

The following table indicates the number of women teachers for each 100 men teachers :—

TABLE H 2.—RATIO OF WOMEN TO MEN TEACHERS IN PRIMARY SCHOOLS.

	1931.	1932.	1933.	1934.	1935.	1936.	1937.	1938.
Teachers—								
All schools .. ..	174	167	157	156	148	153	148	144
Schools with roll 1-24 ..	156	120	103	89	78	83	78	71
Schools with roll over 24 ..	178	177	170	173	166	169	164	162
Training-college students ..	226	201	163	*	187	166	151	166

\* All training colleges were closed during 1934.

TABLE H 3.—NUMBER OF FULL-TIME TEACHERS EMPLOYED IN DEPARTMENTAL SCHOOLS, DECEMBER, 1937, AND DECEMBER, 1938.

Type of School.	December, 1937.						December, 1938.					
	Principals and Sole and Head Teachers.		Assistant Teachers.		Total Teachers.		Principals and Sole and Head Teachers.		Assistant Teachers.		Total Teachers.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Public (primary) .. ..	1,649	671	860	3,046	2,509	3,717	1,622	602	987	3,152	2,609	3,754
Intermediate* .. ..	5	..	63	60	68	60	6	..	65	61	71	61
Secondary departments of district high schools	†1	..	127	93	128	93	†1	..	146	102	147	102
Secondary .. ..	28	12	337	277	365	289	27	12	326	280	353	292
Combined .. ..	4	3	55	39	59	42	5	3	72	50	77	53
Technical .. ..	21	..	253	151	274	151	20	..	266	154	286	154
Native (primary) .. ..	112	29	14	104	126	133	116	27	21	144	137	171
Chatham Islands .. ..	5	..	1	2	6	2	6	..	..	2	6	2
Correspondence—												
Primary .. ..	1	..	7	33	8	33	1	..	5	34	6	34
Secondary .. ..	..	..	17	17	17	17	..	..	17	21	17	21
Special .. ..	1	3	7	13	8	16	1	3	7	12	8	15
Total .. ..	1,827	718	1,741	3,835	3,568	4,553	1,805	647	1,912	4,012	3,717	4,659

\* Where the intermediate department is attached to a secondary, technical, or district high school only the teachers of Forms I and II are included here.

† This is the head teacher of the Waihi District High School, which has an intermediate department but no primary department.

In addition to the above the following numbers of teachers were also employed :—

	1937.		1938.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.
Manual instructors .. ..	99	79	106	79
Student teachers in technical schools ..	4	6	2	9
Junior assistant teachers in Native schools ..	6	140	3	116