| Statement of | Monetara | Acceta | and | Lighilities | at | Q10+ | Doggamhan | 1016 |
|--------------|----------|--------|-----|-------------|----|------|-----------|-------|
| Statement of | Monetaru | Assets | ana | Liaouitties | at | 318t | December. | 1910. |

| | Ass | £ | s. | d. | Liabilities. | £ | s. | d. | | |
|--|-----|-----|-----|---------------------|--------------|----|---|--------|---|---|
| Balance in bank Mortgage investment | | | | $\frac{106}{1.500}$ | _ | | Balance due on loan, Government Insurance Department | 6.745 | n | 7 |
| Unpaid school fees | • • | • • | | 31 | 12 | 0 | Department | 0,720 | U | • |
| Unpaid rents | • • | • • | • • | 876 | 17 | | | | | |
| | | | | £2,514 | 11 | 10 | | £6,745 | 0 | 7 |

HENRY LOWE, Chairman. Jas. KERNICK, Secretary.

NEW PLYMOUTH HIGH SCHOOLS BOARD.

GENERAL STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1916.

| Receipts. | £ | s. | d. | Expenditure. | £ | s. | d. |
|--|-----------|-----|--------|---|-------|-----------|----|
| Balance in hand and in bank at beginning | | | | Teachers' salaries and allowances | 3,477 | 5 | 2 |
| of year | 300 | 2 | 8 | Incidental expenses— | . , | | |
| From Government— | | | | Proportion of office salaries | 100 | 0 | 0 |
| For sites, buildings, furniture, &c. (general | | | | Proportion of office expenses | 107 | 15 | 11 |
| purposes) | | 0 | 0 | Board's travelling - allowances (not on | | | |
| For buildings, furniture, fittings, and ap- | | | | account of endowments) | 44 | 16 | 6 |
| ratus for recognized classes for manual | | | _ | Material for classes other than classes | | | |
| instruction | 59 | 9 | 7 | recognized under manual regulations. | 145 | l | 6 |
| Capitation— | 0 000 | 10 | 9 | Printing, stationery, and advertising in | 0.41 | 1.4 | 0 |
| For free places | 2,882 | 1.0 | 3 | connection with school | 241 | 14. | 8 |
| For recognized classes for manual in- struction | | 10 | 0 | Cleaning and sanitary service in connection with school buildings | 315 | 7 | 6 |
| struction Subsidy on voluntary contributions | | | ő | Heating, lighting, and water-supply in | 919 | - | O |
| Grant for rent, Girls' boardinghouse and | | U | v | connection with school buildings | 45 | 1 | 10 |
| class-rooms | | 0 | 0 | Care of school grounds | 40 | 0 | 6 |
| Endowments— | 1.00 | • | • | Games and physical exercises (excluding | 10 | v | |
| Current income from reserves vested in | ı | | | buildings and permanent apparatus) | 32 | 2 | 1 |
| Board | ~~~ | 13 | 9 | Prizes | | $\bar{0}$ | Õ |
| Revenue from secondary - education re- | | | | | 1,110 | 7 | 5 |
| serves | 907 | 0 | 10 | | 3,077 | | 7 |
| School fees | | | 0 | Buildings, &c.— | | | |
| Boarding-school fees | | | 4 | Purchase of sites (title) (from current | | | |
| Refunds, advances to pupils | | 7 | 9 | revenue) | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Fire insurance (buildings, £3,588; furniture | , , , , , | | | New buildings or additions (from Govern- | | | |
| and apparatus, £350) | | | 0 | | 2,000 | 0 | 0 |
| Public frustee-Loan | | | 0 | Furniture and apparatus (from current | | _ | |
| Contractors' deposits | | 2 | 0 6 | revenue) | 155 | 3 | ΙΙ |
| Sale of furniture | | 11 | | Buildings, furn ture, &c., for classes re- | | | |
| Refunds | | 11 | 11 | cognized under manual regulations (out of current revenue) | 157 | 0 | 6 |
| Suspense Account | L | 11 | 1 | | 197 | Z | 8 |
| | | | | Miscellaneous (rates, insurance, &c.) (from current revenue) | 131 | 11 | 77 |
| - | | | | Interest on loans | 365 | | 9 |
| | | | | | 8,971 | | 11 |
| | | | | Telephones | 21 | | îî |
| | | | | Library | 5 | | 0 |
| | | | | Refund fees | 13 | 0 | Ō |
| | | | | Charges, Public Trustee (first instalment of | | | |
| X | | | | loan, 1916, deducted) | 18 | | |
| • | | | | Office furniture | 31 | | |
| | | | | Balance at end of year | 4,824 | 16 | 9 |
| | £25,463 | 10 | - | eo | 5 469 | 10 | |
| | 220,400 | 10 | - | 124 | 5,463 | 10 | |
| | | | | · | | | _ |

Statement of Monetary Assets and Liabilities at 31st December, 1916.

| | 2 | Assets. | | £ | 8. | d. | | Liab | ilities. | | £ | s. | d. |
|-------------------------|-----|---------|-----|--------|----|----|---------------------|--------|----------|---|---------|----|----|
| Bank of New Zealand | | | | 2,754 | 2 | 7 | Loan Account | | | | 12,000 | 0 | 0 |
| Deposit Account | | | | 2,100 | | 0 | | | | | 8 | 2 | 0 |
| Rent due | | • • | | | 10 | 6 | Sundry cieditors | • • | | | 366 | 17 | 8 |
| Secondary reserves | ٠. | | | 108 | | | Cheques drawn unpre | sented | | | 29 | 5 | 10 |
| Advances to pupils | • • | | • • | 439 | | | Contracts | • • | | | 1,250 | 0 | - |
| Fees | • • | | • • | 189 | | 2 | Areditect's fees | | | | 200 | 0 | 0 |
| Capitation, free places | • • | • • | ٠. | 396 | 15 | Ţ | | | | | | | |
| | | | | £6,010 | 7 | 5 | | | | - | £13,854 | 5 | 6 |
| | | | | | | _ | | | _ | | | | |

WALTER BEWLEY, Secretary.

Examined and found correct, except that—(1.) The books and papers of this Board having been destroyed by fire, the balance-sheet is of necessity certified subject to the reservation that it is in accordance with the data supplied. It must also be added that in the opinion of the Audit Office duplicate receipts for a large proportion of the £6,140 Os. 1d. unvouched expenditure might have been obtained with a reasonable degree of trouble. (2.) There is no authority of law for the Board's deposit of £1,000 with the Mortgage, Loan, and Agency Company (Limited) of New Plymouth.—R. J. Collins, Controller and Auditor-General.

Note.—This is an amended statement received after tables and summaries had been prepared for E.-1 and E.-6. There will therefore be some slight discrepancies if figures are compared.