

TABLE K 3.—CHANGE IN AVERAGE NUMBER OF PUPILS PER TEACHER IN PUBLIC PRIMARY SCHOOLS.

Year.	Average Attendance for Year ending 31st August.	Number of Teachers.	Number of Pupils per Teacher.
1935 .. .. .	174,872	6,048	28·9
1936 .. .. .	181,981	6,113	29·8
1937 .. .. .	183,350	6,226	29·4
1938 .. .. .	176,152	6,363	27·7

## II. CLASSIFICATION OF TEACHERS.

The following tables give the status in regard to certificates of teachers in primary schools, intermediate schools and departments, secondary departments of district high schools and Native schools, and the classification of teachers in secondary, technical, and combined schools:—

TABLE L 1.—STATUS IN REGARD TO CERTIFICATES OF TEACHERS IN PRIMARY SCHOOLS AND FORMS I AND II OF INTERMEDIATE SCHOOLS AND DEPARTMENTS AS IN DECEMBER.

	1936.		1937.		1938.	
	Number.	Per-centage.	Number.	Per-centage.	Number.	Per-centage.
I. Certificated teachers .. .. .	6,053	96·63	5,737	89·93	5,698	87·38
II. Uncertificated teachers .. .. .	211	3·37	642	10·07	823	12·62
Totals .. .. .	6,264	100·00	6,379	100·00	6,521	100·00

TABLE L 2.—CERTIFICATES HELD BY TEACHERS IN PRIMARY SCHOOLS AND INTERMEDIATE SCHOOLS AND DEPARTMENTS AS IN DECEMBER.

Class of Certificate.	1937.			1938.		
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
A .. .. .	70	9	79	72	12	84
B .. .. .	900	437	1,337	915	477	1,392
C .. .. .	1,206	2,285	3,491	1,219	2,223	3,442
D .. .. .	205	620	825	188	591	779
E .. .. .	1	7	8	1	5	6
Totals .. .. .	2,382	3,358	5,740	2,395	3,308	5,703

TABLE L 3.—CERTIFICATES HELD BY ASSISTANT TEACHERS IN THE SECONDARY DEPARTMENTS OF DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOLS.

Class of Certificate.	1937.			1938.		
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
A .. .. .	13	4	17	8	7	15
B .. .. .	102	81	183	121	85	206
C .. .. .	10	6	16	14	9	23
D .. .. .	..	1	1	2	..	2
E .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals .. .. .	125	92	217	145	101	246

The difference between the totals here and in Table H 3 is due to the fact that two teachers in these schools are not the holders of teachers' certificates.