

sion, and the substitution therefor of evidence otherwise furnished of the satisfactory completion of a training college course as prescribed by the regulations.

A revision of the Training College Regulations made at the beginning of the current year\* makes provision for the grant of training college certificates on the principle stated, and sets out in a more definite form the essential requirements of the course. Provision is also made for some increase to the staff, for the addition of a second "model school" of one or other of a variety of types with a view to improve the students' opportunities of observation and teaching, and for the admission on special terms of a certain number of graduate students who are prepared during one year of attendance to devote their whole attention to subjects of professional study and practice.

The following table shows the number of male and female students in training in each of the four Training Colleges :—

	1909.			1910.		
	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.
Auckland ... ..	20	25	45	41	59	100
Wellington ... ..	21	70	91	26	70	96
Christchurch ... ..	19	70	89	20	66	86
Dunedin ... ..	24	70	94	32	66	98
Totals ... ..	84	235	319	119	261	380

The following is a summary of Table E :—

First-year students—	Number of Students in Attendance in 1910 who qualified by Examination for a Certificate of		
	Class B.	Class C.	Class D.
Division A .. ..	2	21	95
Division B .. ..	..	5	2
Second-year students—			
Division A .. ..	8	41	37
Division B .. ..	..	20	16
	10	87	150

The amounts paid to Education Boards in 1909 and 1910 for the training of teachers were as follows :—

	1909.		1910.	
	£	£	£	£
I. Training colleges,—				
Salaries of staffs (half charged to public-school salaries) ... ..	6,283		6,533	
Students' allowances ... ..	13,210		17,667	
University fees of students ... ..	2,776		2,589	
Libraries ... ..	92		43	
Apparatus ... ..	40		124	
Buildings ... ..	5,691		4,896	
		28,092		31,852
II. Other training,—				
Grants for special instruction in handwork, including agriculture, of teachers other than training-college students ... ..	2,340		1,735	
Railway fares of teachers and instructors ... ..	5,020		2,778	
		7,360		4,513
Totals ... ..		£35,452		£36,365

### Finances of Education Boards.

(E.-2.—Tables F1 to F11, pages 33 to 40, and Appendix A, pages XXX to LV.)

Table F contains an abstract of the accounts of the receipts and expenditure of Education Boards for the year 1910. These are shown in detail in Tables F1 and F2, and Appendix A of E2 contains the annual reports of the several Boards, with their statements of receipts and expenditure in full detail.