbury College	18
5. Dawson, Annie, Mrs. ...	Teacher, Education Board, Wanganui	18
6. Duthie, Grace, Mrs. ...	" Native school	18
7. Ferguson, E., Mrs. ...	" Education Board, North Canterbury	18
8. Gloy, Margaret, Mrs. ...	" " Hawke's Bay	18
9. Golding, Mary R., Mrs. ...	" " Otago	18
10. Hailey, E., Mrs. ...	" Native school	18
11. Patrick, Mary J., Mrs. ...	" " " " " "	18
12. Potts, R., Mrs. ...	" Education Board, Taranaki	18
13. Selby, Emma, Mrs. ...	" " Southland	18
14. Walter, Rosa, Mrs. ...	" Native school	18
15. Watt, Eliza, Mrs. ...	Architect to Education Board, Auckland	18
	Total	£270

D. Allowances granted under Section 15, (3), of the Act to Children of Deceased Contributors.

Name.	Occupation of Contributor.	Annual Rate of Allowance.
<i>Males.</i>		
1. Bramley, George S. ...	Teacher, Education Board, North Canterbury ...	£ 13
2. Bramley, Clifford R. ...	" " " " ...	13
3. Selby, Cuthbert C. ...	" " Southland ...	13
4. Watt, Alan M. ...	Architect Education Board Auckland ...	13
<i>Females.</i>		
1. Berry, Dorothy M. ...	Teacher, Education Board, North Canterbury ...	13
2. Bramley, Gladys V. ...	" " " " ...	13
3. Bramley, Daisy R. ...	" " " " ...	13
4. Bramley, Winifred M. ...	" " " " ...	13
5. Duthie, Ivy M. ...	Native school ...	13
6. Gloy, Olga H. M. ...	Education Board, Hawke's Bay ...	13
7. Potts, Kathleen ...	" " Taranaki ...	13
8. Potts, Lillian ...	" " " " ...	13
12	Total ...	£156

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