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## 1. ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CHIEF INSPECTOR OF SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

SIR,—

Wellington, 14th June, 1928.

I have the honour to present the report for the year 1927. So far as inspection work is concerned, this has proceeded on much the same lines as hitherto. Advantage was taken, however, of a complete and unchanged inspectorate to attempt to convert the previous triennial round of full inspections into a biennial one by visiting in the earlier half of the year as many as nineteen of the secondary schools, ten in the North and nine in the South Island. All but four of the forty-one secondary schools have now been fully inspected within the past two years.

At various times during the year opportunity was also taken to inspect thirteen of the private registered secondary schools. The number of these schools has grown considerably in the past few years—from nineteen in 1920 to thirty-nine in 1927—and several of them have developed into comparatively large schools of from 200 to 300 pupils. It is obvious that more time will need to be set aside in the future for supervising the work in the private schools. Many of them are doing quite good work on their own chosen lines, but others, owing chiefly to cramped conditions and meagre roll numbers, are doing little more than just struggling along, and are providing a narrow and mediocre type of education.

Reference was made in the last report to the initiation of a system whereby the secondary school Inspectors have been enabled to visit the secondary departments of district high schools. It was felt that by this means a closer correlation between the two types of post-primary schools might be obtained and that the district-high-school teacher might be brought into closer touch with secondary-school methods and aims. The benefits derived from the system in its first year of operation were undoubtedly such as to justify its continuance. During the past year its application has been somewhat improved by visiting the whole, or nearly all, of the district high schools in one education district at a time, in this way a more accurate estimate has been obtained of the methods followed in a district than by visiting odd schools when opportunity served. The majority of the district high schools in the Auckland, Taranaki, and Nelson Districts, some twenty-three in all, were thus visited during the first half of the year and round-table conferences subsequently held with district Inspectors. The discussions at these conferences were found most helpful to both groups of Inspectors, and there is every reason to continue with the procedure in the future. In this connection I should like to express my appreciation of the willing co-operation of the district Inspectors in the various centres.

The sittings of the Classification Appeal Board were attended in April. The Board met in Wellington and Dunedin only. Of the nine appeals lodged, three were disallowed by the Board and six were withdrawn. The attendance of one or more of the Inspectors was also required at Appeal Courts sitting in Wellington, Gisborne, and Invercargill. These Courts are specially constituted for the purpose of hearing appeals by teachers against dismissal or reduction in grade of position by the employing Boards. It is noteworthy that these three appeals were the first of this nature to be lodged by secondary-school teachers since 1918.

The latter portion of the year was, as usual, devoted almost entirely to investigating the standard of candidates recommended for senior free places and for leaving-certificates, and to the classification of assistant teachers. For these purposes each of the forty-one departmental schools was visited between July and November. The practice hitherto followed of setting a number of simple written tests to the free-place candidates was abandoned last year in all but a few instances and the Principals' recommendations were accepted, as a rule, without any appreciable amendment when once the Inspectors were satisfied that the general standard of the Fourth Form work was adequately satisfactory. In other words, the accrediting system has been applied more unreservedly than in the past. Whether the larger measure of freedom and responsibility accorded to Principals will make any appreciable difference in the proportion of candidates obtaining senior free places by recommendation remains to be seen when the new procedure has been given a few years' trial. The number of senior free places obtained on recommendation by candidates from departmental secondary schools was 2,992 in 1927, as compared with 2,563 in 1926. The total number of candidates eligible for recommendation rose at the same time from 4,140 to 4,397.

In the past the Department has been faced annually with the inconvenience and the cost of examining large numbers—some hundreds in the aggregate—of weak candidates for senior free places who had not the remotest chance of passing the Intermediate Examination. With a view to reducing the number of such obviously useless entries an entrance fee of 10s. was instituted last year and is now required from all candidates who fail to obtain their Principal's recommendation. The same fee, it may be added, is paid by candidates in the Intermediate Examination who are not using it for the purpose of obtaining senior free places—*i.e.*, by candidates from private secondary schools. It is interesting to note that though the number of candidates from departmental schools who actually sat the examination fell from 1,010 in 1926 to 736 in 1927, yet the number who were successful in obtaining senior free places by passing the examination fell from 157 to 140 only. It is obvious, therefore, that the imposition of the entrance fee has accomplished what it was hoped to do without inflicting hardship upon the mass of candidates.

The abnormal rate of increase in the number of awards of higher leaving-certificates, referred to in the last report, has not been maintained; only 648 were issued to secondary-school pupils at the close of the year, 69 of them going to pupils from registered private schools, whereas the corresponding

numbers in 1926 were 713 and 76. The number of lower leaving-certificates issued also fell from 110 to 54. Considering the little real use to which the lower certificates can at present be put, the latter set of figures is not at all surprising.

The situation with regard to staffing problems has been easier than for many years past. The improvement is due partly to the steady increase in the number of young teachers offering for secondary work, and partly to the comparatively small increase in the roll numbers of secondary schools in 1927—a reflex, no doubt, of the financial depression in several districts. Whilst the aggregate roll number of secondary pupils increased by approximately 1,700 in 1926, it rose only by 450 in 1927. In several schools, as a matter of fact, the roll actually fell, and it became necessary in a few instances to dispense with the services of a teacher. It was only natural that in these somewhat abnormal circumstances even the remote schools were able to fill vacancies satisfactorily.

Though a majority of the teachers entering the Service last year had passed through a training college, there is undoubtedly still much room for improvement so far as the technical equipment of our young entrants is concerned. Nearly 20 per cent. of them have had no previous training or classroom experience whatsoever. It is gratifying to note, however, that an increasing number of secondary schools have afforded opportunities to senior training-college students for observation and practice. From personal observation one can testify to the excellent work being accomplished in some of the schools under this system, and it is confidently expected that its utility will ensure its continuance until a more comprehensive scheme for the training of secondary-school teachers is evolved.

The position with regard to school curricula remains much as formerly. Apart from those schools to which junior high schools are attached, only a few have had an opportunity within the past year of broadening their curricula in the direction of giving more prominence to the manual arts and crafts on the one hand, and to the more æsthetic but less utilitarian subjects on the other. It is not to be inferred that Principals or Boards are, as a rule, reluctant to organize courses on the lines suggested; but the need for comparatively costly equipment and the difficulty of obtaining properly qualified instructors who are capable of assisting with the ordinary secondary subjects present very real obstacles. It may be noted, however, that, out of the twenty-seven boys' or mixed secondary schools, seventeen of them were last year teaching woodwork and eight of them metalwork also. In some of these it must be admitted that only a limited amount was taught. So far as the æsthetic side is concerned, more definite, though slow, progress has been made, especially in the girls' schools; the subject of drawing, for example, is now being given greater prominence on the time-table in many schools. Five boys' schools, three mixed, and one girls' school now have full-time art teachers on their staffs, whilst in two other instances two schools share full-time teachers between them. At least two other girls' schools were to appoint full-time art and handcraft specialists at the commencement of 1928.

So far as the actual teaching of the usual class-room subjects is concerned, it may confidently be claimed that our secondary-school teachers continue to improve both in equipment and technique. In French, for example, it is now quite exceptional to find a novice who has not been trained in pronunciation, and who has not some idea at least of beginning the subject on modern lines. Some teachers, however, do not yet realize the necessity of thorough and accurate knowledge being acquired by the pupils in the early stages, and there is still a certain proportion of pupils who appear to be gaining no fresh ground in their second year. With regard to a certain number of these a grave question arises as to their aptitude for any foreign language. Though the percentage of pupils learning Latin and French has continued to fall slowly but steadily in the past few years—by 5 per cent. in the case of Latin and by 3 per cent. in the case of French in eight years—yet there is undoubtedly need for some system of testing out and discovering those who will never make anything of such studies.

In connection with French also it may be pointed out that our present system of postponing the commencement of post-primary studies to a comparatively late age places our pupils at a certain disadvantage with regard to text-books. Almost all those written on the most modern lines are designed for pupils beginning the language between eight and ten years of age, and consequently appear childish to our secondary pupils of thirteen or fourteen. This is admittedly a minor point, but to the less-skilled teachers at least the assistance of a suitable text-book is a matter of considerable importance.

Continued attention is being given in all secondary schools to the teaching of English literature, and the old-fashioned formal study of a poem or play has almost entirely disappeared. Need, however, still exists for development of expression on the part of the pupils, and especially in oral expression; in connected and reasoned speech; in expressive and interpretative reading; and, on occasions, in drama. In the more formal aspects of English there is a general recognition among secondary teachers that the grammar taught should be of the universal kind underlying the expression of thought in all language, and not the collection of elaborate definitions and logical puzzles so dear to the old pedantic type of teacher. The "Memorandum on the Teaching of English," recently republished by the Cambridge University Press, has been welcomed by many of our teachers as an inspiring commendation of the methods they themselves have been following more or less closely in the past few years. To those teachers who are unacquainted with the booklet its perusal is unreservedly recommended.

It is not proposed to discuss in detail the standard of teaching in each of the subjects, nor the efficacy or suitability of the methods employed in the various schools. Suffice it to say that the Inspectors have again found, as in the past, that both Principals and assistants are, in the vast majority of cases, alive to modern tendencies and anxious to investigate the possibilities of better methods and better programmes.

In conclusion, I have again to express my appreciation of the loyal and zealous co-operation of my colleagues.

I have, &c.,

E. J. PARR, Chief Inspector of Secondary Schools.

The Director of Education.

## 2. DETAILED TABLES, ETC.

## SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

STAFFS OF SECONDARY SCHOOLS AS AT 31ST DECEMBER, 1927.

Name.	Grade.		Position in School.	Annual Rate of Salary at End of Year.	Monetary Allowances in addition to Salary.	Name.	Grade.		Position in School.	Annual Rate of Salary at End of Year.	Monetary Allowances in addition to Salary.
	Teacher.	Position.					Teacher.	Position.			
WHANGAREI HIGH SCHOOL.						AUCKLAND GIRLS' GRAMMAR SCHOOL.					
Charters, A. B., M.A. . .	..	..	Principal	£ 740	60	Johnston, Miss E. M. . .	..	..	Principal	£ 610	..
Smith, H. E. G. . .	B	A	Assistant	500	70	Dive, Miss M. A., B.A.	A	A	Assistant	408	..
Given, W. A., M.A. . .	A	A	"	500	40	Macdonald, Miss F. E., B.A.	A	A	"	408	..
Wilson, C. C. . .	A	B	"	435	40	Edgerley, Miss K. V., M.A.	A	A	"	396	..
Bird, D. D. A., B.A. . .	C	B	"	405	40	Heap, Mrs. S. . .	B	B	"	354	..
McKenzie, I. F., M.A. . .	C	C	"	350	40	Uhlmann, Miss J. L. . .	B	B	"	354	..
Wilson, C. C. . .	D	D	"	275	40	Ward, Mrs. F. V. J., M.A.	A	B	"	354	..
Glanville, W. J. . .	C	D	"	275	40	Hull, Miss C. L. F., M.A.	A	B	"	342	..
Britland, J. J. G., B.Sc.	D	D	"	260	..	Haslett, Miss A. I., B.A.	B	B	"	318	..
Miller, L. G., B.A. . .	D	D	"	260	..	Wilson, Miss M. K. . .	C	C	"	300	..
Aim, E. J. . .	D	D	"	245	..	Sheat, Miss L., M.A. . .	B	C	"	288	..
Haselden, Miss E., M.A.	A	B	"	354	30	Virtue, Miss M. E., B.A.	C	C	"	276	..
Marshall, Miss E. F. S., B.Sc. in H.Sc.	C	C	"	252	..	Smith, Miss B., M.A. . .	C	C	"	264	..
Carroll, Miss K. A., M.A.	D	D	"	204	..	Finlay, Miss C. . .	C	C	"	252	..
McLean, Miss M. H., M.A.	D	D	"	192	..	Warnock, Miss G., M.A.	C	C	"	252	..
Moncrieff, Miss J. L., B.A.	D	D	"	192	..	Thorp, Miss M. J., B.A.	D	D	"	240	..
AUCKLAND GRAMMAR SCHOOL.						EPSOM GIRLS' GRAMMAR SCHOOL.					
Drummond, J., M.A. . .	..	..	Principal	860	60	Morrison, Miss A. C., M.A.	..	..	Principal	650	..
Mahon, H. J. D., B.A.	A	A	Assistant	520	40	Patterson, Miss F., M.A.	A	A	Assistant	408	..
Dellow, K. J., M.A. . .	A	A	"	500	40	Kirkbride, Miss H., M.A.	A	A	"	384	..
Jones, C. R., M.A. . .	A	A	"	480	40	Jenkins, Miss R. H., M.A.	A	A	"	384	..
Harwood, W. G., B.A., M.Sc.	A	A	"	470	40	Collins, Miss E. C., B.A.	A	B	"	354	..
Docherty, P. . .	B	B	"	465	40	Freeman, Miss M., M.A.	A	B	"	354	..
Newhook, J. L. I. . .	B	B	"	465	40	Holmden, Miss D., M.A.	B	B	"	342	..
Bishop, W. J., M.A. . .	A	B	"	465	40	McKeage, Miss K., M.A.	B	B	"	318	..
Drummond, P., B.A. . .	A	B	"	465	..	Bell, Miss B., M.A. . .	B	B	"	318	..
Bennett, J. W. . .	B	B	"	450	40	Battersby, Miss B., M.Sc.	B	B	"	330	..
Driver, E. H., M.A. . .	B	B	"	450	40	Barnett, Miss M., B.A. . .	C	C	"	300	..
Nicholson, A. M., M.A., B.Com.	B	B	"	405	40	Hutton, Miss L. G. . .	C	C	"	288	..
Bilkey, E. E., M.A. . .	B	B	"	405	40	Rudall, Miss J. C. S., B.Sc. in H.Sc.	C	C	"	288	..
Asher, J. A., M.A. . .	B	C	"	390	40	Falkner, Miss L. E., B.A.	C	C	"	264	..
Leaming, J. E., M.A. . .	B	B	"	390	40	Walker, Mrs. M. H., B.A.	C	C	"	264	40
Stein, P. A. S., B.Sc. . .	C	C	"	380	..	MacDiarmid, Miss E.	C	C	"	252	..
Hogben, E. N., M.A. . .	B	C	"	380	40	Harris, Miss G. L., M.A.	C	D	"	240	..
Price, F. M., M.A. . .	C	C	"	365	40	Cozens, Miss E. L., B.A.	D	D	"	228	..
Wedding, H. W., M.A.	C	C	"	335	40	Latimer, Miss K., B.A.	D	D	"	228	..
Lee, G. T., B.A. . .	C	C	"	335	..	Merritt, Miss K., M.A.	D	D	"	240	..
Noble, C. A., M.A. . .	C	C	"	335	..	Dunning, Miss M. K., B.Sc.	D	D	"	180	..
Treacher, K. N. . .	C	C	"	335	40	Wright, Miss E. I. . .	D	D	"	204	..
Fernie, W. G. V., M.A.	C	C	"	320	40	TAKAPUNA GRAMMAR SCHOOL.					
Vernon, T. R., B.Sc. . .	C	D	"	305	40	Littlejohn, C. M., M.A.	..	..	Principal	620	60
Nicholls, C. N., B.A. . .	C	D	"	275	..	B.Sc.	..	..	Assistant	470	40
Coop, J., B.A. . .	C	D	"	275	40	Short, A. W., B.A. . .	A	A	"	405	40
West, A. W. H., M.A. . .	D	D	"	275	..	Thompson, J., M.A., L. ès L.	B	B	"	306	30
Donnell, A. H., B.A. . .	D	D	"	260	40	Macdonald, Miss M., B.A.	B	B	"	320	..
Gillespie, W. B., B.A.	D	D	"	260	..	McHarg, I. S., B.Ag., B.Sc.	C	C	"	288	..
LaRoche, W. E., B.Sc.	D	D	"	245	..	Davies, Miss H. P., B.A.	B	C	"	305	..
Rauch, F. C. . .	D	D	"	245	..	Coulam, A. G. . .	D	D	"	240	..
La Roche, S. A., B.Sc., B.Agr.	D	D	"	245	..	Adams, Miss O. L. G., B.Sc.	C	D	"	204	..
Bullen, K., B.A. . .	D	D	"	230	..	Himmell, Miss M. R., B.A.	D	D	"	204	..
Bowden, N. W. . .	D	D	"	215	..	ROTORUA HIGH SCHOOL.					
MOUNT ALBERT GRAMMAR SCHOOL.						Ryder, A. R., M.A. . .	..	..	Principal	570	60
Gamble, F. W., M.A. . .	..	..	Principal	790	60	McHardie, Miss W. E., B.A.	B	B	Assistant	354	21
Gatland, A. R., B.A. . .	A	A	Assistant	500	40	Wilson, Miss F. C., M.A.	C	C	"	252	..
Caradus, W., M.Sc. . .	A	A	"	500	40	Evans, W. H., B.A. . .	C	C	"	320	40
Harvey, J. H., M.A. . .	A	A	"	480	40						
Brook, H. F., M.A. . .	A	B	"	465	40						
Coldham, G. S., M.A. . .	A	B	"	465	40						
Worley, C. P., B.A., B.Sc.	B	B	"	420	40						
Trendall, A. D. . .	B	B	"	405	40						
Hardy, R. B., B.Com.	C	B	"	405	40						
Walters, B. T., B.A. . .	C	C	"	380	40						
Tait, J. M., M.A. . .	B	C	"	350	..						
Towers, H. L., B.Sc. . .	C	C	"	350	..						
Calder, H. L., M.A. . .	C	C	"	335	..						
Marks, R. O. C., B.A.	C	C	"	335	..						
Black, S., M.A. . .	D	D	"	275	..						
Martin, W. R. H., B.A.	D	D	"	275	40						
Scott, T. . .	D	D	"	245	..						
McLeod, G. G. L., B.A.	D	D	"	245	..						
Simmers, A. G., M.A.	D	D	"	245	..						

## STAFFS OF SECONDARY SCHOOLS AS AT 31ST DECEMBER, 1927—continued.

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	Teacher.	Position.					Teacher.	Position.			
HAMILTON HIGH SCHOOL.						PALMERSTON NORTH BOYS' HIGH SCHOOL.					
Wilson, E., M.A.	..	..	Principal	765	60	Murray, J., M.A.	..	..	Principal	720	..
Tait, H. D., M.A.	A	A	Assistant	490	40	Colquhoun, J. A., M.Sc.	A	A	Assistant	520	70
Gudex, M. C., M.A., M.Sc.	A	B	"	465	40	Anderson, W. P., M.A.	A	A	"	510	..
Mason, F. E., B.Sc.	C	B	"	435	40	Stevenson, J. J.	B	B	"	465	40
Senior, S. E., M.A.	B	B	"	390	40	Thompson, H. J., M.A., LL.M., B.Com.	A	B	"	450	40
Nelson, A. P., M.A.	B	C	"	365	40	Kerr, H. W., M.A.	B	B	"	435	40
Carter, H. G., B.A.	C	D	"	305	40	Espiner, E. W., M.A., B.Com.	B	C	"	380	..
Morton, H. F., B.A.	C	D	"	290	40	Dash, J.	C	C	"	350	40
Tizard, Miss A. C., M.A.	A	A	"	360	..	Cumberworth, R. W., B.A.	C	C	"	365	40
Hogg, Miss C., M.A.	A	B	"	330	..	Werry, E. J., M.A.	C	D	"	275	..
Wyatt, Miss G. M.	C	C	"	300	..	Patterson, J. M., M.A.	D	D	"	260	..
Leys, W. C. S., M.A.	C	D	"	290	..	Skoglund, P. O.	D	D	"	260	..
Bowie, Miss E. S., M.A.	D	D	"	192	..	Silson, J. H.	D	D	"	260	40
Nicholls, Miss L. M., M.A.	D	D	"	192	..						
White, Miss E. M., M.A.	D	D	"	180	..						
THAMES HIGH SCHOOL.						PALMERSTON NORTH GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL.					
Hoult, W. H., M.A.	..	..	Principal	670	60	Hodges, Miss F. J., M.A.	..	..	Principal	470	..
Baker, W. H., B.Sc.	A	A	Assistant	500	40	Rhodes, Mrs. M., M.A.	A	A	Assistant	396	..
Marshall, H. H., B.A.	B	B	"	435	40	Dale, Miss M. J., M.A.	B	B	"	354	..
Watkins, L. A., M.A.	B	C	"	380	40	Fraser, Miss W. S., B.A.	B	B	"	342	..
Sibley, H. C., M.A.	D	C	"	320	..	Simkin, Miss K. L., B.Sc. in H.Sc.	C	C	"	300	..
Heward, Miss G. H., M.A.	B	B	"	354	30	McHaffie, Miss C., M.Sc.	C	D	"	228	..
Wilcox, Miss E. M.	C	D	"	240	..	Brown, Miss L.	D	D	"	216	..
Stephens, Miss J. D., B.A.	C	D	"	216	..	Cunningham, Miss E.	D	D	"	192	..
Wilson, Miss N. G., M.A.	D	D	"	216	..						
NEW PLYMOUTH BOYS' HIGH SCHOOL.						GISBORNE HIGH SCHOOL.					
Moyes, W. H., M.A., B.Sc.	..	..	Principal	765	..	Foote, F., B.A.	..	..	Principal	815	..
Johnson, A. G., M.Sc.	A	A	Assistant	510	40	Wilkes, F. J., M.A.	A	A	Assistant	520	40
Diprose, A. W., M.A.	A	A	"	490	40	Edmondson, P., B.A.	B	A	"	500	40
Bottrill, C. G., M.A.	A	B	"	465	70	Maunder, G. T., M.Sc.	B	B	"	465	40
Papps, A. J., B.A.	B	B	"	465	40	Dunphy, W. P., B.A.	B	B	"	450	40
Kerr, E. V., M.A.	B	B	"	405	40	Scott, W. R., M.A.	B	B	"	450	40
Connell, J. W.	C	C	"	380	40	Smith, W. M., M.A.	B	B	"	405	..
Bertrand, G. F.	B	C	"	380	40	Bilham, E. W., B.A.	D	D	"	260	..
Leggat, J., M.A.	B	C	"	365	40	Thomson, L., B.A.	D	D	"	260	..
Wilson, R. C., M.A., B.Sc.	C	C	"	335	..	Burns, G., M.A.	D	D	"	260	40
Eggleton, F. J.	D	D	"	305	40	Langhorne, G. W.	D	D	"	245	..
Wilkie, W. G.	D	D	"	305	40	Prestwich, Miss M.	B	B	"	330	40
Dyer, H. G., B.A.	C	D	"	290	40	Durward, Miss M., B.A.	C	C	"	276	..
Shrimpton, W. I., M.A.	D	D	"	260	..	Espiner, Miss E. V., M.A.	C	C	"	276	..
Bryant, L. V., M.A.	D	D	"	245	..	Stephens, Miss E. E., M.A.	C	C	"	264	..
						Mitchell, Miss G., B.A.	C	C	"	252	..
						McCarthy, Miss E. M., M.Sc.	D	D	"	216	..
NEW PLYMOUTH GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL.						NAPIER BOYS' HIGH SCHOOL.					
Allan, Miss D. N., M.A.	..	..	Principal	510	..	Armour, W. A., M.A., M.Sc.	..	..	Principal	720	..
Maclean, Miss N. I., M.A.	A	A	Assistant	396	..	West, E. S., M.A.	A	A	Assistant	500	40
McMullan, Miss G., B.A., B.Sc.	A	A	"	360	..	Alexander, M., B.Sc.	A	A	"	500	40
Jackson, Miss B. A., M.A.	B	B	"	342	..	Stewart, W. B., B.Sc.	C	B	"	390	40
Stewart, Miss K. M., M.A.	B	B	"	306	..	Worker, R. V., M.A.	B	B	"	390	..
Johnston, Miss M. G., M.A.	C	C	"	252	..	Woodward, M. F., M.A.	B	B	"	405	40
Hurle, Miss L. A., M.A.	C	D	"	228	..	Strack, C. H. E., B.A.	C	C	"	380	40
Fox, Miss C. D., B.A.	D	D	"	216	..	Bagley, C. J., B.A.	C	C	"	380	40
Michael, Miss M. A., B.Sc. in H.Sc.	D	D	"	216	..	Cameron, F. F., M.A.	C	C	"	365	40
Finlayson, Miss A. C.	D	D	"	204	..	Haldane, G. R.	D	D	"	245	..
						Milburn, R. H.	D	D	"	290	..
WANGANUI GIRLS' COLLEGE.						NAPIER GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL.					
Cruikshank, Miss C. M., M.A., M.Sc.	..	..	Principal	575	..	Arthur, Miss D. M., M.A.	..	..	Principal	530	..
Currie, Miss J. R., M.A.	A	A	Assistant	396	..	MacDiarmid, Miss B. S., M.A.	A	A	Assistant	372	..
Blennerhassett, Miss A., B.A.	A	A	"	360	..	McLean, Miss M., B.A.	A	A	"	372	..
Rockel, Miss C. C. H., M.A.	A	B	"	342	..	Gillies, Miss J. O.	B	B	"	354	..
Graham, Miss E., M.A.	B	B	"	330	..	Anderson, Miss A. M.	B	B	"	354	..
Blacker, Miss H., B.A.	B	B	"	306	..	Vickory, Miss E. E. A., B.A.	C	C	"	300	..
Treadwell, Miss M. H., B.A.	C	C	"	300	..	Gallagher, Miss E. R., B.A.	C	C	"	252	..
Oldridge, Miss L. L., M.A.	C	C	"	276	..	McRae, Miss J. E., B.A.	C	C	"	276	..
McLeod, Miss J., B.Sc. in H.Sc.	C	C	"	276	..	Riach, Miss J., M.A.	D	D	"	192	..
Mullon, Miss E. C., M.A.	D	D	"	228	..	Bell, Miss F. A., B.A.	C	D	"	228	..
Mitcalfe, Miss M. N., B.A.	D	D	"	204	..	Wrench, Miss E. H.	D	D	"	240	..
McKenzie, Miss M. B., B.Sc. in H.Sc.	D	D	"	192	..						
Pope, Miss E. M., M.A.	D	D	"	192	..						

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<b>HASTINGS HIGH SCHOOL.</b>						<b>WELLINGTON COLLEGE—<i>continued.</i></b>					
Penlington, W. A. G. ..	..	..	Principal	£ 695	60	Balham, W. F. C., B.A.	C	C	Assistant	£ 380	40
Jones, S. I., M.A. ..	A	A	Assistant	470	40	Turner, M. F., B.A. ..	C	C	"	320	..
Steele, Miss M. A., M.A.	A	A	"	372	30	McCaw, J. T. ..	D	D	"	275	..
Atkinson, T. S. ..	C	C	"	380	40	Adams, E. L. ..	C	D	"	290	..
Thomson, V. A. D., B.Com.	C	C	"	370	40	Nelson, T. B. ..	D	D	"	260	..
Bevin, R. H., B.Ag. ..	D	C	"	335	40	Hislop, T. G., B.A. ..	C	D	"	260	..
Irvine, Miss J., B.A. ..	B	B	"	306	..	Eason, W. J. ..	D	D	"	260	..
Linyard, Mrs. E. A., M.A.	C	C	"	300	..	Griffen, J. R. ..	D	D	"	245	..
Law, Miss J. D. ..	D	D	"	192	..	Sceates, G. J. ..	D	D	"	245	..
McMullen, Miss E. ..	D	D	"	240	..	Mackay, J. D. ..	D	D	"	230	..
McDonald, D. J. ..	D	D	"	245	..	Griffen, A. W., B.A. ..	D	D	"	230	..
						Ramson, F. S. ..	D	D	"	215	..
<b>DANNEVIKKE HIGH SCHOOL.</b>						<b>WELLINGTON GIRLS' COLLEGE.</b>					
Tait, A. G. ..	..	..	Principal	645	..	Greig, Miss V., M.A., M.Sc.	..	..	Principal	610	..
Heaton, F., M.A., B.Sc.	A	A	Assistant	480	..	Kershaw, Miss F. E., M.A.	A	A	"	408	..
Mahoney, Miss T. C. G., B.A.	B	B	"	354	30	Williams, Miss E., B.A.	A	A	"	360	..
Craven, E. S., M.A. ..	C	C	"	350	..	Coad, Miss N. E., M.A.	A	B	"	354	15
Bingham, Miss F. D., M.A.	C	C	"	276	..	Gibson, Miss G. F., M.A.	A	B	"	354	..
Wilson, Miss M., M.A. ..	D	D	"	216	..	Sage, Miss C. M., M.A.	A	B	"	354	15
Russell, L. ..	D	D	"	260	..	Hursthouse, Miss R. ..	C	C	"	300	..
						Cornish, Miss E. J., B.Sc. in H.Sc.	B	B	Assistant	306	..
<b>WAIKARAPA HIGH SCHOOL.</b>						<b>WELLINGTON EAST GIRLS' COLLEGE.</b>					
Uttley, G. H., M.A., D.Sc.	..	..	Principal	695	..	Heine, Miss C. M., B.A.	C	C	"	300	..
Morice, G. W., M.A., B.Sc.	A	A	Assistant	500	40	Ward, Miss H. ..	D	C	"	264	..
Slater, H. W., M.A., B.Sc.	A	A	"	480	..	Oddil, Miss E. M., B.A.	C	C	"	288	..
Bee, J. G., M.A. ..	A	B	"	465	..	Johnstone, Miss D. A., M.A.	C	C	"	264	..
Sutherland, Miss O. R. M.A.	A	B	"	354	30	Gifford, Miss S. M. D., B.Sc. in H.Sc.	C	D	"	240	..
Bird, J. W., M.A. ..	A	B	"	405	40	Clark, Miss M., M.A. ..	C	D	"	228	..
McClure, C., B.A. ..	B	C	"	380	40	Morrison, Miss M. K., M.A.	D	D	"	240	..
Leonard, Miss K., M.A.	C	C	"	300	..	McCrae, Miss M., B.A.	D	D	"	240	..
Thomson, H. R., M.A.	B	C	"	335	..	Gillies, Miss C. M., B.A.	D	D	"	228	..
Bethell, Miss D. A., M.A.	C	D	"	228	..						
McKinley, A. D. ..	D	D	"	230	40						
Veale, R. J. ..	D	D	"	230	..						
<b>HUTT VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL.</b>						<b>MARLBOROUGH HIGH SCHOOL.</b>					
Kidson, H. V., M.A., B.Sc., B. és L.	..	..	Principal	670	60	Stewart, J. M.A. ..	..	..	Principal	720	..
Millard, J. N., B.A. M.Sc.	A	A	Assistant	470	40	Robson, H., M.A. ..	A	A	Assistant	510	40
McLeod, D., M.A., B.Sc.	B	B	"	435	40	Brockett, A. E., M.A., B.Com.	B	B	"	465	40
McNaught, G. J., M.A.	B	B	"	390	40	Rowe, A. L., M.A., LL.B.	B	B	"	405	40
McKenzie, D. W. ..	D	D	"	200	..	Purdie, W. C., B.Sc., B.Ag.	B	C	"	335	..
Woodhouse, Miss H., M.A.	A	A	"	360	30	Aitken, A., B.Sc. ..	B	C	"	320	40
Browne, Miss M. J., B.Sc.	C	C	"	300	..	Sheat, W., B.A., LL.B.	D	D	"	215	..
Price, Mrs. C. M., M.A.	B	C	"	300	40	Allen, Miss E. M., M.A.	A	A	"	408	30
Mather, Miss W. M., B.A.	C	C	"	300	..	Wilson, Miss J. H., M.Sc.	B	B	"	306	..
Oswin, Miss F. K., M.A.	C	D	"	240	..	Brand, Miss M. M., M.A.	B	C	"	276	..
Cooley, Miss M. E., M.A.	D	D	"	204	..	Robertson, Miss H. M., M.A.	C	D	"	240	..
						Newton, Miss E. M., M.A.	C	D	"	228	..
<b>WELLINGTON COLLEGE.</b>						<b>NELSON BOYS' COLLEGE.</b>					
Cresswell, T. R., M.A.	..	..	Principal	860	..	Broad, C. H., B.A. ..	..	..	Principal	720	..
Gifford, A. C., M.A. ..	A	A	Assistant	520	70	McKay, J. G., B.A. ..	A	A	Assistant	520	40
Renner, F. M., M.A. ..	A	A	"	520	70	Searle, H. V., M.A., M.Sc.	A	A	"	480	30
Tomlinson, H. B., M.A.	A	A	"	510	70	Watkin, E. A., M.A. ..	A	B	"	465	40
Brodie, T., B.A. ..	A	A	"	520	..	Kirk, C. G., B.A., B.Sc.	B	B	"	405	40
Alexander, W., B.A., LL.B.	A	B	"	465	40	Johnson, C. W., M.A.	B	B	"	420	40
Lomas, J. S., M.A. ..	A	B	"	465	40	Severne, E. H., B.A. ..	C	C	"	380	..
Hall, J., B.Sc., B.A. ..	A	B	"	465	40						
Fathers, H. T. M., B.A., B.Sc.	A	B	"	465	..						
Cuddie, J. R., M.A. ..	A	B	"	450	40						
Joplin, F., B.A., B.Sc.	A	B	"	450	40						
Stevens, W. H., B.A. ..	B	B	"	405	40						
Jackson, A., M.A., M.Sc.	B	B	"	390	40						
Farquhar, A. S., M.A. ..	B	B	"	390	40						
Beard, T. E., B.A. ..	C	C	"	380	40						
Thornton, F. E., M.A.	B	C	"	380	40						
Jones, W. V. ..	C	C	"	350	40						
Heron, H. A., M.A. ..	B	C	"	335	40						
Dighton, J. L., B.A. ..	C	C	"	335	..						
Martin-Smith, P., LL.B., B.A.	C	C	"	335	40						

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NELSON BOYS' COLLEGE—continued.						CHRISTCHURCH GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL—continued.					
Gray, A. J., M.A.	C	C	Assistant	335	£	Watson, Miss A. M.	C	C	Assistant	300	£
Methven, R. H., M.A.	B	C	"	350	40	Hall, Miss E. J., M.A.	B	C	"	288	..
Boulton, E., B.A.	C	C	"	335	(on leave)	Fairbairn, Miss E., B.A.	C	C	"	276	..
Paterson, J. E. R., M.A.	C	D	"	275	..	Burns, Miss A. M., M.A.	C	C	"	264	..
Simpson, G. D., M.A.	C	D	"	275	..	Milnes, Miss I. F., M.A.	C	C	"	264	..
Fowler, R. J. M.	D	D	"	245	..	Hooper, Miss V. L., M.A.	C	C	"	252	..
Allan, H. F., B.Sc.	D	D	"	260	..	Hall, Miss M.	D	D	"	240	..
NELSON GIRLS' COLLEGE.						ASHBURTON HIGH SCHOOL.					
Mills, Miss C. B., M.A., B.Sc.	..	..	Principal	510	..	Watters, W. F., B.A.	..	..	Principal	670	..
Edwards, Miss E. K., B.A.	A	A	Assistant	360	..	Biggar, R. H., M.A.	A	A	Assistant	510	40
Isaac, Miss N. G., M.A.	A	A	"	360	..	Piggott, Miss E. M., M.A.	B	B	"	354	30
Karsten, Miss R., B.A.	B	B	"	318	..	McGregor, R. M., B.Sc.	C	C	"	350	40
Garland, Miss M., M.A.	B	B	"	306	..	Phillips, T., B.A.	D	D	"	260	..
Davis, Miss G. M., M.A.	B	B	"	306	..	Wood, E. J.	C	D	"	275	40
Stewart, Miss J. I., B.A.	C	C	"	252	..	Seyb, P. S., B.A.	D	D	"	290	..
McGregor, Miss M., M.A.	D	C	"	252	..	Mason, Miss R. O.	D	C	"	252	..
Sheat, Miss R., M.A.	D	C	"	252	..	Marshall, Miss R., B.Sc., in H.Sc.	C	D	"	228	..
Cockburn, Miss F. I., M.A.	D	D	"	204	..	Duff, Miss I. H. M.	D	D	"	192	..
Black, Miss E. E., M.A.	D	D	"	192	..	TIMARU BOYS' HIGH SCHOOL.					
Black, Miss J. C.	D	D	"	192	..	Thomas, W., M.A.	..	..	Principal	720	..
Spargo, Miss G. M., B.A., B.Sc.	D	D	"	192	..	Cockroft, E. A., B.A., B.Com.	A	A	Assistant	510	40
RANGIORA HIGH SCHOOL.						M.Sc.					
Strachan, J. E., M.A., B.Sc.	..	..	Principal	670	..	McDonald, T. H., M.A.	B	C	"	335	40
Ferguson, A. J., M.A.	A	A	Assistant	510	40	Horwell, W. W., M.A.	C	C	"	335	40
Beattie, G. C., M.Sc.	A	B	"	450	40	McClatchy, H. B., M.A.	C	D	"	305	..
Hollow, Miss P., M.A.	C	C	"	300	30	Rae, A. J.	D	D	"	290	..
Maurais, Miss T., B.A.	C	C	"	252	..	Ledingham, M. F.	D	D	"	245	..
Lockhart, A. I.	C	D	"	305	40	Mills, S.	D	D	"	230	..
Todd, Miss J. E., B.Sc. in H.Sc.	D	D	"	192	..	TIMARU GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL.					
CHRISTCHURCH BOYS' HIGH SCHOOL.						Barr, Miss J. A., M.A.					
Lancaster, G. J., M.A.	..	..	Principal	815	..	King, Miss E. A., M.A.	A	A	Assistant	408	..
Stewart, W. M., M.A.	A	A	Assistant	500	70	Ronaldson, Miss M., B.Sc. B.A.	A	A	"	372	..
Caddick, A. E., M.A.	A	A	"	470	70	McLean, Miss D. B., M.A.	B	B	"	318	..
Rowe, H. V., M.A.	A	A	"	480	70	Stewart, Miss L. F., B.A.	C	C	"	288	..
Hercus, E. J. D., M.A., B.Sc.	A	B	"	450	40	Hawkes, Miss D., B.A.	C	D	"	240	..
Montgomery, J. R., M.A.	B	B	"	465	40	Marriott, Miss M. E., B.A.	C	C	"	276	..
Henderson, H., B.A., B.Sc.	A	B	"	435	40	Baker, Miss M. E., M.A.	C	D	"	240	..
Baverstock, H. S., M.A.	B	B	"	420	..	Oldridge, Miss D.M., M.A.	D	D	"	240	..
Quartermain, L. B., M.A.	A	B	"	405	..	Cunningham, Miss J. B., M.A.	C	D	"	228	..
Dyer, H. E., B.Sc.	B	C	"	350	40	WAITAKI BOYS' HIGH SCHOOL.					
Gourlay, H. W., B.Sc.	C	C	"	335	40	Milner, F., M.A.	..	..	Rector	720	..
Jefcoate, H. O., M.A.	C	C	"	335	40	McCulloch, M. K., M.A.	A	A	Assistant	520	40
Bruce, R. M., B.Sc.	B	C	"	380	40	Chisholm, D. S., M.A.	A	A	"	520	40
Cuming, S. R., M.A.	C	C	"	335	..	Inder, R. H., M.Sc.	B	B	"	450	40
Rodwell, H. R., M.A.	C	C	"	320	40	Hargreaves, P. W., B.A.	B	B	"	435	40
Rogers, M. N., M.Sc.	D	D	"	275	(on leave)	Uttley, W. M., M.A.	A	B	"	465	40
Struthers, J., M.A., B.Sc.	C	D	"	275	..	Hall, H. T.	C	C	"	380	40
Troup, G. S., M.A.	C	C	"	350	..	Crimp, F. A., B.A.	C	C	"	380	..
Brassington, W. W., M.A.	D	D	"	260	..	McDonald, K. C., M.A.	C	C	"	320	40
Skipworth, I. H., B.Sc.	C	D	"	245	..	Kinross, S. M., B.A.	C	D	"	290	40
Burrows, J. T.	D	D	"	245	..	Conly, J. H., M.A.	C	D	"	275	..
Ridgen, C. L., M.A.	D	D	"	245	..	Robins, H. J.	D	D	"	245	..
Sinclair, H. I., B.A.	D	D	"	245	..	Scott, W. J., M.A.	D	D	"	230	..
Moffat, J. F., B.Sc.	D	D	"	245	..	CHRISTCHURCH GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL.					
CHRISTCHURCH GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL.						Gibson, Miss M. V., M.A.					
Gibson, Miss M. V., M.A.	..	..	Principal	630	..	Gresson, Miss K. M., M.A.	A	A	Assistant	408	30
Gresson, Miss K. M., M.A.	A	A	Assistant	408	30	Sims, Miss M. E., M.A.	A	A	"	408	..
Sims, Miss M. E., M.A.	A	A	"	408	..	Bone, Miss D. J.	A	A	"	360	..
Bone, Miss D. J.	A	A	"	360	..	Wagstaff, Miss N., M.A.	B	B	"	354	..
Wagstaff, Miss N., M.A.	B	B	"	354	..	Clark, Miss P. M. P., M.A.	A	B	"	342	30
Clark, Miss P. M. P., M.A.	A	B	"	342	30	Young, Mrs. S. G.	(Half-time)		"	185	..
Young, Mrs. S. G.	(Half-time)		"	185	..	Tilley, Miss H. M.	C	C	"	276	..
Tilley, Miss H. M.	C	C	"	276	..	McKee, Miss A. J.	C	C	"	300	..
McKee, Miss A. J.	C	C	"	300	..						

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WAITAKI GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL.						OTAGO GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL— <i>continued.</i>					
Wilson, Miss J. B., M.A.	..	..	Principal	510	..	Taylor, Miss H.	D	D	Assistant	£ 216	£ ..
Macaulay, Miss M. J., M.A.	A	A	Assistant	408	..	Morrell, Miss K. A., B.A.	D	D	"	192	..
Hunt, Miss D. C., B.A.	C	B	"	342	..	McKinnon, Miss J. R., M.A.	C	D	"	240	..
Watt, Miss M. S., B.A.	B	B	"	330	..	SOUTH OTAGO HIGH SCHOOL.					
Yardley, Miss M. H., M.A.	B	C	"	288	..	Reid, John, B.A.	..	..	Principal	595	..
Harvey, Miss E. A., B.A.	C	C	"	276	..	Gault, J. H., B.Sc.	D	D	Assistant	250	..
King, Miss E. M., M.A.	C	D	"	240	..	Somerville, Miss A. I., M.Sc.	C	C	"	264	..
Searle, Miss M.	D	D	"	240	..	Sutherland, Miss I. D., B.A.	C	D	"	240	30
Fitzgerald, Miss M. S., B.A., M.Sc.	D	D	"	204	..	Blaikie, Miss G. B., M.A.	D	D	"	192	..
OTAGO BOYS' HIGH SCHOOL.						GORE HIGH SCHOOL.					
Morrell, W. J., M.A.	..	..	Principal	860	..	Hunter, J., M.A.	..	..	Principal	720	..
Campbell, F. H., B.A.	A	A	Assistant	520	40	Boyne, J. McC., B.A.	A	A	Assistant	500	40
Williams, J., B.Sc.	A	A	"	520	70	Price, C. J. R., M.A., B.Com.	B	B	"	420	..
Martyn, W. J., M.A.	A	A	"	520	70	Christie, E. M., M.Sc.	B	C	"	380	40
Watt, A., B.A.	..	..	"	480	..	Fyfe, T., B.A.	C	D	"	275	40
Botting, R. W. S., M.A.	A	B	"	465	40	Fowler, M., B.Sc.	D	D	"	275	40
Begg, O. J., M.A.	A	B	"	465	60	Smith, Miss M. L., M.A.	B	A	"	372	..
McInnes, M. G., B.A.	C	B	"	450	..	Naylor, Miss R., M.A.	B	B	"	342	..
Thomson, G. S., B.Sc.	C	B	"	435	40	Henderson, Miss H. A., M.A.	B	C	"	288	..
Gillman, A. J., M.A.	B	B	"	435	40	Douglas, Miss M. J. H.	C	C	"	300	..
Watt, M. M., M.A.	B	B	"	390	40	Woodhead, Miss M. S., M.A.	D	D	"	240	..
Howard, B. H., M.A.	B	C	"	380	..	Anderson, C. M.	D	D	"	216	..
Rantin, T. J. L., M.A.	B	B	"	390	40	SOUTHLAND BOYS' HIGH SCHOOL.					
Robertson, G. M., M.A.	B	C	"	380	40	Pearce, T. D., M.A.	..	..	Principal	720	60
McNaughton, A. T., M.A.	C	C	"	350	..	Dakin, J. P., B.A.	A	A	Assistant	520	40
Salmond, J. D., M.A.	C	C	"	335	..	Butchers, A. G., M.A.	A	A	"	500	40
Bridge, W. W., M.A.	C	C	"	320	..	McGrath, J. S., B.A.	B	B	"	465	40
Glasgow, K. W. R., B.Sc.	C	C	"	320	..	Cameron, J. L., M.A.	B	B	"	420	40
Kinnear, J. E., M.A.	C	D	"	260	..	Hogg, A. S., M.Sc.	..	..	"	405	40
Crimp, S. R., B.A.	C	C	"	320	..	Flannery, J.	C	C	"	380	..
Cabot, P. S. de Q., M.A.	C	D	"	305	..	Drees, H., M.A.	B	C	"	380	..
Lang, W., M.A.	D	D	"	260	40	Deaker, A. J., B.A.	C	C	"	350	40
Fraser, R., B.A.	..	..	"	245	..	McFarlane, A., M.A.	D	D	"	260	..
Anderson, J. L., B.A.	D	D	"	230	40	Dunlop, A. R., B.A.	D	D	"	245	..
Brotherton, A. T. C., M.A.	D	D	"	215	40	SOUTHLAND GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL.					
Cox, O. G., B.A.	..	..	"	230	..	Samuel, Miss M., M.Sc.	..	..	Principal	530	..
OTAGO GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL.						Budd, Miss A. M., M.A.	A	A	Assistant	408	..
King, Miss M. H. M., M.A.	..	..	Principal	630	..	Watt, Miss A., B.A.	B	B	"	354	..
Campbell, Miss F., B.A.	A	A	Assistant	408	..	Burt, Miss S., M.A.	B	B	"	354	..
Loudon, Miss A. L., M.A.	A	A	"	396	..	Earwaker, Miss E., M.A.	A	B	"	318	..
Kerr, Mrs. B., M.A.	A	B	"	354	..	White, Miss R. A. M.A.	B	C	"	300	..
Dalrymple, Miss H. K., B.A.	B	B	"	354	..	Spite, Miss B. H., B.Sc.	C	C	"	264	..
Morton, Miss L. S., B.A.	B	B	"	354	..	Cumming, Miss C. L., M.A.	B	C	"	276	..
Jones, Miss P. J., M.A.	B	B	"	318	..	Brown, Miss C. A., B.A.	D	D	"	216	..
Lawson, Miss L. L., M.A.	A	B	"	318	..	Galloway, Miss D. M., M.A.	D	D	"	216	..
Aitken, Miss A. M., B.Sc. in H.Sc.	C	C	"	300	..	Donley, Miss M. E.	D	D	"	180	..
Dallaston, Miss L. N., B.A.	C	C	"	300	..						
May, Miss M. W., M.A.	B	C	"	276	..						
Rosevear, Miss R. A.	C	C	"	252	..						
MacRae, Miss H., B.A.	C	C	"	252	..						
Bagley, Miss S. D.	C	D	"	240	..						
Bentham, Miss E. R., M.A.	C	D	"	240	..						

TABLE K 1.—SOME PARTICULARS RELATING TO SECONDARY EDUCATION FOR THE YEARS 1926 AND 1927.

	1926.	1927.
Secondary schools—		
Number of Government secondary schools .. .. .	39	41
Number of endowed schools .. .. .	2	2
Number of boys at Government secondary schools .. .. .	6,926	7,306
Number of girls at Government secondary schools .. .. .	6,189	6,337
Number of boys at endowed schools .. .. .	536	547
Number of girls at endowed schools .. .. .	Nil	Nil
Number of free pupils at Government secondary schools .. .. .	†12,558	†13,901
Number of pupils commencing secondary education .. .. .	*	5,582
Number of pupils leaving school .. .. .	*	4,855
Secondary departments of district high schools—		
Number of secondary departments .. .. .	77	79
Number of boys in attendance .. .. .	1,516	1,719
Number of girls in attendance .. .. .	1,646	1,724
Number of free pupils .. .. .	†3,023	†3,746
Number of pupils commencing secondary education .. .. .	*	2,095
Number of pupils leaving school .. .. .	*	1,566
Expenditure by Government in financial year—		
Payments to Education Boards for—	£	£
District high schools—Secondary teachers' salaries .. .. .	49,980	52,359
National scholarships .. .. .	11,837	11,280
Payments to secondary schools and colleges for—		
Salaries and incidental expenses .. .. .	242,450	248,790
Manual-instruction capitation .. .. .	4,280	4,414
Subsidies on voluntary contributions .. .. .	7,311	2,018
New buildings, equipment, furniture, and sites .. .. .	129,925	93,878
Maintenance of school buildings .. .. .	1,231	1,131
Reserves revenue .. .. .	9,451	8,280
Conveyance of pupils to secondary and district high schools .. .. .	5,773	7,887
Sundry .. .. .	4,054	3,743

\* Figures not available.

† The large increase in these figures between the two years is due to the fact that in 1926 the enumeration of free pupils was made at the end of the year, whereas in 1927 the enumeration was made at the 30th June, a time when the number of pupils enrolled is larger than is the case later in the year.

TABLE K.2.—SECONDARY SCHOOLS (EXCLUSIVE OF LOWER DEPARTMENTS)—AVERAGE ATTENDANCE, ROLL, AND NUMBER OF GOVERNMENT FREE-PLACE HOLDERS.

School.	Average Attendance, 1927.	Roll Number, 31st December, 1927.		Roll Number, 1st March, 1927.	Number of holders of Government Free Places on Roll at 30th June, 1927.		Ages of all Pupils on Roll at 30th June, 1927.										Totals, all Ages.					
		Boys.	Girls.		Total.	Junior.	Senior.	Under 13 Years.		13 to 14 Years.		14 to 15 Years.		15 to 16 Years.		16 to 17 Years.		Over 17 Years.				
								B.	G.	B.	G.	B.	G.	B.	G.	B.			G.	B.	G.	
Whangarei High School	380	218	173	391	440	296	114	3	8	31	29	79	58	54	42	40	22	26	26	233	185	
Auckland Grammar School	877	874	..	874	954	551	349	27	..	143	..	257	..	235	..	152	..	124	..	938	..	
Mount Albert Grammar School	438	467	..	467	495	315	155	10	..	45	..	146	..	138	..	99	..	49	..	487	..	
Auckland Girls' Grammar School	516	526	..	526	555	383	157	..	15	..	105	..	162	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	551
Epsom Girls' Grammar School	516.5	539	..	539	582	411	144	..	3	..	51	..	158	..	..	..	115	..	..	..	..	569
Takapuna Grammar School	206	114	..	212	218	210	9	2	2	27	29	52	40	29	26	9	7	..	..	..	..	119
Thames High School	207	109	92	201	227	139	65	2	5	17	20	37	27	33	23	17	15	10	5	..	..	105
Hamilton High School	366	196	175	371	405	265	121	..	..	18	23	51	47	61	58	40	36	41	24	211	188	
Rotorua High School	87	49	46	95	89	67	19	2	1	12	10	19	12	7	10	4	7	..	..	..	..	50
New Plymouth Boys' High School	395.5	395	..	395	452	266	99	13	..	..	..	100	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	427
New Plymouth Girls' High School	290	288	..	288	338	243	70	..	7	..	46	..	82	..	..	..	65	..	..	..	..	323
Wanganui Girls' College	288	292	..	292	320	193	98	..	6	..	50	..	65	..	..	..	48	..	..	..	..	311
Palmerston North Boys' High School	280	274	..	274	310	180	108	16	..	50	36	65	..	80	..	..	..	44	..	..	..	299
Palmerston North Girls' High School	174.7	179	162	391	438	293	112	..	11	..	36	..	64	..	..	..	25	..	..	..	..	192
Gisborne High School	390	229	181	381	438	293	112	..	2	22	11	59	45	75	58	41	30	49	28	246	174	
Napier Boys' High School	278.1	281	..	281	312	183	115	4	..	45	..	67	..	79	..	68	..	44	..	..	..	307
Napier Girls' High School	230.2	246	..	246	267	169	80	..	4	..	38	..	69	..	..	..	53	..	..	..	..	258
Hastings High School	214	136	100	236	251	190	44	4	5	28	13	36	42	39	17	19	18	11	9	137	104	
Dannevirke High School	160.5	92	71	163	187	138	30	6	6	15	11	33	25	28	18	18	13	4	1	100	74	
Wairarapa High School	261	165	110	275	291	169	88	8	..	20	20	50	27	42	34	34	21	13	14	168	113	
Hutt Valley High School	245.7	112	118	230	270	240	26	18	10	29	38	45	54	25	31	10	8	1	1	128	142	
Wellington College	812	816	..	816	895	535	255	60	..	171	..	237	..	210	..	133	..	70	..	..	..	881
Wellington Girls' College	389	394	..	394	446	294	112	..	14	..	68	..	127	..	..	..	57	..	..	..	..	421
Wellington East Girls' College	318.8	..	326	326	352	266	77	..	16	..	77	..	131	..	..	..	35	..	..	..	..	349
Marborough High School	237.3	92	144	236	278	193	95	2	3	17	23	30	43	32	49	17	23	11	14	109	155	
Nelson College	326	304	..	304	342	204	95	18	..	46	..	97	..	62	..	62	..	47	..	..	..	332
Nelson Girls' College	273	288	..	288	302	189	98	..	20	..	50	..	83	..	..	..	40	..	..	..	..	298
Rangiora High School	126	61	63	124	152	93	42	1	2	10	15	20	22	14	16	14	14	8	6	67	75	
Christchurch Boys' High School	454	553	..	553	607	387	174	13	..	79	..	170	..	155	..	100	..	65	..	..	..	582
Christchurch Girls' High School	534.5	..	552	552	587	396	158	..	16	..	96	..	171	..	..	..	73	..	..	..	..	573
Ashburton High School	215	115	108	223	249	149	77	4	2	20	15	32	35	32	31	26	18	13	14	127	115	
Timaru Boys' High School	312.8	318	..	318	337	190	109	1	..	18	..	73	..	83	..	66	..	87	..	..	..	328
Timaru Girls' High School	258	..	266	266	285	173	95	..	3	..	44	..	74	..	..	..	36	..	..	..	..	278
Waitaki Boys' High School	286	272	..	272	301	182	82	4	..	53	..	61	..	77	..	54	..	37	..	..	..	286
Waitaki Girls' High School	169.5	170	..	170	190	119	59	..	6	..	21	..	51	..	..	..	30	..	..	..	..	180
Otago Boys' High School	644	633	..	633	703	450	206	21	..	146	..	201	..	144	..	105	..	65	..	..	..	682
Otago Girls' High School	427	435	..	435	465	305	142	..	22	..	101	..	127	..	..	..	56	..	..	..	..	453
South Otago High School	116	68	49	117	127	84	40	2	1	12	10	20	12	22	12	14	14	4	3	74	50	
Gore High School	235.3	128	102	230	266	168	76	6	1	20	18	43	35	35	32	21	14	16	16	141	116	
Southland Boys' High School	247	235	..	235	259	169	77	4	..	40	..	63	..	64	..	49	..	35	..	..	..	255
Southland Girls' High School	219	..	225	225	247	137	95	..	10	..	38	..	63	..	..	..	32	..	..	..	..	237
Totals	13,401.4	7,306	6,337	13,643	14,993	9,724	4,177	247	208	1,183	1,106	2,164	1,986	1,975	1,715	1,338	1,013	923	700	7,830	6,728	

B. Endowed Schools.

Wanganui Collegiate School	251	246	..	246	256	..	..	1	..	18	..	59	..	65	..	60	..	47	..	..	..	250
Christ's College	306.6	301	..	301	309	..	..	8	..	25	..	67	..	78	..	56	..	77	..	..	..	311
Totals	557.6	547	..	547	565	..	..	9	..	43	..	126	..	143	..	116	..	124	..	..	..	561
Grand totals	13,959.0	7,853	6,337	14,190	15,558	9,724	4,177	256	208	1,226	1,106	2,290	1,986	2,118	1,715	1,454	1,013	1,047	700	8,391	6,728	

TABLE K 3.—CLASSIFICATION OF PUPILS ON THE ROLL OF SECONDARY SCHOOLS AT THE 30TH JUNE, 1927, ACCORDING TO YEARS OF ATTENDANCE (EXCLUSIVE OF LOWER DEPARTMENTS).

School.	First Year.		Second Year.		Third Year.		Fourth Year.		Fifth Year.		Sixth Year.		Totals.		Grand Total.	Number of New* Entrants in 1927 who had not previously received Secondary Education.	
	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.		Boys.	Girls.
Whangarei High School..	90	79	80	45	36	29	19	22	7	10	1	..	233	185	418	94	83
Auckland Boys' Grammar School	308	..	288	..	176	..	115	..	43	..	8	..	938	..	938	323	..
Mount Albert Boys' Grammar School	160	..	141	..	112	..	56	..	16	..	2	..	487	..	487	158	..
Auckland Girls' Grammar School	..	212	..	167	..	96	..	55	..	18	..	3	..	551	551	..	214
Epsom Girls' Grammar School	..	205	..	197	..	95	..	54	..	18	..	..	..	569	569	..	213
Takapuna Grammar School	70	65	44	35	5	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	119	105	224	70	65
Thames High School ..	39	42	34	26	22	19	18	7	3	1	..	..	116	95	211	40	43
Hamilton High School ..	72	75	65	63	34	25	35	21	5	4	..	..	211	188	399	77	79
Rotorua High School ..	30	22	7	11	6	9	7	2	..	..	..	..	50	44	94	27	22
New Plymouth Boys' High School	175	..	128	..	70	..	36	..	15	..	3	..	427	..	427	180	..
New Plymouth Girls' High School	..	128	..	115	..	45	..	29	..	5	..	1	..	323	323	..	133
Wanganui Girls' College	..	111	..	94	..	54	..	30	..	17	..	5	..	311	311	..	113
Palmerston North Boys' High School	104	..	79	..	64	..	32	..	18	..	2	..	299	..	299	106	..
Palmerston North Girls' High School	..	96	..	44	..	25	..	23	..	3	..	1	..	192	192	..	101
Gisborne High School ..	89	76	71	47	43	22	28	18	15	11	..	..	246	174	420	88	76
Napier Boys' High School	112	..	73	..	68	..	36	..	17	..	1	..	307	..	307	115	..
Napier Girls' High School	..	101	..	66	..	49	..	27	..	13	..	2	..	258	258	..	105
Hastings High School ..	67	48	44	35	13	13	10	5	3	3	..	..	137	104	241	67	50
Dannevirke High School	44	36	35	22	12	11	6	5	3	..	..	..	100	74	174	46	36
Wairarapa High School..	55	36	53	36	34	20	18	12	8	9	..	..	168	113	281	58	37
Hutt Valley High School	82	73	35	50	8	12	3	6	..	1	..	..	128	142	270	84	76
Wellington College ..	277	..	290	..	180	..	96	..	31	..	7	..	881	..	881	326	..
Wellington Girls' College	..	138	..	139	..	75	..	44	..	17	..	8	..	421	421	..	138
Wellington East Girls' College	..	143	..	118	..	52	..	31	..	5	..	..	..	349	349	..	148
Marlborough High School	51	63	33	52	16	21	5	13	4	6	..	..	109	155	264	54	66
Nelson College ..	113	..	96	..	60	..	41	..	19	..	3	..	332	..	332	113	..
Nelson Girls' College ..	..	111	..	83	..	56	..	28	..	12	..	8	..	298	298	..	111
Rangiora High School ..	28	27	18	27	9	11	8	8	4	1	..	1	67	75	142	29	29
Christchurch Boys' High School	191	..	208	..	99	..	60	..	23	..	1	..	582	..	582	184	..
Christchurch Girls' High School	..	219	..	172	..	92	..	55	..	28	..	7	..	573	573	..	219
Ashburton High School..	39	43	42	32	26	19	11	12	9	7	..	2	127	115	242	39	43
Timaru Boys' High School	102	..	66	..	88	..	39	..	27	..	6	..	328	..	328	103	..
Timaru Girls' High School	..	98	..	79	..	50	..	30	..	20	..	1	..	278	278	..	98
Waitaki Boys' High School	99	..	73	..	43	..	38	..	21	..	12	..	286	..	286	117	..
Waitaki Girls' High School	..	61	..	57	..	37	..	17	..	6	..	2	..	180	180	..	68
Otago Boys' High School	246	..	198	..	137	..	70	..	26	..	5	..	682	..	682	257	..
Otago Girls' High School	..	171	..	125	..	80	..	43	..	34	..	..	..	453	453	..	170
South Otago High School	22	17	28	17	19	11	4	3	1	2	..	..	74	50	124	22	17
Gore High School ..	57	34	34	40	28	16	14	13	6	10	2	3	141	116	257	61	35
Southland Boys' High School	90	..	77	..	38	..	32	..	17	..	1	..	255	..	255	87	..
Southland Girls' High School	..	67	..	67	..	47	..	32	..	21	..	3	..	237	237	..	69
Totals ..	2,812	2,597	2,340	2,061	1,446	1,096	837	645	341	282	54	47	7,830	6,728	14,558	2,925	2,657

\* Pupils under this heading who were on the roll at 30th June, 1927, are of course included in the first two columns of this table under the heading, "First Year."

TABLE K 4.—INCIDENTAL EXPENSES OF SECONDARY DEPARTMENTS, 1927.

School.	Total Cost.		Cost per Unit of Roll Number at 1st March, 1927.	School.	Total Cost.		Cost per Unit of Roll Number at 1st March, 1927.
	£	£			£	£	
Whangarei High School ..	1,408-91	1-81*		Wellington East Girls' College ..	622-5	1-77	
Auckland Boys' Grammar School	3,287-8	2-1		Marlborough High School ..	927-1	1-67*	
Auckland Girls' Grammar School	2,978-5	2-4		Nelson College ..	879-53	2-57	
Thames High School ..	361-5	1-59		Nelson Girls' College ..	627-59	2-08	
Rotorua High School ..	348-55	1-68*		Rangiora High School ..	385-37	2-54	
Hamilton High School ..	1,102-05	2-72		Christchurch Boys' High School ..	1,256-4	2-07	
New Plymouth Boys' High School	1,391-02	3-08		Christchurch Girls' High School ..	1,649-69	2-81	
New Plymouth Girls' High School	616-65	1-82		Ashburton High School ..	492-28	1-98	
Wanganui Girls' College ..	823-69	2-57		Timaru Boys' High School ..	812-22	2-41	
Palmerston North Boys' High School	699-23	2-26		Timaru Girls' High School ..	747-09	2-62	
Palmerston North Girls' High School	424-18	2-1		Waitaki Boys' High School ..	637-57	2-12	
Gisborne High School ..	999-94	2-28		Waitaki Girls' High School ..	424-57	2-23	
Napier Boys' High School ..	790-4	2-53		Otago Boys' High School ..	1,534-64	2-18	
Napier Girls' High School ..	545-81	2-04		Otago Girls' High School ..	1,378-67	2-96	
Hastings High School ..	718-11	2-86		South Otago High School ..	248-83	1-96	
Dannevirke High School ..	432-27	2-31		Gore High School ..	646-71	2-43	
Wairarapa High School ..	647-64	2-23		Southland Boys' High School ..	549-39	2-12	
Hutt Valley High School ..	699-99	2-59		Southland Girls' High School ..	460-9	1-86	
Wellington College ..	1,677-65	1-87					
Wellington Girls' College ..	1,331-24	2-98		Total ..	35,565-98	2-26	

\* Includes incidental expenses of junior high school.

TABLE K 5.—DETAILS OF NATIONAL SCHOLARSHIPS HELD IN DECEMBER, 1927.

Education District.	Total Number.			Number held at Secondary Schools.		Number held at District High Schools.		Number held at Technical High Schools.		Number receiving Boarding-allowance (Included in Total Number).	Number receiving Travelling-allowance (Included in Total Number).
	Boys.	Girls.	Totals.	Junior.	Senior.	Junior.	Senior.	Junior.	Senior.		
Auckland ..	198	100	298	172	76	34	2	14	..	49	27
Taranaki ..	30	18	48	22	11	1	..	14	..	17	1
Wanganui ..	18	18	36	17	9	4	..	4	2	10	1
Hawke's Bay ..	35	24	59	42	11	4	1	1	..	10	1
Wellington ..	60	40	100	55	42	3	..	..	..	11	10
Nelson ..	22	21	43	21	12	7	1	1	1	12	..
Canterbury ..	70	52	122	68	35	10	1	5	3	31	8
Otago ..	70	32	102	61	31	10	..	..	..	9	1
Southland ..	13	4	17	10	7	..	..	..	..	2	..
Totals ..	516	309	825	468	234	73	5	39	6	151	49

TABLE K 6.—NUMBER OF PUPILS AT 30TH JUNE, 1927, BOARDING AWAY FROM HOME TO ATTEND SECONDARY SCHOOLS AND LOWER DEPARTMENTS THEREOF.

School.	Secondary Departments.						Total.		Lower-department Pupils boarding at School Hostels.
	Boarding at School Hostels.		Boarding at Establishments approved by Principal.		Boarding privately.		Boys.	Girls.	
	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.			
<i>A. Secondary Schools.</i>									
Whangarei High School .. .. .	72	28	6	..	14	23	92	51	..
Auckland Boys' Grammar School .. .. .	..	..	30	..	27	..	57	..	..
Mount Albert Boys' Grammar School .. .. .	24	..	..	..	..	..	24	..	..
Auckland Girls' Grammar School .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	34	..	34	..
Epsom Girls' Grammar School .. .. .	..	..	..	23	..	36	..	59	..
Takapuna Grammar School .. .. .	..	..	..	..	3	6	3	6	..
Thames High School .. .. .	..	..	..	..	9	3	9	3	..
Hamilton High School .. .. .	..	19	..	..	24	5	24	24	..
Rotorua High School .. .. .	..	..	..	..	2	2	2	2	..
New Plymouth Boys' High School .. .. .	159	..	..	..	18	..	177	..	17
New Plymouth Girls' High School .. .. .	..	59	..	..	..	14	..	73	6
Wanganui Girls' College .. .. .	..	105	..	..	..	14	..	119	20
Palmerston North Boys' High School .. .. .	34	..	..	..	11	..	45	..	..
Palmerston North Girls' High School .. .. .	..	11	..	1	..	4	..	16	..
Gisborne High School .. .. .	28	17	..	..	11	13	39	30	22
Napier Boys' High School .. .. .	57	..	..	..	1	..	58	..	..
Napier Girls' High School .. .. .	..	44	..	..	..	11	..	55	9
Hastings High School .. .. .	..	..	..	..	9	6	9	6	..
Dannevirke High School .. .. .	13	..	..	2	3	4	16	6	..
Wairarapa High School .. .. .	44	..	..	..	12	16	56	16	..
Hutt Valley High School .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..
Wellington College .. .. .	71	..	..	..	6	..	77	..	..
Wellington Girls' College .. .. .	..	30	..	..	..	10	..	40	..
Wellington East Girls' College .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	5	..
Marlborough High School .. .. .	..	..	..	..	4	20	4	20	..
Nelson College .. .. .	119	..	..	..	9	..	128	..	13
Nelson Girls' College .. .. .	..	72	..	..	..	18	..	90	13
Rangiora High School .. .. .	8	12	..	..	..	5	8	17	..
Christchurch Boys' High School .. .. .	39	..	..	..	10	..	49	..	..
Christchurch Girls' High School .. .. .	..	40	..	..	..	29	..	69	..
Ashburton High School .. .. .	7	7	..	..	8	6	15	13	..
Timaru Boys' High School .. .. .	86	..	..	..	3	..	89	..	24
Timaru Girls' High School .. .. .	..	46	..	..	..	11	..	57	5
Waitaki Boys' High School .. .. .	160	..	..	..	9	..	169	..	..
Waitaki Girls' High School .. .. .	..	32	..	..	..	14	..	46	..
Otago Boys' High School .. .. .	44	..	..	..	24	..	68	..	..
Otago Girls' High School .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	24	..	24	..
South Otago High School .. .. .	..	..	..	..	2	5	2	5	..
Gore High School .. .. .	22	12	..	..	5	5	27	17	..
Southland Boys' High School .. .. .	..	..	1	..	20	..	21	..	..
Southland Girls' High School .. .. .	..	..	..	4	..	24	..	28	..
Total, A .. .. .	987	534	37	30	244	368	1,268	932	129
<i>B. Endowed Schools.</i>									
Wanganui Collegiate School .. .. .	219	..	..	..	..	..	219	..	..
Christ's College Grammar School .. .. .	194	..	..	..	..	..	194	..	..
Total, B .. .. .	413	..	..	..	..	..	413	..	..
Grand totals .. .. .	1,400	534	37	30	244	368	1,681	932	129

TABLE K 7.—RECEIPTS OF SECONDARY-SCHOOL BOARDS AND ENDOWED SCHOOLS FOR THE YEAR 1927.

Board.	Endowment Income Account.			Endowment Capital Account.			Buildings and Sites Account.				Lower Department Account.				Hostels Account.		
	Balance, 1st January, 1927.	From Reserves.		Interest, &c.	Balance, 1st January, 1927.	Sales of Endowments.	Government Grants and Subsidies.	Voluntary Contributions and Miscellaneous.	Transfers from other Accounts.	Balance, 1st January, 1927.	Fees.	Sundries.	Balance, 1st January, 1927.	Boarding Fees.	Advances to Boarders refunded.	Transfers and Sundries.	
		Vested in Boards.	Administered by Land Boards.														
<b>A. Secondary Schools.</b>																	
Whangarei High School	£	261	46	45	£	2,357	£	216	£	1,517	£	327	£	5,340	£	17	
Auckland Grammar School	8,504	10,566	301	410	2,308	480	25,594	497	1,823	1,823	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Thames High School	15	1,282	..	152	..	..	166	50	1,187	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Hamilton High School	37	966	46	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Rotorua High School	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
New Plymouth High School	23	1,270	1,136	..	..	..	16,282	1,665	4,338	61	992	135	3,100	13,133	3,422	975	
Wanganui Girls' College	760	1,136	331	..	..	..	46	60	805	441	500	29	389	6,671	2,214	191	
Palmerston North High School	9	..	449	..	..	..	101	93	170	44	..	..	44	2,581	488	143	
Gisborne High School	500	2,899	..	..	7	..	360	..	3,310	762	488	19	745	3,500	757	..	
Napier High School	105	427	1,044	300	..	..	1,469	2,467	3,285	59	630	24	2,380	7,337	1,050	8	
Hastings High School	..	..	509	..	..	..	346	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Dannevirke High School	25	..	287	..	..	..	83	..	64	..	..	..	74*	490	..	..	
Wairarapa High School	230	..	359	..	..	..	275	176	194	..	..	..	103	2,586	210	6	
Hutt Valley High School	339	..	192	55	..	..	84	56	33	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Wellington College	339	11,555	1,723	40	4,326	780	1,361	4,890	1,610	100	..	1,797	228*	5,891	64	470	
Marlborough High School	..	..	87	400	..	..	1,011	..	100	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Nelson College	..	1,117	394	..	..	..	884	588	2,444	308	991	..	1,701	13,563	1,749	218	
Rangiora High School	..	280	..	..	..	..	101	226	382	..	..	..	268*	995	..	19	
Christchurch Boys' High School	..	6,174	..	251	..	..	3,393	..	5,003	..	..	..	890*	2,263	..	..	
Christchurch Girls' High School	..	528	..	23	..	..	6,614	4	358	41	..	..	851*	1,969	..	52	
Akaroa High School	2,699	304	97	46	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,379*	..	..	..	
Hokitika High School	2,802	..	..	253	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Ashburton High School	..	1,287	..	3	40	..	121	550	1,305	..	..	..	135	..	..	103	
Timaru High School	..	2,584	..	..	..	..	113	100	2,022	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Waimate High School	3,963	345	..	210	..	..	4,572	2,058	1,440	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Waitaki High School	..	1,937	269	201	..	..	2,296	..	1,706	..	..	..	1,166	2,071	..	132	
Otago High School	309	3,998	569	44	..	..	104	..	59	..	..	..	664	2,291	311	..	
South Otago High School	..	..	65	..	..	..	260	150	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Gore High School	366	65	118	..	..	..	1,591	..	1,200	..	..	..	..	1,255	..	..	
Southland High School	612	1,861	278	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Totals	21,637	50,881	8,300	2,437	9,038	780	74,374	13,042	34,355	1,672	3,601	2,004	6,747	72,799	10,305	2,334	
<b>B. Endowed Schools.</b>																	
Wanganui Collegiate School	..	5,667	..	10,898†	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	22,866	4,243	..	
Christ's College	..	..	..	3,429	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13,831	..	..	
Totals	..	5,667	..	14,327	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	36,697	4,243	..	

\* Account overdrawn.

† Includes receipts for General Trust Account.

TABLE K 7.—RECEIPTS OF SECONDARY-SCHOOL BOARDS AND ENDOWED SCHOOLS FOR THE YEAR 1927—continued.

Board.	General Account.					Manual and Science Instruction Account.					Special Accounts.			
	Balance, 1st January, 1927.	From Government.		Voluntary Contributions.	School Fees.	Sundries.	Transfers from other Accounts.	Balance, 1st January, 1927.	Government (Application and Grants).	Sundries.	Transfers from other Accounts.	Balance, 1st January, 1927.	Miscellaneous.	Transfers from other Accounts.
		Teachers' Salaries.	Incidental Expenses.											
<i>A. Secondary Schools.</i>														
Whangarei High School	£ 20*	9,664	1,438	7	134	8	444	311	9	9	1	359	..	£
Auckland Grammar School	730	29,680	6,948	69	964	191	9,081	1,505	..	..	5,445	438	..	..
Thames High School	370	3,475	569	..	62	2	79	63	..	..	56	2	..	..
Hamilton High School	790	6,365	1,013	..	136	20	149	100	..	..	..	..	..	..
Rotorua High School	..	1,880	362	12	35	517	674	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
New Plymouth High School	367	8,990	1,398	..	507	173	777	258	2	..	90	4	..	..
Wanganui Girls' College	833	3,949	776	..	239	2,139	293	75	11	..	..	10	..	..
Palmerston North High School	19	8,440	1,280	19	212	76	268	17*	..	..	550	25	..	..
Gisborne High School	382	7,175	1,096	10	195	..	906	14	..	..	290	331	..	1,124
Napier High School	2,184	8,930	1,455	..	208	3,803	906	40*	20	..	..	..	..	..
Hastings High School	199	3,960	623	36	95	134	331	33*	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dannevirke High School	275	2,795	468	2	14	17	215	8	..	..	64*	14	..	..
Wairarapa High School	841	4,390	725	..	261	21	79	27	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hutt Valley High School	48	3,630	638	81	47	35	343	20	2	..	..	..	..	..
Wellington College	2,776	16,650	4,180	73	531	684	3,123	95*	112	..	..	..	..	..
Marlborough High School	76	6,780	976	10	141	157	231	38	..	..	87	..	..	..
Nelson College	1,121*	9,110	1,565	265	669	486	2,230	5	..	..	..	..	..	..
Rangiora High School	55*	3,553	380	189	63	161	34	43	..	..	7	..	..	..
Christchurch Boys' High School	..	7,990	1,518	6	224	6	97	265*	..	..	..	..	..	..
Christchurch Girls' High School	1,873	7,150	1,465	..	203	413	161	54*	191	..	..	..	..	..
Akaroa High School	..	..	..	..	..	..	274	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hokitika High School	..	..	..	..	..	..	279	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ashburton High School	..	3,425	630	..	132	22	203	131	..	..	36	50	..	..
Timaru High School	270*	9,150	1,550	..	245	225	399	67	..	..	85	3	..	..
Waimate High School	..	..	..	..	..	..	124	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Waitaki High School	1,680	11,400	1,518	64	524	1,081	750	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Otago High School	3,302	16,460	2,875	18	335	1,180	866	664	..	..	2,745	153	..	..
South Otago High School	168	1,848	375	..	4	19	61	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Gore High School	905	4,350	658	150	109	149	120	2*	3	..	..	545	..	..
Southland High School	1,532	8,255	1,265	119	154	44	762	151*	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals .. ..	17,884	209,444	37,744	1,112	2,532	6,443	23,447	267	5,738	350	9,328	1,934	1,124	..
<i>B. Endowed Schools.</i>														
Wanganui Collegiate School	..	..	..	..	4,379	1,255	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Christ's College	..	..	..	..	9,229	1,728	7,465	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals .. ..	..	..	..	..	13,608	2,983	7,465	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

\* Accounts overdrawn.

TABLE K 8.—PAYMENTS OF SECONDARY-SCHOOL BOARDS AND ENDOWED SCHOOLS FOR THE YEAR 1927.

Board.	Endowments Income Account.			Endowments Capital Account.			Buildings and Sites Account.				Lower Department Account.			
	Office Salaries and Expenses.	Expenditure on Endowments.	Transfers to other Accounts.	Balance, 31st December, 1927.	Purchase of Endowments and Transfers.	Balance, 31st December, 1927.	Expenditure on Buildings, Sites, Furniture, and Apparatus.	Loans repaid.	Interest on Loans and sundry.	Balance, 31st December, 1927.	Teachers' Salaries.	Incidental Expenses.	Miscellaneous.	Balance, 31st December, 1927.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
<b>A. Secondary Schools.</b>														
Whangarei High School	25	216	110	6,481	1,517	840	1,344	..	323	66	..	..	..	..
Auckland Grammar School	536	1,859	10,904	2,308	..	2,308	28,192	..	..	203	..	..	..	..
Thames High School	102	80	1,266	..	..	..	459	537	181	..	..	..	..	..
Hamilton High School	..	73	54	..	..	..	121	..	95	..	..	..	..	..
Rotorua High School	54	..	674	239	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
New Plymouth High School	50	112	2,266	..	..	..	20,935	958	655	82	840	27	8	..
Wanganui Girls' College	55	25	1,098	1,048	..	..	77	599	206	10	449	3	412	..
Palmerston North High School	..	..	426	31	..	..	556	100	..	1,358*	370	..	138	..
Gisborne High School	75	246	3,078	..	..	7	115	3,000	137	248*	555	674	66	..
Napier High School	13	91	1,667	..	..	..	2,402	489	1,190	..	13	30	..	..
Hastings High School	..	..	226	388	..	..	316	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dannevirke High School	..	..	280	104	..	..	147	..	..	1,337*	..	..	..	..
Wairarapa High School	..	..	7	511	..	..	675	..	3	20	..	..	..	..
Hutt Valley High School	6	..	376	204	..	..	492	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wellington College	272	1,767	4,732	6,545	..	5,106	15,025	..	3,330	3,083*	..	..	1,797	..
Marlborough High School	..	..	266	560	..	..	2,472	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nelson College	50	..	1,451	..	..	..	2,450	..	..	1,466	775	..	313	..
Rangiora High School	..	..	280	..	..	..	447	142	103	101	..	..	..	..
Christchurch Boys' High School	250	1,075	5,101	..	..	..	1,453	..	3,073	610*	..	..	..	..
Christchurch Girls' High School	22	10	519	..	..	..	6,671	25	333	21*	..	..	41	..
Akaroa High School	..	..	274	2,775	..	..	..	..	..	23	..	..	..	..
Hokitika High School	25	42	279	2,806	..	..	811	550	..	2,550*	..	..	..	..
Ashburton High School	30	29	1,129	103	..	40	456	936	187	1,689*	..	..	..	..
Timaru High School	87	216	2,281	..	..	..	..	..	449	..	..	..	..	..
Waimate High School	50	9	124	4,334	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Waitaki High School	143	74	2,190	3,591	..	..	10,008	350	23	3,132*	..	..	..	..
Otago High School	239	63	1,028	3,591	..	..	3,983	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
South Otago High School	..	..	61	4	..	..	163	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Gore High School	..	..	120	429	..	..	890	..	..	441*	..	..	..	..
Southland High School	80	41	1,962	668	..	..	2,504	..	1,200	583*	..	..	..	..
Totals	2,164	6,037	44,229	30,821	1,517	8,301	103,164	7,686	11,498	13,077*	2,989	779	734	2,775
<b>B. Endowed Schools.</b>														
Wanganui Collegiate School	364	18,509†	..	2,308*	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Christ's College	183	416	2,830	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals	547	18,925	2,830	2,308*	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

\* Accounts overdrawn.

† Includes also miscellaneous expenditure from General Trust Account.

TABLE K 8.—PAYMENTS OF SECONDARY-SCHOOL BOARDS AND ENDOWED SCHOOLS FOR THE YEAR 1927—continued.

Board.	Hostels Account.		General Account.						Manual and Science Instruction Account.		Special Accounts.	
	Total Payments.	Balance, 31st Dec. cember, 1927.	Teachers' Salaries.	Incidental Expenses.	Maintenance of Buildings, Rent, and Rates.	Sundry.	Transfers to other Accounts.	Balance, 31st Dec. cember, 1927.	Material, &c.	Balance, 31st Dec. cember, 1927.	Total Payments.	Balance, 31st Dec. cember, 1927.
<b>A. Secondary Schools.</b>												
Whangarei High School ..	£ 5,974	£ 290*	£ 9,672	£ 1,409	£ 118	£ 79	£	£ 396	£ 320	£	£ 357	£ 2
Auckland Grammar School ..	..	..	38,894	6,266	577	271	..	1,704	589	774	383	5,500
Thames High School ..	..	..	3,554	362	155	..	..	486	21	60	4	54
Hamilton High School ..	..	..	6,476	1,102	114	3	..	777	7	93	..	..
Rotorua High School ..	..	..	2,451	349	189	177	..	381	..	..	..	..
New Plymouth High School ..	..	..	2,451	2,008	304	77	..	68	280	46*	4	90
Wanganui Girls' College ..	..	..	9,784	824	79	326	..	747	104	71	10	..
Palmerston North High School ..	..	..	8,500	1,123	115	69	..	527	128	5*	25	550
Gisborne High School ..	..	..	7,030	1,000	106	46	..	521	256	167*	1,599	146
Napier High School ..	..	..	9,276	1,336	767	5,747	2,105	862*	456	74*	..	..
Hastings High School ..	..	..	4,130	718	82	579	..	1*	28	8*	..	..
Dannevirke High School ..	..	..	2,755	432	168	..	..	430	9	26	70	120*
Wairarapa High School ..	..	..	4,884	648	..	305	..	480	94	7*	..	..
Hutt Valley High School ..	..	..	3,993	700	18	107	..	189	284	64	..	..
Wellington College ..	..	..	24,516	3,641	1,083	463	..	1,645*	381	195	..	..
Marlborough High School ..	..	..	7,309	927	238	258	115	460*	208	50*	87	..
Nelson College ..	..	..	9,925	1,507	387	2,006	55	551*	105	327	..	..
Rangiora High School ..	..	..	3,461	385	118	267	136	100	60	48	..	7
Christchurch Boys' High School ..	..	..	9,361	1,256	97	..	..	791*	103	87*	..	..
Christchurch Girls' High School ..	..	..	7,300	1,650	565	222	..	1,594	224	135	..	..
Akaroa High School ..	..	..	..	..	..	274	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hokitika High School ..	..	..	47	..	..	232	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ashburton High School ..	..	..	3,542	492	86	36	248	8	205	73*	51	36
Timaru High School ..	..	..	9,520	1,559	260	230	..	160*	289	70*	3	85
Waimate High School ..	..	..	65	..	..	59	..	..	..	..	..	..
Waikato High School ..	..	..	11,898	1,678	751	854	..	2,179	343	236*	..	..
Otago High School ..	..	..	17,125	2,913	544	601	1,622	2,232	335	329	122	2,777
South Otago High School ..	..	..	1,824	249	136	19	59	235	18	18*	..	..
Gore High School ..	..	..	4,561	647	162	173	..	897	97	18*	40	505
Southland High School ..	..	..	8,917	1,010	188	241	..	1,807	146	3	..	..
<b>Totals</b> ..	87,622	4,558	235,072	36,191	7,407	15,721	4,678	11,288	5,090	1,266	2,755	9,632
<b>B. Endowed Schools.</b>												
Wanganui Collegiate School ..	20,381	6,728	7,766	2,691	1,143	1,657	..	7,622*	..	..	..	..
Christ's College ..	14,071	240*	8,575	2,779	1,273	3,066	529	2,200	..	..	..	..
<b>Totals</b> ..	34,452	6,468	16,341	5,470	2,416	4,723	529	5,422*	..	..	..	..

\* Account overdrawn.



TABLE K 10.—SECONDARY-SCHOOLS HOSTELS FOR YEAR 1927.—AVERAGE INCOME AND EXPENDITURE PER BOARDER PER WEEK.

Hostel.	Number of Boarders at 30th June, 1927.	Expenditure.											Profit	Loss.	
		Income.		General Expenses.	Provisions.	Supervision by Teachers.	Wages.	Light, Fuel, &c.	Repairs.	Rates, Interest, and Rent.	Other Expenses.	Depreciation.			Total.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.												
Christchurch Boys'	39	1 4 3	1 3	7 2	2 8	6 5	1 10	0 9	0 5	2 7	2 9	1 5 10	1 7	3 11	1 7
Christchurch Girls'	40	1 0 0	0 10	3 10	0 7	4 8	0 9	1 7	0 4	1 4	2 2	0 16 1	..	1 0	..
Dannevirke Boys'	13	0 18 1	..	11 4	..	3 3	1 6	..	..	..	1 0	0 17 1	..	..	..
Gisborne Boys'	46	1 2 3	0 5	6 9	4 2	5 7	1 8	1 4	0 1	0 10	2 3	1 3 1	..	..	0 10
Gisborne Girls'	21	1 6 0	0 7	7 4	3 4	10 6	2 8	0 3	0 3	0 5	3 10	1 9 2	..	..	3 2
Gore High ..	34	0 14 9	0 1	6 2	0 6	4 11	1 1	0 8	0 5	0 2	3 4	0 16 5	..	..	1 8
Hamilton Girls'	19	1 1 1	1 2	6 2	3 1	5 7	1 2	0 5	5 1	0 3	0 7	1 3 6	..	..	2 5
Mount Albert Grammar Boys	24	1 5 1	0 2	6 10	1 11	6 1	1 8	0 5	0 4	4 8	1 4	1 3 5	..	..	..
Napier Boys' ..	57	1 12 4	1 4	10 1	2 7	7 1	1 10	..	0 1	3 2	3 6	1 9 8	..	..	..
Napier Girls' ..	53	1 2 6	1 6	5 6	1 1	6 3	1 4	..	0 9	1 0	2 6	0 19 11	..	..	2 7
Nelson Boys' ..	132	1 3 9	0 8	10 1	..	5 4	1 7	0 10	1 0	0 3	1 1	1 0 10	..	..	..
Nelson Girls' ..	85	1 3 9	1 1	9 3	..	5 5	1 6	0 6	0 7	0 6	1 3	1 0 1	..	..	..
New Plymouth Boys'	176	1 1 9	0 1	8 5	1 7	4 2	1 7	0 2	0 4	0 7	1 8	0 18 7	..	..	..
New Plymouth Girls'	65	1 1 5	0 3	5 3	3 4	3 9	1 4	0 3	2 9	1 0	1 0	0 18 11	..	..	..
Otago Boys' ..	44	1 2 8	0 9	6 9	2 10	6 6	1 8	0 7	1 0	0 2	2 2	1 2 8	..	..	..
Palmerston North Boys'	34	1 2 11	..	7 6	3 6	5 5	1 4	0 5	2 6	0 2	1 8	1 1 1	..	..	..
Palmerston North Girls'	11	0 19 6	0 7	8 3	..	8 8	1 1	0 7	4 2	1 2	..	1 6 3	..	..	2 9
Rangiora ..	20	0 19 6	0 7	8 3	..	8 5	1 6	0 7	..	0 11	2 0	1 2 3	..	..	..
Timaru Girls' ..	51	1 3 6	2 0	7 9	2 9	5 3	1 7	..	0 5	0 1	1 11	1 1 9	..	..	..
Waitarapa Boys'	44	1 4 9	0 5	7 1	..	4 7	2 1	0 2	0 2	1 1	4 6	1 1 1	..	..	..
Waitaki Girls'	36	1 3 8	0 4	8 5	0 10	5 6	1 3	1 0	0 4	2 3	2 2	1 2 1	..	..	..
Wanganui Girls'	125	1 1 1	0 7	9 0	..	4 3	2 6	0 7	0 1	1 9	2 7	1 1 4	..	..	0 3
Wellington Boys'	71	1 3 8	1 0	7 5	2 3	7 0	2 3	1 0	..	0 5	3 1	1 4 5	..	..	0 9
Wellington Girls'	30	1 5 8	1 2	5 11	1 0	5 11	1 7	0 7	..	0 5	4 11	1 1 6	..	..	..
Whangarei Boys'	76	1 1 3	0 3	8 9	1 6	3 8	0 9	0 5	..	1 11	1 6	0 18 9	..	..	..
Whangarei Girls'	30	1 0 8	0 5	8 2	1 3	5 10	1 6	0 6	..	1 7	1 4	1 0 7	..	..	..
All schools	1,376	1 2 10	0 8	7 10	1 5	5 4	1 8	0 6	0 7	1 1	2 1	1 1 3	..	..	0 4

NOTE.—This return is based on a fifty-two-week year, whereas the boarders are usually in residence for only forty weeks; the average weekly cost of maintaining each boarder, is therefore approximately 25 per cent. greater than the figures shown.

TABLE K II.—BALANCES AND ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF SECONDARY-SCHOOL BOARDS AND ENDOWED SCHOOLS AS AT 31ST DECEMBER, 1927.

Secondary-school Boards.	Balance, 1st January, 1927.		Assets.		Total.		Liabilities.		Total.		Balance, 31st December, 1927.
	£	s. d.	Bank Balances and Investments.	Amounts owing to Board.	£	s. d.	Overdrafts and Loans.	Other Liabilities.	£	s. d.	
<i>A. Secondary Schools.</i>											
Whangarei High School	Cr.	1,219 5 7	1,304 11 8	774 2 7	2,078 14 3	2,350 9 1	546 4 7	2,896 13 8	Dr.	817 19 5	
Auckland Grammar School	Cr.	13,220 0 7	16,254 13 7	1,590 2 9	17,844 16 4	Nil	6,439 2 6	6,439 2 6	Cr.	11,405 13 10	
Thames High School	Dr.	1,347 4 9	600 3 10	2,325 18 2	2,926 2 0	3,611 13 6	75 10 11	3,687 4 5	Dr.	761 2 5	
Rotorua High School			398 2 1	108 8 5	506 10 6	Nil	283 2 6	283 2 6	Cr.	223 8 0	
Hamilton High School	Cr.	1,107 17 6	598 12 6	324 3 1	922 15 7	Nil	97 12 0	97 12 0	Cr.	825 3 7	
New Plymouth High School	Dr.	5,306 9 7	2,386 3 6	1,155 0 3	3,541 4 3	11,018 8 0	410 2 6	11,428 10 6	Dr.	7,887 6 3	
Wanganui Girls' College	Cr.	1,918 10 4	4,855 9 7	1,342 11 3	6,198 0 10	2,713 19 2	334 9 11	3,048 9 1	Dr.	3,149 11 9	
Palmerston North High School	Dr.	4,265 12 5	1,847 16 6	1,241 15 2	3,089 11 8	4,753 6 5	91 4 0	4,844 10 5	Dr.	1,754 18 9	
Gisborne High School	Dr.	72 10 11	635 8 8	1,554 10 7	2,189 19 3	Nil	849 12 10	849 12 10	Cr.	1,340 6 5	
Napier High School	Dr.	16,115 18 10	7,852 4 8	3,505 19 1	11,458 3 9	22,401 6 1	3,515 2 7	25,916 8 8	Dr.	14,458 4 11	
Hastings High School	Cr.	323 14 4	391 12 1	358 5 8	749 17 9	Nil	498 14 6	498 14 6	Cr.	251 3 3	
Dannevirke High School	Cr.	321 2 4	284 16 1	355 19 7	640 15 8	Nil	610 4 6	640 15 8	Cr.	640 15 8	
Wairarapa High School	Cr.	304 18 9	511 15 0	491 9 10	1,003 4 10	209 14 9	219 7 9	819 19 3	Cr.	183 5 7	
Hutt Valley High School	Cr.	358 4 0	477 5 9	190 8 6	667 14 3	Nil	665 4 9	219 7 9	Cr.	448 6 6	
Wellington College	Dr.	47,914 0 0	7,246 15 0	2,202 6 10	9,449 1 10	55,500 0 0	800 0 0	56,165 4 9	Dr.	46,716 2 11	
Marlborough High School	Cr.	45 13 10	899 13 1	187 2 1	1,086 15 2	Nil	2,975 0 0	7,995 0 0	Cr.	286 15 2	
Nelson College	Dr.	1,417 14 8	5,182 8 3	2,762 2 8	7,944 10 11	5,020 0 0	229 13 2	7,995 0 0	Dr.	50 9 1	
Rangiora High School	Dr.	1,710 4 8	Nil	248 3 0	248 3 0	1,490 4 8	46 3 4	1,719 17 10	Dr.	1,471 14 10	
Christchurch Boys' High School†	Dr.	49,036 13 8	Nil	1,344 1 10	1,344 1 10	49,519 18 5	46 3 4	49,566 1 9	Dr.	48,221 19 11	
Christchurch Girls' High School†	Dr.	3,724 15 0	1,372 14 10	260 6 8	1,633 1 6	5,016 16 0	167 3 10	5,183 19 10	Dr.	3,550 18 4	
Akaroa High School	Cr.	1,370 4 1	1,442 6 7	27 14 7	1,470 1 2	23 6 1	Nil	23 6 1	Cr.	1,446 15 1	
Hokitika High School	Cr.	2,804 6 5	2,810 11 11	178 12 9	2,989 4 8	5 0 0	26 4 8	31 4 8	Cr.	2,958 0 0	
Ashburton High School	Dr.	3,354 16 10	1,273 2 10	212 9 4	1,485 12 2	2,550 0 0	22 14 0	2,572 14 0	Dr.	1,087 1 10	
Timaru High School	Dr.	7,352 8 1	85 0 0	1,403 17 5	1,488 17 5	6,922 10 10	294 17 8	7,217 8 6	Dr.	5,728 11 1	
Waimate High School	Cr.	3,949 0 1	4,333 18 8	Nil	4,333 18 8	Nil	14 9 7	14 9 7	Cr.	4,319 9 1	
Waitaki High School	Cr.	2,638 0 7	589 17 0	2,159 13 1	2,749 10 1	339 3 9	880 0 7	1,219 3 9	Cr.	1,530 6 4	
Otago High School	Cr.	4,873 10 0	9,833 17 2	923 3 5	10,757 0 7	Nil	3,179 15 0	3,179 15 0	Cr.	7,577 4 10	
South Otago High School			217 13 9	64 12 8	282 6 5	Nil	Nil	282 6 5	Cr.	282 6 5	
Gore High School	Cr.	1,284 13 9	1,186 11 5	577 9 5	1,764 0 10	Nil	499 11 5	499 11 5	Cr.	1,264 9 5	
Southland High School	Dr.	16,914 4 4	1,895 19 7	2,057 6 1	3,953 5 8	20,000 0 0	685 17 2	20,685 17 2	Dr.	16,732 11 6	
Totals	Dr.	122,844 11 7	76,769 5 7	30,028 17 3	106,798 2 10	198,445 16 9	24,457 6 5	217,903 3 2	Dr.	111,105 0 4	
<i>B. Endowed Schools.</i>											
Wanganui Collegiate School	Dr.	100,760 1 4	Nil	5,770 7 3	5,770 7 3	107,472 16 5	13,107 1 4	120,579 17 9	Dr.	114,809 10 6	
Christ's College†											
Totals	Dr.	100,760 1 4	Nil	5,770 7 3	5,770 7 3	107,472 16 5	13,107 1 4	120,579 17 9	Dr.	114,809 10 6	

\* School established in 1927. † Canterbury College Board. ‡ Return not available.

TABLE K 12.—LOWER DEPARTMENTS OF SECONDARY SCHOOLS, 1927.—AVERAGE ATTENDANCE ROLL, CLASSIFICATION, AND STAFF.

School.	Average Attendance, 1927.	Roll Number at 31st December, 1927.		Classification according to Standards of Pupils on Roll at 30th June, 1927.																Number of Teachers on Staff.			
		Boys.	Girls.	Class P.		S1.		S2.		S3.		S4.		S5.		S6.		Totals.		Totals.	M.	F.	
				B.	G.	B.	G.	B.	G.	B.	G.	B.	G.	B.	G.	B.	G.	B.	G.				
New Plymouth Boys' High ..	34-00	39	..	..	..	3	..	4	..	2	..	5	..	9	..	16	..	39	..	39	2	..	
New Plymouth Girls' High ..	47-00	8	49	3	7	2	4	1	3	1	9	..	3	1	9	..	14	8	49	57	..	2	
Wanganui Girls' College ..	37-00	..	42	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	3	..	5	..	13	..	15	..	37	37	..	2
Gisborne High ..	31-40	26	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	4	3	2	8	2	13	4	26	12	38	..	2	
Napier Girls' High ..	49-90	..	55	..	5	..	4	..	8	..	5	..	6	..	14	..	18	..	60	60	..	2	
Nelson College ..	33-09	38	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	8	..	9	..	13	..	36	..	36	1	..	
Nelson Girls' College ..	53-40	..	60	..	..	..	..	..	7	..	8	..	9	..	18	..	18	..	60	60	..	2	
Timaru Boys' High ..	53-60	56	..	..	3	..	1	..	6	..	13	..	12	..	22	..	57	..	57	1	1		
Timaru Girls' High ..	21-10	..	26	..	3	..	2	..	3	..	2	..	3	..	5	..	8	..	26	26	..	1	
Totals ..	..	360-49	167	244	3	15	8	10	6	22	17	31	29	28	39	61	64	77	166	244	410	4	12

DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOLS.

TABLE L 1.—AVERAGE ATTENDANCE, ROLL, AND NUMBER OF GOVERNMENT FREE-PLACE HOLDERS AT SECONDARY DEPARTMENTS OF DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOLS FOR 1927.

Education District.	Number of Schools.	Average Attendance, 1927.	Roll Number, 31st December, 1927.			Roll Number, 1st March, 1927.	Number of Holders of Government Free-places on Roll at 30th June, 1927.		Ages of Pupils on Roll at 30th June, 1927.														Totals of All Ages.	
			B.	G.	Total.		Junior.	Senior.	Under 13 Years.		13 to 14 Years.		14 to 15 Years.		15 to 16 Years.		16 to 17 Years.		Over 17 Years.		B.	G.		
									B.	G.	B.	G.	B.	G.	B.	G.	B.	G.	B.	G.				
Auckland ..	24	1,130	567	574	1,141	1,392	1,008	253	17	21	108	119	223	203	181	179	80	84	48	47	657	653		
Taranaki ..	3	75	52	31	83	95	78	15	2	3	13	9	22	9	14	6	7	5	1	5	59	37		
Wanganui ..	5	189	108	80	188	220	171	31	11	4	24	20	52	36	23	20	13	10	2	..	125	90		
Hawke's Bay ..	6	228	119	117	236	276	186	63	7	12	20	27	37	36	35	31	24	17	11	12	134	135		
Wellington ..	7	274	135	141	276	326	192	112	17	14	27	29	54	52	41	31	13	19	6	7	158	152		
Nelson ..	5	226	121	97	218	267	187	58	13	10	24	25	50	27	30	23	17	13	7	9	141	107		
Canterbury ..	15	844	397	429	826	973	758	127	13	19	88	92	135	169	137	108	59	58	23	21	455	467		
Otago ..	11	338	155	175	330	374	273	79	4	6	35	41	53	52	51	42	20	35	12	15	175	191		
Southland ..	3	147	65	80	145	170	136	19	4	5	18	19	23	26	14	20	9	12	2	10	70	92		
Totals for 1927	79	3,451	1,719	1,724	3,443	4,093	2,989	757	88	94	357	381	649	610	526	460	242	253	112	126	1,974	1,924		

TABLE L2.—CLASSIFICATION OF PUPILS ON ROLL OF SECONDARY DEPARTMENTS OF DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOLS AT THE 30TH JUNE, 1927, ACCORDING TO YEARS OF ATTENDANCE.

Education District.	First Year.		Second Year.		Third Year.		Fourth Year.		Fifth Year.		Sixth Year.		Totals.		Grand Totals.	Number of New* Entrants in 1927 who had not previously received Secondary Education.	
	B.	G.	B.	G.	B.	G.	B.	G.	B.	G.	B.	G.	B.	G.		B.	G.
Auckland ..	349	306	184	196	81	99	38	35	5	17	..	..	657	653	1,310	382	345
Taranaki ..	40	21	12	5	6	9	1	2	..	..	..	..	59	37	96	45	23
Wanganui ..	76	51	39	25	6	10	4	3	..	1	..	..	125	90	215	73	49
Hawke's Bay ..	69	77	40	36	18	14	7	7	..	1	..	..	134	135	269	77	78
Wellington ..	76	72	50	44	19	21	12	10	1	4	..	1	158	152	310	78	77
Nelson ..	70	52	39	29	20	17	8	8	4	1	..	..	141	107	248	84	53
Canterbury ..	221	245	131	133	73	57	23	25	6	5	1	2	455	467	922	230	252
Otago ..	72	83	57	58	27	26	15	16	4	6	..	2	175	191	366	74	87
Southland ..	40	44	17	20	10	13	1	10	2	5	..	..	70	92	162	40	48
Totals ..	1,013	951	569	546	260	266	109	116	22	40	1	5	1,974	1,924	3,898	1,083	1,012

\* Pupils under this heading who were on the roll at 30th June, 1927, are of course included in the first two columns of this table under the heading "First Year."

TABLE L3.—SUBJECTS TAKEN BY PUPILS IN SECONDARY DEPARTMENTS OF DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOLS, 1927.

Subject.	Number of Pupils taking Subjects.		Percentage of Whole Number.	
	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.
English ..	1,793	1,824	100-00	100-0
Arithmetic ..	1,780	1,812	99-3	99-3
Geography, history, and civics ..	1,765	1,806	98-4	99-0
Latin ..	172	123	9-6	6-7
French ..	1,490	1,410	83-1	77-3
Mathematics ..	1,638	1,468	91-4	80-5
Chemistry and physics ..	1,524	1,464	85-0	80-3
Botany ..	90	97	5-0	5-3
Agricultural science ..	1,355	404	75-6	22-1
Domestic science ..	128	1,034	7-1	56-7
Needlework and cookery ..	..	1,083	..	59-4
Woodwork and metalwork ..	961	..	53-6	..
Book-keeping and commercial work ..	466	505	26-0	27-7
Shorthand and typewriting ..	181	230	10-0	12-6
Drawing ..	107	130	6-0	7-1
Music ..	92	247	5-1	13-5
Scripture ..	23	16	1-3	0-9
Gardening ..	22	..	1-2	..
Dairy science ..	307	200	17-1	11-0
Hygiene ..	62	196	3-5	10-7
Writing ..	48	63	2-7	3-5
Total number of pupils ..	1,793	1,824	100-0	100-0

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