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NOTE.—Some of the tables have been omitted because the information or part of it can be obtained elsewhere. These tables are as follows, and the tables to which reference can be made are also given : Table A 5—see Table E 2 in E.—1 for median ages ; Table A 9—see Table O 1 in E.—1 ; Table A 14—Table E 5 in E.—1 ; Tables A 17 and D 8—see Tables D and E 1 in E.—1 ; Table B 2—see Table E 6 in E.—1 ; Table D 2—see Table E 3 in E.—1 ; Table D 4—see Table N in E.—1 ; Table E 2—see Table D in E.—1 ; Table J 2—see Table E 5 in E.—1 ; Table K 1—see Table W in E.—1.

EXTRACTS FROM THE REPORT OF THE CHIEF INSPECTOR OF PRIMARY SCHOOLS, (MR. G. E. OVERTON) FOR THE YEAR 1941.

Training.—In the four colleges, teacher-training is efficiently conducted, despite difficulties. Very few men students remain. Military service has not interfered with the opportunity of admission for men. Provision is made for all to complete their training as soon as military obligations have been fulfilled. Liberal proposals for meeting the position, both of soldier-students and of soldier-teachers, are under consideration, the guiding principle being that no one, as a result of military duties, should suffer any handicap with respect to teaching service, salary, or grading on his return to teaching.

Staffs.—During the year two important measures to stabilize teaching staffs were introduced, first an amendment of the Education Act requiring teachers to remain at least two years in the same position, and second the provision of permanent rates of salary for all war positions, the lower grades of which were formerly filled by a succession of relieving teachers.

Biennial Plan.—Inspectors now have greater freedom in making a better distribution of their time in assisting teachers with their work. Far more time is available for personal discussion of school work with individuals, staffs, and groups of teachers, leading to a much better understanding between inspectors and teachers.

Schools and the Community.—There has been a welcome revival of interest on the part of Home and School Associations, which supplement the work of School Committees in maintaining a better understanding between the schools and the homes. In the chief centres Vocational Guidance Officers are keeping in close touch with pupils leaving the primary schools, and much helpful advice is given to parents. A factor promoting community interest is the increased value placed on the physical welfare of the children. The Health Department, through the School Hygiene and Dental Divisions and Milk-in-schools Branch, is in close contact with the schools and homes. A successful innovation, sponsored by the Internal Marketing Division, is the Apples-in-school Scheme. Officers of the Transport Department and various automobile associations have willingly co-operated with the teachers in promoting road-safety instruction, and the number of accidents affecting child pedestrians and cyclists shows a substantial decline.

Curriculum and Pupil Activity.—The abolition of the Proficiency Examination is gradually producing a change of emphasis and a redistribution of values. The syllabus for arithmetic is under revision, and the premature teaching of formal subjects to infants is being investigated. Essential phases of the school curriculum still receive due attention, but greater realism is revitalizing the courses of instruction, and the children themselves are becoming a more active force in their own education. Self-expression in physical movement, in speech, in arts and crafts is more evident. Club work for fostering individual aptitudes is continued, agricultural clubs being most successful. One large intermediate school, using a six-day time-table, devotes each sixth day to a wide range of handicrafts, and several such schools have model flats or rooms for practical housecraft. The use of self-government is extending, thoughtful teachers realizing that real understanding of the democratic way of life is given by practising it, not preaching it.

EXTRACTS FROM THE REPORT OF THE CHIEF INSPECTOR OF SECONDARY SCHOOLS (MR. E. CARADUS) FOR THE YEAR 1941.

Staff.—Mr. Parr, who had been an inspector of secondary schools since 1918 and Chief Inspector of Secondary Schools since 1924, retired on superannuation at the end of March.

Accrediting and the University Entrance Examination.—Further progress has been made with accrediting, and the University Senate has now reaffirmed with some slight modifications the scheme of which it approved in January, 1941.

Two committees of the University Entrance Board have prepared prescriptions for this new examination in the list of subjects approved by the Senate, and their recommendations will be considered by the Entrance Board and by the Academic Board this year for final approval by the Senate in January, 1943. The whole plan, if approved, will come into operation in 1943 or 1944, as the Senate may decide.

The main question still to be determined relates to the subjects which are to be regarded as compulsory prerequisites for the different University courses. The Academic Board has proposed English and two other subjects, and the matter has been referred to the Professorial Boards for report to the Entrance and Academic Boards and for the final decision of the Senate in January, 1943. A satisfactory decision on this question is vital. If the prerequisites for the different University courses are left as at present, schools will gain little from accrediting, for those pupils likely to be accredited will not be a large proportion of the total and will be the only pupils likely to gain any freedom from the change. If the "two other subjects" do not bear some definite relation to the University course to be followed, the University will probably be less satisfied with the standard of students coming on to it than it is at present. A decision enabling schools to eliminate the compulsory foreign language from the course of those pupils (engineering, architectural, agricultural, home science, and the like) for whom, at the University stage, a foreign language is not really necessary would enable schools to broaden courses by the introduction of general science in place of the present specialized sciences, of more social science, and of more of the purely cultural subjects.

I feel confident that the secondary schools, given the opportunity, will play their part.

Changes in Regulations.—A number of important amendments to the secondary regulations were approved during the year, but were not actually gazetted until the year had ended. Undoubtedly the introduction of a substantial library capitation gave the greatest satisfaction to the schools. All secondary schools built during recent years have included a room for the school library, and many schools have, through their own efforts, built up excellent collections of books. The capitation now payable amounts to £10 per school, together with 1s. 9d. per head of the roll number on 1st March, and should do much to put all school libraries on a very satisfactory footing.

The War.—The continuance of the second Great World War caused a disruption of the staffs of many secondary schools to a far greater degree than did its predecessor at a corresponding stage. During 1941 fifty-one teachers were serving overseas, whether in Navy, Army, or Air Force. Of these, Major W. H. Evans, senior assistant of the Rotorua High School, and Major T. Fyfe, senior mathematical master at Gore High School, were killed in action. Their deaths are a severe loss to the whole secondary service. Another sixty-one were serving in New Zealand in the Army or Air Force. This represents a total during 1941 of over 25 per cent. of the male secondary teachers on some form of military service. Already this year the total number has been much increased. Many secondary teachers, several of them veterans of the last war, have done invaluable work with the National Military Reserve, the Home Guard, with the E.P.S. organizations, or with the pre-entry training of men selected for the Air Force. Altogether it is a record of service of which the secondary schools may justly be proud.

I have, in conclusion, to thank my colleagues for their valuable assistance and loyal co-operation throughout the year.

EXTRACTS FROM THE REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF TECHNICAL SCHOOLS (MR. F. C. RENYARD) FOR THE YEAR 1941.

During the year the impact of the war made itself more strongly felt than in previous years in all activities administered by the Technical Branch of the Department. The adverse effects noted were chiefly as follows: A progressive fall in the rolls of both day and evening schools, the calling-up of experienced teachers and their replacement by junior teachers or by teachers (mainly women) re-entering the service, a shortage of materials of certain kinds, and a dearth of equipment needed for expansion of services and replacements. On the whole, however, essential services were well maintained, and the system of administration has proved sufficiently elastic to take the strain and to permit almost all work to be carried on with perhaps some diminution in volume but with almost equal effectiveness.

Direct War Work.—Some details of direct war work undertaken by technical schools have already been given in the report of the Hon. Minister. Another scheme, not directly war work, which has begun to take shape is that for the provision of kindergarten toys and teaching aids for infant classes, the ordinary sources of supply having become unavailable. With the approval of their employing Boards, teachers in manual-training centres have been invited to assist in this project, and it is confidently expected that a good volume and range of apparatus will in this way become available in the future.

Notable Additions to Science Buildings and Equipment completed during the Year.—Owing to prevailing conditions no building projects of any considerable size have been undertaken during the year. Some additions and renovations, however, have been made, notably at the Auckland, Wanganui, and Hawera Technical Schools. At Palmerston North, 13 acres of land in Rangitikei Street have been set apart as a site for a future technical-school building, as it is realized that the present site is much too restricted and does not allow of the necessary future expansion.

Conference on Training of Workers in the Electrical Industry.—In November last an important conference was convened in Wellington by the Hon. the Minister of Labour to consider the educational standard of entrance of workers in the electrical trades, and particularly the poor results regularly obtained at the examinations held by the Wiremen's Registration Board, and to suggest remedial measures. The conference was a very representative one, and included members not only of the Departments concerned, but also of organizations of employers and employees. After long discussion, a report was sent forward which is perhaps the most enlightened and advanced document that has yet been compiled in New Zealand by a fully representative body for the regulation and better training of apprentices. Not only did the report lay down minimum educational requirements and continued compulsory education for apprentices, but it also agreed to the principle of day training for apprentices during ordinary working-hours. It was also clear from the discussions that, although the needs of the electrical trade were recognized as being the most urgent ones, similar provision should be made for other trades in the future.

TABLE A 2.—**ATTENDANCE** AT PUBLIC PRIMARY SCHOOLS AND INTERMEDIATE SCHOOLS AND DEPARTMENTS IN 1941.

(Excluding Form III pupils of Intermediate Schools, Secondary Departments of District High Schools, but including pupils in special classes and Standard VII.)

Education District.	Roll Numbers.		Mean of Average Weekly Roll of Three Terms, 1941.			Average Attendance for Whole Year (Mean of Average Attendance of Three Terms).			Average Attendance as Percentage of Average Weekly Roll, 1941.
	Pupils at 31st December, 1940.	Pupils at 31st December, 1941.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	
Auckland	66,146	66,708	34,351	32,132	66,483	30,238	28,079	58,317	87.73
Taranaki	11,032	10,924	5,517	5,144	10,661	4,872	4,511	9,383	88.01
Wanganui	14,617	13,893	7,014	6,424	13,438	6,185	5,614	11,799	87.88
Hawke's Bay	13,952	13,912	7,071	6,453	13,524	6,218	5,598	11,816	87.38
Wellington	26,098	26,041	13,263	12,173	25,436	11,739	10,688	22,427	88.17
Nelson	6,487	6,390	3,195	3,021	6,216	2,863	2,672	5,535	89.04
Canterbury	32,090	32,052	16,225	14,775	31,000	14,531	13,114	27,645	89.18
Otago	16,894	16,670	8,484	7,748	16,232	7,596	6,948	14,544	89.60
Southland	11,103	10,985	5,546	5,134	10,680	5,121	4,728	9,849	92.32
Intermediate schools and departments	5,450	6,408	3,392	3,116	6,508	3,148	2,891	6,039	92.79
Totals, 1941	203,869	203,983	104,058	106,120	200,178	92,511	84,843	177,354	88.60

NOTE.—The corresponding figures for the secondary departments of district high schools will be found in Table G 1 on page 8 of this paper, and the corresponding figures for Form III of the *separate* intermediate schools in Table B 1 on page 5 of this paper.

TABLE A 8.—**AGE AND ATTAINMENT** OF PUPILS LEAVING PRIMARY SCHOOLS DURING 1941.

Age.	In Form II.				In Form I.	
	With Primary School Certificate.		Without Primary School Certificate.		Boys.	Girls.
	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.		
15 years and over	810	467	146	94	200	91
14 " under 15	2,820	2,427	275	259	592	443
13 " " 14	3,496	3,939	21	27	57	49
12 " " 13	726	1,030	2	5	10	8
11 " " 12	58	50	1	..	6	2
Under 11 years .. ..	..	..	..	..	2	1
Totals, 1941	7,910	7,913	445	385	867	594
Totals, 1940	7,704	7,397	483	387	799	609
Difference	+206	+516	-38	-2	+68	-15

Age	In Standard IV.		In Standard III.		In Standard II or lower.		Totals.		
	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.
15 years and over	40	23	12	4	11	6	1,219	685	1,904
14 " under 15	241	169	78	45	22	15	4,028	3,358	7,386
13 " " 14	26	13	10	12	4	9	3,614	4,049	7,663
12 " " 13	9	5	6	7	5	4	758	1,059	1,817
11 " " 12	7	7	4	1	4	8	80	68	148
Under 11 years	1	3	4	2	36	30	43	36	79
Totals, 1941	324	220	114	71	82	72	9,742	9,255	18,997
Totals, 1940	342	200	122	68	82	50	9,532	8,711	18,243
Difference	-18	+20	-8	+3	..	+22	+210	+544	+754

TABLE A 15.—**REGISTERED PRIVATE PRIMARY SCHOOLS.**
NUMBER OF SCHOOLS, PUPILS, AND TEACHERS AT THE END OF 1941.

District.	Number of Schools.				Roll Number at End of Year.							Average Attendance.	Number of Teachers.					
					Undenominational Schools.	Catholic Church Schools.	Other Church Schools.	Total Roll.			Undenominational Schools.		Catholic Church Schools.		Other Church Schools.			
	Boys.	Girls.	Total.															
				M.				F.	M.	F.							M.	F.
Totals, 1941..	21	232	51	304	939	24,195	3,480	13,785	14,829	28,614	25,246	6	46	59	696	49	116	
Totals, 1940..	22	232	52	306	994	24,049	3,411	13,708	14,746	28,454	25,356	10	57	67	718	60	140	
Difference	-1	..	-1	-2	-55	+146	+69	+77	+83	+160	-140	-4	-11	-8	-22	-11	-24	

TABLE D 3.—YEARS OF ATTENDANCE OF FULL-TIME POST-PRIMARY PUPILS AT
1ST JULY, 1941.

Type of School.	First-year Pupils.		Second-year Pupils.		Third-year Pupils.		Fourth-year Pupils.		Fifth-year Pupils.		Sixth-year Pupils and Later.		Totals.	
	B.	G.	B.	G.	B.	G.	B.	G.	B.	G.	B.	G.	B.	G.
Secondary ..	2,366	2,389	2,104	2,192	1,652	1,469	1,022	793	439	355	80	89	7,663	7,287
Combined ..	540	476	515	426	348	263	199	103	78	66	24	15	1,704	1,349
Technical ..	2,417	1,857	1,664	1,319	727	621	273	176	73	77	12	41	5,166	4,091
District high schools	1,146	1,305	753	923	386	582	230	268	85	125	11	38	2,611	3,241
Totals, 1941..	6,469	6,027	5,036	4,860	3,113	2,935	1,724	1,340	675	623	127	183	17,144	15,968
Totals, 1940..	7,110	6,412	5,407	5,290	3,111	2,924	1,751	1,485	629	726	121	171	18,129	17,008
Difference	-641	-385	-371	-430	-12	-11	-27	-145	+46	-103	+6	+12	-985	-1040

TABLE E 1.—OCCUPATIONS OF PART-TIME STUDENTS AT 1ST JULY, 1941.

	Engineers and Mechanics.	Electricians.	Plumbers, Metal-workers, &c.	Woodworkers.	Painters, Plasterers, &c.	Printers, &c.	Agricultural Pursuits.	Professional Pursuits.	Clerical Pursuits.	Domestic Pursuits.	Dressmakers, Milliners, Tailorers, &c.	Employed in Shops or in Warehouses.	Engaged in various other Trades and Industries.	Labourers.	No Occupations.	Occupations not stated.	Totals.
All schools and classes—																	
Males ..	1,881	554	558	741	39	140	341	227	2,238	..	68	873	804	82	215	133	8,894
Females ..	..	..	..	..	..	32	7	356	1,950	2,194	233	504	388	..	524	70	6,258
Totals, 1941 ..	1,881	554	558	741	39	172	348	583	4,188	2,194	301	1,377	1,192	82	739	203	15,152
Totals, 1940 ..	1,953	635	690	1,032	67	147	423	579	4,491	1,868	229	1,568	1,189	100	1,003	177	16,151
Difference ..	-72	-81	-132	-291	-28	+25	-75	+4	-303	+326	+72	-191	+3	-18	-264	+26	-999

TABLE B 1.—ROLLS AND CLASSIFICATION OF PUPILS AND STAFFS
OF INTERMEDIATE SCHOOLS AND DEPARTMENTS AS AT 1ST JULY, 1941.

Intermediate School or Department.	Number of 1940 Pupils on Roll at beginning of 1941.	Number admitted during 1941.	Number on Roll at 31st December, 1941.	Average Attend- ance for the Year ending 31st December, 1941.	Classification of Pupils on Roll as at 1st July, 1941.										Number of Full-time Assist- ant Teachers.		
					Form I.		Form II.		Form III.		All Forms.		Total.				
					Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.		M.	F.	Total.	
(a) Whangarei ..	100	170	256	239	82	68	61	46	..	..	143	114	257	6	5	11
(b) Otahuhu ..	205	148	206	189	55	63	46	46	..	..	101	109	210	3	3	6
(c) Kowhai ..	504	468	854	834	198	192	227	200	29	54	454	446	900	14	15	29	
(e) Northcote ..	101	124	219	206	64	50	57	51	..	..	121	101	222	5	4	9
(d) Matamata ..	65	127	154	142	56	36	22	43	..	..	78	79	157	5	4	9
(e) Waihi ..	56	74	117	109	28	39	28	30	..	..	56	69	125	3	2	5
(e) Te Awamutu	75	116	155	148	46	44	35	41	..	..	81	85	166	6	3	9
(a) Rotorua ..	98	96	171	153	39	33	50	47	..	..	89	80	169	3	4	7
(c) Wanganui ..	205	235	380	375	95	99	93	101	9	6	197	206	403	4	7	11	
(c) Palmerston N.	*	717	664	614	196	197	133	155	..	..	329	352	681	10	11	21
(c) Napier ..	264	269	477	461	110	125	113	139	3	4	226	268	494	8	8	16	
(c) Gisborne ..	252	297	492	477	130	126	108	139	3	7	241	272	513	9	8	17	
(a) Rongotai ..	103	118	209	198	101	..	113	..	..	..	214	..	214	8	..	8
(a) Marlborough	111	121	220	203	61	51	53	60	..	..	114	111	225	5	5	10
(c) Shirley ..	185	167	312	296	69	69	84	96	..	..	153	165	318	4	6	10
(c) Christchurch South	300	333	572	553	159	132	148	136	3	14	310	282	592	9	10	19	
(a) Waitaki Boys'	56	85	133	118	66	..	64	..	..	..	130	..	130	6	..	6
(a) Waitaki Girls'	62	59	116	107	..	52	..	68	..	..	..	120	120	..	6	6
(c) Dunedin North	146	170	277	263	80	68	75	68	2	1	157	137	294	5	6	11	
(c) Macandrew ..	260	368	491	472	116	133	147	107	..	6	263	246	509	9	9	18	
Totals, 1941	2,848	4,262	6,475	6,157	1,751	1,577	1,657	1,573	49	92	3,457	3,242	6,699	122	116	238	
Totals, 1940	2,418	3,897	5,532	5,295	1,547	1,412	1,441	1,174	51	85	3,039	2,671	5,710	106	103	209	
Difference	+430	+365	+943	+862	+204	+165	+216	+399	-2	+7	+418	+571	+989	+16	+13	+29	

(a) These are intermediate departments, consisting of Form I and Form II pupils, which have been attached to secondary schools.

(b) This school is a technical high school to which is attached an intermediate department.

(c) These schools are separate intermediate schools.

(d) District high school including a primary-school department up to Standard IV, an intermediate or junior secondary department consisting of the former Form I and Form II pupils, and a senior high school or senior secondary department.

(e) District high school with intermediate department attached.

TABLE D 1.—AVERAGE ATTENDANCE, ROLL, FREE-PLACE HOLDERS, BOARDERS, STAFF, AND PART-TIME PUPILS OF POST-PRIMARY SCHOOLS (EXCLUSIVE OF DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOLS).
(Statistics of part-time pupils will be found in Table E. 1, *et seq.*)

School.	Roll Numbers (Full-time Pupils).				Average Attendance for 1941 (Year ending December).	Number of 1940 Pupils on Roll at beginning of 1941.	Number of New Pupils admitted during 1941.	Number of New Pupils who commenced their Post-primary Education in 1941.	Number of Free Pupils on Roll at 1st July, 1941.		Full-time Staff (including Principals), (December, 1941).		At School Hostels.				Boarders.				Totals.		Technical Classes, Part-time Pupils at 1st July, 1941.		
	At 1st March, 1941.	At 1st July, 1941.	Boys.	Girls.					Total.	M.	F.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.
A. Secondary Schools.																									
Whangarei High School ..	515	474	216	201	417	431	320	206	188	474	13	6	59	43	16	29	75	72	39	24	
Auckland Grammar School ..	844	802	751	..	751	740	591	275	226	802	32	33	..	33	
Mount Albert Grammar School ..	636	616	577	..	577	568	425	206	177	616	25	..	64	..	38	..	102	
Auckland Girls' Grammar School ..	573	546	..	500	500	501	373	212	190	546	..	23	35	..	35		
Epsom Girls' Grammar School ..	639	626	..	582	582	583	426	228	189	602	..	24	72	..	72		
Takapuna Grammar School ..	513	492	230	219	449	462	332	192	178	492	11	9	..	36	4	7	4	7	50	39	..	..	
Thames High School ..	178	165	56	78	134	149	111	69	59	165	5	3	..	..	2	2	2	2	27	..	..	..
Hamilton High School ..	503	486	201	258	459	458	343	181	146	485	11	8	..	49	10	19	10	68	..	..	..	
Rotorua High School ..	226	211	96	96	192	214	148	91	72	211	7	3	..	..	4	6	4	6	41	10	..	..	
Wanganui Girls' College ..	331	311	..	283	283	287	240	94	84	311	..	15	..	71	..	23	..	94		
Palmerston North Boys' High School ..	334	313	300	..	300	295	232	108	90	313	16	..	46	..	4	..	50	..	..	..	..	..
Palmerston North Girls' High School ..	251	243	..	222	222	219	170	90	76	243	..	11	..	..	17	..	..	17	..	..	..	..
Gisborne High School ..	575	534	258	218	476	505	357	226	213	534	14	9	39	21	18	18	57	39	121	91	..	..	
Hastings High School ..	461	433	204	171	375	394	315	154	145	433	13	6	..	..	14	15	14	15	90	62	..	..	
Dannevirke High School ..	426	400	166	171	337	367	295	147	133	400	11	5	42	..	10	35	52	35	22	2	..	..	
Hutt Valley High School ..	487	455	236	187	423	430	332	151	143	455	11	8	..	..	1	4	1	4	..	..	..	..
Wellington College ..	663	637	604	..	604	601	459	231	204	636	25	..	58	..	6	..	64	..	..	..	..	..
Rongotai College ..	347	330	310	..	310	302	221	127	112	328	13	..	..	..	5	..	5	..	..	..	..	..
Wellington Girls' College ..	392	382	..	369	369	356	263	143	129	381	..	17	..	..	..	6	..	6	..	..	..	..
Wellington East Girls' College ..	369	358	..	324	324	322	256	119	107	356	..	15	..	..	..	4	..	4	..	..	..	..
Marlborough High School ..	302	296	136	121	257	270	186	118	108	296	7	6	..	..	12	12	12	12	43	6	..	..	
Rangiora High School ..	189	173	62	88	150	151	124	74	68	173	6	3	..	..	1	4	1	4	..	..	..	..
Christchurch Boys' High School ..	636	608	554	..	554	574	448	188	179	608	24	..	51	..	6	..	57	..	..	..	..	..
Christchurch Girls' High School ..	500	486	..	448	448	447	336	172	150	486	..	19	..	66	..	31	..	97	..	..	..	..
Avonside Girls' High School ..	318	294	..	262	262	277	208	114	109	294	..	14	..	..	..	18	..	18	..	..	..	..
Christchurch West High School ..	588	565	305	190	495	466	384	210	191	565	14	9	..	..	8	2	8	2	..	..	..	..
Ashburton High School ..	241	233	122	85	207	214	141	74	74	233	6	6	..	..	5	14	5	14	..	..	..	..
Timaru Boys' High School ..	312	296	269	..	269	275	221	97	92	296	14	..	54	..	13	..	67	..	..	..	..	..
Timaru Girls' High School ..	339	315	..	270	270	285	233	108	98	315	..	15	..	46	..	25	..	71	..	..	..	..
Waimate High School ..	214	196	78	97	175	181	144	70	68	196	8	1	..	..	4	7	4	7	..	..	..	..
Waitaki Boys' High School ..	306	289	257	..	257	263	201	108	98	288	13	..	127	..	6	..	133	..	35	..	..	..
Waitaki Girls' High School ..	303	290	..	265	265	266	194	112	102	290	..	13	..	58	58		
Otago Boys' High School ..	450	428	409	..	409	410	322	139	120	428	17	..	47	..	17	..	64	..	..	..	..	..

Otago Girls' High School	472	459	417	417	424	339	144	124	459	..	13	19	..	..	17	..	17	..	..
King's High School	275	257	240	240	245	209	75	66	257	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
South Otago High School	183	164	63	84	149	131	58	56	164	..	5	4	..	..	3	..	3	..	..
Gore High School	263	237	87	110	218	169	94	91	237	..	7	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	51
Southland Boys' High School	286	268	246	..	250	206	84	78	268	..	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Southland Girls' High School	293	282	..	260	259	200	100	87	282	..	..	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals, A	15,733	14,950	7,033	6,576	13,609	10,605	5,389	4,820	14,916	352	288	599	406	280	491	879	525	391	..

B. Combined Schools.

New Plymouth Boys' High School	635	605	557	..	578	401	239	209	605	25	..	19	221	..	15	..	..	210	..
New Plymouth Girls' High School	505	484	..	434	445	322	203	184	484	..	16	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	91
Napier Boys' High School	314	288	251	..	260	218	107	103	288	..	..	..	50	90	33	..	123	103	..
Napier Girls' High School	265	247	..	228	234	174	98	92	247	..	..	11	..	45	10	..	55	..	58
Wararapa College	504	460	241	163	414	329	199	181	458	..	15	5	24	..	28	..	28	152	74
Nelson College	577	554	509	..	505	399	192	169	553	..	26	2	240	..	28	..	268	175	..
Nelson Girls' College	433	415	..	397	382	295	137	129	415	..	..	16	..	73	23	..	96	..	144
Totals, B	3,233	3,053	1,558	1,222	2,780	2,138	1,175	1,067	3,050	82	53	535	208	62	94	597	302	640	367

C. Technical Schools.

Auckland Technical School	1,623	1,472	692	475	1,167	1,053	864	795	773	1,472	43	19	..	..	68	30	6	1,530	473
Elam School of Art	70	64	7	41	48	58	36	40	13	58	4	2	..	..	1	6	49	104	1
Otahuhu Technical School	435	384	180	130	310	331	253	195	186	384	13	6	..	..	5	11	253	20	1
Pukekohe Technical School	265	236	108	89	197	218	159	112	105	229	9	4	..	..	5	2	..	..	..
Hamilton Technical School	515	448	222	144	366	418	320	208	193	446	15	9	..	..	20	11	228	117	..
Hawera Technical School	317	274	129	108	237	251	196	126	115	274	10	4	..	..	..	3	42	60	..
Stratford Technical School	347	312	139	125	264	280	208	151	139	312	11	5	..	..	17	9	22	35	..
Wanganui Technical School	556	503	296	103	399	449	345	226	207	502	19	7	33	15	40	15	73	160	..
Feilding Technical School	265	248	142	66	208	225	159	110	94	248	11	5	102	..	3	5	25	22	..
Palmerston North Technical School	402	355	125	148	273	316	190	220	208	355	12	7	..	..	7	4	283	219	..
Horowhenua Technical College	358	321	116	156	272	292	217	149	140	321	10	6	..	..	2	3	33	48	..
Petone Technical School	360	311	138	101	239	282	194	176	167	311	10	4	..	..	1	1	485	134	..
Wellington Technical School	1,003	903	445	307	752	826	558	487	451	903	27	16	..	..	7	4	1,185	390	..
Westport Technical School	112	99	42	42	84	95	71	46	41	99	6	2	..	..	5	1	41	25	..
Greymouth Technical School	359	295	127	131	258	270	229	132	129	295	11	7	12	13	3	3	84	48	..
Christchurch Technical School	1,350	1,214	629	340	969	1,109	755	615	578	1,214	33	19	23	24	22	14	38	1,002	463
Canterbury College School of Art	136	121	16	89	105	121	80	62	51	102	7	2	..	..	2	24	113	200	..
Ashburton Technical School	275	247	98	94	192	212	149	133	126	247	8	7	..	..	7	8	69	66	..
Timaru Technical School	229	195	75	67	142	172	126	109	98	195	7	4	..	..	5	4	159	125	..
Dunedin Technical School	728	646	209	286	495	697	375	372	326	646	22	14	..	..	17	11	793	474	..
Invercargill Technical School	677	609	175	219	394	522	381	310	298	609	18	10	..	..	22	25	300	198	..
Totals, C	10,382	9,257	4,110	3,261	7,371	8,197	5,865	4,774	4,438	9,222	306	159	170	52	259	194	246	6,907	3,382
Grand totals, 1941	29,348	27,260	12,701	11,059	23,760	24,823	18,608	11,338	10,324	27,188	740	500	1,304	666	601	779	1,445	8,072	4,140
Grand totals, 1940	31,168	29,012	13,302	11,803	25,105	26,554	19,494	12,521	11,267	28,919	743	516	1,306	675	603	817	1,492	..	..
Difference ..	-1,820	-1,752	-601	-744	-1,345	-1,731	-886	-183	-943	-1,731	-3	-16	-2	-9	-2	-38	-47	..	..

TABLE G 1.—AVERAGE ATTENDANCE, ROLL, FREE-PLACE HOLDERS AND TEACHERS OF SECONDARY DEPARTMENTS OF DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOLS FOR 1941.

Name of School.	Roll Numbers (Full-time Pupils).					Average Attendance for Year ended December, 1941.	Number of 1940 Pupils on Roll at beginning of 1941.	Number of New Pupils admitted during 1941.	Number of New Pupils who commenced their Post-primary Education in 1941.	Number of Free Pupils on Roll at 1st July, 1941.	Full-time Staff (excluding Principals), December, 1941.	
	At 1st March, 1941.	At 1st July, 1941.	December, 1941.								M.	F.
			Boys.	Girls.	Total.							
AUCKLAND EDUCATION DISTRICT.												
Cambridge	108	105	38	52	90	94	62	50	43	105	2	2
Dargaville	182	166	73	74	147	151	119	68	63	166	4	3
Helensville	67	63	26	34	60	59	35	39	34	63	2	1
Howick	46	46	15	27	42	41	33	21	13	46	1	1
Huntly	92	79	38	37	75	71	67	30	25	79	2	2
Kaeo	16	17	7	10	17	15	..	17	17	17	1	..
Kaikohe	45	43	17	20	37	38	26	23	17	43	1	1
Kaitaia	136	130	57	55	112	116	74	66	63	130	3	2
Katikati	50	50	17	25	42	43	32	19	16	50	1	1
Kawakawa	74	59	19	32	51	53	51	24	23	59	2	1
Matamata	213	187	77	84	161	171	117	105	94	187	4	4
Maungaturoto	38	37	7	22	29	30	21	18	15	37	1	1
Morrinsville	164	151	46	82	128	133	101	71	68	151	3	3
Ngatea	132	123	49	55	104	108	77	60	53	122	2	3
Northcote	160	150	64	60	124	133	87	77	71	149	2	4
Opotiki	96	90	33	42	75	79	57	43	41	90	3	1
Otorohanga	76	70	23	34	57	64	41	36	34	70	1	2
Paeroa	78	73	39	24	63	67	40	45	40	73	2	1
Piopia	36	33	10	21	31	31	20	18	15	33	1	1
Putaruru	58	51	13	28	41	45	34	25	23	51	1	1
Raglan	45	41	15	24	39	37	25	20	19	41	1	1
Rawene	33	30	11	14	25	23	21	12	10	30	1	1
Ruawai	35	35	12	21	33	32	23	17	14	35	2	1
Taumarunui	137	124	48	53	101	110	81	67	61	124	3	2
Tauranga	190	179	66	92	158	161	72	97	87	179	4	3
Te Aroha	107	93	43	44	87	89	54	59	54	93	3	1
Te Awamutu	188	176	72	84	156	158	102	93	86	176	3	4
Te Kuiti	93	85	36	26	62	74	53	43	39	85	2	1
Te Puke	61	60	20	37	57	53	37	29	24	60	2	1
Waihi	97	87	30	40	70	76	57	49	43	87	2	2
Waipu	39	37	9	25	34	34	26	13	13	37	1	1
Waiuku	72	66	16	32	48	53	36	39	33	66	1	2
Warkworth	33	32	14	14	28	28	21	15	12	32	2	1
Wellsford	45	43	11	26	37	39	34	23	22	43	1	1
Whakatane	136	128	46	67	113	113	72	77	64	128	2	3
Totals	3,178	2,939	1,117	1,417	2,534	2,622	1,808	1,508	1,349	2,937	69	60
TARANAKI EDUCATION DISTRICT.												
Ohura	31	32	15	13	28	27	15	19	16	32	1	1
Opunake	100	88	39	31	70	77	60	42	40	88	1	3
Totals	131	120	54	44	98	104	75	61	56	120	2	4
WANGANUI EDUCATION DISTRICT.												
Apiti	13	13	3	7	10	11	12	1	1	13	1	..
Foxton	63	54	25	24	49	52	39	25	23	53	2	1
Marton	120	108	36	57	93	97	75	57	45	108	2	3
Ohakune	119	104	44	45	89	92	69	59	54	104	1	2
Raurimu	21	21	5	13	18	18	12	10	9	21	1	..
Taihape	112	104	32	49	81	90	87	50	45	104	1	3
Waverley	19	19	5	14	19	19	11	12	8	19	1	..
Totals	467	423	150	209	359	379	305	214	185	422	9	9
HAWKE'S BAY EDUCATION DISTRICT.												
Te Karaka	89	81	36	38	74	76	53	36	35	81	1	3
Tolaga Bay	36	33	10	16	26	29	17	20	15	33	1	1
Waipawa	90	72	24	42	66	70	55	35	29	72	1	2
Waipukurau	63	56	17	29	46	52	43	25	23	56	1	2
Wairoa	108	100	39	48	87	91	56	55	49	100	2	2
Woodville	37	33	14	11	25	29	16	21	18	33	1	1
Totals	423	375	140	184	324	347	240	192	169	375	7	11

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Name of School.	Roll Numbers (Full-time Pupils).					Average Attendance for Year ended December, 1941.	Number of 1940 Pupils on Roll at Beginning of 1941.	Number of New Pupils admitted during 1941.	Number of New Pupils who commenced their Post-primary Education in 1941.	Number of Free Pupils on Roll at 1st July, 1941.	Full-time Staff (excluding Principals), December, 1941.		
	At 1st March, 1941.	At 1st July, 1941.	December, 1941.								M.	F.	
			Boys.	Girls.	Total.								
WELLINGTON EDUCATION DISTRICT.													
Carterton	49	44	14	26	40	41	33	20	19	44	1	2	
Eketahuna	49	47	16	24	40	40	36	22	20	46	1	1	
Featherston	78	68	19	38	57	60	43	39	35	68	1	2	
Greytown	38	40	11	17	28	33	26	15	12	40	1	1	
Martinborough	42	39	14	15	29	32	23	20	19	39	1	1	
Pahiatua	58	54	22	19	41	47	27	33	31	54	1	1	
Totals	314	292	96	139	235	253	188	149	136	291	6	8	
NELSON EDUCATION DISTRICT.													
Collingwood	20	19	9	8	17	17	9	11	11	19	1	..	
Denniston	22	19	5	13	18	18	15	8	7	19	1	..	
Granity	69	63	25	33	58	59	45	27	22	63	2	1	
Motueka	94	89	33	45	78	77	62	40	35	89	3	1	
Murchison	24	22	9	12	21	20	14	11	10	22	1	..	
Reefton	44	41	19	17	36	38	24	21	21	41	2	..	
Takaka	39	37	18	11	29	32	29	11	11	37	1	1	
Totals	312	290	118	139	257	261	198	129	117	290	11	3	
CANTERBURY EDUCATION DISTRICT.													
Akaroa	42	38	10	17	27	31	35	10	7	38	1	1	
Cheviot	35	33	16	12	28	31	16	20	20	33	1	1	
Fairlie	46	45	20	19	39	41	24	26	17	45	1	1	
Geraldine	81	67	34	27	61	61	55	27	27	67	2	1	
Hawarden	34	33	13	19	32	26	22	28	25	33	2	3	
Hokitika	104	92	40	45	85	85	76	32	28	92	3	1	
Kaikoura	38	37	14	11	25	29	14	24	19	37	1	1	
Methven	70	66	27	33	60	59	38	33	30	66	2	1	
New Brighton	40	35	12	18	30	33	26	15	14	35	1	1	
Oxford	42	36	15	18	33	32	22	16	16	36	1	1	
Pleasant Point	59	57	24	29	53	54	38	24	23	57	1	2	
Southbridge	43	37	11	23	34	34	28	20	18	37	1	1	
Sumner	34	31	13	16	29	28	25	14	11	30	1	1	
Temuka	121	109	44	50	94	94	70	53	47	109	2	2	
Totals	789	716	293	337	630	638	489	342	302	715	20	18	
OTAGO EDUCATION DISTRICT.													
Alexandra	63	61	32	25	57	55	35	32	29	61	2	1	
Clutha Valley	38	37	9	23	32	30	23	15	14	37	1	1	
Cromwell	38	33	13	17	30	31	27	13	10	33	1	1	
Kurow	20	18	5	9	14	15	11	10	10	18	..	1	
Lawrence	22	19	6	10	16	17	11	9	8	19	1	..	
Mosgiel	63	56	24	28	52	50	40	22	20	56	1	2	
Owaka	29	26	9	13	22	24	21	7	7	26	2	..	
Palmerston	64	53	17	30	47	48	43	22	21	53	2	1	
Ranfurly	37	35	11	18	29	28	18	20	19	35	..	1	
Roxburgh	32	29	12	14	26	26	26	6	6	29	1	1	
Strath-Taieri	24	21	5	14	19	19	16	8	8	21	1	..	
Tapanui	24	18	10	6	16	17	13	11	10	18	1	..	
Tokomariro	51	44	18	18	36	41	23	27	27	44	1	1	
Totals	505	450	171	225	396	401	307	202	189	450	14	10	
SOUTHLAND EDUCATION DISTRICT.													
Nightcaps	50	43	13	25	38	40	33	18	17	43	1	1	
Queenstown	32	29	13	10	23	26	20	13	12	29	1	1	
Riverton	32	32	6	15	21	28	18	17	15	32	1	1	
Winton	36	37	9	26	35	33	21	19	16	37	1	1	
Wyndham	22	22	1	17	18	18	12	12	10	22	1	..	
Totals	172	163	42	93	135	145	104	79	70	163	5	4	
NATIVE DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOLS.													
Manutahi	31	31	8	22	30	29	..	36	28	31	1	1	
Te Araroa	33	31	4	13	17	24	..	34	33	31	1	1	
Tikitiki	21	22	8	10	18	18	..	24	19	22	1	..	
Totals	85	84	20	45	65	71	..	94	80	84	3	2	
Grand Totals, 1941	6,376	5,852	2,201	2,832	5,033	5,221	3,714	2,970	2,653	5,847	146	129	
Grand totals, 1940	6,592	6,108	2,315	2,938	5,253	5,549	3,950	3,085	2,737	6,105	158	117	
Difference	-216	-256	-114	-106	-220	-328	-236	-115	-84	-258	-12	+12	

TABLE F.—SPECIAL MANUAL TRAINING CENTRES : PARTICULARS FOR THE YEAR 1941.

Education District.	Number of Manual-training Centres.	Public Primary and Native Schools.		Intermediate Schools.		Secondary Departments of District High Schools.		Private Schools.		Totals.	
		Number of Schools from which Pupils attended.	Number of Pupils attending Centres.	Number of Schools from which Pupils attended.	Number of Pupils attending Centres.	Number of Schools from which Pupils attended.	Number of Pupils attending Centres.	Number of Schools from which Pupils attended.	Number of Pupils attending Centres.	Number of Schools from which Pupils attended.	Number of Pupils attending Centres.
		Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.
Totals, 1941	154	903	14,484	19	3,406	84	1,879	188	2,246	1,194	22,550
Totals, 1940	146	864	13,244	18	3,257	76	1,731	173	2,013	1,131	20,984
Difference	+8	+39	+1,240	+1	+149	+8	+148	+15	+233	+63	+1,566
											+2,245

TABLE J 1.—ROLL NUMBER, ETC., AND STAFF ; ENDOWED SCHOOLS AND REGISTERED PRIVATE SECONDARY AND TECHNICAL SCHOOLS.

School.	Roll Numbers (Full-time Pupils).						Average Attendance for 1941.	Number of 1940 Pupils on Roll at beginning of 1941.	Number of New Pupils during 1941.	Number of New Pupils who commenced their Post-primary Education in 1941.	Full-time Staff (including Principals), December 1941.	
	At 1st March, 1941.	At 1st July, 1941.	December, 1941.		Total.							
			Boys.	Girls.								
Totals, 1941	6,352	6,209	2,823	3,099	5,922	5,844	4,343	2,351	1,990	157	225	
Totals, 1940	6,268	6,138	2,800	3,021	5,821	5,787	4,276	2,361	2,001	159	226	
Difference	+84	+71	+23	+78	+101	+57	+67	-10	-11	-2	-1	

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