

Religious Examination for Schools, 1911.

In the following list only the names of those scholars who gained 40 per cent. or over in any subject are recorded. No Certificates have been awarded to those who have not obtained the above percentage in both subjects.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

SENIOR.—*S. Augustine's, Napier, Old and New Testament*, CLASS 1: None. CLASS 2: Rosie McKay, Nellie Goldsmith; *Te Puke, Anita Fox. Catechism*, CLASS 2: Nellie Goldsmith, Mollie Stuart; *Te Puke, Anita Fox.*

JUNIOR.—*Old and New Testament*, CLASS 1: *S. Augustine's, Napier, Kathleen Cox, Stella Trenwith; Havelock, Jack Rich; Waipiro, Edith Gertrude Durrant.* CLASS 2: *S. Augustine's, Ruby Taylor, Lilian Thomas, Mavis Tuke, Rosie Loader, Pretoria McKay, Mollie Smith, Goldsmith Etheridge, Hazel Cox; Havelock, Leslie Rich, Harry Turner; Te Karaka, Ivy L. Powell, Ida Weston; Waipiro, Eileen Mabel Wilson; Te Puke, Elaine Hoyte, Bessie Palmer, Elsie Fox. Catechism*, CLASS 1: *S. Augustine's, Kathleen Cox, Lilian Thomas, Stella Trenwith, Ruby Taylor; Havelock, Jack Rich; Te Karaka, Ida Weston; Waipiro, Eileen Wilson, Edith G. Durrant.* CLASS 2: *S. Augustine's, Doris Waterworth, Clarice Skelton, Rosie Loader, Mollie Smith, Hazel Cox, Alma Hayhow, Lucy Brown, Mavis Tuke; Havelock, Leslie Rich, Harry Turner, Gordon Rich; Te Karaka, Ivy L. Powell, Scannell Stevenson; Te Puke, Bessie Watson, Elaine Hoyte, Florrie Palmer, Bessie Palmer, Elsie Fox, May Weston.*

DAY SCHOOLS.

SENIOR.—*Old and New Testament*, CLASS 1: *Te Aute, John Williams, Taipua Matamahira, Waiatua L. Corbett; Hukarere, Rhoda Walker, Violet Gemmill, Maora Mane, Maud Puha, Rangitiarua Ratema, Patehepa Tamatea.* CLASS 2: *Te Uira Kupa, Annie Anderson, Ngarere Turei, Rutu Collier, Huitau Meha, Rangituarua, Tiria Raihana, Tai Wiremu, Aorangi Pohe. Catechism*, CLASS 1: None. CLASS 2: *Hukarere, Tai Wiremu, Rangituarua Ratema, Te Uira Kupa, Rhoda Walker, Rangituarua.*

JUNIOR.—*Old and New Testament*, CLASS 1: *Hukarere, Rawinia Bennett,*

Ihapera Waretini, Kuini Te Tau, Lucy Pahewa, Mere Hapi; Heretaunga, N. Williams, T. Tosswill, S. Gardiner, Q. Williams, R. Smith, N. Avery, C. Campbell. CLASS 2: *Hukarere, Tiria Numia, Manu Hinaki, Terina Ngata, Tukurua Hakiwai; Heretaunga, W. Lane, R. Tosswill, D. Spencer, T. Lowry, F. McPhail, E. Orr, E. King, H. Strachan, E. Nelson, J. Hartree. Catechism*, CLASS 1: *Hukarere, Rawinia Bennett, Tiria Numia, Ihapera Waretini, Kuini Te Tau, Lucy Pahewa; Heretaunga, T. Tosswill, R. Smith, T. Lowry, F. McPhail, W. Lane, Q. Williams, N. Avery, D. Spencer.* CLASS 2: *Hukarere, Mere Hapi, Manu Hinaki, Tukurua Hakiwai; Heretaunga, J. Lowry, S. Gardiner, E. Orr, J. Hartree, N. Williams, H. Strachan, C. Campbell, D. Lane, R. Tosswill, E. Nelson, D. Carlyon.*

CERTIFICATES.

The following have been awarded Certificates:—Nellie Goldsmith, Kathleen Cox, Stella Trenwith, Lilian Thomas, Ruby Taylor, Rosie Loader, Mollie Smith, Hazel Cox, Mavis Tuke, Edith Gertrude Durrant, Eileen Mabel Wilson, Ivy L. Powell, Ida Weston, Elaine Hoyte, Bessie Palmer, Elsie Fox, Anita Fox, Rhoda Walker, Te Uira Kupa, Tai Wiremu, Rangituarua Ratema, Rawinia Bennett, Ihapera Waretini, Lucy Pahewa, Kuini Te Tau, Tukurua Hakiwai, Meri Hapi, Manu Hinaki, Tiria Numia, Rangituarua Kura, R. Smith, H. Strachan, Q. Williams, S. Gardiner, N. Avery, T. Lowry, J. Hartree, E. Nelson, C. Campbell, F. McPhail, D. Spencer, R. Tosswill, E. Orr, N. Williams, T. Tosswill, W. Lane, Jack Rich, Leslie Rich, Harry Turner.

BISHOP'S PRIZES.

The following have been awarded Bishop's Prizes:—

SUNDAY SCHOOLS.—*Senior*: None. *Junior*: 1, Kathleen Cox, S. Augustine's, Napier; 2, Stella Trenwith, S. Augustine's, Napier.

DAY SCHOOLS.—*Senior*: None. *Junior*: 1, T. Tosswill, Heretaunga, Hastings; 2, Rawinia Bennett, Hukarere, Napier.

Our knowledge is no blessing to us unless we have learnt to use it well and wisely, and learnt, too, that with it only, life is not complete. If, dealing with the 'things we see,' we walk hand-in-hand with faith in the unseen, these two shall make life beautiful and blessed.—*Clodd.*

Religious Examination for Schools, 1912.

1. The subjects for examination will be the same for all schools; but separate lists will be issued for Day Schools and Sunday Schools and Certificates and Bishop's Prizes will be given to each.

2. There will be two grades:—Junior, under 14, and Senior, over 14.

3. The examination for both grades will be on (1) the Chief Fasts and Festivals of the Church and (2) the Catechism. For the Junior Grade, to the end of the explanation of the Lord's Prayer; and for the Senior Grade, the whole of the Catechism.

4. Certificates, first class, will be given to scholars who gain 60 per cent. of marks in each subject, and second class to those who gain 40 per cent. of marks.

5. The subjects for the examination of teachers will be the same as in 1911:—(1) The first fifteen chapters of the Book of the Acts of the Apostles; (2) Church Catechism; (3) A Model Lesson.

NOTE.—It will be necessary for all entering the above examination to give in their names at least four weeks before the date fixed for the same. The examination will be held during the season of Advent.

Bible Teaching in State Schools.

(By the Ven. Archdeacon Willis.)

ARTICLE VI.

THE CALL FOR UNITED ACTION.

When I began this statement of the case for the Bible in Schools, I had before me the hope that the friends of the Bible in Schools movement might make this the year for putting forth all their efforts to secure a referendum on the New South Wales system at the approaching elections. But I find there is something yet to be accomplished before we are ready for this demand. A change has been taking place in the views of many of us. There is a growing feeling that we ought to ask now for something better than

WHAT WE ASKED FOR NINE YEARS AGO.

There was then a very general agreement in favour of so much of the New South Wales system as ensured Bible instruction being given by the teachers in all the State schools, with-