

TABLE K I.—SOME PARTICULARS RELATING TO SECONDARY EDUCATION FOR THE YEARS 1927 AND 1928

	1927.	1928.
Secondary schools—		
Number of Government secondary schools .. .. .	41	43
Number of endowed schools .. .. .	2	2
Number of boys at Government secondary schools .. .. .	7,306	7,808
Number of girls at Government secondary schools .. .. .	6,337	6,654
Number of boys at endowed schools .. .. .	547	576
Number of girls at endowed schools .. .. .	Nil	Nil
Number of free pupils at Government secondary schools .. .. .	13,901*	14,931*
Number of pupils commencing secondary education .. .. .	5,582	6,037
Number of pupils leaving school .. .. .	4,855	4,995
Secondary departments of district high schools—		
Number of secondary departments .. .. .	79	79
Number of boys in attendance .. .. .	1,719	1,889
Number of girls in attendance .. .. .	1,724	1,784
Number of free pupils .. .. .	3,746*	4,033*
Number of pupils commencing secondary education .. .. .	2,095	2,198
Number of pupils leaving school .. .. .	1,566	1,596
Expenditure by Government in financial year—		
Payments to Education Boards for—	£	£
District high schools—Secondary teachers' salaries .. .. .	52,359	58,254
National scholarships .. .. .	11,280	11,273
Payments to secondary schools and colleges for—		
Salaries and incidental expenses .. .. .	248,790	267,282
Manual-instruction capitation .. .. .	4,414	4,606
Subsidies on voluntary contributions .. .. .	2,018	1,750
New buildings, equipment, furniture, and sites .. .. .	93,878	44,382
Maintenance of school buildings .. .. .	1,131	1,453
Reserves revenue .. .. .	8,280	10,556
Conveyance of pupils to secondary and district high schools .. .. .	7,887	8,618
Sundry .. .. .	3,570	3,949

\* As at 30th June in each year.