GENERAL STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending 31st December, 1909

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Receipts.	£	8.	d. 1	Expenditure. \pounds s. d.
Balance at beginning of year				Staff salaries and clerical assistance 3,518 6 8
	. 11,202	. 12	~	Office contingencies 1,256 7 2
Grants from Government for—				Teachers' and pupil-teachers' salaries, and
Teachers' and pupil-teachers' salaries, and	00 F1F		- I	allowances to pupil-teachers 72,619 5 1
allowances to pupil-teachers	62,715	Ď	7	
Reserves revenue for primary education	14,531	- 5	.6	Relieving-teachers' salaries 390 18 8
Capitation at 6d. for relieving teachers		13	11	Training colleges—
Capitation at 11s. 3d., and additional				Salaries of teachers 1,581 5 4
grant of £250	10,142	19	10	Incidental expenses of training college 71 5 3
Special capitation at 9d. for School Com-				Allowances to students 4,306 0 10 Training-college library 25 17 3
mittees	655	3	3	Training-college library 25 17 3
Training colleges—				Conveyance and board of school-children 862 12 3
Salariae of staff	1,542	10	4	Special capitation to School Committees 655 3 3
Allowances to students	4,221			Incidental expenses of schools 5,292 7 6
Inspection of private schools		6		
Conveyance and board of school-children				Gymnastic instruction 142 16 9 Truant Officer 198 13 5 Library books 38 6 11 Teachers' train-fares 5 6 0 Interest on overdraft 24 10 3
		6		Library books 38 6 11
Teachers' train fares				Teachers' train-fares 56 6 0
Pomahaka School	80	0	U	Interest on overdraft
Receipts from other sources—			_	Interest on overdratt
Truancy fines		10		Attowance to scholarship horders, and ca
Rent of offices		0		penses of examination—
Truency fines Rent of offices Interest on fixed deposit	163	13	9	Board scholarships 1,207 2 0
Grants from Government for—				National Scholarships 257 10 0
Scholarships—				Salaries of teachers, and additions to
	1,235	18	0	salaries of head teachers on staffs of dis-
Education Board National		10		trict high schools 1,997 18 4 Fees—District high school 1 0 0
District high schools — Salaries of	:			Fees—District high school 1 0 0
teachers	1,996	10	6	Manual and technical—
Receipts from other sources, district high	,		-	
schools—Fees		10	٥	School classes 1,391 15 1 Special classes 1,079 5 3
Grants from Government for manual and			٠	Payments to managers of associated
				classes 2,552 9 8
technical instruction—				Maintenance of school buildings—
Capitation—	0.000	10	0	
On all classes	3,386			Alterations, small additions, repairs, re-
On account of free places		11	-	painting, &c 9,662 8 9
Material for class-work		9		Rebuilding 2,456 17 11 Rent 27 11 0 House allowances 710 1 2
Subsidies on voluntary contributions	273	8	0	Rent 27 11 0 House allowances 710 1 2
Receipts from other sources—				House allowances 710 1 2
Fees	246	17	0	New school buildings, additional class-
Voluntary contributions	24	1	0	rooms, furniture, sites, &c 7,900 9 8
Grants from Government for-				Buildings, class-rooms, furniture, &c., for
Maintenance of school buildings, rebuild				manual and technical purposes-
ing, rents, sites, &c		6 (7	School classes 789 18 0
ing, rents, sites, &c		. ŏ		Special classes 754 0 0
New school buildings, additions, furni			~	Payments to managers of associated
ture, sites, &c		16	10	classes 1.306 1 6
		, 10	10	classes 1,306 1 6 Balance at end of year 3,099 19 7
Technical - school buildings, furniture		19	c	Datance at end of year o, ood to
fittings, apparatus, &c	2,431	. 10	0	
Other receipts—	050			
Sale of sites		0		•
Voluntary contributions		. 1		
Other receipts— Sale of sites		8 (
Rents of school-sites		0		
School Committee Account closed	. 2	3	0	
	E126,188	3 10	6	£126,183 10 6
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				THOMAS FERGUS. Chairman.
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THOMAS FERGUS, Chairman. P. G. PRYDE, Secretary.

SOUTHLAND.

SIR,—

In compliance with the requirements of the Education Act, 1908, I have the honour to submit the following report of the proceedings of the Education Board of the District of Southland for the year ended 31st December, 1909.

The Board.—The members in office at the beginning of the year were: Messrs. J. Crosby Smith (Chairman), Thomas MacGibbon, J. C. Thomson, H. F. S. King, W. Macalister, D. Gilchrist, John Cowie, George James Anderson, and John Fisher. In the month of May, Mr. H. F. S. King, consequent on his removal to Wellington, resigned his position as a member. In accepting Mr. King's resignation, a motion appreciative of his services was recorded in the Board's minutes. The retiring members for the year were as follows: Mr. D. Gilchrist, East Ward; Mr. John Cowie, West Ward; Mr. W. Macalister, Central Ward. At the election held in July, Messrs. D. Gilchrist and John Cowie were re-elected unopposed for the East and West Wards respectively, while Messrs. W. Macalister (re-elected) and W. N. Stirling were elected to fill the ordinary and extraordinary vacancies respectively in the Central Ward. Later in the year Mr. John Cowie found it necessary, on account of ill health, to resign his seat on the Board as a member for West Ward, and the Board minuted an expression of regret at