

1893.  
NEW ZEALAND.

# E D U C A T I O N : REPORTS OF SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

[In continuation of E.—9, 1892.]

*Presented to both Houses of the General Assembly by Command of His Excellency.*

## SECONDARY SCHOOLS INCORPORATED OR ENDOWED.

Name.	Act of Incorporation or Institution.	Remarks.
Auckland College and Grammar School ..	1877, No. 51, Local.	
Auckland Girls' High School .. ..	1878, No. 55, Local ..	Under management of Education Board. Not in operation in 1892.
Thames High School .. ..	1878, No. 54, Local.	
Whangarei High School.. ..	1878, No. 63, Local ..	Act may be repealed by <i>Gazette</i> notice under Act of 1885, No. 30.
New Plymouth High School .. ..	1889, No. 2, Local.	
Wanganui High School .. ..	1878, No. 42, Local ..	Board identical with Education Board.
Wanganui Endowed School .. ..	[Nil] .. ..	Endowment, Reg. I., fol. 52. See also D.—16, 1866, p. 9.
Wellington College and Girls' High School	1887, No. 17, Local.	
Napier High Schools .. ..	1882, No. 11, Local.	
Gisborne High School .. ..	1885, No. 8, Local ..	Not in operation in 1892.
Nelson College .. ..	1858, No. 38.	
Nelson College for Girls .. ..	1882, No. 15, Local ..	Under management of Nelson College.
Greymouth High School.. ..	1883, No. 21, Local ..	Not in operation in 1892.
Hokitika High School .. ..	1883, No. 7, Local ..	Not in operation in 1892.
Christ's College Grammar School ..	Canterbury Ordinance, 1855	A department of Christ's College, Canterbury.
Christchurch Boys' High School .. ..	1878, No. 30, Local ..	Under management of Canterbury College.
Christchurch Girls' High School .. ..	[Nil] .. ..	Under management of Canterbury College. Endowment, <i>Gazette</i> , 1878, Vol. 1, p. 131.
Rangiora High School .. ..	1881, No. 15, Local.	
Akaroa High School .. ..	1881, No. 16, Local.	
Ashburton High School .. ..	1878, No. 49, Local.	
Timaru High School .. ..	1878, No. 26, Local.	
Waimate High School .. ..	1883, No. 19, Local ..	Not in operation in 1892.
Waitaki High School .. ..	1878, No. 18, Local.	
Otago Boys' and Girls' High Schools ..	1877, No. 52, Local.	
Southland Boys' and Girls' High Schools ..	1877, No. 82, Local.	

## SUMMARY OF THE ACCOUNTS OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE FOR 1892 FURNISHED BY THE GOVERNING BODIES OF SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

<i>Receipts.</i>	£	s.	d.	<i>Expenditure.</i>	£	s.	d.
To Credit balances on 1st January, 1892 ..	12,667	6	7	By Liabilities on 1st January, 1892 ..	15,150	5	9
Endowment reserves sold .. ..	722	5	2	Office management and expenses ..	2,156	15	10
Rents of reserves .. ..	20,583	0	5	Teachers' salaries .. ..	31,010	19	3
Interest on investments .. ..	3,030	12	7	Boarding-school accounts .. ..	3,257	11	10
Reserves Commissioners .. ..	2,254	8	11	Examination fees and expenses ..	620	7	1
School fees.. ..	20,766	6	8	Scholarships and prizes .. ..	2,170	12	7
Boarding-school fees .. ..	3,361	8	1	Printing, stationery, and advertising ..	1,151	14	2
Books, &c., sold, and refunds .. ..	1,832	13	0	Cleaning, fuel, light, &c. .. ..	2,213	4	1
Sundries not classified .. ..	194	19	5	Buildings, furniture, rent, insurance, rates, &c. .. ..	5,793	16	9
Interest on current account .. ..	111	6	6	Interest .. ..	3,015	1	0
Debit balances, 31st December, 1892 ..	15,800	3	11	Sundries not classified .. ..	1,516	1	9
				Credit balances, 31st December, 1892..	12,768	1	2
	£80,824	11	3		£80,824	11	3

## INCOME OF CERTAIN SECONDARY SCHOOLS FOR THE YEAR 1892.

Schools.	Cr. Balances on Jan. 1, 1892.	From Endowments.				School Fees.	Boarding- school Fees.	Stationery and Books sold, and Refunds.	Sundries unclassified.	Interest on Current Account.	Dr. Balances, Dec. 31, 1892.	Totals.	
		Sales.	Rents.	Interest on Moneys Invested.	Paid by School Commis- sioners.								
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Auckland College and Grammar School	793 3 10	..	2,569 19 2	..	..	2,243 8 0	..	0 11 6	..	31 16 0	..	5,638 18 6	
Auckland Girls' High School	13 7 10	21 0 0	..	..	50 0 0	168 17 0	..	..	..	..	296 7 11	63 7 10	
Thames High School	..	..	279 3 9	..	250 0 0	202 7 0	..	..	..	..	..	1,015 8 8	
Whangarei High School	..	..	19 15 0	..	150 0 0	291 18 0	..	23 10 2	..	..	..	1,395 12 2	
New Plymouth High School	62 9 5	..	436 1 6	..	230 4 6	929 6 8	1,108 18 0	1,190 12 11	..	..	..	1,020 13 5	
Wanganui High School	..	..	226 0 0	315 12 3	139 15 6	..	..	..	..	..	..	5,010 19 8	
Wanganui Endowed School	73 19 5	..	844 14 4	..	..	2,736 4 1	..	0 17 0	19 12 0	..	..	975 4 9	
Wellington College and Girls' High School	..	..	1,671 18 8	..	..	..	..	..	73 1 0	..	2,425 18 4	6,907 19 1	
Napier High Schools	1,738 16 1	..	1,037 16 6	157 5 0	190 7 4	1,092 13 5	..	76 15 3	..	..	..	4,293 13 7	
Gisborne High School	1,089 14 9	..	50 0 0	49 9 0	247 4 4	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,436 8 1	
Nelson College	1,257 9 11	..	489 13 0	753 2 8	300 0 0	2,141 15 0	1,668 14 1	..	83 6 8	..	..	6,694 1 4	
Greymouth High School	776 16 3	..	6 0 0	47 0 0	..	..	..	..	0 0 6	..	..	829 16 9	
Hokitika High School	943 11 1	..	51 16 6	44 13 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,040 0 7	
Christchurch Boys' High School	551 12 4	..	3,242 15 4	..	..	1,228 10 0	..	..	..	12 18 8	..	5,035 16 4	
Christchurch Girls' High School	1,085 13 6	..	371 9 2	237 3 10	..	1,640 2 0	..	..	..	60 11 10	..	3,345 0 4	
Christ's College Grammar School	..	100 0 0	1,992 1 7	930 3 2	..	2,805 7 0	..	..	18 18 3	..	8,098 0 8	13,944 10 8	
Rangiora High School	..	..	186 8 0	..	..	203 7 0	..	..	..	..	32 1 6	421 16 6	
Akaroa High School	117 12 11	..	155 4 0	..	..	108 0 0	..	4 18 6	..	2 5 0	..	388 0 5	
Ashburton High School	..	..	573 14 7	..	..	312 15 6	..	19 16 8	0 1 0	..	360 5 4	1,266 13 1	
Timaru High School	310 0 8	..	1,272 10 10	115 0 0	..	558 7 2	..	500 2 0	..	3 15 0	..	2,759 15 8	
Waimate High School	904 8 1	..	296 12 6	38 15 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,239 15 7	
Wairakei High School	198 17 0	490 0 0	1,275 5 9	18 18 0	63 1 8	553 18 8	..	..	..	..	..	2,540 1 1	
Otago High Schools	..	61 12 6	2,623 16 4	150 15 4	384 8 3	3,092 19 4	568 4 0	..	..	..	..	9,831 12 7	
Southland High Schools	2,799 13 6	109 12 8	890 3 11	172 15 4	249 7 4	456 10 10	15 12 0	15 9 0	..	..	2,949 16 10	4,709 4 7	
Totals	12,667 6 7	722 5 2	20,563 0 5	3,080 12 7	2,254 8 11	20,766 6 8	9,361 8 1	1,832 13 0	194 19 5	111 6 6	15,300 3 11	80,824 11 3	

\* Disregarding money invested on Capital Account.

## EXPENDITURE of certain SECONDARY SCHOOLS for the Year 1892.

Schools.	Liabilities on Jan. 1, 1892.	Expense of Boards' Management: Office and Salaries.	School Salaries.	Boarding-school Account.	Examiners' Fees and Expenses.	Scholarships, Exhibitions, Prizes.	Printing, Stationery, Advertising, &c.	Land, Buildings, Furniture, Insurance, Rent, Rates.	Cleaning, Fuel, Light, &c.	Interest.	Sundries unclassified.	Cr. Balances, Dec. 31, 1892.	Totals.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Auckland College and Grammar School	..	247 2 11	3,423 6 1	..	..	53 3 0	71 11 0	733 19 2	70 18 6	253 2 9	219 5 3	486 9 10	5,658 18 6
Auckland Girls' High School	..	32 10 0	725 0 0	..	..	..	3 15 0	30 12 3	32 16 3	14 11 0	25 14 0	32 15 7	63 7 10
Thames High School	143 14 2	5 3 0	269 0 4	..	..	..	..	37 8 3	..	3 10 0	3 8 2	..	1,015 8 8
Whangarei High School	..	25 6 0	710 0 0	..	..	26 0 0	19 7 7	54 10 4	..	..	6 10 6	53 3 11	395 12 2
New Plymouth High School	..	48 10 9	931 0 0	1,141 4 8	..	..	..	97 3 7	47 0 1	..	..	89 5 8	1,090 13 5
Wanganui High School	1,788 10 10	67 17 0	250 0 0	..	..	..	11 4 4	865 12 10	53 9 2	79 16 6	102 14 11	..	5,010 19 8
Wanganui Endowed School	..	118 16 8	2,175 8 4	..	52 10 0	89 3 3	203 17 4	453 8 2	141 5 0	181 0 3	11 15 0	..	5,010 19 8
Wellington College and Girls' High School	2,460 19 5	..	..	..	20 6 0	185 8 6	23 9 4	543 16 2	..	..	21 18 4	..	6,907 19 1
Napier High Schools	..	73 17 2	1,750 9 8	..	..	..	..	138 11 6	114 7 10	..	67 14 9	1,869 8 10	4,293 13 7
Gisborne High School	..	..	150 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2 12 0	1,283 16 1	1,436 8 1
Nelson College	..	381 4 9	1,996 5 9	1,402 12 10	59 6 1	440 14 8	204 19 0	428 12 3	63 11 5	337 0 0	79 2 7	1,300 12 0	6,694 1 4
Greyouth High School	..	10 0 2	50 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	769 16 7	829 16 9
Hokitika High School	..	..	60 0 0	..	..	..	..	10 19 0	..	..	..	969 1 7	1,040 0 7
Christchurch Boys' High School	..	175 16 7	3,081 7 6	..	78 5 0	73 18 0	111 9 8	976 10 11	46 19 5	306 0 4	125 5 2	60 4 2	5,035 16 4
Christchurch Girls' High School	..	80 4 0	1,945 0 0	..	81 2 0	287 0 0	75 19 7	86 1 9	23 6 3	..	49 4 9	1,017 2 0	3,345 0 4
Christ's College Grammar School	7,688 17 2	226 4 0	3,629 8 5	..	275 3 0	879 5 2	150 4 4	375 12 6	234 12 4	305 5 7	179 18 2	..	13,944 10 8
Rangiora High School	..	..	380 0 0	..	..	..	6 17 5	10 6 10	15 18 0	3 0 0	..	..	421 16 6
Akaroa High School	..	0 7 0	200 0 0	..	..	2 12 0	4 18 6	40 15 5	8 12 0	0 1 0	8 2 7	122 11 11	388 0 5
Ashburton High School	392 0 6	27 18 4	522 6 0	..	..	19 4 3	67 12 5	162 5 7	31 13 0	31 11 0	11 10 0	866 8 6	1,266 13 1
Timaru High School	..	102 1 9	1,446 7 8	..	..	7 1 0	40 15 7	83 12 8	127 14 1	0 6 0	35 8 5	..	2,739 15 8
Waimate High School	..	19 11 0	75 0 0	..	3 3 0	36 5 0	28 4 6	70 17 4	..	..	366 0 11	1,102 6 11	1,239 15 7
Waitaki High School	..	70 0 0	1,324 6 4	37 10 0	..	62 7 6	102 9 6	479 17 4	238 9 5	242 16 10	178 16 6	404 3 10	2,540 1 1
Otago High Schools	2,663 13 0	261 19 4	5,036 13 2	564 10 0	..	8 10 3	24 19 6	63 2 11	880 1 4	0 7 0	17 10 1	2,340 13 9	9,831 12 7
Southland High Schools	..	82 5 5	1,180 0 0	111 14 4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4,709 4 7
Totals ..	15,150 5	92,156 15	1031,010 19	33,257 11 10	620 7	12,170 12	71,151 14 2	5,793 16	13,015 4	1 01,516 1	912,768 1	280,824 11	3

STAFF, ATTENDANCE, FEES, AND SALARIES AT SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

Schools.	Staff.		Attendance for Last Term or Quarter of 1892.						Number of Boarders.	Annual Rates of Fees.		Salaries at Rates paid at End of Year.			
	Regular.	Visiting.	Under 10 Years.	10 to 15.	15 to 18.	Over 18 Years.	Total (Roll).	Average Attendance.		For Ordinary Day-school Course.	For Board, exclusive of Day-school Tuition.	Regular Staff.		Visiting Teachers.	
Auckland College and Grammar School	13	2	{ .. 2	84 76	58 51	1 2	b.143 g.131	138 116	..	{ £ 10 10 0 s. 8 d. 8 0 }	£ .. s. d. ..	£ 3,216 10 0	£ 110 0 0	£ 0 0	
Whangarei High School	1	..	3	15	..	..	{ b. 12 } { g. 6 }	13	..	8 8 0	..	*100 0 0	..	..	
Thames High School ..	3	..	..	28	30	..	{ b. 31 } { g. 27 }	55	..	8 8 0	..	725 0 0	..	..	
New Plymouth High School	3	..	{ .. 3	8 10	12 15	..	{ b. 20 } { g. 25 }	19 23	..	6 6 0	..	710 0 0	..	..	
Wanganui Endowed School	9	..	..	75	84	6	165	161	125	{ 12 0 0 } { 9 0 0 }	45 0 0	b 1,475 0 0	..	..	
Wanganui Girls'	3	2	..	19	31	3	53	50	27	{ 10 10 0 } { 8 8 0 }	40 0 0	*620 0 0	*160 0 0	0 0	
Wellington College ..	5	1	..	72	45	4	121	117	22	{ 13 4 0 } { 10 12 0 }	42 0 0	1,175 0 0	0 0	Fees to Sc. of Design.	
Wellington Girls' High School	5	..	3	50	87	7	147	135	..	{ 13 4 0 } { 10 12 0 }	..	965 0 0	0 0	Do.	
Napier Boys' High School	4	..	2	34	25	..	61	56	14	{ 9 9 0 } { 8 8 0 }	40 0 0	*835 0 0	0 0	..	
Napier Girls' High School	4	3	3	24	31	1	59	56	11	{ 9 9 0 } { 8 8 0 }	40 0 0	800 0 0	0 0	84 0 0	
Nelson College ..	4	5	..	27	49	5	81	78	28	{ 12 12 0 } { 8 8 0 }	40 0 0	†1,120 0 0	0 0	Fees.	
Nelson Girls' College ..	4	10	..	23	44	9	76	73	14	{ 12 12 0 } { 8 8 0 }	40 0 0	‡535 0 0	0 0	Fees.	
Christ's College Grammar School	9	4	..	66	69	13	148	137	42	{ 18 0 0 } { 15 0 0 }	52 10 0	2,875 0 0	0 0	304 0 0	
Christchurch Boys' High School	8	3	3	111	48	3	165	154	..	{ 9 9 0 } { 6 6 0 }	..	2,680 0 0	0 0	h115 0 0	
Christchurch Girls' High School	8	7	5	62	61	4	132	119	..	{ 12 12 0 } { 9 9 0 }	..	1,304 0 0	0 0	256 0 0	
Rangiora High School ..	2	..	{ 1 6 } { .. 4 }	{ 7 2 }	{ 2 2 }	..	{ b. 16 } { g. 6 }	15 6	..	{ 10 10 0 } { 8 8 0 }	..	380 0 0	0 0	..	
Akaroa High School ..	1	..	..	9	7	1	{ b. 15 } { g. 2 }	15	3	{ 10 10 0 } { 9 9 0 }	40 0 0	200 0 0	0 0	..	
Ashburton High School..	3	..	..	25	12	..	{ b. 11 } { g. 26 }	35	..	{ 9 9 0 } { 8 8 0 }	..	525 0 0	0 0	..	
Timaru High School ..	6	2	3	46	21	3	{ b. 53 } { g. 20 }	51 18	6	{ 10 0 0 } { 8 0 0 }	42 0 0	1,417 15 0	0 0	50 0 0	
Waitaki High Schools—Boys' ..	2	1	..	20	14	1	35	34	12	{ 10 0 0 } { 8 8 0 }	42 0 0	620 0 0	0 0	12 0 0	
Girls' ..	2	..	1	10	16	1	28	25	3	£3 to £4 10/	..	300 0 0	0 0	..	
Otago Boys' High School	8	2	..	56	148	12	216	212	17	{ 10 0 0 } { 8 10 0 }	44 0 0	2,787 17 6	0 0	260 0 0	
Otago Girls' High School	8	4	4	63	88	13	168	159	16	{ 10 0 0 } { 8 10 0 }	40 0 0	1,657 17 0	0 0	340 0 0 and fees for music.	
Southland High School..	5	..	1	31	30	1	{ b. 39 } { g. 24 }	59	7	{ 10 0 0 } { 8 0 0 }	35 0 0	1,180 0 0	0 0	..	
Totals	..	120	46	31	1054	1085	92	2,262	2,129	347	..	28,203 19 6	1,691 0 0	0 0	

<sup>a</sup> And fees. <sup>b</sup> Headmaster has no salary. Five masters board at school, and one boards and resides. <sup>c</sup> Two teachers have board and residence. <sup>d</sup> Music-teachers are paid by fees. <sup>e</sup> Second master has a house. <sup>f</sup> Three masters board at school. <sup>g</sup> Three mistresses board at school. <sup>h</sup> Also £120 to School of Art. <sup>i</sup> Board scholars at £30. <sup>j</sup> £4 10s. or £3 for Fifth Standard pupils from primary school. <sup>k</sup> Boys, 1,332; girls, 930.

# REPORTS OF SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

## AUCKLAND COLLEGE AND GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

### 1. REPORT OF THE BOARD.

*Board.*—Of the Board of Governors of the Auckland College and Grammar School, thirteen meetings were held during the year 1892. At the end of that year the Board was constituted as follows: Chairman, Sir George Maurice O'Rorke, B.A.; Vice-Chairman, the Hon. Colonel Theodore Minet Haultain. Member of the Board *ex officio*, as being Mayor of the City of Auckland, Mr. William Crowther; elected by the Board of Education, Mr. Theophilus Cooper, Mr. James Marshall Lennox, and Mr. Samuel Luke; elected jointly by the members of the Legislative Council usually resident within the Provincial District of Auckland, and the members of the House of Representatives for the several electorates of that district, Mr. Frederick Douglas Brown, M.A., B.Sc. (Professor of Chemistry and Experimental Physics in the Auckland University College), Sir George Maurice O'Rorke, B.A. (Chairman of the Auckland University College Council), and Mr. William Pollock Moat; elected by the Senate of the University of New Zealand, the Hon. Colonel Theodore Minet Haultain, the Rev. Charles Mosley Nelson, M.A., and the Hon. Joseph Augustus Tole, B.A., LL.B.

*Roll.*—In the last term of the year 1892, the total number of pupils was 274—viz., 143 male and 131 females. The number of pupils receiving free tuition in the last term of 1892 was thirty-five—viz., twenty-one male and fourteen female.

*Drawing, Workshops, &c.*—Attention has been paid, as hitherto, to freehand, geometrical, and especially mechanical drawing. Good results have been obtained in the workshop.

*Gymnastics.*—Improvements and additions have been made to the gymnastic appliances, and the classes under Mr. Carrollo, Drill Instructor, have done good work.

*Orchestra.*—The orchestra instituted in the year 1890, by Mr. Trevithick, Assistant Master, has continued to receive his gratuitous services. The orchestra meets once a week, outside of school hours, for receiving instruction and for practice, and performs on the occasions of the school "speeches" and prize day.

*Singing.*—In August last, Mr. Trevithick commenced classes in singing on the girls' side of the school, giving one hour a week for that purpose.

*German.*—Mr. Watkins, French master, has continued to conduct classes for the teaching of the German language, which is held outside of school hours, and without any payment of fees.

*Endowments.*—The endowments which were set apart for the Auckland Girls' High School remain unutilised, and at the same time the wants of this school, caused by the opening of the girls' department, are urgent. When the Girls' High School was closed, a portion of this building and of the play-ground, which had been designed exclusively for boys, was appropriated to the school for girls; and this arrangement, which was intended to be temporary, has now been in operation for more than four years. The present accommodation in both departments is barely adequate, seeing that there was an increase of thirty-two pupils for the third term over the third term of 1891, when the school was then considered somewhat crowded.

W. WALLACE KIDD, Secretary.

### 2. GENERAL STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE for the Year ending 31st December, 1892.

<i>Receipts.</i>			<i>Expenditure.</i>		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
To Balance .. ..	793	3 10	By Management—		
Current income from reserves .. ..	2,589	19 2	Office salary .. ..	100	0 0
School fees .. ..	2,243	8 0	Other office expenses .. ..	58	17 1
Interest on deposits—			Commission, &c., to collector .. ..	188	5 10
Bank of New Zealand .. ..	15	0 0	Teachers' salaries and allowances .. ..	3,423	6 1
Post Office Savings Bank .. ..	16	16 0	Scholarships .. ..	4	0 0
Miscellaneous refunds .. ..	0	11 6	Prizes .. ..	49	3 0
			Printing, stationery, and advertising .. ..	71	11 0
			Cleaning, fuel, light, &c.—		
			School .. ..	55	13 9
			Property .. ..	15	4 9
			Book and stationery account, and other		
			temporary advances .. ..	91	10 8
			School requisites .. ..	107	14 7
			Fencing, repairs, &c.—		
			School .. ..	269	1 9
			Property .. ..	257	10 2
			Rents, insurance, and taxes—		
			School .. ..	48	14 4
			Property .. ..	83	0 11
			Insurance .. ..	75	12 0
			Interest on current account .. ..	3	2 9
			Interest on loans .. ..	250	0 0
			Contribution to swimming sports .. ..	3	0 0
			" cricket club .. ..	2	0 0
			" athletic sports .. ..	10	0 0
			" musical and dramatic		
			entertainment .. ..	5	0 0
			Balance .. ..	486	9 10
	<u>£5,658</u>	<u>18 6</u>		<u>£5,658</u>	<u>18 6</u>

W. WALLACE KIDD, Secretary.

Examined and found correct.—JAMES EDWARD FITZGERALD, Controller and Auditor-General.

## 3. WORK OF HIGHEST AND LOWEST CLASSES.

*Highest.*—Boys: Latin, mathematics, English, French, chemistry, electricity, as for Junior University Scholarships. Girls: The same, with the substitution of heat and botany for chemistry and electricity, and the addition of drawing and painting.

*Lowest.*—Boys: Latin—Elementa Latina, pp. 1 to 81; French—Chardenal's First Course, exs. 1 to 103, and verbs; English—Davidson and Alcock's Intermediate Grammar (except analysis of complete sentences), reading and repetition from Macmillan's Fifth Globe Reader and Macaulay's Lays of Ancient Rome; History—The Brief; Geography—Longmans' Shilling, pp. 1 to 121; Object-lessons on various minerals, raw products, and materials for manufacture; Composition on subjects of object-lessons; Arithmetic—Compound rules, weights and measures, miscellaneous examples, practice (easy), mental arithmetic. Girls: French—Chardenel's First Course, ex. 1 to 70, and verbs; English—reading, spelling, &c., from Longmans' Fifth Reader, pp. 1 to 217, repetition Edinburgh after Flodden, and extracts from Lady of the Lake; Grammar—Most of Davidson and Alcock's Intermediate; History—The Brief, to end of Plantagenets; Geography—Longmans' Shilling, pp. 1 to 109; Composition; Sewing; Arithmetic—simple and compound rules.

## 4. SCHOLARSHIPS.

*College.*—The College gave free education to ten foundation scholars, fifteen holders of certificates of proficiency from the Education Board, eight Rawlings scholars, and seven children of members of the teaching staff.

*Rawlings* (£10 and books).—Seven boys.

## AUCKLAND GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL.

GENERAL STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending 31st December, 1892.

<i>Receipts.</i>			<i>Expenditure.</i>		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
To Balance .. .. .	13	7 10	By Rates on endowment for 1892 ..	30	12 3
Paid by School Commissioners ..	50	0 0	Balance .. .. .	32	15 7
	<u>£63</u>	<u>7 10</u>		<u>£63</u>	<u>7 10</u>

SAMUEL LUKE, Chairman.

VINCENT E. RICE, Secretary and Treasurer.

Examined and found correct.—JAMES EDWARD FITZGERALD, Controller and Auditor-General.

## WHANGAREI HIGH SCHOOL.

GENERAL STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending 31st December, 1892.

<i>Receipts.</i>			<i>Expenditure.</i>		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
To Balance .. .. .	6	0 3	By Office expenses and law costs ..	8	5 0
Current income from reserves ..	24	8 6	Teachers' salaries and allowances ..	269	0 4
Paid by School Commissioners ..	150	0 0	Fencing, repairs, &c. ..	3	18 0
School fees .. .. .	202	7 0	Insurance and taxes .. .. .	0	12 4
Refund from separate account No. 1 ..	6	0 0	Deposit on building site .. .. .	50	0 0
			Interest on mortgage on building site ..	3	10 0
			Transfer to separate accounts Nos. 1 and 2 ..	0	6 2
			Balance .. .. .	53	3 11
	<u>£388</u>	<u>15 9</u>		<u>£388</u>	<u>15 9</u>

JAMES M. KILLEN, Chairman.

L. L. CUBITT, Treasurer.

Examined and found correct.—JAMES EDWARD FITZGERALD, Controller and Auditor-General.

## THAMES HIGH SCHOOL.

## 1.—REPORT OF THE BOARD.

DURING the year the school has been regularly visited by the Visiting Committee of the Board, and on all occasions they found the order and discipline excellent, and the pupils fully employed in their respective classes. The difficulty that was at first experienced in having the school independently examined, without expense to the Board, has now been in a great measure removed, as for some years past nearly all the pupils of the upper forms are candidates at the public examinations in December and January. At these last examinations two pupils passed the Senior Civil Service examination, two passed the matriculation examination, and five were placed in the third division at the Junior Scholarship examination, and got special mention for superiority in science. These results are, in the opinion of the Governors, of a satisfactory character, and afford practical evidence of the valuable work that is being done at the institution. It is therefore to be regretted that the Board's application for assistance financially has not yet been recognised by Government, but the Governors trust that the much-needed aid will shortly be forthcoming, in order that the school may

be enabled to continue its career of usefulness, and achieve still greater success. As showing the public appreciation of the school it may be pointed out that for the year ending 31st December, 1890, the attendance was fifty-one, in 1891 it was fifty-six, and in 1892 fifty-eight.

H. J. GREENSLADE, Secretary.

## 2. GENERAL STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE for the Year ending 31st December, 1892.

<i>Receipts.</i>			<i>Expenditure.</i>		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
To Balance .. ..	29	8 0	By Dr. balance at beginning of year ..	173	2 2
Current income from reserves ..	155	16 9	Office—		
Paid by School Commissioners ..	250	0 0	Salary .. ..	30	0 0
School fees .. ..	168	17 0	Other office expenses ..	2	10 0
Goldfields revenue .. ..	122	1 0	Teachers' salaries and allowances ..	725	0 0
Fees, fines, &c. .. ..	1	6 0	Printing, stationery, and advertising ..	3	15 0
Sale of houses on reserve .. ..	21	0 0	Cleaning, fuel, light, &c. ..	32	16 8
			Fencing, repairs, &c. .. ..	11	12 9
			Rents, insurance, and taxes ..	17	13 0
Dr. Balance at end of year ..	£318	7 11	Interest on current account ..	14	11 0
Less cash in hand .. ..	22	0 0	Endowment .. ..	8	2 6
			School requisites .. ..	25	14 0
		296 7 11			
		<u>£1,044 16 8</u>			<u>£1,044 16 8</u>

JAMES MCGOWAN, Chairman.

RICHARD A. HEALD, Secretary and Treasurer.

Examined and found correct, subject to the alteration initialled.—JAMES EDWARD FITZGERALD, Controller and Auditor-General.

## 3. WORK OF HIGHEST AND LOWEST CLASSES.

*Highest.*—Latin, French, English, mathematics, and science (chemistry and electricity) for Junior University Scholarship examination.

*Lowest.*—Nearly all the pupils admitted to the school have passed the Sixth Standard in the primary schools; they are therefore able to commence Norris's Primer of English Grammar and Abbott's English Composition; they also begin to learn Latin, French, geometry, and algebra.

## NEW PLYMOUTH HIGH SCHOOL.

### 1. GENERAL STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE for the Year ending 31st December, 1892.

<i>Receipts.</i>			<i>Expenditure.</i>		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
To Balance .. ..	62	9 5	By Management—		
Current income from reserves ..	436	1 6	Office salary .. ..	25	0 0
Paid by School Commissioners ..	230	4 6	Other expenses .. ..	0	6 0
School fees .. ..	291	18 0	Teachers' salaries and allowances ..	710	0 0
			Prizes .. ..	26	0 0
			Printing, stationery, and advertising ..	19	7 7
			Cleaning, fuel, light, &c. ..	47	0 1
			Book and stationery account and other temporary advances ..	6	10 6
			Fencing, repairs, &c. .. ..	48	14 0
			Rents, insurance, and taxes ..	20	18 10
			Expenses of leasing new endowments ..	27	10 9
			Balance .. ..	89	5 8
		<u>£1,020 13 5</u>			<u>£1,020 13 5</u>

E. VEALE, Secretary and Treasurer.

Examined and found correct.—JAMES EDWARD FITZGERALD, Controller and Auditor-General.

## 2. WORK OF HIGHEST AND LOWEST CLASSES.

*Highest.*—Latin: Principia Latina and Arnold's Latin Prose, Latin fables and stories. French: De Fiva's Grammaire des Grammaires, grammar and exercises, English translation into French prose, Roulier's Valérie. Arithmetic: The whole. Algebra: To quadratics, inclusive. Euclid: Books I., II., and part of III., with deductions. History: Conquest to present period generally; and special periods for matriculation and Civil Service. Geography: Chisholm's Colonial. English: Smith and Hall's Grammar, analysis, parsing, and correction of sentences; Shakspeare's Romeo and Juliet and Coriolanus. Science: Sound, light, and heat. Drawing: Boys, geometrical; girls, freehand and model.

*Lowest.*—Latin: Principia, I., exs. 1 to 13. French: De Jardin, exs. 1 to 64, avoir, être, donner. Arithmetic: Compound rules. Algebra: To division (easy examples of formula). History: Nelson's Primary History, Conquest to James I. Geography: Petrie's, to page 64. Grammar: Morrison's, to page 48. Science: Harrison's Mechanics, pp. 1 to 53. Reading: Royal Readers, IV. and V. Drawing: Boys, geometrical; girls, freehand.

Mental arithmetic, map drawing, and drill throughout the school; dictation and writing in the lower forms; sewing for the girls.

WANGANUI HIGH SCHOOL.

### 1. REVENUE ACCOUNT, 1892.

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Wanganui, 17th February, 1892.

A. A. BROWNE, Secretary.

Examined and found correct.—JAMES EDWARD FITZGERALD, Controller and Auditor-General.

## 2. WORK OF HIGHEST AND LOWEST CLASSES.

*Highest.*—English: Lear, Samson Agonistes, Mason's Grammar and Composition. Mathematics: Arithmetic, the whole subject; Algebra, to quadratics. Euclid: Books I. to III. History and Geography: General. Latin: Eutropius, Public School Primer (part), Bradley's Arnold (part). French: Paul et Virginie, general grammar and composition. German: Schiller's Wilhelm Tell; grammar and composition.

*Lowest.*—English : Marmion ; elementary grammar and composition. Arithmetic : The simple rules. History and Geography : Outlines. French : Chardenal, I., exercises 1 to 90.

WANGANUI ENDOWED SCHOOL.

1. GENERAL STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending 31st December, 1892.

<i>Receipts.</i>	£	s.	d.	<i>Expenditure.</i>	£	s.	d.
To Balance .. .. .	73	19	5	By Management—			
Current income from reserves .. .. .	844	14	4	Office salary .. .. .	40	0	0
Refund insurances .. .. .	3	17	0	Other office expenses .. .. .	14	0	0
law costs .. .. .	11	15	0	Other expenses of management .. .. .	13	17	0
rates .. .. .	1	10	0	Teachers' salaries and allowances (old			
fencing .. .. .	2	10	0	account) .. .. .	250	0	0
Dr. balance at end of year .. .. .	36	19	0	Printing, stationery, and advertising .. .. .	11	4	4
				Site and buildings .. .. .	279	13	4
				Fencing, repairs, &c. .. .. .	37	6	4
				Rents, insurance, and taxes .. .. .	136	8	6
				Interest .. .. .	181	0	3
				Law costs .. .. .	11	15	0
	£975	4	9		£975	4	9

Audited and found correct.—A. C. RITCHIE, Auditor.  
3rd January, 1893.

ED. N. LIFFITON, Treasurer.

## 2. WORK OF HIGHEST AND LOWEST CLASSES.

*Highest.*—Latin, Greek, French, English, mathematics, science, drawing, divinity. The work done is supposed to be up to the Junior University Scholarship standard.

*Lowest*.—Latin, English, arithmetic; English includes history, geography, reading and composition.

WELLINGTON COLLEGE AND GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL.

## 1. REPORT OF THE BOARD.

THE Governors of the Wellington College and Girls' High School are pleased to be able to report that the two institutions under their control still continue to do good work. At the last University examinations the following results were obtained :—



Of eighteen pupils sent up from the College, one passed the Junior Scholarship Examination with credit, four matriculated on the Junior Scholarship papers, ten passed the Matriculation Examination, and one the Medical Preliminary.

At the Girls' High School twenty-seven pupils sat for University examinations, three passed the examination for keeping first year's terms, one matriculated on the Junior Scholarship papers, and twenty passed the Matriculation Examination.

The Governors must again refer to the heavy burden of rates and interest which presses upon them, and largely interferes with the efficient working of the College and Girls' High School. The College and High School buildings and reserves around them are rated by the City Council at £258 6s. 8d. per annum. The Governors should have been relieved of this burden by the amendment of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1891," and last year they urged the Government to bring in a Bill so to relieve them, but nothing was done. As to interest, the Governors have to pay £708 5s. 4d. annually on cost of buildings; they are virtually paying this sum as a rent for their school buildings, a position in which no other similar body is placed, and one from which the Governors strongly urge they should be relieved. Why should these institutions in Wellington be placed at such disadvantage as compared with similar institutions in other parts of the colony?

Year after year the Governors have brought these matters before the Government, year after year they have urged that under "The Education Reserves Act, 1877," reserves should be set apart for secondary as well as primary education, but without avail.

In conclusion the Governors would again refer to the high standard of efficiency which the College and Girls' High School still maintain, notwithstanding all the difficulties mentioned above, and would again urge upon the Government the duty of rendering them some tangible assistance in carrying on their work.

Wellington, 29th March, 1893.

CHAS. P. POWLES, Secretary.

## 2. GENERAL STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending 31st December, 1892.

<i>Receipts.</i>			<i>Expenditure.</i>		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
To Current income from reserves ..	1,671	18 8	By Dr. balance at beginning of year ..	2,460	19 5
School fees .. ..	2,736	4 1	Management—		
Prizes .. ..	21	11 0	Office salary .. ..	100	0 0
Levin scholarship money ..	20	0 0	Other office expenses ..	18	16 8
Moore and Rhodes scholarship ..	31	10 0	Teachers' salaries and allowances ..	2,175	8 4
Refunds .. ..	0	17 0	Examiners' fees .. ..	52	10 0
			Scholarship (Levin) .. ..	20	0 0
			Prizes .. ..	64	3 3
			Printing, stationery, and advertising ..	203	17 4
			Cleaning, fuel, light, &c. ..	141	5 0
			Site and buildings, new works ..	250	0 0
			Fencing, repairs, &c. ..	102	5 11
			Insurance and taxes .. ..	94	11 6
			Interest on current account ..	201	3 3
			Endowments—		
			Rates .. ..	57	0 8
			Interest, reclaimed land ..	188	10 0
			Chemicals .. ..	4	1 2
			Furniture and apparatus ..	39	18 1
			Interest on cost of buildings ..	710	11 4
			Legal expenses .. ..	17	17 2
			Barnicoat prize .. ..	5	0 0
Dr. Balance at end of year ..	2,425	18 4			
	<u>£6,907</u>	<u>19 1</u>		<u>£6,907</u>	<u>19 1</u>

C. P. POWLES, Secretary.

## 3. WORK OF HIGHEST AND LOWEST CLASSES.

### *College.*

*Highest.*—Latin: Virgil, *Æneid*, Book II.; Cicero's Orations, I. and II. In Cat., and Roman history stories; sight translation; Bradley's *Arnold*, to Ex. XLI.; Kennedy's *Latin Primer*; Bryan's *Cæsarian Prose*. Mathematics: Arithmetic, general; Algebra to permutations; Trigonometry to solution of triangles. Euclid, Books I. to VI. English: Smith and Hall's grammar; Morris's *Historical Grammar*; Nichols' *Comp. Exercises*; Merchant of Venice; Chaucer's Prologue; paraphrasing and précis writing, and essays. French: Gasc's *French Book*, Part II.; Hatchett's *French Reader*. Science: Jago's *Inorganic Chemistry* and Garnett's *Heat*.

*Lowest.*—Latin: Via Latina, exs. 1 to 38. Mathematics: Arithmetic (Hamblin Smith's) to simple interest; Algebra to division. Euclid, definitions. English: Grammar (Hall's elementary). Geographical Reader, pp. 1 to 76. Buckley's *History of England*, from the earliest times to Henry II. Essays on easy subjects. Science: B. Stewart's *Physics*. French: Gasc's *French Book*, I., exs. 1 to 40; Janan's *French Reader*, pp. 1 to 5.

### *Girls' High School.*

*Highest.*—Latin: Translation (prepared)—Virgil's *Eclogues*; Cicero in Verrem, Book IV.; at sight from Cæsar's *Bell. Gall.*, Book VII., and Horace, *Satires*, Book I.; grammar of composition; Bradley's *Arnold's Latin Prose Composition*; Roman history and antiquities. Mathematics: Euclid, algebra, trigonometry, as for Junior Scholarship. French: Grammar—Havet, Part I., pp. 167–187; Part II., pp. 234 to 305; Brachet, pp. 46–72 and 98–117; composition—passages from

*Lowest.*—Arithmetic: Easy numeration and notation; simple addition, subtraction; short and long multiplication; short division. Reading: Longmans' New Reader, Standard II.; Longmans' New Geographical Reader. Spelling: Words selected from reading lessons. Composition on simple subjects. Poetry: Seven short selections, chiefly from reading-books. Grammar: How to distinguish the parts of speech. Geography: A very brief sketch of the continents. Writing: Vere Foster's Copy-books, I.-IV.

*College.*

*Levin Scholarships*.—£10, two.

*College Scholarships.*—Free education, five.

## 1. REPORT OF THE BOARD.

The schools were examined by A. Macarthur, M.A., LL.D., immediately before the recess. His report to the Governors shows that the work of the schools is satisfactory, and especially so in the upper forms. Five boys and four girls passed in the Matriculation Examination. The average attendance at the Boys' School for the year was fifty-six, and for the Girls' School, fifty-six.

DAVID SIDEY, Secretary.

<i>Receipts.</i>		£	s.	d.	<i>Expenditure.</i>		£	s.	d.
To Balance .. ..	..	1,738	16	1	By Management—				
Endowments—					Office salary .. ..	..	60	0	0
Current income from reserves ..	..	292	16	6	Other office expenses .. ..	..	10	7	6
From property not a reserve ..	..	745	0	0	Other expenses of management ..	..	3	9	8
Interest .. ..	..	157	5	0	Teachers' salaries and allowances ..	..	1,656	1	8
Paid by School Commissioners—Examiner's fee .. ..	..	20	6	0	Boarding-school account—				
School fees .. ..	..	1,092	13	5	Portion of scholarships spent on board and railway fares .. ..	..	170	8	0
Boarding-school fees—Portion of School Commissioners' scholarships paid on board of scholarship-holders, and rail charges* .. ..	..	170	1	4	Examiner's fee .. ..	..	20	6	0
Books, &c., sold, and other refunds ..	..	76	15	3	Music teachers .. ..	..	94	8	0
					Prizes .. ..	..	15	0	6
					Printing, stationery, and advertising ..	..	23	9	4
					Cleaning, fuel, light, &c. .. ..	..	114	7	10
					Book and stationery account and other temporary advances .. ..	..	67	14	9
					Site and buildings, new works .. ..	..	15	1	1
					Fencing, repairs, &c. .. ..	..	38	7	2
					Rents, insurance, and taxes .. ..	..	135	3	3
					Balance .. ..	..	1,869	8	10
		£4,293	13	7			£4,293	13	7

DAVID SIDEY, Secretary.

Boys.

*Highest.*—Mathematics: Euclid, Books I.–IV., with deductions and exercises; Algebra, to quadratic equations; Trigonometry, solution of triangles. Mechanics: Statics, dynamics, hydrostatics (elementary). General arithmetic. Latin: Livy, XXII.; Horace, Ode I.; Prose composition and grammar. French: Le Conscriit; composition; conversation and grammar.

English: Historical Grammar; composition; Shakespeare's Hamlet. Geography: Physical and general. History: 1689–1837. Natural Science: Physiology. Class singing. Scripture history. Drawing.

The work of lowest form was that of the Third Standard of the Elementary Schools.

#### Girls.

*Highest.*—Mathematics: Euclid, Books I.–IV; Algebra—Quadratics, proportion, &c.; Arithmetic, whole subject. Science: Botany, Matriculation standard. Latin: Principia, Parts I. and II.; Hamblin Smith's Composition; Eclogues. German: Macmillan, II.; Bachette's Second German Reader. French: Macmillan, Part III.; Le Roi des Montagnes. English: Meiklejohn's Historical Grammar; composition; analysis. Geography: British Isles and colonial possessions. History: 1688 to 1837, with literature of the same period. Drawing. Calisthenics.

*Lowest.*—Arithmetic: Simple rules; money, weights and measures. Grammar: Parts of speech; easy analysis. Geography: England, Australia, North America. History: Roman Conquest to 1307. Object lessons on common objects. French: Bué, pp. 1 to 41. Reading: Royal Readers, IV. and V. Poetry: Royal Readers, III. and V. Class-singing. Needlework. Calisthenics. Drawing.

#### 4. SCHOLARSHIPS.

The school gave free education to twenty-one holders of scholarships given by the School Commissioners, and to seven Education Board scholars.

#### GISBORNE HIGH SCHOOL BOARD.

GENERAL STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE for the Year ending 31st December, 1892.

<i>Receipts.</i>		£	s.	d.	<i>Expenditure.</i>		£	s.	d.
To Balance .. ..	..	1,089	14	9	By Teachers' salaries and allowances, under section 4 of "The Girl's High School Act 1885 Amendment Act, 1887" ..	150	0	0	
Current income from reserves ..	..	50	0	0	Solicitors .. ..	2	12	0	
Paid by School Commissioners ..	..	247	4	4	Balance (fixed deposits) ..	1,326	4	4	
Interest on current account ..	..	49	9	0					
Balance at end of year ..	..	42	8	3					
		£1,478	16	4			£1,478	16	4

W. L. WILLIAMS, Chairman.

C. A. DE LAUTOUR, Secretary and Treasurer.

Examined and found correct.—JAMES EDWARD FITZGERALD, Controller and Auditor-General.

#### NELSON COLLEGE.

##### 1.—REPORT OF THE GOVERNORS FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1892.

THE Governors are glad to be able to record that the steady increase in the number of pupils of both Colleges noted in their report for the year 1891 was well maintained during the succeeding twelve months; and in view of its continuance, especially as regards the younger boys, they have found it necessary to make some addition to the staff of teachers in the Boys' College, which they have done by the appointment of Mr. C. H. Broad, an old and distinguished pupil, to the post of Assistant Master for the year 1893.

The Governors have pleasure in congratulating the Principals of both Colleges and their respective staffs upon the marked success of their senior pupils at the late University examinations. One boy gained a junior scholarship, four were placed on the honours list, and five passed the matriculation examination.

Of the girls, eight entered for the matriculation examination, and all passed; one girl entered for a junior scholarship, and, though not successful in gaining one, came out on the honours list. At the November examinations of Canterbury College, four pupils of the Girls' College presented themselves for the second year's terms examination, and one for the first year's terms, and all were successful in passing, the four who took the second year's work being thus qualified to sit for the first section of the B.A. examination, the result of which is not yet known.

The results of the Civil Service examinations are also not yet available.

The Hon. J. C. Richmond having vacated his seat in the Council of Governors by non-attendance, owing to ill-health, His Excellency the Visitor appointed the late Judge Broad to fill the vacancy; but the death of Mr. Broad a few months afterwards, led to the appointment of Mr. J. Henry Cock, who holds office for the remainder of Mr. Richmond's term, which will expire in November, 1894.

In consequence of the death during the year of Mr. George Hodgson, one of the Auditors of the College accounts, Mr. A. A. Scaife was appointed by His Excellency to take his place.

There is no special feature worthy of notice in the statement of accounts now presented. A heavy expense has been incurred in painting both the College buildings; but the revenue of the year has been sufficient to meet it, in addition to the ordinary current expenditure.

The audited accounts of both Colleges for the year 1892, together with a comparative statement of the rolls for 1891 and 1892, and a schedule showing the number, value, and present position of the scholarships connected with both Colleges, are appended to this report.

By order of the Council of Governors.

OSWALD CURTIS, Secretary.

2. ABSTRACT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of NELSON COLLEGE for BOYS, for the Year ending 31st December, 1892.

<i>Receipts.</i>			<i>Expenditure.</i>		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
To Boarding Account .. ..	1,153	16 0	By Boarding Account .. ..	852	11 6
Tuition Account .. ..	974	14 10	Tuition Account .. ..	1,216	6 0
Miscellaneous Account .. ..	35	0 0	Stationery Account .. ..	85	6 11
Joynt Scholarship .. ..	38	6 8	Scholarships—		
			Foundation .. ..	70	0 0
			Endowed .. ..	124	0 0
			Governors' Fees .. ..	50	8 0
			Joynt .. ..	45	4 0
			Miscellaneous Account—		
			Audit charges .. ..	5	5 0
			Examiners' fees, &c. .. ..	45	12 7
			Fire insurance .. ..	67	4 0
			Gas Account .. ..	36	17 3
			Printing and advertising .. ..	29	7 0
			Office rent and expenses .. ..	46	4 9
			Law costs .. ..	22	19 7
			Governors' fees .. ..	7	0 0
			Subscriptions to sports, &c. .. ..	20	0 0
			Small repairs .. ..	6	1 6
			Sundries .. ..	12	10 6
			Secretary's salary .. ..	200	0 0
			Simmons Prize .. ..	6	0 0
Balance—Transferred to Endowment Account .. ..	752	1 1			
	<u>£2,948</u>	<u>18 7</u>		<u>£2,948</u>	<u>18 7</u>

OSWALD CURTIS, Secretary.

We hereby certify that we have examined the above accounts and compared them with the several vouchers relating thereto, and have found them correct.

J. T. CATLEY, }  
A. A. SCAIFE, } Auditors.

3. ABSTRACT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of NELSON COLLEGE for GIRLS, for the Year ending 31st December, 1892.

<i>Receipts.</i>			<i>Expenditure.</i>		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
To Boarding Account .. ..	514	18 1	By Boarding Account .. ..	550	1 4
Tuition Account .. ..	1,167	0 2	Tuition Account .. ..	779	19 9
Edger Scholarships .. ..	15	0 0	Stationery Account .. ..	64	12 1
			Scholarships—		
			Foundation .. ..	60	2 8
			Edger .. ..	15	0 0
			Tinline .. ..	40	0 0
			Governors' fees .. ..	30	0 0
			Miscellaneous Expenses—		
			Printing and advertising .. ..	25	13 0
			Fire insurance .. ..	42	0 0
			Gas Account .. ..	26	14 2
			Examiners' fees .. ..	13	13 6
			Proportion of office rent and expenses and law costs .. ..	35	0 0
			Auditors' fees .. ..	5	5 0
			Subscription to swimming club .. ..	5	0 0
			Sundry expenses .. ..	1	2 6
			Secretary's salary .. ..	100	0 0
Balance—Transferred to Endowment Account .. ..	97	5 9			
	<u>£1,794</u>	<u>4 0</u>		<u>£1,794</u>	<u>4 0</u>

OSWALD CURTIS, Secretary.

We hereby certify that we have examined the above accounts and compared them with the several vouchers relating thereto, and found them correct.

J. T. CATLEY, }  
A. A. SCAIFE, } Auditors.

4. ABSTRACT of the ENDOWMENT ACCOUNT of NELSON COLLEGE for the Year ending 31st December, 1892.

<i>Receipts.</i>			<i>Expenditure.</i>		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
To Interest Account .. ..	489	13 0	By Interest, Girls' College .. ..	337	0 0
Rent Account .. ..	753	2 8	Debit balances—		
School Commissioners .. ..	300	0 0	Boys' College .. ..	752	1 1
Balance on 31st December, 1891 .. ..	1,257	9 11	Girls' College .. ..	97	5 9
			Repairs—		
			Boys' College .. ..	195	3 1
			Girls' College .. ..	118	3 8
			Balance carried down .. ..	1,300	12 0
	<u>£2,800</u>	<u>5 7</u>		<u>£2,800</u>	<u>5 7</u>
Balance on 31st December, 1892, brought down .. ..	£1,300	12 0			

OSWALD CURTIS, Secretary.

We hereby certify that we have examined the above accounts and compared them with the several vouchers relating thereto, and found them correct.

J. T. CATLEY, }  
A. A. SCAIFE, } Auditors.

## 5. WORK DONE IN HIGHEST AND LOWEST CLASSES.

*Boys' College.*

*Highest.*—Latin: Livy, Book I.; Cicero, De Amicitia; Virgil, Æneid, Book IV.; Horace, Odes, Book I.; Bradley's Aids to Latin Prose; Roman History, Smith's Smaller. Greek: Homer, Iliad, Book I.; Plato, Apologia and Crito; grammar, &c. Mathematics: Lock's Arithmetic; Algebra, to include binomial theorem, Hall and Knight, Aldis, Jones and Cheyne's Exercises. Geometry: Books I. to VI., with exercises, Hall and Stevens. Trigonometry: To include solution of triangles, Lock. Dynamics, Lock. Science: Inorganic Chemistry, Thorpe; sound and light, Deschanel, Jones's examples. French: De Tocqueville, L'Ancien Régime et la Revolution; Molière, Les Femmes Savantes; Grammar, Eve and De Baudit's; Composition, varied. English Grammar: Mason's Grammar and Analysis, and Morris's Historical Outlines of English Grammar. Composition: Bain's Rhetoric and Composition, Abbott and Seeley's English Lessons for English People. Literature: Shakespeare's Hamlet; Macaulay, Essay on Lord Bacon; Spedding, Evenings with a Reviewer. History: Greece, Chapters VII. to X.

*Lowest.*—Latin: Principia Latina, about twenty-six pages. English: History, Gardiner's Outlines. Geography: Hughes's Elementary, Physical, first eleven chapters. Grammar: Hall's Elementary. French: Sharp's Elementary. Arithmetic: Lock to end of Practice.

*Girls' College.*

*Highest.*—Mathematics: Algebra, to the end of binomial theorem; Lock's Trigonometry, to the solution of triangles; Euclid, Books I. to IV., Definitions of Books V. and VI.; Arithmetic, the whole subject. Latin: Bradley's Arnold, Abbott's Latin Prose, Cicero, In Verrem, Actio II.; Book IV. Virgil's Eclogues; Prose and sight translation; Antiquities. English: Morris's Historical Grammar, Abbott's How to Write Clearly, Abbott and Seeley's Lessons for English People, Morley's Literature (Elizabethan period), Hamlet, Romeo and Juliet, Burke's French Revolution, Macaulay's Essays on Walpole and Bacon; Essays, correction of sentences, &c. French: Selections from Blouet's French Composition; Brachet's Public School Grammar; Molière's Femmes Savantes; De Tocqueville's L'Ancien Régime et La Revolution. History: Epochs, the Settlement of the Constitution, and England during the American and European Wars. Geography: Longmans'. Science: Sound and Light.

*Lowest.*—Arithmetic: The simple rules. English: The parts of speech, and easy parsing; Composition; the Parables from Nature (Mrs. Gatty). Geography: The Continents generally, New Zealand more particularly. History: Gardiner's, Part II. to the end of George III. Elementary Botany and Physiology. Sewing. Club Exercises.

## 6. SCHOLARSHIPS.

*College.*

*Endowed.*—Tinline, £52 12s.; Newcome, £24; Richmond, £24; Stafford, £20; Fell, £16.

*College.*—One at £52 12s., two at £12 12s.; one each at £16, £14, £12, £6, £4, £5, and £3, respectively.

*Girls' College.*

*Tinline.*—£52 12s.

*Governors' Fees.*—£15, two.

*College.*—Two at £15, two at £12 12s., one at £5.

*School Commissioners.*—Six at £12 12s.

## GREYMOUTH HIGH SCHOOL.

## GENERAL STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending 31st December, 1892.

<i>Receipts.</i>				<i>Expenditure.</i>			
		£	s. d.			£	s. d.
To Balance .. ..	..	26	16 3	By Office salary .. ..	..	5	0 0
Interest .. ..	..	47	0 0	Other expenses of management ..	..	3	14 8
Rent .. ..	..	6	0 0	Stationery, &c. .. ..	..	1	5 6
Exchange .. ..	..	0	0 6	Grant to Grey Education Board ..	..	50	0 0
				Balance .. ..	..	19	16 7
		<u>£79</u>	<u>16 9</u>			<u>£79</u>	<u>16 9</u>

J. NANCARROW, Chairman.

EDWARD ROBINSON, Secretary.

Examined and found correct.—JAMES EDWARD FITZGERALD, Controller and Auditor-General.

## HOKITIKA HIGH SCHOOL.

## GENERAL STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending 31st December, 1892.

<i>Receipts.</i>				<i>Expenditure.</i>			
		£	s. d.			£	s. d.
To Balance at beginning of year—				By Repairs .. ..	..	7	9 0
Fixed deposit .. ..	..	931	9 6	Insurance .. ..	..	3	10 0
Balance, current account .. ..	..	12	1 7	Grant to the Education Board of the			
Interest on fixed deposits .. ..	..	44	13 0	District of Westland .. ..	..	60	0 0
Rents .. ..	..	51	16 6	Balance in bank at end of year—			
				On fixed deposit .. ..	..	950	0 0
				On current account .. ..	..	19	1 7
		<u>£1,040</u>	<u>0 7</u>			<u>£1,040</u>	<u>0 7</u>

25th April, 1893.

JOHN MCWHIRTER, Chairman.

Examined and found correct.—JAMES EDWARD FITZGERALD, Controller and Auditor-General.

## CHRIST'S COLLEGE GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

## 1. GENERAL STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending 15th May, 1892.

<i>Receipts.</i>			<i>Expenditure.</i>		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
To Sales of land .. ..	100	0 0	By Liabilities, being Dr. balance, 15th May, 1891 (including £6,167 17s. 7d., advance from land fund) ..	7,688	17 2
Rent .. ..	1,992	1 7	Expenses of management ..	226	4 0
Scholarship endowments ..	930	3 2	Masters' salaries ..	3,629	8 5
School fees .. ..	2,805	7 0	Examination expenses ..	275	3 0
Sundries unclassified ..	18	18 3	Scholarships, exhibitions, and prizes ..	879	5 2
Dr. balance (including £6,235 4s. 10d advance from land fund for buildings and improvements in accordance with "Christ's College Act, 1885," to be repaid out of sales of land) ..	8,098	0 8	Stationery and school material, printing and advertising ..	150	4 4
			Buildings, repairs, furniture, insurance, and rates ..	375	12 6
			Caretaker and other labour, fuel, lights, &c. ..	234	12 4
			Grant, boys' games fund ..	164	3 5
			Sundries unclassified ..	15	14 9
			Interest .. ..	305	5 7
	<u>£13,944</u>	<u>10 8</u>		<u>£13,944</u>	<u>10 8</u>

24th February, 1893.

W. G. BRITAN, Accountant.

## 2. WORK OF HIGHEST AND LOWEST CLASSES.

*Highest.*—Latin, English, French, mathematics, on classical side Greek, on modern side sound and light, with mechanics or heat, to the standard of the Junior Scholarship Examination. Divinity: Prayer-book and St. Matthew's Gospel.

*Lowest.*—Divinity: Church Catechism and part of St. Matthew's Gospel. English: History, Gardiner's Outline. Geography: Longmans'—New Zealand, England, and Europe. Grammar: Longmans' Junior; analysis, simple. Dictation; composition; writing. Latin: Collar and Daniell's Book for Beginners. Arithmetic: Southern Cross, Standard IV. French: Gasc, to end of regular verbs.

## 3. STATEMENT RESPECTING SCHOLARSHIPS.

*Somes Senior and Junior Scholarships.*—About £450 annually is available for these scholarships. Four senior and eight junior *Somes* Scholarships are open for competition from time to time. In addition to the amount paid for scholarships an amount is given to assist the boarding expenses of boarders.

*Somes Entrance Scholarships.*—The subjects for examination for these scholarships are English grammar and composition, English history, arithmetic, and geography. Five scholarships are offered for competition each year. There were twenty-one scholars on this foundation during the past year, all of whom were from Government primary schools. The amount expended for entrance scholarships last year was £207.

*Buller and Reay Scholarships.*—£300 a year is set apart for exhibitions for sons of the clergy, and £60 for other exhibitions.

*Tancred History Prize Fund.*—Prizes are given annually from this endowment for proficiency in history and English literature. The amount so expended last year was about £20.

The remainder of the funds available from various scholarship endowments (about £380) is devoted to the collegiate department of Christ's College, students in which are required to study for their degree at Canterbury College.

## CHRISTCHURCH BOYS' HIGH SCHOOL.

## 1. GENERAL STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending 31st December, 1892.

<i>Receipts.</i>			<i>Expenditure.</i>		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
To Balance .. ..	551	12 4	By Management .. ..	80	0 0
Current income from reserves ..	3,242	15 4	Teachers' salaries and allowances ..	3,081	7 6
School fees .. ..	1,228	10 0	Examinations—		
Interest on current account ..	12	18 8	Examiners' fees .. ..	68	5 0
			Other expenses .. ..	10	0 0
			Scholarships .. ..	15	0 0
			Prizes .. ..	58	18 0
			Printing, stationery, stamps, telegrams, and advertising ..	111	9 3
			Cleaning, fuel, light, &c. ..	46	19 5
			Transfer of Dr. balance from Buildings Account .. ..	795	4 7
			Fencing, repairs, &c. .. ..	77	13 4
			Rents, insurance, and taxes .. ..	103	13 0
			Annual expense of workshop .. ..	25	0 0
			Inspecting reserves and advertising ..	95	16 7
			Laboratory, chemicals, and apparatus ..	24	17 8
			Grants to cricket club and cadet corps ..	45	0 0
			Expenses of school concert .. ..	6	1 0
			Legal expenses .. ..	5	14 3
			School library .. ..	10	0 0
			Interest on loan .. ..	306	0 4
			Pictures (Art for Schools Association) ..	3	10 0
			Sundries .. ..	5	2 3
			Balance .. ..	60	4 2
	<u>£5,035</u>	<u>16 4</u>		<u>£5,035</u>	<u>16 4</u>

H. R. WEBB, Chairman.

A. CRACROFT WILSON, Registrar.

## 2. WORK OF HIGHEST AND LOWEST CLASSES.

*Highest.*—Latin: Horace—Odes, Book I. (Macmillan's Elementary Classics); Ovid, Selections (Shuckburgh); Cæsar, Book VII. (Bond and Walpole); Livy, Book XXII. (Melhuish); Horton's History of the Romans; Bradley's Arnold, Latin Prose Composition; Bradley's Aids to Latin Prose; Latin Prose, Part I., Cæsarian prose (Simpson); Revised Latin Primer (Kennedy's); Wilkin's Primer of Roman Antiquities; Gepp and Haigh's Latin Dictionary; Easy Graduated Latin Passages for Unseen Translation (Bennett). English: Mason's English Grammar; Abbott's How to Write Clearly; Hale's Longer English Poems; Chaucer's Prologue and Knight's Tale; Kinsley's Hypatia; Longmans' Handbook of English Literature, Part V., from Burke to present time. French: Alfred De Musset (Hachette's Modern Authors); Macmillan's Progressive French Course, Part II.; Short Passages from Standard Authors for Translation and Dictation (Alfred Hamonet); George Sand, La Mare au diable (John Davis); Wellington School French Grammar (Eve and De Beaudais). Mathematics: Ward's Examination Papers in Trigonometry; Hamblin Smith's Exercise on Algebra; Hall and Knight's Algebra; Hall and Steven's Euclid, Parts I. and II.; Lock's Elementary Trigonometry. Science: Longmans' Advanced Science Manuals; Jago's Inorganic Chemistry; Garnett's Heat. Greek: Mayor's Greek for Beginners. Drawing: Geometrical—Longmans' Drawing Books.

*Lowest.*—Latin: Macmillan's Shorter Latin Course, Part I. English: Star Reader, Standard IV.; Brief History; Longmans' Junior School Grammar. French: Macmillan's French Course, Part I. Mathematics: Nelson's Arithmetic, No. 4. Singing: Nursery Rhyme Quadrilles—first set, Jack and Gill; Mendelssohn's Four-part Songs. Writing: Upright Penmanship; Jackson's Vertical Writing Copy-books, Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8. Drawing: Freehand.

## 3. SCHOLARSHIPS.

The school gave free education to twenty-seven scholars. Twenty scholarships of the Education Board—four at £40, sixteen at £20—were held at the school.

## CHRISTCHURCH GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL.

## 1. GENERAL STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending 31st December, 1892.

<i>Receipts.</i>		£	s.	d.	<i>Expenditure.</i>		£	s.	d.
To Balance .. .. .	..	1,035	13	6	By Management .. .. .	..	70	0	0
Current income from reserves ..	..	371	9	2	Teachers' salaries and allowances ..	..	1,645	0	0
Interest on moneys invested ..	..	237	3	10	Examinations—				
School fees .. .. .	..	1,640	2	0	Examiners' fees .. .. .	..	70	7	0
Interest on current account ..	..	60	11	10	Other expenses .. .. .	..	10	15	0
					Scholarships .. .. .	..	224	0	0
					Prizes .. .. .	..	63	0	0
					Printing, stationery, stamps, telegrams, and advertising .. .. .	..	75	19	7
					Cleaning, fuel, light, &c. .. ..	..	23	6	3
					New carpets and furniture .. ..	..	13	10	11
					Fencing, repairs, &c. .. ..	..	21	17	8
					Rents, insurance, and taxes .. ..	..	50	13	2
					Expenses of cooking-classes .. ..	..	23	15	1
					Music, and tuning pianos .. ..	..	7	10	0
					Microscopes .. .. .	..	14	8	7
					Inspecting reserves .. .. .	..	10	4	0
					Refund of fees .. .. .	..	2	12	6
					Sundries .. .. .	..	0	18	7
					Balance .. .. .	..	1,017	2	0
		<u>£3,345</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>4</u>			<u>£3,345</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>4</u>

H. R. WEBB, Chairman.

A. CRACROFT WILSON, Registrar.

## 2. WORK OF HIGHEST AND LOWEST CLASSES.

*Highest.*—English: Literature—Morell's English Literature; Stopford Brooke's Primer of English Literature; Chaucer's Prologue; Shakespeare's King John, Richard II., Midsummer Night's Dream; Milton's L'Allegro, Il Penseroso, Lycidas; grammar and composition—Mason's English Grammar; Morris's Smaller Historical Grammar; selections from Abbott's How to Write Clearly; composition on books read; correction of sentences. Latin: Translation—Cicero's Philippic, No. II.; Cicero's Select Letters (Macmillan's Series); Horace's Satires and Epistles; Virgil's Æneid, Books V. and VI., lines 1–265; Pliny's Letters, Book I.; Livy, Book XXI., first forty chapters; translation at sight; grammar—Bradley's Arnold; Abbott's Idioms; Latin Prose Composition. Roman History: Smith's Smaller History of Rome; Smith's Antiquities (selections). French: Translation—Zola's L'Attaque du Moulin; Mérimée's Colomba; Quinot's Lettres à sa Mère; Molière's L'Avare; Racine's Andromaque; Bruey's L'Avocat Patelin; grammar—Brachet's Public School French Grammar, with exercises; Bué's Idioms; selections from the Wellington College Grammar; French Prose Composition. Mathematics: Arithmetic, Euclid, algebra, and trigonometry, as for the Junior University Scholarship Examination. Science: Botany, heat, as for the Junior Scholarship Examination, University of New Zealand. Cooking; dress-cutting; drill; swimming.

*Lowest.*—English: Text-book, Star Reader No. IV.; reading, spelling, dictation, composition, easy sentences for correction. History: Gardiner's History of England, Part I., from invasion of Britain to end of reign of Henry III. Geography: Petrie's First Geography (New Zealand and Europe). Botany: Schedules of flowers and leaves. French: The verbs avoir and être, easy French sentences. Arithmetic: The simple rules and compound rules of money. Sewing; elementary drawing; class-singing; drill; swimming. Physiology (elementary).

### 3. SCHOLARSHIPS.

Scholarships of the value of about £2 8s. and free education were given to sixteen pupils. Seven scholarships of the Education Board, £20 each, were held at the school.

## RANGIORA HIGH SCHOOL.

### 1. GENERAL STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending 31st December, 1892.

<i>Receipts.</i>			<i>Expenditure.</i>		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
To Current income from reserves ..	186	8 0	By Dr. Balance at beginning of year ..	5	14 3
School fees ..	203	7 0	Teachers' salaries and allowances ..	380	0 0
Balance at end of year ..	32	1 6	Printing, stationery, and advertising ..	6	2 5
			Cleaning, fuel, light, &c. ..	15	18 0
			Fencing, repairs, &c. ..	6	6 5
			Rents, insurance, and taxes ..	4	0 5
			Interest on current account ..	3	0 0
			Postage and receipt stamps and cheque-book ..	0	15 0
	<u>£421</u>	<u>16 6</u>		<u>£421</u>	<u>16 6</u>

GEORGE JOHN LEECH,  
Secretary and Treasurer.

Examined and found correct.—JAMES EDWARD FITZGERALD, Controller and Auditor-General.

### 2. WORK OF HIGHEST AND LOWEST CLASSES.

*Highest.*—Latin: Kennedy's Revised Latin Primer; Abbott's Via Latina, and Bradley's Arnold's Latin Prose Composition, exs. I. to XXI.; translation—Cæsar, De Bell. Gall. Book I. English: Mason's Outlines of English Grammar; Stopford Brooke's English Literature Primer; author—Coleridge's Ancient Mariner; parsing and composition. Arithmetic: The whole subject; Euclid—Books I., II., and III., to Prop. XVII.; algebra—to simultaneous simple equations and problems. French: Macmillan's First Year. English History: Gardiner's Outlines, from James I. to end. Geography: Hughes' Class-book, Introduction and most of Europe. Science: Murché's Physiology. A good many pupils learnt shorthand and book-keeping (single and double entry). Drawing: Blair's Series.

*Lowest.*—Arithmetic: Compound rules and easy problems. Spelling, reading, and recitation—Star Readers, V. and VI.; Dictation—Royal Reader, V. History: Gardiner's Outlines, Henry VII. to Anne. Geography: Philips's First Geography. French: Ahn's First French Course. Grammar: Morrison's English Grammar for Junior Classes, and parsing.

### 3. SCHOLARSHIPS.

The school gave free education to two pupils.

## ASHBURTON HIGH SCHOOL.

### 1. GENERAL STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending 31st December, 1892.

<i>Receipts.</i>			<i>Expenditure.</i>		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
To Current income from reserves ..	573	14 7	By Dr. balance at beginning of year ..	392	0 6
School fees ..	312	15 6	Management—		
Books, &c., sold and other refunds ..	19	16 8	Office-salary ..	20	0 0
Exchange ..	0	1 0	Other office expenses ..	3	10 5
Balance at end of year ..	360	5 4	Teachers' salaries and allowances ..	522	6 0
			Examiners' fees ..	12	12 0
			Prizes ..	7	4 3
			Printing, stationery, and advertising ..	67	12 5
			Cleaning, fuel, light, &c. ..	31	13 0
			Site and buildings, new works ..	112	10 0
			Fencing, repairs, &c. ..	36	1 8
			Rents, insurance, and taxes ..	3	7 6
			Interest on current account ..	31	11 0
			Making water-race in Reserve 1,111 ..	7	8 0
			Solicitor's bill of costs ..	2	18 5
			Soirée, &c. ..	9	8 0
			Dumb-bells ..	2	2 0
			Charges (travelling, £2 13s.) ..	4	7 11
	<u>£1,266</u>	<u>13 1</u>		<u>£1,266</u>	<u>13 1</u>

W. C. WALKER, Chairman.  
CHARLES BRADDELL, Secretary.

Examined and found correct.—JAMES EDWARD FITZGERALD, Controller and Auditor-General.

### 2. WORK OF HIGHEST AND LOWEST CLASSES.

*Highest.*—Latin, French, English, geography; arithmetic, algebra, Euclid.

*Lowest.*—Elementary in all stages.



## AKAROA HIGH SCHOOL.

## 1. GENERAL STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending 31st December, 1892.

<i>Receipts.</i>			<i>Expenditure.</i>		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
To Balance .. ..	117	12 11	By Office expenses .. ..	0	7 0
Current income from reserves ..	155	4 0	Teachers' salaries and allowances ..	200	0 0
School fees .. ..	108	0 0	Prizes .. ..	2	12 0
Books, &c., sold, and other refunds ..	4	18 6	Printing, stationery, and advertising ..	4	18 6
Interest .. ..	2	5 0	Cleaning, fuel, light, &c. ..	8	12 0
			Book and stationery account, and other temporary advances .. ..	4	0 7
			Rents, insurance, and taxes .. ..	40	15 5
			Legal expenses .. ..	4	2 0
			Interest on overdraft .. ..	0	1 0
			Balance .. ..	122	11 11
	<u>£388</u>	<u>0 5</u>		<u>£388</u>	<u>0 5</u>

H. C. JACOBSON, Chairman.

Examined and found correct.—JAMES EDWARD FITZGERALD, Controller and Auditor-General.

## 2. WORK OF HIGHEST AND LOWEST CLASSES.

*Highest.*—Matriculation work. English—Henry V.; Goldsmith's Traveller and Deserted Village; Longmans' School Composition; Mason's Grammar; Abbott's How to Parse. Latin: Livy, Hannibalian War; Virgil, Æneid, Book I.; Via Latina. Euclid, Books I., II., III. Algebra: Quadratic equations. French: Le Conscri; Macmillan's Second Course.

*Lowest.*—Arithmetic as far as Vulgar Fractions. English: Longmans' Geographical Reader, No. VI.; Longmans' School Grammar and Junior Composition. Latin: Via Latina, page 39.

## 3. SCHOLARSHIPS.

The school gave free education to three pupils.

## TIMARU HIGH SCHOOL.

## 1. REPORT OF THE BOARD.

LAST year the school was examined by outside examiners of considerable experience, and the reports were in all respects satisfactory not only in the highest classes, where the work was stated to reach the standard of other good secondary schools, but also as to the soundness of the teaching in the middle and lower parts of the school. Two pupils obtained Junior University Scholarships at the examination held in December, 1892; and five others passed matriculation. Four pupils, formerly junior Board scholars, obtained senior Board of Education scholarships.

Gas is now laid to the school laboratory, and the practical work in physics and chemistry is much benefited thereby.

The hand-and-eye training has been reduced more to a system: all juniors do Sloyd cardboard models (chiefly of geometrical forms) and geometrical drawing. Twenty-nine boys take the carpentry lessons, which are arranged to form a course occupying between two and three years. The seniors have to set off the work in the workshop from their own drawings.

It is to be regretted that the number of girls in the girls' school is so small. The number in both schools would probably be much larger if they were taught in separate buildings.

Both schools also suffer from the want of school-boardinghouses. The population of Timaru forms only a small part of the population of South Canterbury, and yet comparatively few of the pupils attending the school come from the country districts.

The buildings are in a fairly good condition.

J. H. BAMFIELD, Secretary.

## 2. GENERAL STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending 31st December, 1892.

<i>Receipts.</i>			<i>Expenditure.</i>		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
To Balance .. ..	310	0 8	By Management—		
Endowments—			Office salary .. ..	70	0 0
Current income from reserves ..	1,272	10 10	Other office expenses .. ..	9	16 8
Interest on moneys invested ..	115	0 0	Other expenses .. ..	22	5 1
School fees .. ..	558	7 2	Teachers' salaries and allowances ..	1,446	7 8
Interest on fixed deposit .. ..	3	15 0	Examiners' fees .. ..	38	0 0
Investment repaid .. ..	500	2 0	Crickets club .. ..	3	0 0
			Prizes .. ..	19	1 0
			Printing, stationery, and advertising ..	40	15 7
			Cleaning, fuel, light, &c. ..	127	14 1
			Book and stationery account and other temporary advances .. ..	32	8 5
			Site and buildings, new works .. ..	35	0 2
			Fencing, repairs, &c. .. ..	12	16 6
			Rents, insurance, and taxes .. ..	32	8 6
			Interest on current account .. ..	0	6 0
			Endowments .. ..	3	7 6
			Balance .. ..	866	8 6
	<u>£2,759</u>	<u>15 8</u>		<u>£2,759</u>	<u>15 8</u>

HENRY W. HARPER, Chairman.

J. H. BAMFIELD, Secretary.

Examined and found correct.—JAMES EDWARD FITZGERALD, Controller and Auditor-General.

## 3. WORK OF HIGHEST AND LOWEST CLASSES.

*Highest*.—English: Morris's Elementary Historical Grammar; Mason's Grammar; Hodgson's Errors in English (part); Abbott and Seeley's English Lessons for English People (part); Bowen's Studies in English (part); Nicholls and McCormick's Exercises on English Composition; Shakespeare's Julius Cæsar; Milton's Paradise Lost, Book I.; Macaulay's Essay on Milton; Scott's Quentin Durward. Latin: Livy, Macedonian War; Virgil, *Æneid* II.; Smith's Smaller Latin Grammar; Horton's History of the Romans; Latin Prose to Junior Scholarship Standard; sight translation from Virgil, Cicero, Sallust, Horace. Greek: Plato, Apology and Crito; Sophocles, *Œdipus Tyrannus*; Selections from Thucydides; sight translation from Homer, Euripides, and Herodotus; Sidgwick's Greek Prose; Smith's Smaller History of Greece; Abbott and Mansfield's Grammar. French: Racine's *Athalie*; Souvestre's *Philosophe sous les Toits*; sight translation from La Fontaine, Voltaire, Fenelon, Erckmann-Chatrian, Molière, Hugo, Ponsard, About, Scribe, &c.; Grammaire Brachet-Dussouchet, Cours Supérieur; Vecquéray's Grammar Questions (last part); Prose, various. German: Goethe, Egmont; sight translation; Macmillan's Second Reader; Macmillan's Courses II. and III.; Prose; Schmidt's Grammar. Mathematics: Arithmetic, various; Geometry, Hall and Stevens', I. to VI.; Algebra—Hall and Knight, Todhunter's Larger; Trigonometry, Lock. Science: Blaikie's Elementary Dynamics; Worthington's Practical Physics; Botany—Edmonds's, and Thome and Bennett's; Chemistry, Remsen and Howard's Practical; Heat—Garnett and Wright's Physics. Geography: Longmans' for Australasia, and Mill's Commercial Geography. History: Yonge's Primer of French History, supplemented by notes from Freeman's Summary of European History; Buckley's History of England; and Lectures. Commercial Class: Book-keeping; Pitman's shorthand; tots; correspondence; indexing of letters. Drawing: Freehand, model, geometrical, mechanical.

*Lowest*.—Longmans' Fourth Reader; Longmans' Geographical Reader, Nos. 5 and 6; Abbott, How to tell the Parts of Speech; English composition; Gardiner's First History; Star Arithmetics; Southern Cross Copy-books; Colonial Drawing-books—freehand (IV. to VI.) and geometrical; Botany and Natural History (Paul Bert).

Physical education: Boys—Cadet corps, seniors, and drill, juniors; gymnastics, seniors and juniors; singing, juniors. Girls—Gymnastics and drill with clubs, dumb-bells, and wands; plain and fancy needlework, knitting, cutting-out, singing.

## 4. SCHOLARSHIPS.

The school gave free education to thirteen holders of Education Board Scholarships, and to three others.

## WAIMATE HIGH SCHOOL.

GENERAL STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending 31st December, 1892.

<i>Receipts.</i>				<i>Expenditure.</i>			
		£	s. d.			£	s. d.
To Balance .. .. .		904	8 1	By Management—			
Rents .. .. .		296	12 6	Office salary .. .. .		12	12 0
Interest on fixed deposit .. .. .		38	15 0	Other office expenses .. .. .		1	0 0
				Teachers' salaries and allowances .. .. .		75	0 0
				Examiners' fees .. .. .		3	3 0
				Scholarships .. .. .		36	5 0
				Solicitor's account .. .. .		2	8 0
				Letter-press .. .. .		2	5 8
				Travelling-expenses .. .. .		3	3 0
				Tracing of reserve .. .. .		1	1 0
				Exchange, 6s.; cheque-book, 5s. .. .. .		0	11 0
				Balance .. .. .		1,102	6 11
		£1,239	15 7			£1,239	15 7

G. H. GRAHAM, Secretary.

Examined and found correct.—JAMES EDWARD FITZGERALD, Controller and Auditor-General.

## WAITAKI HIGH SCHOOL.

1. GENERAL STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending 31st December, 1892.

<i>Receipts.</i>				<i>Expenditure.</i>			
		£	s. d.			£	s. d.
To Balance .. .. .		198	17 0	By Management—Office salary .. .. .		60	0 0
Endowments—				Teachers' salaries and allowances—			
Reserves sold .. .. .		292	0 0	Girls' School .. .. .		352	1 8
Amount paid on account of reserves				Boys' School .. .. .		972	4 8
sold last year .. .. .		138	0 0	Inspecting reserves .. .. .		10	0 0
Current income from reserves .. .. .		1,275	5 9	Printing, stationery, and advertising .. .. .		28	4 6
Paid by School Commissioners .. .. .		63	1 8	Cleaning, fuel, light, &c. .. .. .		82	10 0
Interest .. .. .		18	18 0	Book and stationery account and other			
School fees—				temporary advances .. .. .		11	4 0
Girls .. .. .		235	11 8	Site and buildings .. .. .		30	9 3
Boys .. .. .		318	7 0	Rents, insurance, and taxes .. .. .		38	16 7
				Interest on current account .. .. .		0	15 0
				Interest on loan .. .. .		155	13 2
				Expenses of endowment .. .. .		11	11 6
				Solicitor's fees .. .. .		38	3 0
				Amount paid off mortgage .. .. .		300	0 0
				Boarding establishment .. .. .		37	10 0
				Incidental expenses .. .. .		6	13 11
				Balance .. .. .		406	2 8
				Less amount due secre-			
				tary, petty cash .. .. .		1	18 10
		£2,540	1 1			404	3 10
						£2,540	1 1

DAVID DUNN, Chairman.

GEORGE SUMPTER, Secretary and Treasurer.

Examined and found correct.—JAMES EDWARD FITZGERALD, Controller and Auditor-General.

## 2. STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES at 31st December, 1892.

<i>Assets.</i>			<i>Liabilities.</i>		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
Rents uncollected .. ..	398	4 11	Loan on buildings .. ..	1,600	0 0
Fees uncollected, boys .. ..	234	8 0	Scholarship fund .. ..	125	0 0
Fees uncollected, girls .. ..	109	9 4	Salaries accrued and unpaid .. ..	99	15 4
Deferred payment balances .. ..	658	2 2	Interest on mortgage .. ..	53	17 4
Interest on purchase-money due December, 1892 .. ..	53	2 2	Amount due secretary, petty cash.. ..	1	18 10
Cash in Colonial Bank .. ..	406	2 8			
	£1,859	9 3			
School buildings					
Reserves vested in Board by "The Waitaki High School Act, 1878."				£1,880	11 6

DAVID DUNN, Chairman.

GEORGE SUMPTER, Secretary.

Examined and found correct.—JAMES EDWARD FITZGERALD, Controller and Auditor-General.

## 3. WORK OF HIGHEST AND LOWEST CLASSES.

*Boys.*

*Highest.*—Junior Scholarship work in Latin, Greek, English, mathematics, physical science. Matriculation work in French, botany, shorthand, book-keeping, and drawing.

*Lowest.*—Arithmetic to end of fractions, algebra to simple equations. Elementary English Grammar, Longmans' English Composition. Drawing. Shorthand. Latin, to end of verbs. French, to Macmillan's First Course. Science: Paul Bert's Introduction.

*Girls.*

*Highest.*—English: Mason's Grammar, whole subject; English Composition; Shakespeare's Richard II.; Tennyson's Princess; History of England. Geography: Europe. Science: Paul Bert's First Year of Scientific Knowledge; physics. Latin: Via Latina, to ex. 63; Cæsar, Book I., to chap. 35. French: Oxford and Cambridge Grammar, IV., junior work; reading and translation, Christopher Columbus. Arithmetic: Hamblin Smith's examples; algebra, to chap. 36; Euclid, two books.

*Lowest.*—English: Longmans' Sixth Reader; Mason's and Smith's Grammars; Petrie's Geography; Stories from English History; English Composition. French: Chardenal, to chap. 80. Arithmetic: Compound rules, money, weights.

## OTAGO BOYS' AND GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOLS.

## 1. REPORT OF THE BOARD.

SIR,—

Dunedin, 10th April, 1893.

In accordance with section 8 of "The Otago Boys' and Girls' High Schools Act, 1877," and in terms of circular from the Education Department dated 10th December last, I have the honour to forward herewith report of the Board of Governors of the Otago Boys' and Girls' High Schools for the year ended 31st December, 1892.

The attendance in the Boys' School for the first half of the year was 214, and for the second half 216, being slightly lower than for the corresponding periods of the previous year. The average daily attendance was 98 per cent.

The numbers on the roll in the Girls' School for the four quarters of the year were 175, 175, 180, and 168 respectively, and show a satisfactory increase on the attendance during the previous year. The average daily attendance in the Girls' School for the last quarter of the year was 159.

I am pleased to report that the schools are fully maintaining their efficiency, and that the results of the work done during the year were satisfactory. The Board decided, after the commencement of the present year, to grant free education at the High Schools to boys and girls who obtain fifty per cent. of the attainable marks in the junior scholarship examinations. This privilege has hitherto only been enjoyed by candidates for senior scholarships.

During the year the Board sold four quarter-acre sections in the Township of Arden, at £7 each, and leased sixteen suburban and two rural sections for a term of fourteen years. The area of the suburban holdings ranged from 2 to 42 acres each, and the rural sections contained 74 and 218 acres each.

During the year the Crown Lands Department forwarded a petition, which it had received from workmen and others on the Otago Central Railway-line, to have part of the Board's endowment at Strath Taieri thrown open for settlement. As the lease of the land in question had over seven years to run, the Board was unable to consider the advisability of agreeing to have the petition granted, but it resolved to hand over Section 8, Block V., Strath Taieri, containing 170 acres, to the Lands Department, for disposal as a Village Settlement, in terms of "The Land Act, 1892." The section has since been subdivided into eight allotments, averaging about 20 acres each, which will be offered to the public at an early date.

In the early part of the year the Board received with regret the resignation of the Hon. Thomas Dick, who, in various capacities, rendered valuable services to the cause of education, and it welcomed the appointment of Dr. Hislop as his successor on the Board. Dr. Hislop's experience in educational matters is of considerable value to the Trust.

I have, &amp;c.,

D. M. STUART, D.D., Chairman.

The Hon. the Minister of Education, Wellington.



## 4. GRAY RUSSELL SCHOLARSHIP FUND.

*Capital Account.*

1892.	£	s.	d.	1892.	£	s.	d.
Dec. 31. To Amount due by W. Reid (deficiency on sale of security) ..	398	2	11	Dec. 31. By Capital .. .. .	1,000	0	0
" Balance deposited in Colonial Bank of New Zealand ..	601	17	1				
	<u>£1,000</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>		<u>£1,000</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

## 5. STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE of the RICHARDSON CADET CORPS FUND for the Year ending 31st December, 1892.

1892.	<i>Receipts.</i>	£	s.	d.	1892.	<i>Expenditure.</i>	£	s.	d.
Jan. 1. To Balance brought forward ..		72	17	9	June. By Cash, Otago High School Cadet Corps ..	£7	10	6	
Dec. Interest from Otago High School Board on deposit in Colonial Bank of New Zealand ..		15	1	0	Nov. Cash, Otago Normal School Cadets ..	7	10	6	
									15 1 0
					Dec. 31. Balance on 31st Dec., 1892—				
					In Colonial Bank of New Zealand, due by W. Reid ..	35	7	9	
					Short paid on sale of security ..	37	10	0	
									<u>72 17 9</u>
									<u>£87 18 9</u>

## 6. RICHARDSON CADET CORPS FUND.

*Capital Account.*

1892.	£	s.	d.	1892.	£	s.	d.
Dec. 31. To Amount deposited in Colonial Bank of New Zealand ..	179	12	0	Dec. 31. By Original capital ..	£150	0	0
				Amount of profit on Bank of New Zealand shares sold ..	29	12	0
							179 12 0
	<u>£179</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>0</u>				<u>£179 12 0</u>

D. M. STUART, D.D., Chairman.

C. MACANDREW, Secretary.

Examined and found correct—JAMES EDWARD FITZGERALD, Controller and Auditor-General.

## 7. WORK OF HIGHEST AND LOWEST CLASSES.

*Boys.*

*Highest.*—The work of the Junior University Scholarship Examination in French, Latin, English, German, mathematics, mechanics, and chemistry, besides which one lesson each week in gymnastics. Boys in VI. and Upper V. are allowed an option between German and the science subjects.

*Lowest.*—The work of this form is about that of the Sixth Standard in the Primary School, with addition of Latin and French; the Latin means easy accidence, and the French, verbs, nouns, and adjectives; in both cases easy translation into English.

All classes to Lower V. inclusive, take drawing or book-keeping, according to a fixed course. All classes of the school attend either once or twice a week, according to the rank of the class, gymnastic lessons during the school day. The Gymnastic Instructor has also given extra instruction to the two highest classes.

*Girls.*

*Highest.*—English: Chaucer, Prologue; Shakespeare, Henry V.; Milton, Paradise Lost, Book III.; Cowper, The Task, Book IV.; selections from prose writers, 1490 to 1684; Roman History, The Early and Middle Republic; Historical English Grammar; composition, &c. Latin: Virgil, Æneid, Book VI., ll. 620; Cicero, selections—advanced section (in addition). Sight Translation: Livy, Book I.; Horace, Book I., selections from Satires and Epistles; Sallust, part of Jugurtha; Composition, grammar, &c. French: Saintine, Picciola; Boiello, Poetry; Grammar, etymology, composition, &c. German: Macmillan's German Course; Homann's Deutsche Maehrchen. Mathematics: Arithmetic, the whole subject; algebra, to permutations and combinations inclusive; Euclid, Division A, Books I., II., III., IV., VI., Division B, Books I., II., and III.; Trigonometry, Division A, Lock's Trigonometry, Division B, Lock's Trigonometry, chapters 1 to 11. Science: Botany, the morphology and physiology of the botanical types specified in the Junior Scholarship schedule; Chemistry, the metallic elements, revision of the non-metallic elements. The Senior Division have revised the whole of inorganic chemistry.

*Lowest*.—English: Longmans' Fourth Reader; History—Blackwood's Short Stories. Geography—Macdonald's Zealandia Geography, Part I.; physical geography—explanation of geographical terms, &c. Grammar—simple analysis and parsing. Object lessons—simple lessons on common objects, with a view to subsequent composition on the subject of lesson. French: Char-denal's First French Course. Arithmetic: Simple and compound rules in money, simple problems, mental arithmetic.

Drawing is taught throughout the school.

## SOUTHLAND BOYS' AND GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL BOARD.

### 1. REPORT OF THE BOARD.

SIR,—

Invercargill, 27th March, 1893.

In conformity with section 8 of "The Southland Boys' and Girls' High Schools Act, 1877," and terms of circular of 10th December from the Education Department, I have the honour to present the following annual report of the High Schools Board for the year ended 31st December, 1892:—

The members of the Board at the beginning of the year were Messrs. G. Lumsden and H. Carswell, appointed by His Excellency the Governor; Messrs. D. L. Matheson and R. McNab, elected by the Southland Education Board; and His Worship Mr. J. W. Bain, the Mayor of Invercargill. Mr. Lumsden was elected chairman.

Miss Billing, successor to Miss Pitcaithly, as first assistant-teacher in the Girls' School, entered upon her duties at the beginning of 1892. There has been no change in the teaching-staff during the year. The Collegiate Classes Association continues the occupation of part of the school building during the winter session for their classes.

The boarding establishment referred to in last annual report is still continued. The Board has, during the year, availed itself of the opportunity of purchasing a property adjoining the school suitable, with addition, for a boys' boarding establishment. The building is now complete and is very suitable for the purpose. The want of a boys' playground is, however, still very much felt. An effort is being made to secure the use of an area near the school for this purpose, but arrangements are not yet completed.

The separation of the boys' and girls' schools, referred to in previous reports, is still under consideration, but no definite steps have yet been taken. The leasing of a property, suitable for a school and boarding establishment in one, for girls, was favourably considered by the Board, but before arrangements were completed a committee was formed for the purpose of ascertaining whether some scheme could be devised to increase the popularity of the school, and it was deemed desirable to defer deciding upon the matter until the committee had sent in its report.

The absence of a systematic annual examination of the schools by outside examiners, which has been referred to in previous reports, is a much-felt want, and this Board would be glad if such examinations could be undertaken by the Government.

No transactions of any importance have taken place during the year in connection with the Board's endowments.

At the end of the school year there was held a public demonstration on a limited scale, but somewhat more extensive than has been usual on previous occasions. The entertainment, which partook of the character of a conversazione, brought before the public the kind of work done at the schools.

I append hereto financial statement for the year ended 31st December, 1892, duly certified by the Auditor-General.

I have, &c.,

J. WALKER BAIN, Acting Chairman.

The Hon. the Minister of Education, Wellington.

### 2. GENERAL STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE for the Year ending 31st December, 1892.

<i>Receipts.</i>			<i>Expenditure.</i>		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
To Balance .. .. .	126	18 9	By Management—Office salary .. ..	75	0 0
Bank of New Zealand, fixed deposit from			Teachers' salaries and allowances .. ..	1,180	0 0
last year .. .. .	2,219	14 9	Boarding establishment .. ..	111	14 4
Bank of New South Wales, fixed deposit			Prizes .. ..	8	10 3
from last year .. ..	453	0 0	Printing, stationery, and advertising .. ..	24	19 6
Endowments—			Cleaning, fuel, light, &c., .. ..	77	5 5
Reserves sold .. ..	109	12 8	Book and stationery account, and other		
Current income from reserves .. ..	890	3 11	temporary advances .. ..	17	10 1
Interest on moneys invested and on un-			Fencing, repairs, &c. .. ..	41	7 11
paid purchase-money .. ..	172	15 4	Insurance and taxes .. ..	21	15 0
Paid by School Commissioners .. ..	249	7 4	Interest on current account .. ..	0	7 0
School fees, Boys' School .. ..	309	8 8	Site and buildings for Boys' Boarding		
Boarding establishment .. ..	15	12 0	Establishment .. ..	781	7 1
Books, &c., sold, and other refunds, Boys'			Reserves—Rates, and expenses of leasing .. ..	3	16 6
School .. ..	2	4 0	Furniture and fittings .. ..	17	12 4
School fees, Girls' School .. ..	147	2 2	Sundries—Stamps, telegrams, &c. .. ..	7	5 5
Books, &c., sold, and other refunds, Girls'			Balance in Bank of New Zealand on fixed		
School .. ..	0	16 0	deposit .. ..	1,355	4 7
Rent of building purchased for boarding			Balance in Bank of New South Wales on		
establishment .. ..	12	0 0	fixed deposit .. ..	403	0 0
Amount received for window broken .. ..	0	9 0	Balance .. ..	582	9 2
	<u>£4,709</u>	<u>4 7</u>		<u>£4,709</u>	<u>4 7</u>

GEORGE LUMSDEN, Chairman.

CHARLES ROUT, Treasurer.

Examined and found correct.—JAMES EDWARD FITZGERALD, Controller and Auditor-General.

## 3. STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES at 31st December, 1892.

<i>Assets.</i>			<i>Liabilities.</i>		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
Bank of New Zealand, fixed deposit ..	1,355	4 7	Sundry accounts unpaid ..	11	10 0
Bank of New South Wales, fixed deposit ..	403	0 0	Contract entered into—		
Bank of New Zealand, balance current account ..		513 11 9	M. Frain, addition to residence on Section 26, Block XIII., Invercargill, balance due ..	175	0 0
Cash in hand ..		68 17 5			
Rent of reserves due and unpaid ..		58 18 1			
Reserve sold on deferred payment—instalment due ..		203 10 8			
Interest due and unpaid ..		18 5 3			
School fees due and unpaid ..		82 5 9			
Furniture of Boarding Establishment ..		60 0 0			
Freehold property, Sections 26, 27, and 28, Block XIII., Town of Invercargill ..					
Reserves vested in Board by Acts of the General Assembly ..					

GEORGE LUMSDEN, Chairman.

CHARLES ROUT, Treasurer.

Examined and found correct.—JAMES EDWARD FITZGERALD, Controller and Auditor-General.

## 4. WORK OF THE HIGHEST AND LOWEST CLASSES.

*Highest.*—Latin: Livy, Book XXI. and XXII., chapters 1 to 18; Latin Grammar; Bradley's Arnold; Latin prose, and unseen passages for translation from and into Latin. French: "Aventures de Lyderic"; Molière's L'Avare; Brachet's Grammar; French prose, and unseen passages for translation from and into French. English: Historical Grammar, Morris's; Shakespeare—The Tempest and Julius Cæsar; Chaucer—Prologue and Knight's Tale. English composition and essays. History: Ransome's History (England), and Creighton's Rome. Mathematics: Arithmetic, the subject; Euclid, Books I. to IV. and Book VI., with problems; Algebra, to the binomial theorem; Trigonometry, to the solution of triangles. Natural Science: Inorganic Chemistry (Roscoe), practical analysis (Silden); heat, sound, and light.

*Lowest.*—Latin: Smith's Principia, Part I. to end of verbs. French: Bué's First French Book, Lessons I. to XXXVIII. English: Mason's Grammar, Analysis and Parsing; Chambers' Reader (No. VI.), Waverley (Scott), Macaulay's Lays. History: Gardiner's History, to page 229. Geography: Petrie's Geography. Arithmetic: Weights and measures, vulgar and decimal fractions, practice, simple and compound proportion, mental arithmetic and problems. Science: Elementary lectures.

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