

TABLE J 6.—NUMBER OF STUDENTS, ACCORDING TO AGES, ADMITTED TO CLASSES OTHER THAN CLASSES AT TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOLS DURING THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1925.

Education District.	Under 13 Years.		13-15 Years.		15-17 Years.		Over 17 Years.		Totals.		Students admitted during 1925 who left a Public School during 1924 (Included in Foregoing Totals).	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Auckland ..	3	5	130	89	476	221	813	438	1,422	753	176	84
Taranaki ..	4	3	59	83	72	94	93	42	228	222	50	66
Wanganui ..	..	2	44	76	158	205	386	444	588	727	92	123
Hawke's Bay ..	..	1	26	13	75	32	134	98	235	144	37	16
Wellington ..	6	27	149	100	568	227	946	382	1,669	736	105	64
Nelson ..	9	10	44	75	84	78	137	159	274	322	41	34
Canterbury ..	101	128	346	380	660	429	957	814	2,064	1,751	289	249
Otago ..	16	5	134	78	341	137	414	165	905	385	114	49
Southland ..	1	..	42	46	98	94	141	119	282	259	36	39
Totals for 1925 ..	140	181	974	940	2,532	1,517	4,021	2,661	7,667	5,299	940	724
Totals for 1924 ..	218	203	1,036	929	2,559	1,739	4,328	3,231	8,141	6,102	1,024	850

TABLE J 7.—OCCUPATIONS OF STUDENTS IN ATTENDANCE AT TECHNICAL CLASSES OTHER THAN CLASSES AT TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOLS DURING THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1925.

Occupations.	Auckland.	Taranaki.	Wanganui.	Hawke's Bay.	Wellington.	Nelson.	Canterbury.	Otago.	Southland.	Totals.
Agricultural pursuits ..	13	5	26	2	19	17	112	7	3	204
Professional pursuits ..	178	12	66	36	175	38	254	55	44	858
Clerical pursuits ..	319	82	212	83	716	38	407	232	94	2,183
Domestic pursuits ..	230	14	256	52	214	227	366	118	119	1,596
Students ..	119	254	310	9	232	85	1,341	91	53	2,494
Employees in shops or warehouses	155	16	105	42	154	42	277	85	52	928
Dressmakers, milliners, &c.	36	..	16	2	16	3	43	5	4	125
Tailors and tailoresses ..	9	..	5	3	19	..	24	17	1	78
Engineers and mechanics ..	247	13	44	21	131	25	146	101	29	757
Electricians ..	79	5	64	14	145	13	58	36	14	428
Plumbers, metal-workers, &c.	238	3	52	49	194	32	160	91	28	847
Woodworkers ..	191	20	48	14	177	10	251	87	29	827
Painters and plasterers ..	34	2	18	5	39	2	28	21	6	155
Printers, &c. ..	12	1	7	5	14	1	59	22	4	125
Skilled labourers, &c. ..	7	..	14	1	9	..	6	1	14	52
Labourers ..	7	..	..	4	8	4	58	8	6	95
Seamen ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Engaged in other various trades and industries	135	2	27	15	68	38	108	123	4	520
Engaged in various public services ..	33	3	31	16	48	15	100	25	17	288
Occupations not stated ..	133	18	13	6	27	6	17	165	20	405
Totals for 1925 ..	2,175	450	1,315	379	2,405	596	3,815	1,290	541	12,966
Totals for 1924 ..	2,652	391	1,454	374	2,205	685	4,314	1,572	596	14,243

TABLE J 8.—NUMBER OF PUPILS HOLDING GOVERNMENT FREE PLACES AT TECHNICAL CLASSES OTHER THAN CLASSES AT TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOLS DURING THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1925.

Education District.	Jr. 1st.		Jr. 2nd and 3rd.		Sr. 1st.		Sr. 2nd.		Sr. 3rd and 4th.		Totals.		Grand Totals.
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	
Auckland ..	197	97	122	49	107	52	105	20	48	11	579	229	808
Taranaki ..	50	67	32	30	15	22	10	4	4	5	111	128	239
Wanganui ..	90	130	62	75	50	86	41	35	19	27	262	353	615
Hawke's Bay ..	39	16	23	8	16	11	11	5	6	2	95	42	137
Wellington ..	163	76	133	79	149	70	142	53	98	22	685	300	985
Nelson ..	40	43	36	33	17	18	13	18	9	15	115	127	242
Canterbury ..	301	227	231	120	181	124	97	67	61	45	871	583	1,454
Otago ..	137	51	104	37	90	26	63	25	28	8	422	147	569
Southland ..	39	49	49	27	33	38	19	26	24	24	164	164	328
Totals for 1925 ..	1,056	756	792	458	658	447	501	253	297	159	3,304	2,073	5,377
Totals for 1924 ..	1,095	822	797	525	638	411	425	259	223	148	3,178	2,165	5,343