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SECONDARY EDUCATION.

Number of Schools.

The schools usually included in the list of secondary schools in this report which were open in 1910 were thirty-one in number, namely,—

(a.)	(a.) "Endowed secondary schools" within the meaning of section 89 of the Education Act, 1908, and included in the Eighth Schedule to the Act										
` '	(b.) Secondary schools within the meaning of the same section (89), but established by the Minister under section 94										
(c.)	Other endowe section 89						the definitio	n of	2		
		Total			•••		•••		 31		

Of the endowed secondary schools only twenty-two were in operation during the year. Of the other four—Akaroa, Greymouth, Hokitika, and Waimate—the last three have never been in operation, and the first existed as a small struggling high school for a few years only; but a permanent increase of population might lead to the establishment (or re-establishment) of one or more of them at any time. Meanwhile secondary education is carried on in the secondary departments of the district high schools established in each of these four centres, and to some extent these district high schools are assisted by funds derived from the endowments of the secondary schools.

Roll and Attendance.

The total number of pupils attending the thirty-one secondary schools in the last terms of 1909 and 1910 respectively was—

		1909				
Roll (exclusive of lower departments) Number in lower departments	Boys. 2,797 114	Girls. 1,870 75	Total. 4,667 189	Boys. 2,844 178	Girls. 2,062 92	Total. 4,906 270
Total	2,911	1,945	4,856	3,022	$\frac{-}{2,154}$	5,176
Number of boarders (included above)	566	140	706	614	141	755

The average number of pupils on the rolls of the secondary departments of district high schools in 1909 and 1910 respectively was—

Boys Girls	 		 	 1909. 1,100 1,063	1910. 1,128 1,061
	To	tal	 •••	 2,163	2,189

If, instead of taking the average roll throughout the year, we take the roll at the end of the year, as was done in the case of the secondary schools above, we find the number in the secondary departments of district high schools to be as follows:—

Boys Girls	•••		•••	•••	•••	•••	1909. 944 947	1910. 954 962
		Tot	tal				1 891	1 916

The average attendance at the secondary schools for 1910 was 5,012. It will be evident from a comparison of these figures that in the case of district high schools there was a distinct falling-off in the roll numbers towards

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the end of the year, both in the case of the figures for 1909 and in those for 1910. The same falling-off is apparent in the case of secondary schools, though not to so marked an extent. It was more noticeable in the case of boys than in that of girls, and is no doubt due to the large number of scholars, especially boys, who leave school before the close of the year to enter some employment.

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In addition to those in secondary schools and in the secondary departments of district high schools there should properly be included in the number of pupils under secondary instruction in the Dominion (a) the pupils attending certain day classes in connection with technical schools, which in this regard may be called technical high schools; and (b) the pupils in various institutions for the secondary education of Maori boys and girls.

The number of pupils on the rolls of the day technical schools during the year was 1,253, made up as follows:—

Boys Girls	 •••	•••	 	1909. 3 4 5 501	1910. 545 708
	Total	•••	 	846	1,253

The following was the average roll of pupils in the secondary school for Maoris (all of whom were boarders) for the years 1909 and 1910:—

Boys Girls	 	•••	•••	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	1909. 169 191	1910. 182 196
	Total	•••	•••	•••	360	378

If we summarize all these figures, substituting in the case of the secondary schools the average roll for the roll at the end of the year, and excluding pupils in the lower departments of the secondary schools, we find that, as nearly as can be estimated, there were 8,988 pupils receiving some form or other of secondary education during the year 1910.

Secondary schools		***		1909. 4,834	1910. 5,168
District high schools				2,163	2,189
Day technical schools				846	1,253
Maori secondary schools		•••		3 60	378
Total	***		• • •	8,203	8,988-

It will therefore be seen that there has been an increase in all the four groups of schools giving secondary instruction, particularly in the case of the day technical schools, the numbers being half as much again as those for the previous year. The population of New Zealand, including Maoris, but excluding the inhabitants of the Cook Islands, was, according to the 1911 census, 1,058,033, so that the proportion of persons receiving some form of day secondary instruction during the year 1910 was 85 per 10,000 of the population. In 1906 the corresponding proportion was 72.7 per 10,000, so there has been a steady development of secondary education in New Zealand during the past four years. It may be of interest to make a comparison in this respect between New Zealand and other countries. The following figures, so far as can be gathered from the reports, represent the position for the year 1909–10:—

United States	 		 95.8 per 10,000
New Zealand	 	• • •	 85 0 , 10,000
England and Wales	 		 55.2 ,, 10,000
Scotland	 		 42.4 ,, 10,000

Further information in regard to the roll and attendance at secondary schools will be found in Tables K1 and K2, and of district high schools in Tables L1 and L2.

Free Secondary Education.

Under the free-place regulations free places are divided into two classes, junior and senior, both being tenable at secondary schools and district high schools.

Boys and girls who qualify for Junior Education Board Scholarships, whether they obtain scholarships or not, are entitled to Junior Free Places, and those who pass the special examinations for free places are also participants in the privilege. Junior Free Places may, again, be obtained by those who qualify for a certificate of proficiency—that is, essentially, pupils who pass with credit the Sixth Standard of the public-school syllabus; but on this qualification the age of the candidate must not exceed fifteen years. Generally speaking, Junior Free Places are tenable for two years, with a possible extension to three years without examination, or, in the case of district high schools, to the age of seventeen.

A Senior Free Place is tenable by any pupil who has passed the Civil Service Junior Examination or the Intermediate Examination, the latter of which is regarded as the special examination for Senior Free Places. these examinations are held simultaneously, and differ mainly in the fact that in the Intermediate Examination different papers are set in certain subjects to meet the requirements of non-competitive candidates. The passing of the Matriculation Examination is also regarded as a qualification for a Senior But in a largely increasing number of cases Senior Free Places may now be obtained without the necessity of having recourse to an external examination. By a recent amendment in the regulations, the Minister has been empowered to award Senior Free Places to eligible scholars who have satisfactorily completed a two-years course in a secondary school or district high school in accordance with the specified conditions, and are recommended by the Principal of the secondary school attended, or, in the case of a district high school, by an Inspector of the district, such recommendation being subject to the concurrence of the Inspector-General of Schools. Senior Free Places are tenable up to the age of nineteen.

For free places granted in secondary schools in accordance with regulations grants are payable on a sliding scale, in which the capitation payments vary according to the income of the school from public endowments, and are calculated in such a way as to secure to the school for each free pupil under instruction an annual income from public sources and from endowments taken together not less than £12 10s. per pupil, which is estimated to be sufficient to cover the necessary expenditure.

At the end of 1910 the secondary schools giving free tuition to duly qualified pupils, and receiving grants therefor under the Act, were twenty-eight. The total number of pupils on the roll of these twenty-eight schools, exclusive of pupils in the lower departments of the schools, was 4,906, and out of this total, 3,685, or 75 per cent., were given free places under the regulations. The total annual payment at the rate paid for the last term of the year would be approximately £40,698; the approximate average cost to the Treasury was therefore £11 0s. 11d. per free pupil; as against £10 10s. 2d. for the previous year.

In addition, free tuition was given to 170 others who were holders of scholarships or of exhibitions granted by these schools, or by endowed secondary schools not coming under the conditions for free places, making the total number of free places held at secondary schools 3,855, or 75 per cent. of the roll of all these schools. Further information in regard to the free places and scholarships held at secondary schools will be found in Table J4. Moreover, in reckoning the amount of free secondary education in the Dominion must be included the pupils in attendance at the secondary classes of district high schools, 1,918 in number, all but a comparatively small number of whom were free pupils, receiving free tuition at an average cost to the Government

of £9 10s. 2d. per pupil. There should be added also those receiving free education in Maori schools, 134 in number, and the holders of certain free places in technical schools, numbering 1,144. There is thus an approximate total of 7,051 pupils receiving free secondary education, exclusive of those holders of free places in technical schools who were art students, or were evening students, or were taking courses which may be more approximately described as technical rather than as secondary.

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The following table gives a summary of the various secondary free places at the end of the year for which payment was made by Government:—

Free Places in December, 1909 and 1910.

		—1909.—			1910	
(i.) Secondary schools—	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.
(a.) Junior free pupils	 1 ,326	1,004	2,330	1,468	1,193	2,661
(b.) Senior free pupils	 571	394	965	578	446	1,024
Total	1,897	1,398	$\frac{-}{3,295}$	${2,046}$	1,639	3,685
(ii.) District high schools	 944	947	1,891	955	963	1,918
(iii.) Maori secondary schools	 51	73	124	51	83	134
(iv.) Technical day-schools	 345	501	846	505	639	1,144
omaz Grand total	 3,237	$\frac{-}{2,919}$	6,156	$\frac{-}{3,557}$	3,324	6,881

In the above table (in the case of the secondary schools and district high schools) the roll at the end of the year has been taken; a fairer estimate of the number of persons receiving free secondary education in public institutions would be obtained by taking the average roll throughout the year and including in the total the holders of foundation and private scholarships or exhibitions who received free tuition not paid for by Government. We obtain thus the following approximate figures:—

Number receiving Free Secondary Education in 1910.

Secondary schools		•••			 4,073
District high schools		•••		•••	 2,189
Technical day-schools					 1,144
Maori secondary schools		• • •	•••	•••	 134
Total	•••	• • •			 7,540

The corresponding number for 1909 may be estimated as 6,748, showing an increase for the year 1910 of 792 in the number in the Dominion who are receiving free secondary education.

Scholarships held at Secondary Schools and District High Schools.

These scholarships are of four kinds,—

- (i.) Junior National Scholarships;
- (ii.) Education Board Scholarships;
- (iii.) Foundation or Governor's Scholarships, given by the governing bodies of secondary schools;
- (iv.) Private scholarships, endowed by private owners.
- (i.) Junior National Scholarships.—These scholarships are allotted to the several education districts practically on the basis of population, as in each district there is offered annually one scholarship for each 4,000 or part of 4,000 children in average yearly attendance. The scholarships are awarded by the Education Boards on the results of an examination conducted by the Education Department, and the Boards exercise a certain control over the holders, and pay over to them from time to time the amounts falling due. With the Junior National Scholarships are now incorporated the Junior Queen's Scholarships,

which were established by the Victoria College Act, 1897, to enable pupils of public schools in the Victoria College University District to attend a secondary school as a stepping-stone to a course at Victoria College. Eight Junior Queen's Scholarships, of a total annual value of £197, were held during 1910, and of these the Victoria College Council has granted an extension of two for the year 1911; after the end of the current year the Queen's Scholarships will cease to exist.

The following summary to Table KL1 shows the number and value of the Junior National Scholarships current in the Dominion in December, 1910:—

Number of sch	olarships,						
Boys	•••						 75
$\operatorname{Girls}\dots$		•••	•••	•••		•••	 37
		Total	•••	•••	•••	•••	 112
Number receiv	total)	 49					
Number receiv	ing travell	ling-allows	mce (sim	ilarly inc	eluded)	••	 3
Number held a				•••			 94
Number held a	t district	high school	ols		• • • •		 18
Total		,649					

(ii.) Education Board Scholarships.—The scholarship funds of the Boards are provided by grants which, although not statutory, are of old standing, and amount to 1s. 6d. per head of the average attendance. The conditions of the scholarships are determined by regulations approved in the case of each Board by the Minister of Education. For the award of the Junior Scholarships all the Boards now use the Junior National Scholarship Examination, and for their Senior Scholarships nearly all use the Civil Service Junior Examination; but the awards themselves and the subsequent control of the holders are entirely in the hands of the Boards. The number and value of the Board scholarships in the various districts are shown in Table KL2 of E.-6, the totals of which are for the whole of New Zealand:—

						olarships.
At £40 per	annum	• • •		• • •	• • • •	 100
At £35 per	annum				• • • •	 9
At £30 per		•••	•••		• • • •	 4 1
Under £30	and not under	£25 per	annum	•		 6
	and not under					 16
Under £20	and not under	£15 per	annum		• • •	 2
Under £15	and not under	£10 per	annum			 192
Under £10	and not under	£5 per a	nnum			 134
Under £5 p		•••		•••	• • •	 63
	Total		•••	•••		 563 —
Number of scho	larships,—					
Boys				•••	• • • •	 349
Girls	•••					 214
	Total	•••	•			 563 ——
Total expe	£					
In 190 In 191	-		•••	•••	•••	, 694 , 2 32

As will be seen from the above summary, the value of the scholarships varies considerably. In five out of the thirteen education districts scholarships of the value of £40 are offered for competition, while in another the highest scholarship offered is of the value of £15. Further, five Boards do not give scholarships of a lower value than £10 per annum, whereas others offer scholarships of a value of £2, and even £1 5s. per annum.

The most common period of tenure is two years, but in one district the scholarships are tenable for three years, and in four districts scholarships may, in deserving cases, be extended to three years if the funds of the Boards admit. By the terms of the Act every Education Board scholarship is tenable at a secondary school or its equivalent approved by the Board. With very few exceptions holders of Education Board scholarships are also holders of secondary free places.

- (iii.) Foundation (or Governors') Scholarships.—These are of two kinds, those offered by the Governors of secondary schools not granting free places under the Act, and those offered as additional scholarships by the Governors of schools providing free places.
- (iv.) Private Scholarships.—These are derived from funds provided by private donors at certain schools, by bequest or otherwise.

The number of foundation and private scholarships in the last term of 1910 was 193. Of the holders, fifty-nine were also Government free pupils under the regulations. The total value of the scholarships in cash was £1,160 6s. 6d. In addition, free tuition was given by the schools to holders of foundation and private scholarships to the value of £943 17s. 6d., the value of the Government free places already mentioned not being included in this amount.

Staff.

The staffing of the secondary schools was as follows:—

			1910			
	Μ.	\mathbf{F} .	Total.	М.	\mathbf{F} .	Total.
Regular staff	 131	93	224	140	107	247
Part-time teachers	 44	33	77	48	31	79

The average number of pupils per teacher (excluding part-time teachers) was 21.7 in 1909 and 20.9 in 1910.

The head teacher of a school at which district high school classes are held generally takes some part in the secondary instruction, and receives from the Government the sum of £30 in addition to his salary as head teacher of the primary school. In 1909 there were also 93 special assistants—namely, 43 men and 50 women. In 1910 there were 45 men and 50 women. Leaving out of consideration the head teachers of district high schools, the average number of pupils per teacher was 23·3 in 1909 and 23·0 in 1910.

Salaries of Secondary Teachers.

The total amount paid as salaries to the regular staffs of secondary schools as at the rates paid at the end of the year was £55,769, as against £51,681 at the end of 1909. Full particulars will be found in Table K3 of the Secondary Schools Report. As might be expected, the salaries paid vary considerably; the following summary shows the average salary paid to principals and assistants:—

Salaries in Secondary Schools.

		1909						
	М.	\mathbf{F} .	All.	M.	\mathbf{F} .	All.		
	£	£	£	£	£	£		
Principals	 474	361	437	490	36 8	450		
Assistants	 230	153	196	232	1 45	194		
Whole staff	 269	175	230	271	167	226		

Note.-The salaries of part-time teachers are not taken into consideration in the above summary.

In the secondary departments of district high schools salaries are uniform, in accordance with the schedule to the Act. The average salaries actually paid

to assistants, exclusive of the sums paid to head teachers by way of extra salary, were, in December, 1909 and 1910, as follows:

			1909.	1910.		
			£ ક. હે.	£	8.	đ.
Male assistants			 198 2 1	195	9	9
Female assistants	• • •		 154 10 0	159	2	1
All secondary assistants	•••	•••	 174 13 2	176	14	2

(The scale of salaries is the same for men and women.)

The total amount paid in salaries from receipts from Government for the secondary departments of district high schools, including the special payments to head teachers, was £18,240, as against £18,618 for 1909.

The professional qualifications of the secondary-school teachers of the Dominion are as follows:—

Status of Secondary Teachers (Regular Staff only), December, 1910.

					econdary Schools.	High Schools (Secondary Departments).
Principals,—						,
Graduates					29	24
Holding certificates of	r other	qualificat	ions (exc	luding		
graduates)		·	•••		2	37
Assistants,—						
Graduates	•••		• • • •		174	62
Certificated (excluding	g gradua	tes)	•••		10	32
Uncertificated	•••		• • •		33	1
Total		• • •	•••		248	156

Further information in regard to the salaries of secondary-school teachers will be found in Table K3 of the Appendix, and of district high schools in Tables L1 and L2.

Finances of Secondary Schools.

The income of secondary schools is derived from the following sources:—

- (i.) Rents from the special reserves allocated to them by statute;
- (ii.) Statutory grants given in lieu of special reserves;
- (iii.) Interest upon moneys derived from the sale of reserves and invested in accordance with the Education Reserves Act;
- (iv.) Income from the secondary-school reserves controlled by the School Commissioners, divided among the secondary schools in the several land districts in proportion to the number of pupils in average attendance, lower departments excluded;
- (v.) Government payments: (a.) Statutory capitation upon free pupils under the Act; (b) subsidies on voluntary contributions for the general purposes of the school;
- (vi.) Government payments: (a) Capitation for manual-instruction classes; (b) subsidies on voluntary contributions for manual-instruction purposes;
- (vii.) Special Government grants for buildings and apparatus;
- (viii.) Tuition fees of pupils;
 - (ix.) Boarding fees of pupils;
 - (x.) Miscellaneous sources, such as interest on moneys other than those obtained by the sale of reserves, donations, and special endowments (for scholarships, prizes, &c.), rent of premises, loans raised, &c.

The revenue derived from the sources (i) to (iv) is the income derived from endowments, and the "net annual income derived from endowments" is the average for the three preceding years of this revenue, less the expenditure upon the endowments and investments and upon buildings, and less mortgage and other charges.

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Table K summarizes the receipts of all the secondary schools taken together under the several heads above named, and also the various items of expenditure during the year 1910.

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Table K.—Summary of the Accounts of Income and Expenditure for 1910 furnished by the Governing Bodies of Secondary Schools.

Expenditure		202120	-						
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Moneys repaid and insurance	Credit balances on 1st January, 1910	22,689	17	9	Debit balances on 1st January, 1910 7,497 7 6				
Rents, &c., of reserves 32,924 16 9 Boarding-school accounts 16,690 5 9	Endowment reserves sold, and mortgage				Expenses of management 4,333 18 1				
Interest on moneys invested	moneys repaid and insurance	4,076	14	8	School salaries 60,024 4 1				
Interest on moneys invested	Rents, &c., of reserves	32,924	16	9	Boarding-school accounts 16,690 5 9				
School Commissioners' payments	Interest on moneys invested	1,448	3	5					
Buildings, furniture, insurance, rent, and subsidies		4,607	4	9					
For manual instruction, capitation, and subsidies									
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For free places, capitation, and subsidy on voluntary contributions	and aubaidias		7	2					
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The following table gives a comparison of the chief items of income and expenditure with those for 1908 and 1909:—

				ome.	1908. £	1909. £	1910. £
Income from res	erves and	endowr	nents		36,774	37,478	38,980
Grants from Go	vernment	(exclus	sive of bu	ilding			,
grants)*		`	•••	•••	29,108	41,258	42,492
Building grants					16,164	4,746	11,794
Tuition fees	•••	•••			19,160	18,887	17,828
			Expen	diture.			
Salaries of staff					52,340	56,494	60,024
Expenses of mar	nagement		•••		3,412	3,637	4,334
Buildings, &c.	•••	• • •	•••	•••	40,103	41,911	53,554

^{*} These include, in addition to grants for secondary education properly so called, amounts paid to secondary schools as controlling authorities of technical classes: These amounts in the years 1908, 1909, and 1910 were respectively £2,208, £6,521, and £850.

The receipts under the heading "Tuition fees" show a general decline, due to the steady advance of the free-place system.

The Education Amendment Act of 1908, by the introduction of a higher scale of capitation on free pupils, benefits not only those secondary schools which have few if any endowments, but also the more numerous class of schools whose income from endowments is small in proportion to the number of pupils; further, it will relieve from anxiety those schools where a necessity arises for a large building expenditure in any year, as the effect of the new sliding scale is that in any year the total of the net annual income from endowments and the capitation—that is, of the moneys available for the payment of staff salaries and working-expenses—cannot, with due safeguards, fall below £12 10s. per pupil—a sum which past experience shows to be just sufficient.

Eighteen of the secondary schools show a credit balance at the end of the year, and nine a debit balance. The net credit balance of all the secondary schools taken together has fallen considerably since the previous year—£14,546 as against £19,310 for 1909; the chief cause is the large amount of building operations undertaken by several of the schools during the past year. Generally speaking, the finances of the secondary schools are in a sound condition, notwithstanding the large expenditure under the head of buildings. In last year's report it was said, "Indeed, it would be as well if the governing bodies of many of the secondary schools would consider carefully the need for increasing the staffs of their schools, and of giving greater encouragement in the form of increased salaries to assistant teachers. At present there is no doubt that in many cases the salaries paid to assistants are far too low. Effi-

cient work cannot reasonably be looked for in a secondary school unless the staff is sufficient and well paid." It would appear from the fact that the expenditure on salaries in 1910 was almost £8,000 in excess of 1908, that the assistant teachers were now receiving much better treatment financially, but this is only partly true. The average salary of a male assistant has certainly risen in these two years from £224 to £232, but that of a female assistant has fallen from £147 to £145. The increased expenditure must largely be put down to the larger number of teachers necessary to cope with the steadily increasing number of pupils in attendance.

The item of income "Sundries unclassified, £25,703," includes two loans

amounting to £20,550.

For the whole Dominion, if there are taken into account only the secondary schools that admit free pupils under the Act, we find from Table K5 the following position:—

, F	1909.	1910.
Total number of pupils, excluding lower depart-		
ments	4,421	4,638
Total net income from endowments (average of		
three years ending 31st December, 1910)	£11,775	£9,561
Net income from endowments per head	£2.66	£2·06
Approximate annual rate of capitation	£10·40	£10·98
Total available net income per free pupil for		
salaries and management	£ 13.06	£13·04
	045 001	040 550
Total expenditure on salaries of staff	£45,081	£48,570
" management	£2,851	$\pounds 3$, 275
" staff salaries, and manage-		
ment	$\pounds 47$, 932	£51,845
Expenditure per head on staff salaries	£10·60	£10·82
" on management	£0.64	£0·70
Total expenditure per head on staff salaries, and		
management	£11·24	£ 11.52

The last figure given shows as nearly as may be the actual cost per annum for each pupil. exclusive of those in the lower departments. Further details of the income and expenditure of the secondary schools will be found in Tables K6 and K6A.

Lower Departments.—The Education Act provides that pupils who have not obtained a certificate of competency in the subjects of Standard V or a higher standard of the public-school syllabus may be admitted to a lower department of a secondary school if they are taught in a separate building or class-room and if no part of the actual cost of their instruction is met out of the endowments of the secondary school. There were lower departments in thirteen secondary schools during 1910; the total number of pupils in those departments was 270 (178* boys, 92 girls); the total cost of their instruction was £2,024; the total amount of fees received on their account was £2,248.

General Remarks.

(a.) Length of Time spent in Secondary Schools.

School Age of Pupils in Attendance at Secondary Schools at the End of the Year.

	:	190	9-30 Schoo	ls.*	1910—31 Schools.			
School Age.		Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	
First year		1,139	792	1,931	1,072	885	1,957	
Second year		682	535	1,217	840	564	1,404	
Third year		424	280	704	471	326	797	
Fourth (or a higher) year		316	263	579	461	287	748	
Total		2,561	1,870	4,431	2,844	2,062	4,906	

^{*} Exclusive of Christ's College Grammar School.

^{*} Including Christ's College Grammar School, for which no return has hitherto been made.

Last year it was pointed out that the average time spent by a pupil at a New Zealand secondary school was slightly over two years and a half. Information in greater detail has been gathered since that date, and it is now possible to give a closer estimate of the average length of secondary-school life. The following table* shows, as nearly as can be estimated, the number of pupils who stayed one, two, three, four, and five or more years.

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Stayed one year	•••	•••	 1,049 pt	upils c	or 27·3 pe	er cent.
Stayed two years			 1,066	~ ,,	$27 \cdot 7$,,
Stayed three years			 864	,,	22.5	"
Stayed four years			 248	.,	6.4	,,
Stayed five or more	years		 619	,,	16.1	"

Hence the average time spent by a pupil in a secondary school is 2 56 years, or slightly under two years and seven months. This is greater than the average duration of a pupil's stay in New York or Chicago (about two years), but less than the corresponding period in England, Scotland, Switzerland, and other European countries. One of the provisions, for instance, of the Secondary Schools Regulations of England is as follows:—

Article 2.—A school will not be recognized as a secondary school unless (i) an adequate proportion of the scholars remain at least four years in the school, and (ii) an adequate proportion of the scholars remain in the school up to and beyond the age of sixteen. In determining what is an adequate proportion of scholars for either of these purposes, the Board may (where circumstances justify it) take into account scholars who have left the school and are pursuing their studies in some other secondary school approved for this purpose.

While the average length of a pupil's course in a New Zealand secondary school may, for a young country, be considered fair, there can be no doubt that, in the interests of the pupils themselves and of the community at large, a longer stay is in every way desirable. There are three causes which have contributed to shorten the average length of the secondary-school course:—

- (1.) As has already been mentioned in another part of this report, † children are kept so long in the preparatory classes of the public schools that they have reached an unduly high average age before they have attained to the standard required for admission to a secondary school.
- (2.) The Matriculation Examination of the University of New Zealand, although primarily intended as an entrance examination to one of the affiliated colleges, has come to be regarded as a leaving examination; in the past the standard of this examination has been such that pupils have been able without difficulty to cover the work required in three years, and in some cases even two. The standard of the examination for 1911 and subsequent examinations, however, has been raised to that standard which a secondary-school pupil should reasonably cover in a four-years course, and it is probable that this alteration will have some effect in prolonging the length of the secondary-school course.
- (3.) Economic reasons are to some extent at the root of the evil; closely related, indeed forming part of, this cause is the absence in the community of a thorough and hearty belief in the advantages of secondary education. Except in the comparatively few cases where it is the intention of the parent to send the pupil on to the University, the parent is naturally inclined to begrudge the years spent by his child in learning mathematics and foreign languages, and to consider that he is better qualifying himself for the business of life if he is placed immediately after leaving school in some employment, and perhaps sent to evening classes at a technical school. In the past there has no doubt been some ground for this belief, but the present movement towards making the work of the secondary schools more vocational in character will tend to overcome an objection which has hitherto been well founded. It is not the province of a secondary school merely to qualify a pupil for the work he will be called upon to perform in after-life any more than it is its province to give him a purely theoretical education, such as has been the tendency in the past; but there seems to be no reason to fear that a thorough mental training could not be obtained as well through the medium of a vocational course as from a

course based upon old-fashioned lines. The ideal vocational course should embrace a sound study of English literature, history, and civics, a practical knowledge of the fundamental scientific principles underlying the common facts of life, particularly, in the case of boys, applied science (including agriculture and commerce), and, in the case of girls, domestic science and art. if the programmes of the secondary schools were adjusted somewhat on the lines just mentioned, parents would have a greater inducement to allow their children to go through a complete course in a secondary school. The present regulations for admission to Senior Free Places, which have now been current for more than three years, give the secondary schools ample scope to modify their programmes as suggested; the only compulsory subjects are English and arithmetic, and the optional subjects include (besides mathematics, foreign languages, and the ordinary branches of science) such subjects as the following: Elementary practical agriculture; elementary hygiene (including elementary physiology, with instruction in "health" and in "first aid"); domestic science (including cookery, dressmaking or advanced plain needlework, and house-wifery); shorthand, book-keeping, and commercial correspondence; woodwork There appears to be a growing tendency on the part of many of or ironwork. the schools to lean more towards the vocational course, especially in the direction of subjects bearing on agricultural and pastoral pursuits. To qualify for a Senior Free Place or an Intermediate certificate it is not necessary, under the regulations, for the pupil to sit for examination; it is sufficient if he or she gives evidence of having diligently and intelligently completed a satisfactory two-vears course. Upon the completion of a similar satisfactory four-years course is based the senior or "leaving" certificate for which provision is made.

(b.) Average Duration of a Girl's Stay in a Secondary School.

According to the census returns for 1906, there were 97 girls of secondary-school age to every 100 boys. From the figures set out in Table K2 we find that there were in 1910 only 72 girls to every 100 boys. This great difference is only partly accounted for by the number of private secondary schools for girls in the Dominion. There can be no doubt that the chief cause is that parents do not consider a secondary education as necessary for a girl as for a boy.

If we apply the same tests to the numbers of boys and girls separately on the rolls of secondary schools as was applied in the case of all pupils, we find that the average duration of a girl's stay is slightly greater than that of a boy:—

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Average giri's stay in a secondary school ... ... 2.58 years.

Average boy's stay in a secondary school ... ... 2.55 years.*

Average stay of a pupil (boy or girl) ... ... ... 2.56 years.*
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From Table K2 we get the following information:—

110	girls	stayed	1	year	to every	100	boys
88	_	,,		years	,,	100	,,
97		"	3	years	"	100	,,
85			4	years	,,	100	,,
120		,,	5	years or n	nore "	100	

It would therefore appear that, in addition to the fact that a large number of girls are never sent to a secondary school, an undue number are withdrawn after their first year; those that are left after the year, however, stay longer than the average boy. Domestic reasons are, no doubt, at the root of the trouble. That the trouble is not insurmountable is evidenced by the fact that in the United States the very reverse is the case—there are 129 girls on the roll to every 100 boys.

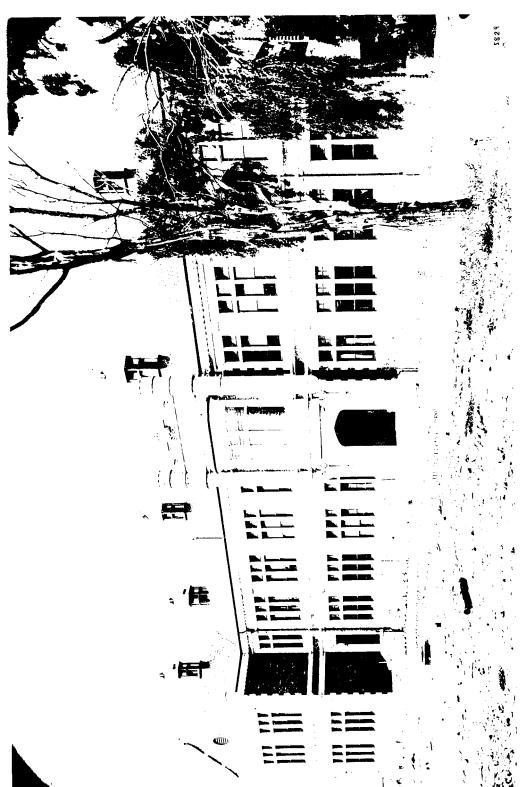
^{*} Exclusive of Christ's College, for which no separate figures were available for the year 1909.



Girls' High School, Dunedin. Science Class-room.



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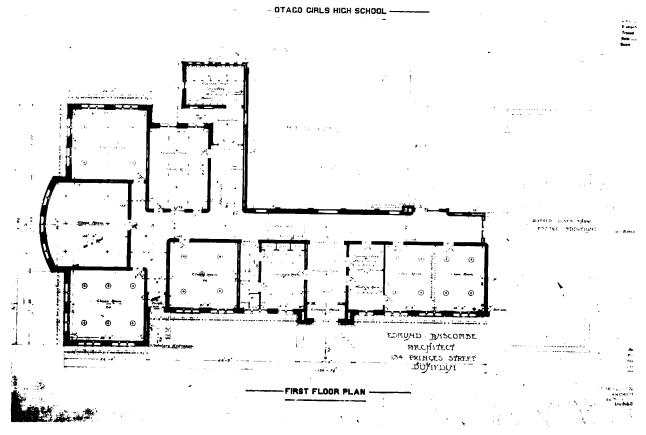
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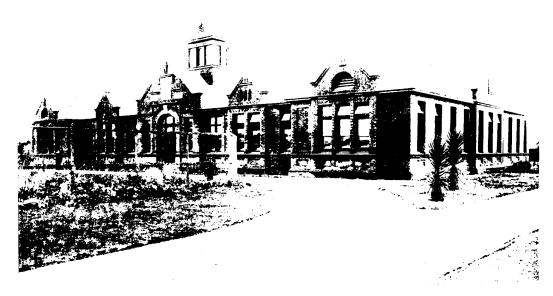
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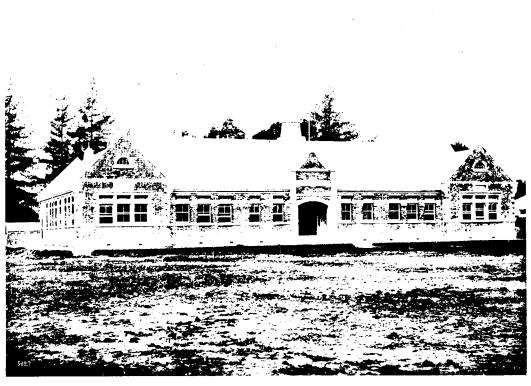
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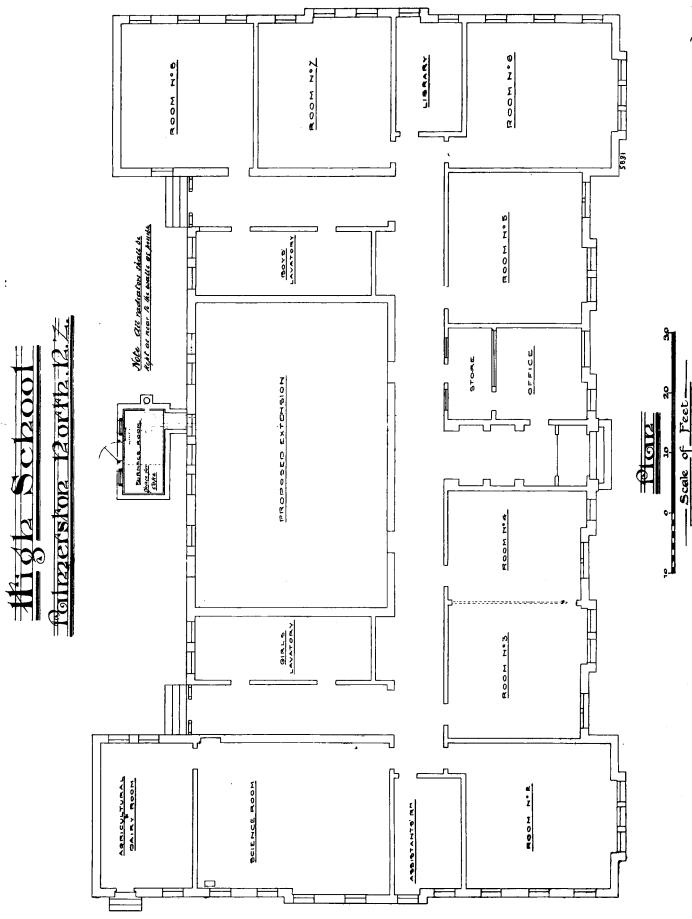
Girls' High School, Denebin. The dotted lines show future additions.



High School, Palmerston North.



High School, Gisborne.



2. DETAILED TABLES.

TABLE K1.—Roll and Fees of Secondary Schools, as in December, 1910.

				Total	KOII	for Las	t Tern	n of	1910	•	:	Depart-	Roll.	613 613	200	An	nua	Rates	of:	Fees		ante
0.11				Boys.					Girls.			ver D	Total	Boarders	otal B							ttenda
Schools.		Under 12 Years.	12 to 15.	15 to 18.	Over 18.	Total.	පි.ම	12 to 15.	15 to 18.	Over 18.	Total.	Boys. Lower	Girls. In	Boys.	Girls. T	For	r Tui	ition.	ex	For Boar clus Tuit	d ive	Average Attendance Lower Departments
			-	-	Ü	-					<u> </u>			: 					1,			
A. <i>E</i>	ndou	ved S	School	s incl	uded	in the	Eigi	hth	Sche	edule	to the	e Ec	luca	tion	Act	, 196 £		d.	£	8.	d.	
Vhangarei High School Auckland Boys' Grammar Sc Girls' Grammar Sc			12 124	316	15	45 456		6 22	27 174	1 8	34 304	••	::	::		10		0	 		٠	40
hames High School Wew Plymouth High School			15 17	29 36		 44 55		9	22 29	•	31 43	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	:: ::	6	•	8	8 6	0	35		6	
Vanganui Girls' College							7	59	107	27	200		14		85	1	10	0	40	0	0	1
Vellington Boys' College		1	103	244	18	366		٠.		• •	• •	21		62		111		9	42	0	0	3
" Girls' College			• • •				10	81	104	11	206		13	•		(9 (11	17	9		••		1
Vapier Boys' High School ,, Girls' High School disborne High School	••	18	58 27	46 38	8 1	130 68		38 14	63 40	 5 1	113 55	45 	39	27 9	21	10 9 9	9	Ŏ	40 40 47	0	0	
Marlborough High School Velson Boys' College		1 3	19 71	26 95	3	49 190		30	36	2	68	3 12	٠.	92		8	11 8	0 0 }	42	••	0	î 1:
" Girls' College							11	61	28	9	163		16	1	35	12 (8 1 12	8	Οí	42		0	
hristchurch Boys' High Sch	ool	8	87	105	13	213						20		: :	••	} 7	10 10	0)				1
" Girls' High Sch	ool			• • •			4 1	03	124	7	23 8	٠.	10			(9 (12						2
tangiora High School shburton High School 'imaru Boys' High School			18 19 17	33	3	36 55 72		25 13	12 40	2 5	39 58	• •			••	9 6 9	6	0 0	45		0	1
,, Girls' High School Vaitaki Boys' High School	• •	5			 14	208		20	44	• • •	67 	23		146	••	9 7	0 10	0	46	·i	0	
" Girls' High School tago Boys' High School " Girls' High School	• • •		92	169	12	273		21 58	40 1 14	6 10	67 182	•••		23		7 10 10	0		43	io 	0	
outhland Boys' High School			47	76 	13	136 		31	·. 88		i: 128	••	••	::	• •	10 10	-	_		••		1
Total	••	39	789	1,439	129	2,396	397	05	1146	106	1,996	130	92	371	141		•••			• •		4,2
I	3. <i>S</i> e	econd	lary !	Schools	esta	ıblishe	d uno	ler	Secti	on S	4 of ti	he E	duc	atio	n Ac	L.					,	
almerston North High Sch	ool		45	62	3,	110			35				• • •	13		10				19	0	_
annevirke High School ore High School	• •	• •	17 17	21 29	2	38 48		14 13	25 34		3 9 4 9	• •		::		10 10				• •		1
Total	• •		79	112	5	196	<u></u>	59	94	5	158	<u></u>	·	13			•			• •		3
C. Endowed S	econo	lary	School	ols not	com	ing w	ithin	the	Defi	nitio	on of S	Secti	on 8	89 o	f the	Edu	ıcati	on Ac	zt.			
Vanganui Collegiate School			47	119	21	187	••	••	••	••	••			148		12		0) (0	1
hrist's College Grammar Sch	iool	49	103	79	12	243	••:			••		48		82	••,	$\begin{cases} 7\\11\\14 \end{cases}$	0	$\left\{ egin{array}{c} 6 \\ 6 \\ 6 \end{array} \right\}$		12 (15 (} 2
Total		49	150	198	33	430		•	••	•		48	<u></u>	23 0			<u></u>			•		3
Grand total for 1910 Grand total for 1909	••			1,749 1,666							2,154 1,945			614 566			•••		:		. !	
Difference		-12	9		31	111	5 1	<u></u> -		39	200			48	1							5,0

<sup>Note.—The classification of secondary schools, as shown in the above tables, may be interpreted thus:—
A. Schools established under special Acts of the Legislature, with endowments derived from grants of money from the public revenue, or from grants of land. It is optional with these schools to admit free pupils or offer scholarships equal in value to one-fifth of the net annual income derived from endowments.
B. High schools established in places where there are no secondary or district high schools. These schools must admit free pupils, for which they receive grants according to scale.
C. Schools which, though endowed, do not admit, nor are they empowered to admit, free pupils.</sup>

TABLE K2.—Classification of Pupils in Secondary Schools in 1910, according to Years of Attendance (exclusive of Preparatory Departments).

	First	Year.	Secon	d Year.	Third	Year.	Fourt	ı Year.	Fifth	Year.	— - То	tal.	Trand
Schools.	Boys.	Girls,	Воув.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.
A. En	dowed	Schools	include	ed in th	e Eigh	th Sche	dule to	the Ed	ucation	Act,	1908.		
Whangarei High School	20	12	14	8 !	6	10	3	4	2	· · ·	45	34	79
Auckland Boys' Grammar School	173	••	143	••	75	•••	40		25		456	••	456
Auckland Girls' Grammar School	••	154	• •	66	••	59	. ••	16		9	• •	304	304
Thames High School	23	14	11	8	5	4	5	4		. 1	44	31	75
New Plymouth High School	25	17	17	14	7	10	6	2		• •	55	43	98
Wanganui Girls' College.	110	53	::	42	• • • • •	32		15	1 ::	44		186	186
Wellington Boys' College	119	000	149	10	44	90	23	· · · _	10		345	100	345
Wellington Girls' College	•••	96	19	42	1.0	38	10	7		10		193	193
Napier Boys' High School	39	35	19	14	13		10		4	• •	85	74	85 74
Napier Girls' High School	39	26	23	14 29	(000	ned in	1000)	, ,,		8	62	74 55	117
Gisborne High School Marlborough High School	15	32	17	19	(Ope	12	5	5		• •	46	₹68	114
Nelson Boys' College	52		50		43		20	1	13	• • •	178	1,00	178
Nelson Girls' College	02	54		44		27		16	1	6		147	147
Christchurch Boys' High	79	,	52		26	i	19	1	. 17		193	1	192
School Christchurch Girls' High		91		65		30		30		12		228	228
School		24	13		٠٠.		• • •	,			••		
Rangiora High School	18 27	22	18	9 22	4	2 7		2 4	1 2	$\frac{2}{3}$	36 55	39 58	75 113
Ashburton High School	29	22	21		12	1	6	4	4		72		72
Timaru Boys' High School	-	29		17		iı		"5	1		12	67	67
Timaru Girls' High School Waitaki Boys' High School	 59		54	1	42	į.	21		9	5	185	1	185
Waitaki Girls' High School		31	0.1	19		7		7		3	100	67	67
Otago Boys' High School	105		68		50		31	1'	19	١	273	1 "	273
Otago Girls' High School		68		57		32		16		9	210	182	182
Southland Boys' High School	54		38		28		13		3		136		136
Southland Girls' High School		47		42		20		11	_	8		128	128
Total	876	805	707	517	368	309	206	153	109	120	2,266	1,904	4,170
В. /	i Secondo	ry Scho	ools esta	blished	under	' Section	94 of 1	: the Edi	ıcation	Act.	•		
Palmerston North High	47	36	35	19	14	, 7	11	5		3	110	70	180
School Dannevirke High School	17	19	11	14	5	5	4		l	1	38	39	77
Gore High School	28	25	10	14	8	5	1	3		2	48	49	97
Total	92	80	56	47	27	17	16	8	5	6	196	158	354
C. Endowed A	Secondo	iry Scho	ols not	coming	within	the De	finition	of Sect	ion 89	of the	Educa	tion Ac	t.
Wanganui Collegiate School	62		51	1	33	1	21		1 20		187	١	187
Christ's College Grammar School	42		26		43		29	<u> </u>	55	•••	195	<u> </u>	195
Total	104		77		76		50	<u> </u>	75		382		382
Grand total for 1910	1,072	885	840	564	471	326	272	161	189	126	2,844	2,062	4,906

TABLE K3.-Staff and Salaries of Secondary Schools as in December, 1910.*

	Staff. Salaries at Rate paid at End of Year. Regular. Part-time. Regular Staff. Part-time								
Schools.†	Reg	ular.	Part-	time.	Regula	r Staff.	Part- Teacl		Notes.
	Men.	Women.	Men.	Women.	Men.	Women.	Men.	Women.	
A. Findow	d 90	hoole	imala	ded i	n the Fie	hth Sch	adaila ta	the Fe	lucation Act.
A. Bhaowe	u sci	ww	·nc. u	ueu s	n me Dig £	µuu Scie €	ame w £	uie Du	mation Act.
Vhangarei High School	2	2	1	1	480	230	15	15	
uckland Boys' Grammar School		;;	2	• ;	4,155	0.004	120	015	
,, Girls' Grammar School 'hames High School	2	14.	1::	4	550	2,094 150	1	215	Principal has residence.
ew Plymouth High School	4	2	i	•	1,030	390	22		rimerpar nas residence.
Vanganui Girls' College		11	2	4	••	2,145	130	100	Principal has residence. Par
Vallington Rove' College	18		4		4,470	<i>;</i> !	100		time teachers receive fees.
Vellington Boys' College		12	2	5	4,510	2,075	85	86	
apier Boys' High School	8		١		1,712	2,0.0			Including £52 house allowance for
) 							second master; also, Princip has residence.
" Girls' High School	٠;	7	1	٠;	040	1,140	30	10	Principal has residence.
Hisborne High School	4	3	1	1	940	320	45	40	Principal has residence, one a sistant has board, and one boar and residence.
Iarlborough High School	2	2	1	1	665	310	12	12	Principal has residence.
elson Boys' College	9	••	2	••	2,020	•••	110	••	Principal has board and residence five assistants have board, an one assistant has residence.
" Girls' College		8	2	••	• •	1,195	:	85	Principal and five assistants have board and residence.
hristchurch Boys' High School	11	::	5	٠.	3,415	1	268	300	
,, Girls' High School	2	11	$\frac{2}{2}$	6 1	600	1,824 282	61 10	294	Dringing bag rasidance
Sangiora High School shburton High School	3	2	2		850	330		10	Principal has residence.
'imaru Boys' High School	4		i	• • •	1,260		30		
" Girls' High School		4		. 1		845		15	
Vaitaki Boys' High School	7	•••	1	1	1,900	••	15	36	Three assistants have board an residence.
" Girls' High School		4	1	· 1		700	10	50	residence.
tago Boys' High School	11		2		3,263		160		Principal has residence.
" Girls' High School		9	2	2	' - ::-	1,705	100	60	Part-time teachers receive fees.
outhland Boys' High School	6	• • •	3	• •	1,609	1 105	108	-;	Principal has residence.
" Girls' High School		7	2	<u>l</u>		1,185	83	4	
Total	107	101	40	29	28,919	16,920	1,514	1,022	
B. Secondar	y Sci	hools	estab	lished	under S	Section 9	4 of the	Educa	ution Act.
almerston North High School	4	3	2	1	1,230	370	65	15	Including £125 house allowance fo
)annaviaka Himb Cab 1					570	960	. 1#	90	Principal.
Dannevirke High School	2 3	1	1	1	570 800	360 150	15	20	
ivio Higa Sollooi			-	ļ					
Total	9	6	3	2	2,600	880	80	35	
C. Endowed Seconda	ry Sc	hools	not	comin	g within	the Defi	nition o	f Secti	on 89 of the Education Act.
Vanganui Collegiate School					3,150		145		
thrist's College Grammar School	. 12	••	3	•••	3,300		235		Principal and five assistants have residence.
Total	24	••	5	•••	6,450		380		ı İ
Grand total	140	107	48	31	37,969	17,800	1,974	1,057	

TABLE K4 -- Number of Pupils holding Scholarships and Free Places in Secondary Schools during the Last Term, 1910.

			Number (Unde	of Ho Depar	lders tmenta	of Free l Regul	Places.			of Capitation.	Annual Pay-	amongst Holders polyses	lers. To	lers Place
School.		Junior.			Senior	•	: : !	Totals.		Annusl Rate o	Approximate Ament.	Included sme Free-place He (Column 10).	also Holders ee Places.	is receiving Fre
	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Ann	day m	19 P 20	Not	Pupils tion, Gove
(1.)	(2.)	(3.)	(4.)	(5.)	(6.)	(7.)	(8.)	(9.)	(10.)	(11.)	(12.)	(13.)	(14.)	(15.)
A.	Endow	ed Scho	ols incl	uded in	n the	Eighth	Schedu	le to the	Educa	tion Act,	1908.			
			(i.) Pro	widing	Free	Places	under	Section	93.					
		1 10	!	1						£	£		1	:
Whangarei High School Auckland Grammar School	27 287	19 213	46 500	11 128	13 58	24 186	38 415	32 271	70 686	12·5 12·26	875 8,410	113	::	3
Thames High School New Plymouth High	34 39	17 24	51 63	7	7 11	14 18	41 46	24 35	65 81	$7.75 \\ 6.21$	504 503	3 15		
School Napier High School	58	38	96	22	23	45	80	61	141	7.06	996	32	:	1
Gisborne High School	48	39	87	5	7	12	53	46	99	12.5	1,238	13	• • •	•
Wellington Colleges	217	106	323	58	26	84	275	132	407	10.55	4,294	18	.4	• ••
Marlborough High School	31	43	74	9	16	25	40	59	99	12.5	1,238	28	••	1
Nelson Colleges	82	77 30	159	47 4	43 4	90	129 32	120	249	12·06 12·5	3,005	28	1	• •
Rangiora High School Christchurch Girls' High School	28	147	58 147	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	62	62	32	34 209	66 209	12.5	825 2,613	6 32	2	••
Christchurch Boys' High School	81		81	47		47	128	 !	128	6.00	710	32	٠	2
Ashburton High School	42	39	81	8	6	14	50	45	95	12.025		2		11
Timaru High School	43	41	84	19 41	18	37	62	59	121	9.05	1,095	18	• •	1
Waitaki High School Otago High School	61 171	50 117	111 288	86	13 61	54 147	102 257	63 178	165 435	12·5 9·57	2,063 4,163	61	ï	••
Southland High School		71	160	35		83	124	119	243	12.5	3,038	45		
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Wanganui Girls' College	••	••	••		••	• • •	••		••	••	••	i	17	27
	B. Sec	ondary	Schools	establ	ished	under i	Section	94 of th	he Educ	ation Ac	t.			
Palmerston North High School	68	55	123	21	14	35	89	69	158	12.22	1,931	12	••	••
Dannevirke High School	25	31	56	14	6	20	39	37	76	11-91	905	12	••	••
Gore High School	37	36	73	9	10	19	46	46	92	12.5	1,150	7	••	
		C. En	dowed S	chools	not in	ıcluded	in the	Eighth	Schedu	le.				
Wanganui Collegiate School	٠٠.			••	••		••	: ••	••	• • •	••	••	19	7
Christ's College Gram- mar School								i ••	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		••		45	28
Total	1,468	1,193	2,661	578	446	1,024	2,046	1,639	3,685	11.044	40,698	550	89	81

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Auckland Grammar School	841	221	0.26	12.26	12.52	6,945	612	7,557	8.26	0.73	8.99
Thames High School	83	457	5.50	7.75	13.25	671	43	714	8.08	0.52	8.60
New Plymouth High School	108	927	8.58	6.21	14.79	1,456	75	1,531	13.48	0.69	14.17
		1,407	2.17	10.54	12.73				9.94		
Wellington Boys' and Girls' Colleges	648	1,407	2.11	10.94	12.11	6,439	293	6,732	9.94	0.45	10.39
37 ' 77' 1 () 1 1	169	1,162	6.87	7.06	13.93	2,009	150	2,159	11.89	0.89	12.78
Gisborne High School	126			12.50	12.50	1,236	195	1,431	9.81	1.55	11.36
	120	••	•••	12.50	12.50		62		8.06		
Marlborough High School		174	0.40			983		1,045		0.51	8.57
Nelson College	360	174	0.48	12.06	12.54	3,666	398	4,064	10.18	1.11	11.29
Rangiora High School	96	0	10.40	12.50	12.50	820	20	840	8.54	0.21	8.75
Christchurch Boys' High	204	2,751	13.48	5.58	19.06	3,747	214	3,961	18.37	1.05	19.42
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Christchurch Girls' High	241	:		12.50	12.50	2,211	64	2,275	9.17	0.27	9.44
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Ashburton High School	127	67	0.52	12.02	12.54	1,157	64	1,221	9.11	0.50	9.61
Timaru High School	155	595	3.83	9.05	12.88	2,052	157	2,209	13.24	1.01	14.25
Waitaki High School	270			12.50	12.50	2,510	234	2,744	9.30	0.86	10.16
Otago High School	517	1,681	3.25	9.57	12.82	5,289	299	5,588	10.23	0.58	10.81
Southland High School	292			12.50	12.50	3,169	112	3,281	10.85	0.38	11.23
Totals	4,440	9,442	· · ·			45,086	3,054	48,140	10.16	0.68	10.84
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Wanganui Girls' College	100.		•••	··	••	2,745	170	2,821	14.76	0.94	15.70
В. 8е	condary	Schools es	tablishe	d under	Section :	94 of the	Educati	on Act.			
Palmerston N. High School	188	57	0.30	12.22	12.52	1.631	150	1.781	8-68	0.80	9.48
Dannevirke High School	94	62	0.65	11.91	12.56	934	2	936	9.94	0.02	9.96
Gore High School	102	• •		12.50	12.50	919	69	988	9.01	0.68	9.69
Gold High School											5.03
Totals	384	119	••			3,484	221	3,705	9.07	0.58	9.65
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	C. Em	lowed Sch	ools not	include	d in the	Eighth S	chedule.				
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Wanganui Collegiate School	187*	••	••	•••	••	3,567	526	4,093	19.07	2.82	21.89
Christ's College Grammar	195*	••	••	••	••	3,118	290	3,408	15.99	1.49	17.48
School			ļ						,		
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en . 1			1			6,685	816	7,501	17.50	$2 \cdot 14$	19.64
Totals	382	•••	••	•••							
Totals Grand totals	5,206	9,561	2.06	10.98	13.04	58,000	4,267	62,267	11.47	0.84	12.31

^{*} Roll at 31st December, 1910.

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Whangarei High School	110 4 5 1.732 14 7	8 s. d. 1,276 0 0	£ s. 0 106 7 5,470 1	d. £ s. d. 0 8 199 4 11	£ s. 41 5 637 14	d £ £ d 0 0 12 14 6	8,190 1 11	 Э	£ 8. d. 75 12 0 722 15 0		. э. д. 	चं • : :	£ & L.212 16 18,228 12	а. 3 .: .: . 1
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Wanganui Girls' College	958 55	• •	354 13	-0	. 151 506 4	20 15 20 15	30 0	:	2,823 15 2,136 8	3,283 1	155	216 17 0	8,074 18	: : : :
Wenington Conege Napier High Schools Gishorne High School	182	: :		6 115 10 0	5 2	15 12 15 12	964	167 6 9 341 0 0	0 12	6 68 5			4 2	: : :
Marlborough High School	476 17 9	338 0		· ;=	65 0 520 0	63 7	3,133 13		90 6	6 0 5,955 14	15		12 1 18	
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Rangiora High School Christchurch Boys' High	_	:::	9	: :	::	8 13 4	936 19 1	163 0 0 8 14 6	25 14 839 11	; ;	31 6 6	::	1,556 5 6,378 15	: :
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Waitaki High Schools	• •	::	ာ ၁၈	· : =	326 1	12 17	2,560 8	: : 660 2	816 5	: :	4 5	870 2	1 22 -	: : :
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Wanganui Collegiate School Christ's College Grammar	1,795 6 10	759 5 8	1,735 15 2,875 4	9 12 1 0 6 311 11 0	::	::	::	: :	3,209 18 3,324 9 9	0 7,057 9 9	11\\$18,899 3 9 854 10 2	9 527 19 8 2 2,386 13 5	8 33,237 14 1 5 10,511 14	9
Totals	1,795 6 10	759 5 8	4,611 0	3 323 12 0	0	:	:	:	6,534 7	9 7,057 9	11 19,753 13 11	2,914 13	1 43,749 9	
Grand totals	22,689 17 9	9 4,076 14 8	8 32,924 16	9 1,448 3 5	5 4,607 4 9	9 871 7 2	2 40,771 0 2	11,794 5 4	17,828 4	8 17,035 15	5 26,103 0 8	8 7,597 5 0	0 187,747 15	· ·

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School.	Dr. Balance on 1st Jan., 1910.	Expense of Boards' Boards' Manage-ment: Office and Salaries.	School Salavies.	Boarding- school Account.	Scholar- ships, Exhibitions, Prizes.	Expendi- ture on Manual Instruc- tiou, exclusive of Building 4.	Printing, Stationery, Advertising, Cleaning, Fuel, Light,	Land, Buildings, Furniture, Insurance, Rent, Taxes.	Expenditure on Endow- ments.	Interest.	Sundries unclassified. 3	Cr. Balances, 31st Dec., 1910.	Totals.	Technical Classes (Figh School Boards Which are also Controlling Authorities of Technical Classes.
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Whangarei High School Auckland Grammar School	ું જં : : લ	£ s. 62 0 612 2	d. £ s. d. 5 725 10 C 4 6,945 0 8	s. d s. d.	£ s. d. 0 12 0 75 5 7	£ s. d. 45 12 11	£ s. d. 34 6 11 397 15 1	£ s. d. 5 17 11 1,437 14 7	£ s. d. 158 12 2 2,895 3 4	£ s. d.	£ s. d. 15 17 0 132 1 6	£ s. d. 164 6 11 5,550 14 0	£ s. d. 1,212 16 3 18,228 12 1	.: : 3. : :
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Wellington College Napier High Schools Gisborne High School Mall	:::	25 I	6,735 9 2,478 17 1,280 12		177 108 151	115 8 82 9 94 7		2,556 11 979 6 4,512 1	1,017 16 2 1,454 1 0	511 4 10 2 6 6 137 7 6	85 17 107 6 80 12	1,684 18 1 6 1 0	- 4 2 2	:::
Nelson College Greymouth High School Hokitika High School	934 13 3	397 16 10 10 16 14	3,924 7	8 4,493 19 9	371 2	438 18 : : :	2 12 or 2	887 3		_	200 130 0 130 0 130 0 130 0 130 0 130 0 130 0 130 13	12 12 13 14	1111 18 839 0 774 12	::::
Kangiora High School Christchurch Boys' High School Christchurch Girls' High	2,090 18 7	19 17 214 0 64 4	7 820 5 4 4 3,914 6 5 6 2,315 9 (50 50 0	10 13 9 78 3 3 125 18 2	8 16 4 38 8 9	43 10 8 167 1 3 88 19 4	219 0 6	270 1 11	175 0 9	24 10 0 637 10 9 12 15 1	6 0 622 6 47 14 9 	6,378 15 1 5,097 11 3	:::
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Otago High Schools Southland High Schools	::	299 5 9 111 10 (9 5,289 5 H		23 18 11	23 - 2	355 8 1	284 17 8	329 4 11	33 15 0	546 3 7	1,674 9 2	7,178 14 4	::
Totals	5,537 15 4	3,298 5	5 49,455 7 8	3 7,169 16 8	8 1,545 14 0	1359 12 5	3,947 4 10	28,059 3 7	7,685 13 1	1,820 11 7	2,859 2 8	19,263 5 3	132,001 12 1	:
Palmerston N. High School Dannevirke High School Gore High School	:::	149 17 9 1 15 9 68 14 8	1,630 16 8 933 10 10 919 8 4	B. 4465	lary Schools 74 14 3 22 9 4 5 12 7	established 1 49 3 9 38 15 0 88 15 2	under Section 79 15 7 104 18 2 71 17 11	94 of the 2,589 13 378 19 1,318 0	Education Act.	:::	49 9 11 7 7 3 67 19 0	1,905 19 11 271 0 1 702 16 3	6,994 14 5 1,758 15 11 3,243 3 11	:::
Totals		220 8 2	3,483 15 10	465 3 0	102 16 2	176 13 11	256 11 8	4,286 13 1			124 16 2	2,879 16 3	11,996 14 3	
Wanganui Collegiate School Christ's College Grammar School	1,959 12 2	525 13 4 289 11 2	C. 3,566 3,518	Endowed Secondary Schools no 19 0 9,055 6 1 87 7 2 0 822 15	~ ~ ~	coming within 6 23 0 0	the 116 312	Definition of Section 5 18 4 19,862 10 8 11 9 1,345 19 6	89 of the Education 3 1,195 9 8 46	ation Act. 46 18 6	1,020 13 11	::	33,237 14 11 10,511 14 6	::
Totals	1,959 12 2	815 4 6	7,085 1 0	9,055 6 1	910 3 4	23 0 0	429 10 1	21,208 10 2	1,195 9 8	46 18 6	1,020 13 11	:	43,749 9 5	:
Grand totals	7,497 7 6	4,333 18 1	60,024 4 1	16,690 5 9	2,558 13 6	1559 6 4 4	4,633 6 7	53,554 6 10	8,881 2 9	1 01 198,1	4,004 12 9	22,143 1 6	187,747 15 9	:

TABLE KS.—Summary of School Commissioners' Accounts in respect of Secondary Education Reserves for the Year 1910.

	Pr	ovincial Dis	trict.		Receipt Secondary	s fr	om servə.	Paid for S Educa	econ tion	dar
					 £	8.	d.	£	8.	d.
Auckland					 728	15	7	544	18	9
Taranaki	••	• • •	• •		 509	10	10	400	0	0
Wellington		• •			 2,447	8	5	800	0	0
Hawke's Bay		•••			 996	18	0	867	0	0
Marlborough					 39	0	0	65	0	0
Nelson					 434	8	6.	520	0	0
Westland					 94	11	6	100	0	0
Canterbury										
Otago		• •		• •	 916	17	6	901	5	6
	Totals	for 1910		• •	 6,167	10	4	4,198	4	3
	Totals	for 1909			 6,529	13	8	4,627	15	9

TABLE K9.--Lower Departments of Secondary Schools.

	Schoo	ol.				Number of Pupils.	Proport Annual I Salary of T	Rate	of	Total Received i		
The second secon							£	s.	d.	£	8.	d.
Wanganui Girls' College						14	110	0	0	123	17	0
Wellington College (Boys')			• •			21	162	0	0	203	14	8
	• •	• •				13	134	0	0	111	6	()
Wellington College (Girls')	• •	• •	• •			45	265	0	0	341	14	0
Napier High School (Boys')	• •	••	• •	• •		39	205	0	0	271	13	8
Napier High School (Girls')	• •	• •	••	• • •	• •	6	45	ŏ	ő	42	0	0
Gisborne High School (Boys')	11	• •	• •	• •	• •	3	24	ő	ŏ	25	13	0
Marlborough High School (Bo	ys')	• •	• •	• •	• •	12	158	8	8	115	0	ŏ
Nelson College (Boys')	• •	• •	• •	••	• •	16	100	ŏ	Ô	146	_	ŏ
Nelson College (Girls')		• •	• •	• •	• •		-00		-	167	10	ň
Christchurch Boys' High Scho	ol		• •	• •	• •	20	167	0	0		•	
Christchurch Girls' High Scho	ol		• •	• •	• •	10	103	19	0	103		0
Christ's College Grammar Scho	ool			• •		48	400	0	0	433	4,	9
Waitaki Boys' High School	• •	••	••	• •	• •	23	150	0	0	162	0	0
Totals		••	• •			270	2,024	5	8	2,247	14	1

TABLE K10.-List of Secondary Schools incorporated or endowed.

Name.	Act of Incorporation or Institution.	Remarks.
Whangarei High School Auckland Grammar School Auckland Girls' Grammar School	1899, No. 11, Local.	Act may be repealed by Gazette notice under Act of 1885, No. 30.
Thames High School		
Wanganui Girls' College Wanganui Collegiate School	1878, No. 42, Local	Board identical with Education Board Endowment, Reg. I, fol. 52. See also D16, 1866, p. 9.
Palmerston North High School	1904, No. 20, section 88 1887, No. 17, Local.	Scheme of control, Gazette, 1904, Vol. i, p. 903.
Dannevirke High School	1882, No. 11, Local.	Scheme of control, Gazette, 1905, Vol. ii, p. 2407
Gisborne High School Marlborough High School	1885, No. 8, Local 1899, No. 27, Local	Scheme of control, Gazette, 1909, Vol. i, p 1110. Board identical with Education Board.
Meladii College	1858, No. 38, and 1882, No. 15, Local. 1883, No. 21, Local	Not in operation in 1910.
	1883, No. 7, Local	Not in operation in 1910.
Christchurch Boys' High School Christchurch Girls' High School	1878, No. 30, Local [Nil]	Under management of Canterbury College. Under management of Canterbury College Endowment, Gazette, 1878, Vol. i, p. 131.
Christ's College Grammar School	Canterbury Ordinance, 1855	
Akaroa High School	1881, No. 16, Local	Not in operation in 1910.
Timaru High School Waimate High School Waitaki High School	1883, No. 19, Local 1878, No. 18, Local.	Not in operation in 1910.
Otago Boys' and Girls' High Schools Gore High School Southland Boys' and Girls' High Schools	1877, No. 52, Local. 1904, No. 20, section 88 1877, No. 82, Local.	Scheme of control, Gazette, 1908, Vol. ii, p. 1798

TABLE L1.—District High Schools: Attendance, Staffs, Salaries, etc., in Secondary Departments, 1910.

Education Dist	rict.	Tumber of Schools.	Average ttendance, 1910.	Mean of Roll of	Average Four Qu	Weekly arters.		er of T luding eacher	Paid in Salaries from Receipts from			Statutory Annual Rate at End of Year.			
		Num	Av Attei	м.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	Govern	men	t.	at Bla o	. 16	a1.
		1	!			!				£	8.	d.	£	s.	d.
Auckland		. 11	300	177	161	338	7	8	15	2,952	18	8	3,021	10	0
Taranaki		. 1	95	55	52	107	2	1	3	555	0	Ó	555	0	0
Wanganui		. 8	223	144	113	257	7	4	11	2,095		4	2,065	0	C
Wellington		9	356	174	210	384	6	13	19	3,273		5	3,231	0	Ç
Hawke's Bay		. 3	108	64	52	116	3	2	5	896		0	930	0	(
Nelson .		4	97	47	71	118	1	4	5	1,020	0	0	1,020	0	(
Brev		1 1	41	22	23	45	1	1	2	375	0	0	375	0	(
77 - 41 - m A	·	1	41	25	20	45	1	1	2	375	0	0	375	0	(
North Canterbury	:	1 0	287	187	137	824	. 8	4	12	2,611		9	2,626	5]
South Canterbury		Ω	127	68	70	138	5	1	6	1,124	10	0	1,126	3	4
	•	0	249	150	128	278	4	8	12	2,407	1	8	2,385	0	- (
Otago Southland	•	9	34	15	24	39		3	3	553	0	11	550	0	(
Totals for 193	ю.	. 61	1,958	1,128	1,061	2,189	45	50	95	18,239	11	4	18,259	18	
Totals for 190	9.	62	1,944	1,100	1,063	2,163	43	50	93	18,617	12	5	18,103	8	

TABLE L2.—FURTHER DETAILS RELATING TO SECONDARY DEPARTMENTS OF DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOLS.

Staff and Pupils of Secondary Departments of District High Schools, 1910.

Note.—In the column for "Position on Staff," (7), "M" and "F" distinguish sex, "H" means Head of a School, and "A" Assistant in the Secondary Department.

The salaries set down in column (8) are in accordance with the rates in the table and paragraph (a) of Part V of the Second Schedule of the Education Amendment Act, 1908.

Each of the four Normal Schools, although not a district high school, has a secondary department in accordance with the regulations for training-colleges. Staff. Mean of Average Amount paid in Salaries during Statutory

School.		1916.	Week Four Q	dy Roll	loŤ	Salaries Year f			5		6	7.	Annual Rates of Salary
		Average Attend- ance, 1910	м.		rotal.	Receipt Govern	s fro	\mathbf{n}	Name of Teacher		Classification or Degree.	Position on Staff.	at End of Year.
Auckland-											:	1	£ s. d.
Aratapu	٠.	26	12	16	28	210	0	0	Hockin, Harry Killen, John	••	D1 C3	H.M. A.M.	30 0 0 180 0 0
Cambridge		18	9	12	21	215	0	0	Walker, William R. C		B.A., B1	H.M.	30 0 0
Coromandel		24	16	13	29	220	0	0	Gavey, Annie L. Tanner, Thomas B.	• •	C2 D1	A.F. H.M.	185 0 0 30 0 0
-	••								Gatland, Alfred H.	• •	D2 D1	A.M. H.M.	190 0 0 30 0 0
Hamilton West	• •	46	31	26	57.	385	U	0	Worsley, William H. Wilson, Ebenezer	• •	M.A., A1	A.M.	210 0 0
Normal		35	16	21.	37 1	280	o	o	Collins, Edith C Cousins, Herbert G.	• •	B.A., B3 M.A., A1	A.F. H.M.	145 0 0 30 0 0*
	••			Ì	!				Shrewsbury, Elsie	• •	M.A., A1	A.F. H.M.	250 0 0 30 0 0
Onehunga	• •	32	22	16	38	405	U	0	McIntosh, William N. Kenny, Arthur A.	• •	D1 D1	A.M.	210 0 0
Doores		40	21	20	41	365	a	0	Patterson, Florence I. Murphy, Francis	• •	M.A., B3 C1	A.F. H.M.	165 0 0 30 0 0
Paeroa	••	10	21	20	11	900	Ů	Ü	Meredith, Charles		C2	A.M.	200 0 0
Pukekohe West		19	9	7.	16	215	0	0	Gibbons, Naomi I. Flavell, Dennis R.	• •	B.A. D1	A.F. H.M.	135 0 0 30 0 0
			5	:	16	185	Λ	0	Dromgool, James C.	• •	B.Sc., A2 C1	A.M. H.M.	185 0 0 30 0 0
Tauranga	••	15	5	11					Taylor, Fanny J.	• •	B.A., B4	A.F.	155 0 0
Te Aroha	• •	17	14	5	19	210	0	0	Burton, Alfred F. Neve, Frederick		D1 M.A., LL.B., B1	H.M. A.M.	30 0 0 180 0 0
Waihi		34	22	14	36	262	18	3	Benge, Alfred		D1 B.A.	H.M. A.F.	30 0 0 180 0 0
									Robertson, May B. Metcalfe, Marion H.	• •	Th. 1	A.F.	121 10 0
Taranaki— Stratford		95	55	52	107	555	0	0	Tyrer, Florence A. R.		D1	н.м.	30 0 0
Geranora	••			02	201,	333	•	Ů	Heatley, Frederick J.	••	M.A., M.Sc., A2 M.A.	A.M. A.F.	215 0 0 165 0 0
		:							Bollinger, Elsie M. Bowler, Frederick C.	• •	м. A. В. A.	A.M.	145 0 0
Wanganui— Bull's		10	6	5	11	182	1	8	Gray, Joseph H.		D1	H.M.	30 0 0
	••		l i						Thomas, William W.	• •	C5	A.M.	150 0 0
Eltham	• •	. 16	8	10	18	180	0	U	Thomas, Taliesin Jackson, Herbert W.	• •	D1 C4	H.M. A.M.	30 0 0 150 0 0
Feilding		47	28	27.	55	358	16	4	Hill, John D. C. Bates, Frederick A.	• •	C1 B2	H.M. A.M.	30 0 0 180 0 0
									Wyatt, Gladys M.	• •	C3	A.F.	145 0 0
Hawera	• •	34	23	18	41	351	0	0	Strack, Conrad A. Strack, Constance T.	• •	D1 B.A., B4	H.M. A.F.	30 0 0 180 0 0
Mantan			17	14	31	180	8	4	Reid, Jessie B Mossman, Edwin	• •	B.A., B3 C1	A.F. H.M.	145 0 0 30 0 0
Marton	••	28	i						Lyne, Christopher J.	::	B.A., B3	A.M.	150 0 0
Patea	••	14	10	7	17	241	13	4	Robbie, George A. Martin, Frederick W.	• •	B1 B3	H.M. A.M.	200 0 0
Taibape		26	19	12	31	226	5	0	Thurston, James F. Poole, Samuel J.	• •	D1 C3	H.M. A.M.	30 0 0 200 0 0
Wangapui		48	33	20	58	375	6	8	Aitken, James	· ·	B.A., B1	H.M.	30 0 0
-									Barton, Frazer B. Gordon, Jessie	• • •	B.A., B5 B.A.	A.M. A.F.	180 0 0 145 0 0
Wellington-		0.5	26	10.	9.0	940	ı,		•		B.A., B1	H.M.	30 0 0
Carterton	••	35	25	13	38	349	3	4	Burns, Andrew N. Morgan, Frederick J.	• •	M.Sc., A4	A.M.	180 0 0
Greytown		32	18	16	34	346	8	3	Morton, Lucy S. Charters, Alexander B.	• •	B.A., B4 M.A., B1	A.F. H.M.	135 0 0 30 0 0
010,10411	••				-	_		-	Kidson, George R. McLandress, Isabella	• •	C3 M.A., B2	A.M. A.F.	180 0 0 145 0 0
Hutt	٠.	23	9	16	25	210	0	0	Yeats, Duncan M.		D1	H.M.	30 0 0
Levin		39	26	18	44	353	14	6	Myers, Phœbe McIntyre, James	••	B.A., B2 D1	A.F. H.M.	180 0 0 30 0 0
Deam	••			-0				•	Rockel, Cecil F.	• •	Lic. M.A., B3	A.M. A.F.	171 0 0 140 0 0
Masterton		57	33	28	61	574	3	4	Livingstone, Fanny R. Jackson, William H.	••	D1	H.M.	30 0 0
									Bee, John G Williams, Ethel	••	M.A., A1 B.A., B2	A.M. A.F.	230 0 0 175 0 0
37		.,,	_	00	00	380	0	0	Ziman, Rachel L. L. Parkinson, Henry A.	• •	C4 M.A., B1	A.F. H.M.	135 0 0 30 0 0
Newtown	••	-81	5	28	33	990	v	U	Rowley, Elizabeth M.	• •	M.A., A1	A.F.	185 0 0
Normal		45	16	33	49	425	0	0	Wilson, Marion K. Webb, James C	••	M.A., A1 B.A., B1	A.F. H.M.	165 0 0 30 0 0*
1101111001	••		-	50			-	•	Hind, Edith M Lanaster, Thomas L.	••	M.A., A4 D4	A.F. A.M.	140 0 0 120 0 0
				İ					Neilson, Florence	••	M.A., B5	A.F.	90 0 0
					!				McRae, Rebecca F.	••	D5	A.F.	15 0 0†

^{*} Also included in Appendix E, E.-2.

STAFF AND PUPILS OF SECONDARY DEPARTMENTS OF DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOLS, 1910-continued.

School.	i	Average Attend- ance, 1910.	Mean Week Four Qu	IIA WOI	101	Amount Salaries Year f	dur: rom	ing	Staff.	6		8 Statutory Annual Rate of Salary
		Att	М.	F. 7	l'otal.	Receipts Govern			Name of Teacher.	Classification or Degree.	on Staff.	at End of Ye
ellington—contd. Pahiatua		28	12	18	30	230	0	0,	Thomas, Joseph	C1	н.м.	£ s. d
Petone	••	66	30	40	70	405	0	0	Baker-Gabb, Mrs. Mary Foster, William H. L Lynskey, James H	B A., B1 M.A., B1 C1	A.F. H.M. A.M.	200 0 30 0 240 0
awke's Bay		45	27	21	48	355	0	0	Ross, Christina M. Pegler, Leonard F.	B.A., Lic.	A.F. H.M.	135 0 30 0
Hastings	••	30	21	21	40	303	Ü	U	Atkinson, Thomas S Hodgson, Ruth J	C3 C2	A.M. A.F.	180 0 145 0
Waipawa	••	41	24	20	44	321	5	0	Watson, John D	M.A., B1 C3 C1	H.M. A.M. A.F.	30 0 190 0 185 0
Woodville	••	22	18	11	24	220	0	O	Smith, Rose M Stevenson, Andrew Hoult, William H.	C1 M.A., A4	H.M. A.M.	30 0 190 0
elson— Motueka		18	12	10	22	190	0	0	Griffin, Thomas J.	C1	H.M.	30 0
Reefton	٠.	22	18	12	25	210	0	0	Stoddart, Francis Austin, William S	B.A., B1 B1	H.M.	160 0 30 0
Takaka		20	9	19	28	220	o	0	Ironside, Anne F	M.A., Lie.	A.F. H.M.	180 0 30 0
Westport	••	37	13	30	43	400	0	0	Ainsworth, Emma F. Harkness, James H. Gifford, Arthur J. McElwee, Elizabeth	B.A., B2 B.A., B1 M.A., A1 D3	A.F. H.M. A.M. A.F.	$ \begin{array}{ccc} 190 & 0 \\ 30 & 0 \\ 225 & 0 \\ 145 & 0 \end{array} $
rey— Greymouth	••	41	22	23	45	375	0	0	Adams, Alan A Talbot, Arthur E.'	D1 M.A., D2	H.M. A.M. A.F.	30 0 200 0
estland— Hokitika		41	25	20	45	375	0	0	Wake, Hugh G Williams, Henry	D1 B.A., B1 M.A., C1	H.M. A.M.	30 0 200 0
orth Canterbury	-	14	10	s	18:	220	0	Ω	Olliver, Margaret F. L	M.A., M.Se., A4	A.F. H.M.	145 0 30 0
Akaroa Christohuroh We	st	156	1	63	169	1,011			Gray, Alexander Caughley, John	B.A., A1 M.A., B1 B.A., B1	A.M. H.M. A.M.	190 0 30 0 315 19
				:	į				Irwin, James Finlayson, Annie C. Hansard, George A.	C1 M.A., A3 C3	A.M. A.F. A.M.	180 0 170 0 190 0
Kaiapoi		21	9	13	22	210	υ	0	Hassall, Edith G Bean, William D	B.A., B3 B1	A.F. H.M.	140 0 30 0
Kaikoura Town		17	10	9	19	190	0	0	Mayne, Arthur J Allison, Herbert H	M.A., B2 D1	A.M. H.M.	180 0 30 0
Lincoln		17	7	13	20	190	0	0	Herriott, Elizabeth M Cookson, Arthur	M.A. D1	A.M. H.M.	160 0 30 0
Lyttelton		21	21	4	25	265	5	9	Osborn, Mabel E Just, Emile U	B.A., B3 D1	A.F. H.M.	160 0 30 0
Normal		12	7	9	16	305	O	0	Burley, William E. Aschman, Christopher T McIlwraith, James W	B.A., B2 C1 M.A., LL.B.,	A.M. H.M. A.M.	235 5 30 0 275 0
Southbridge		29	17	18	35	220	0	0	Walker, Joseph W. A	Litt.D., A1	H.M.	30 0
outh Canterbury- Pleasant Point	-	27	10	20	30	365	8	4	Palmer, George T	C1 M.A., B1		190 0 30 0
Temuka		46	26	24	50	374	3	4		C3 B.A., B4 B.A., B1	A.M. A.F. H.M.	200 0 135 0 30 0
Waimate		54	32	26	58	384	18	4	Gilmour, William O Walton, William Pitcaithly, George Laing, Thomas M. M	C2 B.A. B.A., B1 B.A., B1	A.M. A.M. H.M. A.M.	200 0 135 0 30 0 231 3
tago— Balclutha		36	23	15	38	355	0	0	Metson, James	B5	A.M. H.M.	135 0 30 0
Lawrence		36	19	25	44	385	0	0	Robertson, Thomas G Dare, Olive J. M Rohertson, John	$\mathbf{B}2$	A.M. A.F. H.M.	180 0 145 0 30 0
Mosgiel		25	20	8	28	220	0	0	Strachan, James E Patterson, Janet	M.A., B2 M.A., B1	A.M. A.F. H.M.	210 0 145 0 30 0
Naseby	••	12		4		180			Bressy, Florence F	M.A., A2	A.F. H.M.	190 0
Normal		36		20		415			Jennings, Margaret A Pinder, Edward	B.A., B4 M.A., A1	A.F. H.M.	150 0 30 0
Palmerston		30	20	14	34	220	0	0	Kenyon, Helen M	M.A., A1	A.M. A.F. H.M. A.F.	240 0 125 0 30 0 190 0

STAFF AND PUPILS OF SECONDARY DEPARTMENTS OF DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOLS, 1910-continued.

1		2 .01 2.101	Mean	3 of Ave kly Ro	erage	4 Amount			St					Statutory Annual Rates			
School.		Average Attend- ance, 1910.	Four C)uartei	rs, 1910.	Salaries Year fi Receipts	om		5 Name of Teacher.		G Classification	7 Position	of Sa at End	alar	y		
		A A H	M.	F.	Total.	Govern					or Degree.	on Staff.	<u> </u>				
Otago-continued.		:											. e	۰	d.		
Port Chalmers		18	9	9	18	182	1	8	Booth, George F.		B.A., B1	H.M.	30	Ö			
	• •								Sinclair, Agnes		C3	A.F.	150	0	0		
Tapanui		24	12	14	26	220	0	0	Mackie, William W.		C1	H.M.	30	0	0		
-				i	١ .				Campbell, Eliza		M.A., A2	A.F.	190	0	-		
Tokomairiro		32	16	19	35	230	0	0	Graham, Walter B.		C1	H.M.	30	0	_		
								j	Ferguson, Albert J.		M.A., B1	A.M.	200	0	0		
Southland—		_		_											_		
Arrow	• •	9	4	7	11	182	10	0			M.A., A3	HM.	30		-		
				-	10	100	•		Opie, Gwen L. F.	٠.	M.A., M.Sc., A5		150	0	_		
Lumsden	• •	11	6	7	13	180	10	11		• •	B.A., B1	H.M.	30	0	0		
Riverton		14	5	10	15	190	0	0	Dale, Margaret F. Hewat, Ebenezer C.	• •		A.F. H.M.	150. 30	0	0		
MINALFOII	• •	14	9	10	10	190	U	U	Hamilton, Janet A.	• •	B.A., B1 D2	A.F.	160	ŏ	_		
									Liaminton, Janes A.	• •	1/4	A.P.	100		_		
Totals, 1910		1,958	1,128	1,061	2,189	18,239	11	4					18,259	18	5		

TABLE KL1.-Number and Value of Junior National Scholarships.

Education District.				Number ember; 1		allowai	ving Boa nce (incl al Numl	uded in	Receiv allowar Tot	ring Trav ace (inclu al Numi	velling- uded in ber).	Number held at Secondary Schools.	Number held at District High Schools	Cotal Rate of Annual Payment as at December,	
			Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Num st S Scho	Num at I Higi	Total Annu Dece	
Auckland			17	6	23	12	1	13				21	2	£ 620	
Auckianu Taranaki	• •	• •	3	3	6	14	1	. 13 1	••	••	• •	4	2	90	
Wanganui	•• •	• •	8		10	2	••	2	•••	••	• •	9	i	209	
Wellington	• •	• •	8	2 2	10	2	•;	3	i	i	2	8	2*	190	
	••	• •	4	5	9	1	4	ა 5		L	. –	8	1	240	
Hawke's Bay	• •	• •	4			1	4	3		••	•••	_		40	
Marlborough	• •	• •	• •	$\frac{4}{2}$	4	• • •	2	• • • •	• • •	• • •		4	·;		
Nelson	• •	• •	3	2	5	2	Z	4	• •	•••	• • •	4.	į	170	
Grey	• •	• • •	3	• •	3	2	• •	2		• •	• •	2	1	90	
Westland		••	3	• •	3	1	• •	1	• •			• • •	3	60	
North Canterbu			7	6	13	3	4	7				12	1	340	
South Canterbu	ry		3	2	5	l		l	: 1		1	2	3	90	
Otago	• • •		9	4	13	3	2	5	• •			12	1	280	
Southland	•• .		7	1	8	4	1	5		••	••	8		230	
Totals, 1	910		75	37	112	34	15	49	2	i	3	94	18	2,649	
Totals, 1	909		71	•37	108	36	18	54	1		1	95	13	2,748	

^{*} One at Technical School.

Note.—Eight Junior Queen's Scholarships were held in 1910—6 by boys and 2 by girls. Six of these (boys) expired at the end of 1910, and the remaining two will expire at the end of 1911; they are now incorporated with the Junior National Scholarships.

TABLE KL2.—Number and Value of Education Board Scholarships.

Education District.	Number	held in De 1910.	ecember,	Period of	Boards' Expenditur		Annual Value, &c.
	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Tenure.	on Scholarsh in 1910.	ııps	
		i		Years.	£s.	d.	1
Auckland	70	30	100	3	2,413 6		, 44 at £40, 56 at £10.
Taranaki	13	6	19	2	371 18		9 at £35, 1 at £11 18s. 6d., 1 at £10, 8 at £5.
Wanganui	24	16	40	1, 2, or 3	911 19		11 at £40, 5 at £23 10s., 9 at £21, 15 at £10.
Wellington	50	35	85	2	1,156 8	0	20 at £40, 1 at £85s., 1 at £8 4s., 1 at £8, 1 at £6 10s., 1 at £6 7s. 6d., 8 at £6 5s. 1 at £6 2s. 6d., 51 at £5.
Hawke's Bay	41	22	63	2	629 16	8	11 at £30, 1 at £12 10s., 13 at £10, 4 at £8 10s., 2 at £7 10s., 32 at £2 10s.
Marlborough	7	9	16	2	111 17	3	1 at £15, 7 at £10, 1 at £7, 7 at £2.
Nelson	12	16	28	2	365 0	0	8 at £40, 10 at £2, 10 at £1 5s.
Grey	2	4	6	2	83 10	0	1 at £26, 5 at £8.
Westland	4	. 3	7	2	72 0	0	2 at £24, 1 at £8, 4 at £4.
North Canterbury	37	19	56	2 or 3	903 5	9	13 at £30, 43 at £10.
South Canterbury	13	16	29	2	839 6	7	5 at £27, 1 at £19, 2 at £12, 2 at £10, 19 at £7.
Otago	49	19	68	2 or 3	1,217 10	0	17 at £40, 51 at £10.
Southland	27	19	46	2 or 3		0	17 at £30, 29 at £5.
Totals, 1910	349	214	568		9,232 3	5	
Totals, 1909	326	207	533	••	8,693 19	9	

3. REPORTS OF GOVERNING BODIES.

WHANGAREI HIGH SCHOOL.

Staff.

Mr. R. Lupton; Mr. H. E. G. Smith; Miss A. L. M. Woolley; Miss B. Blumhardt; Mr. G. Woolley; Miss B. Griffiths.

1. REPORT OF THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS.

I have the honour to forward herewith the annual returns in connection with the Whangarei High School for the year ended 31st December, 1910. During the year the school has made satisfactory progress. The Board of Governors are endeavouring to establish a boarding-school in connection with the High School, and for this purpose have secured some 3 acres of land adjoining the High School site in Manse Street. From local contributions promised, and a grant agreed to by the Minister of Education for this purpose, the Board hopes to see the building erected in due time. This will be of great value to those pupils attending the High School who have to reside away from home during their terms at school.

Towards the end of May last the Rev. L. L. Cubitt resigned his position as a member of the Board of Governors, on account of his removal from Whangarei. The Board placed on record its appreciation of Mr. Cubitt's long and useful service in connection with secondary education. The Rev. J. L. Pattullo was appointed by the Auckland Board of Education to succeed the Rev. L. L. Cubitt.

J. McKinnon, Secretary.

2. Work of the Highest and Lowest Classes.

Highest.—English—Nesfield's English Past and Present; books set for Senior Civil Service. Latin—Bradley's Arnold; Bryan's Prose; Virgil's Aeneid VIII; Horace, Epistles I and II; Cicero's De Amicitia; Roman History. French—Weekley's Prose; Wellington College Grammar; set books for Senior Civil Service. Mathematics—Hall and Knight's Trigonometry and Algebra (higher); Hall and Stevens's Geometry, as for Junior University Scholarship; mechanics. Bryan and Briggs; heat, Stewart. Geography—Commercial syllabus for Senior Civil Service.

Lowest.—English—Nesfield's English Grammar and Composition, Parts I and II; Temple Reader; Kingsley's Heroes; Wordsworth, selections; Tennyson's Morte d'Arthur; dictation and essays. History—General introduction: Struggle for Freedom. Latin—Macmillan's First Latin Course French—Siepmann's First Year. Arithmetic—General revision, stocks, mensuration; algebra—Hall and Knight, to simultaneous equations. Geometry—Hall and Stevens, Part I. Physical measurements—Kerr's First Year. Book-keeping—Thornton's First Year. Drawing—Freehand, brush, from nature; elementary plane and solid geometry. Manual—Woodwork (boys); cookery (girls).

3. General Statement of Accounts for the Year ended 31st December, 1910.

O. GENERAL DIALEMENT OF	ACCO	ONI		ON	THE LEAR ENDED SIST DECEMBER,	1310.		
Receipts.		£	s.	d.	Expenditure.	£	s,	d.
Balance at beginning of year		110	4	5	Management—			
Receipts from Government—					Office salary			10
For free places		866	13	4		5	16	7
For recognized school classes for mar	ıual				Teachers' salaries and allowances	725	10	0
instruction		12	14	6	Prizes		12	- 0
Endowments—				_	Material for classes other than classes for			
Current income from reserves			7					10
Paid by School Commissioners	• •	41	5	- 1	Printing, stationery, and advertising		16	
School fees	• •	75	12	0			3	6
				- 1	Maintenance of classes for manual instruc-			
				- 1	tion	45	12	
				-	Fencing, repairs, &c			0
				l	Miscellaneous (rates, &c.)		10	
				ļ	Site or buildings			
				i	Miscellaneous (surveys, &c.)	9		6
					Cricket and tennis grounds (improvements)			6
				- 1	Cadet Corp expenses			6
				ļ	Bank charges and interest		11	
					Balance at end of year	164	6	11
	Q1 ·	212	16	2		61 010	10	
	£1,	01Z	10	_		£1,212	10	<u> </u>
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Statement of Monetary Assets and Liabilities at 31st December, 1910.

Assets.	£ s. d.	Liabilities.	£ s. d.
Cash in Bank of New Zealand Cash in hand Outstanding school fees Outstanding rents Government capitation, free place scholars	151 12 5 School prizes	9 ĭ	5 7 4 0 7 6 300 0 0 1,000 0 0
	£526 19 3		£1,305 14 10

J. McKinnon, Secretary.

Examined and found correct.—R. J. Collins, Controller and Auditor-General.

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AUCKLAND GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

Staff.

Boys' School.—Mr. J. W. Tibbs, M.A.; Mr. J. H. Turner, M.A.; Mr. H. J. D. Mahon, B.A.; Mr. F. Heaton, M.A., B.Sc.; Mr. J. G. Trevithick, M.A.; Mr. J. Drummond, M.A.; Rev. J. K. Davis, M.A.; Mr. P. Drummond, B.A.; Mr. J. D. Dinneen, B.A.; Mr. F. W. Gamble, M.A.; Mr. D. A. Watt, B.A.; Mr. H. W. King; Mr. G. P. O'Shannassy, Ph.D., B.A.; Mr. G. T. Maunder, M.Sc.; Mr. A. B. Jameson; Mr. K. J. Dellow.

Girls' School.—Miss E. G. Wallace; Miss A. C. Morrison, M.A.; Miss F. E. A. Grellet; Miss J. Moore, B.A., M.Sc.; Miss W. Picken, M.A.; Miss F. V. J. Jacobsen, M.A.; Miss E. M. Griffin, M.A.; Miss F. E. Macdonald, B.A.; Miss M. A. Dive, B.A.; Miss D. R. Robertson, M.A.; Miss E. M. Johnston, M.A.; Miss E. M. Pickering, B.A.; Miss E. R. Dickinson, B.A.; Miss M. McLean, B.A.; Mr. K. Watkins; Mrs. S. Heap; Miss K. Grellet; Miss E. Whitelaw.

1. Report of the Board of Governors.

Auckland Grammar School (Boys).

Progress of School.—The year 1910 has been a very marked year in the history of the school, in consequence of the large increase in the attendance of schoolboys. The school commenced in 1869 with an attendance of under 100; the number now nearly reaches 500. This large increase is mainly attributable to the free places of the educational system, under which parents are relieved from payment of school fees at secondary schools, such fees being paid by the Government. The change effected may be shown by stating that the paying pupils numbered, in 1910, 35, and the non-paying pupils

Distinctions.-W. M. Jones and R. F. Ellis won Junior Scholarships of the University; and C. C. Marsack and K. MacCormick were awarded and J. M. McKenzie and C. E. Clayton declined Senior National Scholarships. Forty others passed the entrance examinations of the University. Among old boys, K. Sisam won the Rhodes Scholarship; S. W. Ziman, a former Rhodes Scholar, graduated B.A. at Oxford with first-class honours in mathematics, and passed the Indian Civil Service Examination; J. F. Brown graduated M.B. and Ch.B with first-class honours, and C. B. Tudehope with second-class honours, at Edinburgh; J. F. S. Northcroft graduated B.Sc. at the University of California; P. S. Vickerman graduated as F.R.C.S. of London.

Cadet Corps.—The establishment at the end of 1910 was 465. The old girls of the school have given a King's and regimental colours to the battalion. These were made in London under the direction of Colonel Sir Arthur Hammond, V.C., K.C.B., D.S.O., from designs approved by the Hon. Mr. George Fowlds when Acting Minister of Defence. The colours were presented to the battalion by Field-Marshal Viscount Kitchener at the review in the Auckland Domain on the 2nd March.

The School.—There were 491 boys on the roll during the first term of 1910, of whom 456 boys held

free places and for whom the Government paid at the rate of £4 ls. 9d. a term for each pupil.

Prizes.—The Hon. J. G. Findlay, LL.D., Attorney-General, kindly presented the prizes to the boys at their annual distribution in the Choral Hall on the 15th December, 1910. Sixty-five prizes were given to the boys; their total cost was £44 l3s. 5d. Two prizes were again given by Mr. J. P. Hooton for English essays, and one for practical chemistry by Mr. P. M. Mackay, J.P.

New School.—Before concluding this report, I deem it right to state that an urgent necessity has arisen both for a larger school building and a convenient playground, and I have no doubt that with the kindly co-operation of the Government these two matters will be speedily and satisfactorily arranged in the interest of the schoolboys and their parents.

Auckland Girls' Grammar School.

Headmistress.—On the 24th June the headmistress, Miss A. W. Whitelaw, M.A., T.C.D., retired from the service of the Board to take up the position of headmistress of Wycombe Abbey School, England; and Miss E. G. Wallace, senior mistress, was appointed to temporary charge. Miss Blanche Butler, B.Sc., London, vice-principal of the Liverpool College for Girls, was selected out of 107 appli-

Mistresses.—The staff was increased in February, 1910, by the appointments of Miss E. R. Dickinson, B.A., Miss E. M. Johnston, M.A., and Miss E. M. Pickering, B.A. In September the vacancy caused by the retirement of Miss Vernon Harcourt was filled by Miss J. Moore, B.A., M.Sc. A year's leave of absence was granted at the end of 1910 to Miss Jacobsen to enable her to obtain further experience in English schools.

Distinctions.—At the examinations in December two girls passed with credit the Junior Scholarship Examination of the University, and fifteen matriculated. Seventeen passed the Civil Service Junior Examination, four with credit; six passed the Senior District Scholarship Examination under the Auckland Education Board, and fifty-nine gained Senior Free Places.

Library.—In September a school library was opened with about 350 volumes, which were chiefly presented by old girls of the school.

Grounds.—During the year the formation of the grounds has been proceeded with, and a level playground of nearly three-quarters of an acre has been drained, levelled, and grassed. The embankment along the northern boundary has been completed to the same level as the road, and the gully filled in to the same level, providing space for tennis-courts to be laid out when the ground consolidates. The fences on the Home Street and Smith Street boundaries have been erected, thus completing the fencing of the site at a cost of £620.

Prizes.—The girls' prizes were distributed by the Hon. Dr. Findlay on the 15th December, 1910. There were sixty-six prizes, costing £30 12s. 2d.

Increase of Pupils.—There has been a considerable increase in the number of schoolgirls, the number having risen from 287 in 1909 to 350 in 1910.

G. MAURICE O'RORKE, M.A., LL.D., Chairman.

2. Work of the Highest and Lowest Classes.

Highest.—Boys' School: English—Shakespeare, The Tempest, and A Midsummer Night's Dream; Milton, Paradise Lost, Books I and II; Chaucer, Prologue, Golden Treasury; Lamb, Oxford Plain Texts; Addison, Coverley Papers; Mandeville to Ruskin (World's Classics). Latin—Livy, XXI; Virgil, Aeneid, IX; Horace, Epodes and Ars Poetica; Sallust, Catiline; Cicero, Select Orations and De Amicitia; Smith's History of Rome; Bradley's Arnold; Sargent's Latin Prose. French—Wall's Concise French Grammar; Victor Hugo, Les Misérables; Le Cent Meilleurs Poems (Gervan and Gray). Mathematics—Baker and Bourne's Geometry; Todhunter and Loney's Algebra; Hall and Knight's Trigonometry; Ward's Trigonometry Exercises. Science—Edser's Heat for Advanced Students; Shenstone's Chemistry. Girls' School: Mathematics—Baker and Bourne's Geometry; Borchardt's Trigonometry, Parts I and II; Borchardt's Algebra, Part II; Todhunter and Loney's Algebra; Jones and Cheyne's Algebraic Examples; Ward's Exercises in Trigonometry. Science—Heat, Glazebrook; mechanics, Jessop, Loney; botany, Scott's Flowering Plants, Scott's Flowerless Plants. English—The Merchant of Venice; Chaucer's Prologue and Man of Law's Tale; Fowler's Selected Essays; Selections from Tennyson; Historical Grammar; Golden Treasury. History—Outlines of European History. Roman History—Wilkins's Roman Antiquities; Shuckburgh's Short Roman History. Geography—Colonies and Colonial Federation (Payne). French—Rey's Composition; Le Pêcheur d'Islande; Le Baron de Fourchevif. Latin—Bradley's Arnold; Sergeant's Latin Prose Composition; Livy, XXII; Horace, Odes, Book I; Virgil, Aeneid, Book I; Cicero, Select Oration.

Lowest.—Boys' School: English—Nesfield's Outlines; Temple Reader; Scott, Lay of the Last Minstrel; Lamb, The Adventures of Ulysses. Latin—Postgate's Shilling Primer; Elementa Latina; Invasion of Britain. French—Bell's French Course, Part I; Janan's French Reading-book. Mathematics—Loney and Greville's Shilling Arithmetic; Longmans' School Algebra; Baker and Bourne's Geometry. Geography—Longmans' Geographical Series, The World. Girls' School: Mathematics—Borchardt's Junior Arithmetic; Borchardt's Junior Algebra; Baker and Bourne's Geometry. English—Nesfield's Outlines; World of Books; Lay of the Last Minstrel; Hiawatha. History—Arabella Buckley. French—Contes et Légendes. Latin—Ora Maritima; Scalae Primae; Limen; Caesar, Invasion of Britain. Geography—No text-book; lessons given from notes.

3. GENERAL STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1910.

Receipts. Balance at beginning of year	£ 1,732 8,190 5,277 192	14 1 2	$^{11}_6$	Secretary's expenses Commission, &c., to co Other expenses Teachers' salaries—	Expendia ollector, &		£ 182 365 64	0	5
Paid by School Commissioners	637 722	14 15	0	Masters Mistresses Election expenses	•••		$4,415 \\ 2,529 \\ 0$		8 0 6
Sale of old buildings Fire insurance, Devonport property Interest on Auckland City Council De- bentures	199	0	0	School requisites— Boys Girls Scholarships—	••		67 132	7 11	5 3
Interest on deposit in Post-Office Savings-Bank	0	4	11	Boys Girls Printing and advertising	 ng		30	13 12	5 2
				Girls Cleaning, fuel, light, &	··. ··.		41	10	6 9
				Boys Girls Stationery allowance—Boys	·· ··		42 66	0 18	0 2
				Girls Insurance— Boys' school			8 23	16 7	0 5
				Girls' school Site, buildings, furnity From Government	 ire, &c	·· ··	15	5	4
		,		property From current reven Boys	••		66 480	_	5 0
				Girls Property Rates on property	•••		918 654 409	15 18 18	-
				Interest on girls' school interest on loans to pr New buildings	ol buildin operty	•••	102 80 1,745	15 0 6	0 0 8
				Members' travelling-ex Wellington conference Sports—Boys' school Girls' school	•		12 41 36 2	0 2 0 0	0 0 0 0
	£18,228	 12		Teacher's passage to I Balance at end of year		•• . ••	5,550 £18,228	14	0 0 -
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John Williamson Scholarship Trust Account.

John Williamson Sc	
_ · ·	d Account.
£ s. d Balance, 1st January, 1910 1,300 0	£ s. d. 0 Balance, 31st December, 1910—
,	Deposit in Bank of New Zealand—Public
	buildings debentures 200 0 0
	Auckland Gas Company shares
	Auckland Savings-bank deposit 80 0 0
	Post-Office Savings-bank deposit 100 0 0
£1,300 0	£1,300 0 0
	e Account.
£ s. d Balance, 1st January, 1910) Sahalamakin
	Bank of New Zealand, commission 0 0 9
	B Insurance 180
	Repairs
	7
6240 0	£349 9 9
£349 9 ·	£349 9 9 =================================
Contractors'	Deposit Account.
£ s. d	
Balance, 1st January, 1910 10 0	
Deposits received 102 0	Balance, 31st December, 1910 15 0 0
£112 0 (£112 0 0
	
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_	s, 31st December, 1910.
Accounts. £ s. d	\ \
Credit, Contractors' Deposit Account 15 0 (
" .General Account 5,550 14	In Bank of New
" John Williamson Capital Account on current account 200 0	Zealand £1,139 6 6 Less unpresented
current account 200 0	cheques 78 5 0
	£1,061 1 6
	In Auckland Savings-bank 13 19 6 In Post-office Savings-bank 13 4 7
	1,088 5 7
£6,088 5 7	£6,088 5 7
 	
Statement of Monetary Assets an	d Liabilities at 31st December, 1910.
Assets. £ s. d	
Bank balances,—	Contractor's Deposit Account 15 0 0
In Bank of New Zealand £1,139 6 6	Loan from Auckland Diocesan Pension Board,
Less John Williamson de- posit, Bank of New Zea-	under Auckland Grammar School Act, 1899, section 27, due 1906 1,000 0 0
land 200 0 0	Loan from C. F. Jahn, Esq., under Auck-
939 6 (1 1010
Deposit in Post-office Savings-bank 113 4 7	
Fees outstanding 2,873 0	
Rents outstanding— Ground 693 16	
Ground 693 16 8 Weekly 38 19 6	
John Williamson Trust 1,100 0	
City Council debentures 5,000 0 (
£10,852 7 8	£1,593 5 0
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	unt Balance.
£ s. d.	
Arrears, 1909 620 6 0 Charges, 1910 5,605 19 10	
Williamson 62 10 0	Arrears, 1910
	Written off
£6,288 15 10	£6,288 15 10
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	W. WALLACE KIDD, Secretary.

Examined and found correct, except that the following payment has no authority of law, and is therefore disallowed: Travelling-expenses, Wellington conference, £41 2s.—R. J. Collins, Controller and Auditor-General.

THAMES HIGH SCHOOL.

Staff.

Mr. R. E. Rudman, M.A., B.Sc.; Mr. C. A. Stewart, M.A.; Miss M. Foy.

1. Work of the Highest and Lowest Classes.

Highest.—Latin—Via Latina (whole book); Allen's Latin Grammar; Caesar, Book VI; Aeneid, IX; selections from Ovid's Metamorphoses. English—Nesfield's Manual; Meiklejohn's Art of Writing English; Shakespeare's Hamlet; Scott's Quentin Durward; general reading of the novels of Charles Dickens. French—Macmillan's Second and Third French Course; Jules Verne, Au Pole en Ballon; De Musset's Merle Blanc; specimens of modern French prose (Berthou). Science—Chemistry, matriculation syllabus, with common salts and qualitative analysis. Mathematics—Geometry, Hall and Stevens, Books I-IV; algebra, Hall and Knight, to quadratics, with simpler logarithms; Lock's arithmetic to matriculation standard; Loney's Trigonometry. Book-keeping—Exercises from Nixon's Book-keeping.

Lowest.—Latin—Macmillan's Shorter Latin Course, Part I; Scalae Primae. English—Nesfield's Manual of English Grammar, selected parts; Tennyson's Morte d'Arthur, Lady of Shallott; Washington Irving's Rip van Winkle, &c. French—Dent's First French Book. Science—Physical measurements (based on Moffat's Practical Physics). Geometry—Hall and Stevens, Book I; algebra—Baker and Bourne, to simultaneous equations; arithmetic—Loney and Greville, whole book. Geography—Europe and British possessions. History—1688—1800. Book-keeping—Thornton's First Lessons.

2. General Statement of Accounts for the Year ended 31st December, 1910.

Receipt	e	P	s.	a	Expenditure,	,	£		a
Balance at beginning of year			2 10		Management—		æ	٥.	d.
Government capitation-	••	402	1 10		0661		30	0	0
For free places		. 528	0	2	Other office expenses	• •	6	ŏ	ŏ
For recognized school classes			•	~	Teachers' salaries and allowances	• •	670		
instruction			19	8	Material for classes			16	
Rents		011	5	ĭ	Printing, stationery, and advertising		3	8	6
Goldfields revenue			15	8		• • •	25	1	6
Paid by School Commissioners		60		8	,	in-	20	-	•
School fees		00		9	struction		47	13	0
Interest on current account		1.4	13	-	Purchases and new works		102		
Rent			19	6	Miscellaneous (rates, &c.)		12		2
				-	Endowments, Sales Account—			•	-
					Legal expenses		20	14	2
					Buildings			17	
					Management, &c			16	
					Other expenditure—				
					Cadet ûniforms		4	0	0
					Miscellaneous		4	2	0
					Legal expenses		6	18	8
					School Library		7	15	0
					Capitation, technical classes		15	1	6
					Balance at end of year		720	4	11
				—	•				
		£1,822	18	10		4	€1,822	18	10
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HENRY Lowe, Chairman. Jas. Kernick, Secretary.

Examined and found correct.—R. J. Collins, Controller and Auditor-General.

Statement of Monetary Assets and Liabilities at 31st December, 1910.

JAS. KERNICK, Secretary.

NEW PLYMOUTH HIGH SCHOOL.

Staff.

Mr. E. Pridham, M.A.; Miss C. D. Grant, M.A.; Miss G. A. Drew, M.A.; Mr. A. R. Ryder, M.A.; Mr. H. H. Ward; Mr. G. H. Wills; Mr. Lints.

1. Work of the Highest and Lowest Classes.

Highest.—Arithmetic—General, Junior University Scholarship Standard. Algebra—Hall and Knight's Higher Algebra, to end of permutations and combinations. Geometry—Hall and Stevens, Books I-VI inclusive. Trigonometry—Lock, to chapter 19. Mechanics—Briggs and Bryan, Matriculation Mechanics, the whole; Briggs and Bryan, Hydrostatics; Loney's Mechanics. English—Nesfield's Grammar; Tutorial English; Morris and Skeat's Specimens of Early English; Henry V; Samson Agonistes; Miscellaneous Specimens of Literature; The King's English; Greenough and

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Kittredge, Words and their Ways in English Speech. Latin—Parts of Ramsay, Books I and II; Bradley's Arnold; Aeneid, Book I; Horace, Epistles, Book I; Horace, Odes, Book I (half); Caesar, Book VII; Cicero, De Officiis, Book III; selections from Livy. History—Gray's Roman History; Shuckburgh's Roman History; Primer of Roman History; Primer of Roman Antiquities. French—Siepmann's Grammar; Wellington College Grammar; Chardenal's Advanced Course; Pellissier's Unseens; Le Bourgeois Gentilhomme; Taine's Voyage aux Pyreneés; Half-hours with French Authors. Botany—Parts of Strasburger; Dendy and Lucas; Lawson; Thompson.

Lowest.—Arithmetic—G.C.M., L.C.M.; metric system; practice; vulgar and decimal fractions; mensuration of rectangular and solid figures; simple and compound interest; simple and compound proportion; discount, profit and loss; problems and contracted multiplication. Algebra—Borchardt, examples 1 to 20 inclusive, and easy graph problems. Geometry—Hall and Stevens, theorems 1-29, problems 1-15, riders to end of page 59. Latin—Scott and Jones, Part I, the whole (omitting page 66 and 133-135, and vocabularies 118 and 119). French—Méthode Naturelle, lessons 1-48 inclusive; verbs avoir, etre, first conjugation regular verbs, and verbs found in the lessons generally. English Grammar—Nesfield's Manual of Grammar and Composition, Chapters 2 to 10; punctuation, correction of sentences, parsing, analysis, and Seventh Standard cards. Composition—Essay and précis writing, paraphrasing. Literature—Macaulay's Horatius and Lake Regillus; Dickens's Cricket on the Hearth and Christmas Carol. Botany (girls)—Gillies's Plant Life in Australasia, pages 1 to end; natural orders, Compositae, Rosaceae, Liliaceae, Ranunculaceae, Cruciferae, Myrtaceae. Chemistry (boys)—Newth's Chemistry; states of matter, chemical action, hydrogen, oxygen, chlorine, water; Boyle and Gay, Lussac laws, atomic theory, air, nitrogen, nitric acid, ozone, and carbon. Drawing—Drawing in light and shade from flat examples of rigid forms, and from models and casts, as laid down in section 21 (a) 6 of Technical School Regulations. Cookery—Technical School course for first half of year. Dressmaking—Technical School course for second half of year. Physical Drill.

2. General Statement of Accounts for the Year ended 31st December, 1910.

Receipt	i.g.	£	g.	d.	Expenditure.	£	R.	d.
Balance at beginning of year		1,217			Management—	_	٠.	٠.
Government grant-		-,	•	_	Office salary	60	0	0
For sites, building, furniture,	&c	336	18	6	Other office expenses	12	5	2
Government capitation—		-		-	Other expenses of management		15	3
For free places	•••	534	12	2		456	2	8
For recognized school classes		**-		_	Boarding-school Account-		_	•
instruction		93	7	6	Fees	40	19	0
Current income from reserves		967		4			6	6
Interest on moneys invested and		• - •		_	Rent	42	0	Õ
purchase-money		46	1	6	Examiners' fees		15	Ō
Paid by School Commissioners		400		Ō				-
School fees		135	9	Ō	School	26	6	7
	**	(40	19	Ó		5	Ō	Ò
Boarding-school fees		164	6	6	I •	45	15	6
Refund, insurance		``0	7	10		77	3	0
Refund, science material		1	18	8		336	18	6
			_	-	New lawn	35	2	Ó
						196	4	1
					Science building equipment 1	176	2	4
					Fencing, repairs, &c	40	11	5
					Rates, &c	34	16	3
					New flag	2	8	1
					Reserves	15	13	0
					Taranaki Education Board—			
					Towards salaries of instructors, Technical			
					School	30	0	0
					Capitation on technical classes	79	7	6
					Advance cadets (since refunded)	4	0	0
					Opening science-room, tea	3	13	11
						982	11	7
		£3,938	17	4	£3,62	938	17	4
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N. K. MACDIARMID, Chairman. WALTER BEWLEY, Secretary.

Examined and found correct, except that the payment of £3 13s. 11d., "Opening science-room, tea," is without authority of law, and is therefore disallowed.—R. J. Collins, Controller and Auditor-General.

Statement of Monetary Assets and Liabilities at 31st December, 1910.

Assets.								Liabilities.							
Fees unpaid Rents unpaid Cash in banks					13		0	Unpresented cheques Overpaid rents				13	s. 17 0	d. 2 7	
				-	€1,075		0					£13	17	9	

N. K. MacDiarmid, Chairman. Walter Bewley, Secretary.

WANGANUI GIRLS' COLLEGE.

Staff.

Miss M. I. Fraser, M.A.; Miss S. E. Gifford, M.A.; Miss J. Knapp, B.A.; Miss J. R. Currie, M.A.; Miss A. Blennerhassett, B.A.; Miss E. M. McIntosh, M.A.; Miss J. O. Abernethy, M.A.; Miss F. J. Grant, B.A.; Miss V. H. Bayly; Miss J. Cherrett; Miss J. W. Gow, L.A.B., A.T.C.L.; Mr. D. Seaward; Miss M. Browne; Mr. F. L. Peck; Miss G. McBeth; Miss E. L. Croucher; Miss C. C. H. Rockel.

1. Work of the Highest and Lowest Classes.

Highest.—English—As for teacher's C certificate. Mathematics, Latin, French, mechanics, mental science, education, German—As for B.A. degree. (Note—A selection of subjects is made to suit individual needs.) Swimming; breathing exercises; extension exercises.

Lowest.—Arithmetic—Simple and compound rules. English—Robinson Crusoe; Lays of Ancient

Rome; simple parsing and analysis; spelling and dictation. Geography—Most noteworthy features of earth's surface. History—Britannia History Readers, Book I. French—Chardenal, Book I (part). Needlework; swimming; breathing exercises; extension exercises.

2. General Statement of Accounts for the Year ended 31st December, 1910.

Receipts.	£	8.	d.	Expenditure.	£	8.	đ.
Balance at beginning of year	958	5	4				
Government capitation for recognized school				Office salaries	. 150	0	0
classes for manual instruction	20	15	0	Other office expenses	. 26	9	0
Subsidy on voluntary contributions, second-				Teachers' salaries and allowances	. 2,854	19	4
ary schools	30	0	0		. 2,336		
Current income from reserves	354			Examinations—	,		_
Interest on money invested and on unpaid				Examiners' fees	. 15	15	0
purchase-money	80	0	0	Other expenses			
Paid by School Commissioners	151	6	8			16	
School fees	2,823		4				•
	3,283		6	manual instruction	. 19	18	9
Books, &c., sold and other refunds		11	8	Printing, stationery, and advertising		11	_
Voluntary contributions on account of	-		Ŭ	Cleaning, fuel, light, &c	10		
general purposes of the school	30	O	0	Maintenance of classes for manual instruc		_	•
Church sittings	417	16	_		. 68	6 0	0
Contractor's deposit	70	Õ	ŏ				
Dr. balance at end of year		17	ŏ	Fencing, repairs, &c	100		
DI. Dalance at one of your	-10		·	Caretaker and grounds	70		11
				Miscellaneous (rates, &c.)		14	3
				Interest on current account	10		
				Contractor's deposit	70		-
				Insurance	96		7
				Dank akanna		-	ò
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				Ol	50		
				Part address to Miss Fraser	. 30	_	6
				Laguaduress to miss Plaser			
-	€8,074	18			£8,074	18	6
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Examined and found correct, except that the payment of £30 7s. 6d., part cost of an address to Miss Fraser, is without authority of law, and is therefore disallowed.—R. J. Collins, Controller and Auditor-General.

Statement of Monetary Assets and Liabilities, 31st December, 1910.

Assets.			£ s.	d. }	$oldsymbol{Liabilities}.$			8.	d.
Cash in hand Rent arrears Oustanding fees Amount on mortgage	••		0 0 15 0 274 6 1,600 0	2 0 7 0	Bank balance Outstanding cheques Sundry accounts Assembly hall—Due to contractors	••	15	18 0	9
Amount on according			£1,889 6	9		~ .	£2,201	16	8

Fred Pirani, Chairman. W. J. Carson, Secretary.

WANGANUI COLLEGIATE SCHOOL.

Staff.

Rev. J. L. Dove, M.A.; Mr. J. E. Bannister, M.A.; Mr. F. L. Peck; Mr. G. F. McGrath, M.A.; Rev. C. Price' M.A.; Mr. J. Allen, B.A.; Mr. J. A. Neame, B.A.; Mr. B. D. Ashcroft, B.A.; Mr. H. M. Butterworth; Mr. C. H. Crombie, M.A.; Mr. H. E. Sturge, M.A.; Mr. A. P. Hodges, B.A.; Mr. C. T. Cox; Mr. L. J. Watkins.

1. Work of the Highest and Lowest Classes.

Highest.—Up to University Scholarship standard. Divinity—Bible. Latin—Cicero, Second Philippic; Catullus; Latin translation at sight; Bradley's Composition. French—Tartarin de Tarascon; Bourgeois Gentilhomme; Le Cid, Selections from French Poetry; Duhamel's Prose. Pellistration of the Country of the Count sier's Unseens (senior). English-Autocrat at the Breakfast Table; Paradise Lost; Hale's Longer

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English Poems; Chaucer; King Lear; Nesfield's English Past and Present. Mathematics—Arithmetic, Pendlebury; algebra, Baker and Bourne; geometry, Baker and Bourne; trigonometry, Bor-

chardt and Perrott. Chemistry—Tutorial and practical. Heat—Notes and practical.

Lowest.—Latin—Scott's First Latin course. Divinity—Bible and catechism. French—Rossmann and Schmidt, Part I; Jack's Language Series. Arithmetic—Pendlebury. Algebra—Baker and Bourne. Geometry—Baker and Bourne. Physical measurements—Drawing. English—Kingsley's Heroes; Southey's Nelson; Laureata; Nesfield's Elementary Grammar. History—Meiklejohn; Carmina Britanniae. Geography—Oxford Preliminary Britanniae. Geography—Oxford Preliminary.

2. General Statement of Accounts for the Year ended 31st December, 1910.

Receipts.	£	8.	đ.	Expenditure. £ s. d.	
Balance in hand and in bank at beginning				Management —	`
of year	1,795		10	Office salaries 188 10 10	,
Current income from reserves	1,735	15	9	Other office expenses	Ŧ
Interest on moneys invested and on unpaid				Other expenses of management 231 7 2	2
purchase-money	10	1	0		•
School fees	2,141	0	0	Medical officer 107 5 C	•
Boarding-school fees	D 027		11	Boarding-school Account 6,568 13 10)
Boys' extras	1,994		9	Music-teachers 385 9 0	
Sundry school fees	000			Prizes 87 7 6	3
Monto to an	400		Ō	Material for classes other than classes for	
Loan-instalments from A.M.P. Society	10 000		Õ	manual instruction 67 16 1	Ĺ
Cal at all hames	É		-	Printing, stationery, and advertising 49 2 3	3
	527	-		Boys' extras 2,379 7	3
Dr. balance at end of year	021	10	Ģ	Maintenance of classes for manual instruc-	
				tion 23 0 0)
				Purchases and new works 145 4 11	1
				Fencing, repairs, &c 383 12 4	
				Miscellaneous (rates, &c.) 199 0 11	
				New buildings	_
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	£33,237	14	11	£33,237 14 11	1
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A. G. BIGNELL, Chairman. J. P. WILLIAMSON, Secretary.

Audited and found to be correct.-W. RODWELL, F.I.A.N.Z., Auditor.

Statement of Monetary Assets and Liabilities, 31st December, 1910.

Assets. Rents outstanding and due at date Boys' accounts outstanding Boys' extras paid but not yet charged Prize fund	 $\substack{1,128\ 16\\227\ 13}$	2 1 4	Bank 513 12 2	8 1
	£2,056 2	7	£838 2 (6
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PALMERSTON NORTH HIGH SCHOOL.

Mr. J. E. Vernon, M.A., B.Sc.; Mr. F. Foote, B.A., B.Sc.; Mr. J. Murray, M.A.; Mr. W. P. Anderson, B.A.; Miss E. M. B. Lynch, M.A.; Miss M. Ronaldson, B.A., B.Sc.; Miss M. F. Arnott, B.A.; Mr. G. H. Elliott; Mr. E. Dymock; Miss M. Watson.

1. Report of the Board of Governors.

In accordance with custom, I have much pleasure in giving a report on the working of the school during the year in which I have had the honour to hold the position of Chairman.

The work of the school has been carried on under difficulties, owing to the total loss of the building by fire during the first quarter. These difficulties would have been considerably intensified had it not been that the new Technical School was available. But for this, the school-work would have had to be carried on in detached buildings. In spite, however, that one building contained all the pupils, the work has somewhat suffered as compared with the previous year. We may, however, feel proud that, notwithstanding the inconvenience, the work of the year is not below the average of New Zealand. And the teachers, under the able guidance of the Rector, may well be congratulated on the result.

When the school was destroyed the Minister of Education was approached and pressed for a sufficient grant to enable the new erection to be of incombustible material, and he recommended the Cabinet to grant the sum of £2,600, which, together with the £1,400 insurance-money, brought the total amount available up to £4,000. However, when tenders were called on a handsome plan supplied by Mr. J. De Clere, and approved by the Department, it was found that the lowest was in the vicinity of £5,000, and to this had to be added the architect's fees and the salary of the clerk of works. Another attempt was therefore made to induce the Minister to give an additional grant to supply the deficiency, but the strongest argument failed to elicit a favourable response to the urgent application for the full amount required. The Minister held that the large assembly-hall in the centre of the building was not a necessity in a high school, and it could only be considered a luxury, though a useful one. He held

that the demands for educational buildings throughout the Dominion were of so pressing a nature that only actual necessities could be provided by the Government. The members composing the deputation were equally positive that the building classed as a luxury was a necessity, and its deletion would, while detracting from the usefulness of the building, also greatly mar the architecture of the design. Eventually, a compromise was arrived at, the Minister undertaking to find an additional £850, which would suffice to erect the part of the building required by the Department, and the deputation, on behalf of the Board, agreeing to find the money for that part stated to be a luxury.

I am satisfied that the assembly-room is a really useful part of the building. The necessity of finding a sum equal to about £600 to complete the building having been pointed out to the Mayoress, that lady kindly consented to organize a movement to supply the Board with the deficiency, and she hopes to complete this good work during the course of the present year. The thanks of the Board are due to Mrs. Nash for her kindly efforts, and I trust the citizens, for whose children the building has been so thoroughly equipped, will assist by every means in their power. The new building will be ready for occupation during the third week in February, and it is proposed to open it on the 16th instant, if the Minister of Education can be present to perform the ceremony. The contractors are Messrs. Sollitt Bros., who also secured the contract for furnishing. The excellence of their workmanship is apparent to the most casual observer.

The new year may therefore be expected to add new laurels to the school; and I believe it will be

a year to reflect the greatest credit on teachers and scholars alike.

The attendance during the past year has constituted a record, but there is every indication that it will be eclipsed by the attendance during the coming year. The average attendance showed an increase of seventeen over the previous year, and the income from these enabled an additional teacher to be engaged. The increased attendance during the coming year is expected to require the appointment of still another teacher, and this is a matter which will require the Board's immediate attention. In the meantime Mr. Opie is filling the position temporarily.

At the end of the last term Miss Lynch, headmistress, resigned, and Miss Ironside has been

At the end of the last term Miss Lynch, headmistress, resigned, and Miss Ironside has been appointed in her stead, her testimonials being of the most satisfactory nature, and her educational attainments such as to satisfy all requirements. I believe that the choice of the Rector will be amply

justified.

At the end of the year the Rev. Archdeacon Harper found it necessary to resign, owing to his removal to Wellington, and the annual election failed to secure a member to replace him. The thanks

of the Board are due to the reverend gentleman for his excellent work as a governor.

While the results of the past year are not quite up to the high standard of the previous year, owing to the circumstances already mentioned, I feel sure that the principles inculcated and the moral lessons taught are fully equal to the highest standard, and of this the Board and the teachers may be justly proud, as the foundations laid during this critical period of the pupil's life are those on which the superstructure will eventually be erected.

Another matter for congratulation is the fact that the educational advantages of a high-school training are beginning to be appreciated by the parents, and they are showing a decided tendency

towards the extension of the school period.

The change effected during the previous year to have separate class-rooms for boys and girls in the lower forms has been continued as far as possible, and the result has exceeded anticipations. The new school is so arranged and furnished as to allow the Rector a chance of extending this principle. The boarding-school has amply justified its existence, and the Rector deserves the greatest praise for his foresight in establishing it. As soon as possible the Board will consider the equipment of the gymnasium, which has already been approved. The playing-grounds are in excellent order, and the football-ground in particular has been drier than ever before. The gardens are also being restored to their original beauty, and in a few weeks no trace of the devastation wrought by the fire and the cartage of material will be visible.

The financial aspect, apart from the requirements for extra buildings, is healthy, the increased capitation of last year provided by the Department to assist unendowed secondary schools being responsible for this most gratifying position. The balance in hand at the end of the financial year for purely educational purposes is small, being mostly made up of insurance-moneys payable on account of contract for erecting the new school.

I have purposely refrained from dealing with the Technical School, as during the past year, for the first time in its history, the Chairman of the Board has not been the Chairman of the Committee in charge of this important branch of education. The experiment of appointing a separate Chairman has proved so eminently satisfactory that it is well worth further consideration. The report of the Technical School Committee will, therefore, appear separately.

In conclusion, I desire to thank the members of the Board for their loyal assistance and hearty co-operation during my occupancy of the chair. I retire after a year of office feeling sure that every member of the Board has given me that hearty and unselfish co-operation which goes to make the position of Chairman such a pleasant one.

W. H. Collingwood, Chairman.

2. Work of the Highest and Lowest Classes.

Highest.—English—Anglo-Saxon Primer (Sweet); Middle English Reader, Part II (Morris and Skeat); Morris' Grammar, chapters I-vII; Shelley, Prometheus Unbound; Milton, Samson Agonistes; Carlyle, Sartor Resartus; Shakespeare, Tempest; Palgrave, Golden Treasury; Nesfield's English Grammar, Past and Present; essays. Mathematics—Arithmetic, New School Arithmetic (Pendlebury); algebra, Baker and Bourne's Algebra, Parts I and II; geometry, Baker and Bourne's Geometry, Books I-VII; trigonometry, Elementary Trigonometry (Pendlebury). Latin—Caesar, De Bello Gallico, Book VII; Horace, Epistles, Book I; Matriculation Selections (London University, Tutorial College) Dies Romani (Arnold); Arnold's Latin Prose Composition. French—Wellington College French

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Grammar; Spiers's Rapid French Exercises; Weekley; French Prose Composition; essays; translation; Dent's French Readers (selections from). Science—Electricity and Magnetism (Poyser and Allanach); Heat, Second Stage Heat (R. Wallace Stewart). Hygiene (Reynolds).

Lowest.—English—Nesfield's Outline of English Grammar, Parts I-IV; Nesfield's Junior Course of English Composition; Great Authors, Second Period; Meiklejohn's Spelling-book. Geography—Longmans', Book II, The World, Europe, and British Empire. History—Warner's Brief Survey of British History. Arithmetic—Zealandia, Standard VI. Algebra—Baker and Bourne, pages 1-144. Geometry—Baker and Bourne, Books I and II. French—Siepmann's Primary French Course, Part I. Latin—Macrillan's Shorter Latin Course, First Part. Science—Physical measurements. Agriculture. Shorthand-Pitman's Teacher. Book-keeping-Thornton's First Lessons in Book-keeping.

3. General Statement of Accounts for the Year ended 31st December, 1910.

Receipts.	£	8.	d.	Expenditure.	£	8.	đ.
Balance at beginning of year	221	13	3	Management—			
Government grants—				Office salarySecretary, £30; Caretaker,			
For sites, building, furniture, &c. (general				£112	142	0	0
	2,070	0	0	Other office expenses—Postages and office			
For buildings, furniture, fittings, and ap-	•			rent	7	17	9
paratus for recognized school classes for					1,630	16	8
manual instruction	12	6	6		465		
Science class	50	0	0	Scholarships	40	0	0
Government capitation-				Prizes	34	14	3
	1,906	4	11	Material for classes other than classes for			
For recognized school classes for manual				manual instruction	14	9	11
instruction	85	2	5	Printing, stationery, advertising, and books	77	17	10
Paid by School Commissioners	148	9			1	17	9
School fees	192					-,	
Boarding-school fees	465	3	ō		27	10	5
Interest on current account (Manson		_	•	Site, buildings, furniture, &c. (Govern-			-
legacy, £10 10s.; on fixed deposit, £10 10s.)		0	0		2,070	0	0
Voluntary contributions—		•	•	Purchases and new works-	,	_	•
On account of general purposes of the				Architect's fees	238	8	6
school		17	6		256		
On account of recognized school classes			·	Miscellaneous (rates, &c.)	24		
for manual instruction		11	2	Sports material	35		
	1,400			Refund, Wanganui Education Board (over-	•	•	•
Insurance on furniture and apparatus			6		21	13	4
Net proceeds sale of fire débris		īi			1,905		_
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	66,994	14	5	£	6,994	14	5
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W. H. Collingwood, Chairman. WILLIAM HUNTER, Secretary.

General Statement of Monetary Assets and Liabilities at 31st December, 1910.

Liabilities. Balance of contract, new school Balance, Architect, new school Balance, Clerk of Works, new school Furniture and fittings accounts Cr. Balance	321 15 0 40 0 0	Cr. balance, bank Capitation on account of 1910, due	£ 8. d. 1,905 19 11 by 247 18 6 1,555 0 0
	£3,708 18 5		£3,708 18 5

WILLIAM HUNTER, Secretary.

WELLINGTON COLLEGE.

Staff.

Boys' College.—Mr. J. P. Firth, B.A.; Mr. A. Heine, B.A.; Mr. A. C. Gifford, M.A.; Mr. G. G. S. Robison, M.A.; Mr. T. Brodie, B.A.; Mr. F. M. Renner, M.A.; Mr. W. J. Martyn, M.A.; Mr. H. B. Tomlinson, B.A.; Mr. E. Caradue, B.Sc.; Mr. O. Williams, M.A.; Mr. D. Matheson, B.A.; Mr. M. H. Dixon; Mr. H. A. Smithson; Mr. W. A. Alexander, M.A.; Mr. H. W. Monaghan, M.A.; Mr. J. G. Castle, B.A.; Mr. M. H. Oram, M.A.; Mr. A. H. Robinson; Mr. B. Dovey; Mr. J. Ellis; Mr. G. R. Pitkethley.

Girls' College.—Miss M. McLean, M.A.; Miss I. Ecclesfield, B.A.; Miss A. M. Batham, B.A.; Miss E. A. Newman, M.A.; Miss V. L. Dall, B.A.; Miss R. M. Collins, B.A.; Miss M. M. Rigg, M.A., M.Sc.; Miss H. Birss; Miss L. Christensen, M.Sc.; Miss M. Salmond, B.A.; Miss E. R. Ward, M.A.; Miss A. E. Currie, M.A.; Mr. L. F. Watkins; Mr. J. W. M. Harrison; Dr. E. Gunn; Miss K. Lawson; Miss I. Gooder; Miss Pryor; Miss I. Reade.

1. Work of the Highest and Lowest Classes.

Highest.—Boys' College: English—Chaucer's Prologue (Macmillan); Hamlet (Deighton); Epoch of Spenser; Arnold's Prose Books; De Coverley Papers; selections from Macaulay, Burke, Napier's Peninsular War, Bacon, Barrow, Boswell, Lamb, Malory; six standard novels to be read; Words and their Ways (Greenough and Hettridge); Nesfield's Manual of Historical Language; history of English, their Ways (Greenough and Hettridge); Nesheld's Manual of Historical Language; history of English, accidence, prefixes, suffixes, Grimm's law, &c.; figures of speech, essay work, précis and abstract, synonyms, history of English vowel sounds. Latin—Cicero, In Catilinam; Virgil, Book VI; Horace, Odes, I; Bradley's Aids; Horton's Roman History; Antiquities; sight translation. French—Daudet's Les Lettres de mon Moulin; George Sand, La Mare au Diable; Molière, Les Femmes Savantes; Wellington College French Grammar; Rey's French Composition. Mathematics—Arithmetic, Algebra, Geometry, as for Junior University Scholarship. Science—Poyser's Advanced Magnetism and Electricity; Shenstone's Inorganic Chemistry. Girls' College: English—Nesfield's Historical English and Derivation; Longmans' Handbook of English Literature, Parts IV and V; Chaucer's Prologue; Warwick; Shakespeare, Twelfth Night; Carlyle's Heroes; Spenser's Faerie Queene, Book I; Nichol's Composition; Wanderings in Syria; Captain Cook's Second Voyage. Latin—Annals of Tacitus, Book I; Odes of Horace, Book III; Caesar's Gallic War, Book I; Aeneid, Book I, De Amicitia; Bradley's Latin Prose; Horton's Roman History; Stedman's Latin Examination Papers; Rivington's Unseens, XI and XII; Primer, Roman Antiquities; Res Romanae. French—Wellington College Grammar; Rapid French Exercises; Prose and Idioms; Le Petit Chose; Le Misanthrope (Molière). Mathematics—Baker and Bourne's Geometry; Hall and Knight's Algebra; Workman's Arithmetic. Botany—Dendy and Lucas; Aitken; Thomson's Botany. Physics—Draper's Heat; Problems in Heat.

Lowest.—Boys' College: Geography—The world—continents with (a) countries and capitals, (b) chief features, mountains, rivers, &c., (c) longitude, latitude, seasons, day and night, zones of climate, tides, trade winds, (d) New Zealand and Australia fairly fully. Arithmetic—Chapters vi—xiv. Alegbra—Baker and Bourne, VII—XIV. Geometry—Godfrey and Siddon's, to page 132, Part I. Latin—Inglis and Prettyman, to page 100. French—Siepmann—Primary French Course, to page 100. English—Outlines of English Grammar, easy parts; letter-writing; Macaulay's Armada, Ivry, &c. History—Simple studies in English history. Girls' College: English—Nesfield's Outlines; Black's Picture Lessons, Book III; Gray's Elegy, Traveller; Irving's Rip Van Winkle, The Chimes; Excelsior Reader, Book VI. French—Méthode Naturelle; Siepmann, Book I. History—Highroads of English History, Book IV. Geography—The Round World. Arithmetic—Pendlebury's New Arithmetic. Geometry—Hall and Stevens, Practical Geometry. Botany—Plant Book for Schools. Nature-study—Eyes and No Eyes, Books II and III.

2. General Statement of Accounts for the Year ended 31st December, 1910.

Receipts	2. OENEKAL	OITIBE	ENI OF	710	COUNT		r On	THE TEAR ENDED SIST DECEMBER, I	.010.		
Office ralaries		Receipt	s.		£	s.	đ.	Expenditure.	£	s.	đ.
Government capitation	Balance at beginning	of year			596	12	2	Management-			
For free places									250	0	0
Teachers' salaries and allowances					4.039	4	3	Other office expenses	34	0	6
Instruction	For recognized scho	ol classes	for man	ual	•			Teachers' salaries and allowances	6,735	9	8
Paid by School Commissioners 500 4 0 School fees 2,136 8 6 Printing, static nery, and advertising 317 6 1 Books, &c., sold, and other refunds 1 13 0 Books, &c., sold, and other refunds 1 13 0 Books 555 0 8 Books 1 10				70	7	11			4	8	
Paid by School Commissioners 500 4 0 manual instruction 3 19 4 School fees 2,136 8 6 Printing, static nery, and advertising 317 6 1 Books, &c., sold, and other refunds 1 13 0 Cleaning, fuel, light, &c. 555 0 8 Donations for prizes 6 4 0 Books 10 19 4 0 Discount 0 1 10 Maintenance of classes for manual instruction, including salaries of special teachers (£89 3s.) 115 8 7 Sites, buildings, furniture, &c. Purchases and new works 348 8 3 Repayment of loan for building 562 8 10 Fencing, repairs, &c. 1,126 11 2 Interest 510 9 10 Miscellaneous (rates, &c.) 79 6 5 Buildings, equipment, &c., for manual instruction 439 16 6 Interest on current account and bank charge Interest on cost of reclaimed land 104 14 </td <td>Current income from</td> <td>reserves</td> <td></td> <td></td> <td>3,668</td> <td>13</td> <td>0</td> <td>Material for classes other than classes for</td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td>	Current income from	reserves			3,668	13	0	Material for classes other than classes for			
School fees	Paid by School Comm	issioners						manual instruction	3	19	4
Books, &c., sold, and other refunds 1 13 0 Donations for prizes 6 4 0 Books 19 4 0					2,136	8	6	Printing, stationery, and advertising	317	6	1
Donations for prizes	Books, &c., sold, and o	ther refu	\mathbf{nds}		1	13			555	0	8
Discount					6	4	0	Doeles			0
Dr. balance at end of year 393 13 1 tion, including salaries of special teachers (£99 3s.) 115 8 7 Sites, buildings, furniture, &c.— Purchases and new works 348 8 3 Repayment of loan for building 562 8 10 Fencing, repairs, &c 1,126 11 2 Interest 510 9 10 Miscellaneous (rates, &c.) 79 6 5 Buildings, equipment, &c., for manual instruction 439 16 6 Interest on corrent account and bank charge Interest on corrent account and bank charge Interest on cost of reclaimed land 104 14 6 Rates 57 1 11 Commission and exchange 57 1 11 Commission and exchange	-				0	1	10				
(£89 3s.)	Dr. balance at end of				393	13	1	tion, including salaries of special teachers			
Sites, buildings, furniture, &c.— Purchases and new works		•						(60) 0)	115	8	7
Purchases and new works								Sites, buildings, furniture, &c			
Fencing, repairs, &c								Dunahasaa and mass manka	348	8	3
Fencing, repairs, &c								Repayment of loan for building	562	8	10
Interest									1,126	11	2
Miscellaneous (rates, &c.)								T			
Buildings, equipment, &c., for manual instruction									79	6	5
instruction								Buildings, equipment, &c., for manual			
Interest on cost of reclaimed land								imasusatiam	439	16	6
Interest on cost of reclaimed land							•	Interest on current account and bank charge	0	15	0
Commission and exchange 1 8 0 Grant to Games Fund 66 13 4 Legal expenses 7 14 6									104	14	6
Grant to Games Fund 66 13 4 Legal expenses 7 14 6								Rates	57	1	11
Legal expenses 7 14 6								Commission and exchange	1	8	0
								Grant to Games Fund	66	13	4
								Legal expenses	7	14	6
£11,413 1 9 ———————————————————————————————————				_							
				£	11,413	1	9	£1	1,413	1	9
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A. DE B. BRANDON, Chairman. Chas. P. Powles, Secretary.

Examined and found correct.—R. J. Collins, Controller and Auditor-General.

Statement of Monetary Assets and Liabilities at 31st December, 1910.

Liabilit	ies.	£ s. d.	Assets.	£ s. d.
Unpresented oheques		459 11 6	Cash in bank, current account	65 18 5
Sundry creditors— Rents paid in advance	£ s. d.		Due by Scholarships Account *Sundry debtors— £ s. d.	12 14 0
On open account—	.,203 19 10		Fees (Wellington College) 1,113 9 6	
Wellington College	44 4 5		Fees (Girls' College) . 641 14 3	
Girla' College	30 0 6	000 10 0	Reuts 171 19 7	
		333 18 9	Rates 7 6 6	1,934 9 10
	:	£793 10 3	£	2,013 2 3

CHAS. P. Powles, Secretary.

GISBORNE HIGH SCHOOL.

Staff.

Mr. A. R. Gatland, B.A.; Mr. F. J. Wilkes, M.A.; Mr. H. Cornish, M.A.; Miss L. Wilcox; Mr. W. A. G. Penlington, B.A.; Miss E. D. Haselden, M.A.; Miss M. Harding; Miss M. Higgins; Mr. J. H. Levey.

1. Report of the Board of Governors.

The year completes the second year of the High School as an established endowed secondary school. A regular staff of four male teachers and three female teachers has been engaged during the year. The work done during the year has been excellent. The school roll closed with an attendance of sixty-eight boys and fifty-five girls.

A school costing £4,833 17s. 1d. was completed during the year, and occupied in April. A schoolhouse and Principal's residence has also been built in brick, to accommodate twenty-five boys. It stands upon its own grounds of three acres in extent, apart from but contiguous to the school.

The estimated attendance for the first term in 1911 is 140.

The resources of the Board have been strained to the utmost to complete the buildings and to provide equipment and furniture. Grants of £300 in aid of the school buildings, and £200 for the equipment of the science-room, will just enable the Board to cover its obligations, but will leave no margin for much necessary work which imperatively requires attention.

It is difficult to foresee the number of pupils who will present themselves for secondary education in any year. The district is so large and is being so rapidly developed that it is certain that very considerable additional accommodation will be required within the next few years. If such proves to be the case, it will be a matter for serious consideration whether that accommodation should not be provided by the establishment of a separate school for girls. Having this contingency in view,

arrangements for a suitable site should be considered.

At the public examinations held by the New Zealand University and by the Education Department at the end of the year, four pupils passed Matriculation and allied examinations, and one gained Matriculation on the Junior University Scholarship papers; four pupils passed the Junior Civil Service Examination, three gained Senior Board Scholarships, one gained a Junior Board Scholarship, sixteen gained Senior Free Places, and two gained Junior Free Places.

J. W. Nolan, Chairman. W. MORGAN, Secretary.

2. Work of the Highest and Lowest Classes.

Highest.—English—Nesfield's English Grammar, Past and Present; Milton, shorter poems; Lamb, Essays of Elia; Chaucer, Prologue. Latin—Ovid, Metamorphoses; Horace, Odes, I; Virgil, Aeneid, V; Caesar, Gallic War, V; Roman History and Antiquities. French—Macmillan's Second French Course; Weekly's French Grammar; Berthou's Selections of French Verse; Le Tour du

French Course; Weekly's French Grammar; Berthou's Selections of French verse; Le four que Monde (Jules Verne). Mathematics—Hall and Knight's Algebra; Hall and Stevens's Geometry; Hall and Knight's Trigonometry; Jones and Cheyne's Algebraical Exercises. Mechanics—Loney's Dynamics, Statics, Hydrostatics. Heat—Glazebrook's Heat. History and geography.

Lowest.—General course: English—Nesfield's Manual; Tennyson, selections; Charles Kingsley, Hereward the Wake. Latin—Via Latina. French—Macmillan's First French Course. Arithmetic—Goyen's Arithmetic and Mensuration. Algebra—Hall and Knight's Algebra, to simultaneous equations. Consider the Macmillan's First French Course. tions. Geometry—Hall and Stevens's New School Geometry, Parts I and II. Geography—Canada, Australia, New Zealand; and physical geography. Physical Measurements—Mainly Gregory's Exercise-book. Physiology—Coleman's and Furneaux's. History and civics—No text-book. Commercial course: English, arithmetic, and physical measurements, as in general course. Book-keeping—Thornton's First Lessons. Shorthand—Pitman's Instructor. Commercial geography—No text-book. Geometrical drawing. History and civics—No text-book. Agricultural course: English, arithmetic, physical measurements, geometrical drawing, book-keeping, as above. Special subjects-Agriculture and dairy-work.

3. General Statement of Accounts for the Year ended 31st December, 1910.

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Receivts. £ s. c	d. £	8.	d.	Expenditure.	£	8.	đ.
Balance at beginning of year 2,163 8	1			Management			
Less bank balance for tech-				Office salary	75	0	0
nical purposes 68 10	8			Other office expenses	4	6	10
	- 2,094	17	5	Other expenses of management	29	_	4
Government grants-	,			Legal expenses		19	9
For sites, buildings, furniture, &c. (genera	1			Teachers' salaries and allowances	1,280		8
purposes)	900	0	0	Boarding School Account	42	8	8
For buildings, furniture, fittings, and		-	-	Boarding allowances	150	-	-
apparatus for recognized school classes				Prizes	1	š	6
for manual instruction	. 41	0	0		-	•	v
Government capitation—	•	-	-	manual instruction	1	12	9
For free places	1,111	12	8		41		7
For recognized school classes for manua			•	Cleaning, fuel, light, &c. (including care-		٠	•
instruction		15	0	taker's salary)	104	2	11
Current income from reserves	100			Maintenance of classes for manual instruc-	101	~	
Interest on moneys invested and on un		•	•	tion	94	7	0
paid purchase-money	00	7	6	Site, buildings, furniture, &c. (Government	0-	•	·
Paid by School Commissioners		14	9		300	0	0
School fees	010			1 _ 8)	30		4
Books, &c., sold and other refunds		-	6	Purchases and new works	480		1
Loans			ŏ			15	4
Hawke's Bay Education Board-Balance		·	·	Miscellaneous (rates, rent, &c.)		12	
on account of classes	. 42	4	8	Interest on current account		10	-
on account of classes		-	·	Endowments, Sales Account—	v	10	U
				Site or buildings	1,450	0	0
				Miscellaneous (surveys, &c.)	4		-
				On buildings, out of loans	3,650	_	-
				Insurance	12		6
				Interest	136		
				Repayment on account of loan	68		6
				Dalamas at and of man	6	i	ŏ
				Dalance at end of year			_
	£8,100	12	9		£8,100	12	9
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J. W. Nolan, Chairman. W. Morgan, Secretary.

General Statement of Monetary Assets and Liabilities on the 21st December, 1910.

Wool on hand (technical)		Liabilities. Smith, G., extras on schoolhouse Graham, architect, commission Overdraft, Union Bank of Australia	 £ 70 70 274	0	0
	£10 0 0	777 M	£414	==	

W. Morgan, Secretary.

NAPIER HIGH SCHOOL.

Staff.

Boys' School.—Mr. A. S. M. Polson, B.A.; Mr. E. W. Andrews, B.A.; Mr. W. Kerr, B.A.; Mr. A. W. Short, B.A.; Mr. W. P. P. Gordon, B.A.; Mr. H. V. Phillips; Mr. J. McRae; Mr. H. J. Clemance.

Girls' School.—Miss V. M. Greig, M.A., B.Sc.; Miss E. H. Gunn, B.A.; Miss J. O. Gillies; Miss D. A. Gillam, M.A.; Miss H. K. Dalrymple, B.A.; Miss I. C. Greig; Miss M. J. Antill; Sergeant-major McNair.

1. Report of the Board of Governors.

The Board of Governors have to report that the attendance at the schools has been well sustained, and that satisfactory progress continues to be made.

The new laboratories in the boys' school have proved very useful, virtually all the pupils in the upper school doing individual practical work in science.

Swimming has received much encouragement. Nearly every boy can swim, and a large proportion have received certificates for distances ranging from 220 yards to one mile.

A very successful bazaar was organized in the girls' school to provide a playground-improvement The amount raised, together with the Government subsidy, has enabled the governors to make much better provision for games, two new tennis-courts and a croquet-lawn having been laid down.

The junior departments have well justified their existence, the roll number being 46 in the boys'

school and 40 in the girls' school.

To keep pace with the steady expansion of the junior department two new class-rooms have been erected in connection with the girls' school, an adjacent residence previously acquired having proved inadequate for the purpose.

The following examination results were gained during the year:-

Boys: University Junior Scholarship Examination—2 qualified for Matriculation and Solicitors' General Knowledge; Matriculation, Solicitors' General Knowledge, and Medical Preliminary, 2 passed; Matriculation, 1 passed; Senior Civil Service, 3 passed the whole examination and 1 passed in three subjects; Junior Civil Service, 8 passed, 3 with credit; Education Board Senior Scholarship, 1 secured first place, and 5 others qualified; Senior Free Place (in addition to foregoing), 15 under Regulation 7 (c), and 3 by examination; Education Board Junior Scholarship, 2 won scholarships; Junior Free Place Examination, 1 passed, and 4 extended under Regulation 5 (1); Proficiency Examination, 2 passed.

Girls: University Junior Scholarship, 1 passed with credit; Matriculation and Solicitors' General Knowledge, 3 passed; Junior Civil Service, 4 passed; Education Board Senior Scholarship, 6 qualified, 1 with credit; Senior Free Place (in addition to foregoing), 10 under Regulation 7 (c) and 5 by examination; Education Board Junior Scholarship, 1 qualified; Junior Free Place and Proficiency,
T. C. Moore, Chairman. DAVID SIDEY, Secretary.

2. Work of the Highest and Lowest Classes.

Highest.—Boys' School: English—Shakespeare, Twelfth Night and Macbeth; Seeley's Expansion of England; Arnold, Prose Books; Palgrave's Golden Treasury; Wyatt's English Literature; Nichol and McCormick's Exercises in Composition; Nesfield's Manual of English Grammar; Low's Historical English. Latin—Caesar, B.G., Book VII; Horace, Epistles, Book I; Longmans', Part III; Bradley's Arnold; Abbott's Latin Prose through English Idiom; Kennedy's Revised Latin Primer; unseen passages; Horton's History of the Romans; Creighton's Rome; Wilkins's Antiquities. French—Le Petit Chose (Daudet); Le Misanthrope (Molière); Irregular French Verbs (Thirion); Bué's Idioms; Blouet's French Composition; Tutorial French Grammar (accidents and syntax); phonetic transcript; unseen passages. Mathematics—Geometry (Godfrey and Siddons); solid geometry (Davison); algebra (Hall and Knight's Elementary and Bryan and Briggs' Middle Algebra). trigonometry (Pendlebury). Physics—Glazebrook's Heat. Mechanics and hydrostatics (Tutorial Series)—All the foregoing to University Junior Scholarship Standard. Chemistry—Jago. Arithmetic—Pendlebury. History—Tout and York, Powell and Andrews' Notes. Geography—Longmans's Series, Books II and V; Meiklejohn's British Colonies and Dependencies. Zoology—Furneaux's Animal Physiology; Huxley's Elementary Physiology. All to Matriculation standard. Précis-writing (Evan Jacobs) to Senior Civil Service standard. Girls' School: English—Composition, and Nesfield Grammar Past and Present (whole book). English literature—Chaucer, Prologue and Knighte's Tale, Spenser, Faerie Queene, Book I; Milton, Shorter Poems and Samson Agonistes; Shakespeare, Hamlet and The Tempest; Macaulay, Essay on Warren Hastings; Tennyson, the Princess, and selected shorter poems; Dickens, Our Mutual Friend, to chapter xvii. Tennyson epoch English literature—Browning, Tennyson Dickens Thackeray Eliot. Bronté Carlyle, French — Weekly, Matriculation French Tennyson, Dickens, Thackeray, Eliot, Bronté, Carlyle. French - Weekly, Matriculation French Course, to end; Wellington College French Grammar, to end (Eve and de Baudiss); Victor Hugo's

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Hernani; Les Français en Voyage (Wolff); Specimens, Modern French Verse (Berthou); phonetics (Siepmann), to end; prose, &c. Latin—Caesar, Gaelic War, Book VII, chapters i—xxxvii; Horace, Epistles, Book I, Epistles I—VII; Bradley Arnold, Latin Prose Composition, to page 200; Kennedy, Latin Primer; prose, &c.; Wilkins's Primer, Rome, to page 89; Wilkins's Roman Antiquities, to page 97. Mathematics—Goyen, Higher Arithmetic; Baker and Bourne, Algebra, to end of permutations and combinations, page 403; Godfrey and Siddons, Books I—IV; Solid Geometry, as for Junior University Scholarship (Hall and Stevens); Trigonometry (Borchardt and Perrott) Junior University Scholarship Syllabus. Applied Mathematics, as for Junior University Scholarship. Statics and and Dynamics, Loney; Hydrostatics—Briggs and Bryan. Science—Botany, Dendy and Lucas; Second-stage Botany (Lowson); syllabus for Junior University Scholarship. Heat—Jones's Elementary Heat, to end.

Lowest.—Boys' School: English—Outline of English Grammar (Nesfield), to page 97; oral exercises in English composition (selections); In the World of Books (Arnold); Deeds that Won the Empire (Fitchett). Latin—Longmans', Part I (whole); Scalae Primae, to chapter xv. French—Méthode Naturelle, Vol. I, to lesson 38. Mathematics—Geometry, Godfrey and Siddons, to p. 97; Baker and Bourne's First Algebra, to p. 83; Pendlebury's Shilling Arithmetic (whole). Science—Elementary physical measurements, as for Civil Service Junior. History—Tout, Book II, to page 187. Geography—Imperial Geography, Standards V and VI; Southern Cross Geographical Reader, Standards V and VI. Shorthand—Pitman's Phonographic Teacher (whole). Book-keeping—Pitman's Primer of book-keeping (whole): Pitman's Counting House Routine (First year) (whole). Drawing—Freehand.

VI. Shorthand—Pitman's Phonographic Teacher (whole). Book-keeping—Pitman's Primer of book-keeping (whole); Pitman's Counting House Routine (First year) (whole). Drawing—Freehand.

Lowest.—Girls' School: English—Marsh's Literary Composition, to page 237; Nesfield, Manual of English Grammar, to end of parts of speech; parsing, analysis, prosody, figures of speech, composition. English History—Tout, British History, Part I, pages 106-205 (two terms' work). Latin—Primae Scalae, exercises 1-18 (inclusive); grammar, the declensions, conjugations, and deponents, irregular verbs, pronouns, prepositions, &c.; casy sentences for prose and translation. French—Hogben, Méthode Naturelle, Part I, to page 71; sight translation, selected, and French Without Tears, Part I. Mathematics—Pendlebury, New School Arithmetic, to page 236; Baker and Bourne, Elementary Algebra, to end of simple equations; long multiplication and long division; Godfrey and Siddons, Book I, to end theorem iii, and a few riders; practical work. Science—Botany, the flower, fruit, root, stem-leaves, chief orders for Junior Civil Service; physiology, Murché, elementary course, to page 118 (omitting pages 83-101).

3. General Statement of Accounts for the Year ended 31st December, 1910.

${\it Receipts}.$	£	8.	d.	Expenditure.	£	8.	đ.
Balance at beginning of year	. 3,183	1.8	4	Management—			
Government grant for buildings, furniture				Office salaries	110	0	0
fittings, and apparatus for recognized	đ			Other office expenses	25	18	3
school classes for manual instruction	. 167	6	9	Other expenses of management (legal)	13	15	2
Government capitation—				Teachers' salaries and allowances	2.478	17	4
For free places	. 964	9	2			0	0
For recognized school classes for manua	ì			Prizes	28	15	2
instruction		12	6	Printing, stationery, and advertising	33	9	3
Current income from reserves	. 375	1	6	Cleaning, fuel, light, &c., including janitor's			
From property not a reserve	. 963	15				6	10
Interest on moneys invested and on unpaid	1			Books and stationery for sale to pupils and			
purchase-money		10	0			6	7
Paid by School Commissioners	. 565	10	0				
School fees	. 186	17	6	(including teacher's salary for cooking)	82	9	1
Boarding-school fees	. 68	5	4	Purchases and new works		13	8
Books, &c., sold and other refunds	. 109	2	6	Fencing, repairs, &c	80	10	3
Voluntary contributions on account of	f			Miscellaneous (rates, &c.)	106	4	6
general purposes of the school	. 80	13	5	Buildings, equipment, &c., for manual in-			
Customs refund	. 1	0	0	struction	17	0	0
Cooked food sold	. 4	4	0	Interest on current account	2	6	6
For use of pianos	. 14	2	5	Purchase of other lands	1,017	16	2
Dancing class gas	. 0	16	0	Furniture, painting, &c	478	17	7
•				Balance at end of year	1,684	18	1
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	£6,816	4	5		£6,816	4	5

T. C. Moore, Chairman. David Sidey, Secretary.

Examined and found correct.-R. J. Collins, Controller and Auditor-General.

NAPIER HIGH SCHOOLS.—JUNIOR SCHOOLS, 1910.

			£	s.	d.					£	s.	d.
Balance 1st January,	1910		 252	4	9	Salaries	• •			480	11	8
School fees			 613	7	8	School requisites		• •		20	16	6
School requisites		• •	 30	4	9	Gas				7	9	6
•						Library case				4	0	0
						Bank charges				0	10	0
						Cleaning		• •	• •	2	0	0
						Reidy and Jennings				300	0	0
						Balance	• •	• •		80	9	6
												—
			£895	17	2					£89 5	17	2
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T. C. MOORE, Chairman. DAVID SIDEY, Secretary.

DANNEVIRKE HIGH SCHOOL.

Staff.

Mr. J. M. Simmers, M.A.; Miss J. R. Barr, M.A.; Miss J. McLeod, M.A.; Mr. H. T. M. Fathers, M.A.; Mr. R. Gardiner; Miss A. S. Vernon.

1. Report of the Board of Governors.

The Governors of the Dannevirke High School have the honour to report that the school continues to be conducted in a very efficient manner.

The total number enrolled during the past year was 96, and the highest roll number was 93. Of these, 45 new pupils were admitted and 12 left. Considering the large number that left at the close of the previous year, these numbers must be regarded as highly satisfactory. The attendance of most of the pupils has been very good. The average attendance for the whole year has been 81.7. This is 93 per cent. of the average weekly roll.

The usual classical and mathematical subjects have been taught. Chemistry now forms the principal science both for boys and girls. A class in elementary agriculture for the boys was commenced. More advanced work, and work of a more practical character, will be undertaken next year,

and an effort will be made to combine with it instruction in the essentials of dairying.

The physical education of the pupils has consisted of gymnastic exercises for the girls, and military drill and exercises for the boys. The formation of a cadet corps, has, unfortunately, been delayed

owing to the fact that suitable carbines were not obtainable.

Our candidates for the various public examinations again distinguished themselves. The following are the numbers: 1 gained a Senior National Scholarship; 1 gained a credit pass in the Junior University Scholarship Examination; 2 passed Matriculation and Solicitors' General Knowledge; 3 passed partial C Teachers' Examination; 3 passed Civil Service Senior Examination; 11 passed Civil Service Junior Examination (3 with credit); 2 passed Senior Free Place Examination; 2 gained Education Board Senior Scholarships (first and fifth places); 11 passed Education Board Senior Scholarship Examination, and thus qualified; 3 gained Junior Board Scholarships.

The pupils have taken a keen interest in the school games, and have showed a high degree of

proficiency in football, cricket, hockey, and tennis.

Miss G. F. Gibson, M.A., who for two years rendered excellent services on the teaching staff of the school, resigned, and Miss Janet McLeod, M.A., was appointed to the vacant position.

The Board desires to express its high appreciation of the devoted and efficient manner in which the

Principal and staff have discharged their duties.

In anticipation of the school's future requirements, the Board embraced the opportunity of securing an acre of land adjoining the school grounds.

A. GRANT, Chairman. T. MACALLAN, Hon. Secretary.

2. Work of the Highest and Lowest Classes.

Highest.—English—Nesfield's Past and Present Grammar; Shakespeare's Macbeth, and Twelfth Night. Latin—Horace's Epistle II; Caesar's Book II; Bradley's Arnold; Allen's Latin Grammar. French—Le Verre d'Eau; Charles XII; Wellington College Grammar. Mathematics—Hall and Stevens's Geometry, Books I-VI; Baker and Bourne's Algebra; Lock's Trigonometry; Pendlebury's Arithmetic. Mechanics—Loney's Mechanics and Hydrostatics. Heat—Glazebrook's Heat. Physiology—Furneaux's Human Physiology.

Lowest.—English—Nesfield's Outlines; Scott's Ivanhoe; selections from Wordsworth. Geography—Longmans' No. 3; British Empire; physical geography. History—Ransome's History of England. Arithmetic—Pendlebury's Arithmetic, to page 283; general work. Algebra—Hall and Knight's Algebra for Beginners. Geometry—Hall and Stevens's School Geometry, Parts I and II, with practical introduction. Latin—Via Latina, to page 81. French—Chardenal, I; Hogben's Méthode Naturelle. Chemistry—Practical work in connection with solids generally; Roscoe and Lunt's Inorganic Chemistry for Beginners. Book-keeping—Thornton's First Lessons.

3. General Statement of Accounts for the Year ended 31st December, 1910.

Receipts.	£	s.	d. :	Expenditure.		£	s.	d.
Balance at beginning of year	365	17	4	Office expenses	٠.	1	15	9
Government capitation—				Teachers' salaries and allowances		933	10	10
For free places	961	16	7	Prizes		22	9	4
For recognized school classes for manu	ıal			Material for classes other than classes	for			
instruction		7	6	manual instruction		17	12	5
Subsidy on voluntary contribution	ns,			Printing, stationery, and advertising		27	3	7
	4	10	0	Cleaning, fuel, light, &c		60	2	2
Paid by School Commissioners	301	10	0	Maintenance of classes for manual instr	uc-			
School fees	68	0	0	tion	• •	38	15	0
Voluntary contributions—				Purchases and new works		360	18	5
On account of general purposes of t	he			Fencing, repairs, &c				1
school	7	15	0	Temporary advance to Technical School		7	7	3
From Hawke's Bay Education Board,	for			Balance at end of year		271	0	1
		19	6					
	£1,758	15	11		£	1,758	15	11

A. GRANT, Chairman. T. MACALLAN, Secretary.

THOMAS MACALLAN, Secretary.

Statement of Monetary Assets and Liabilities at 31st December, 1910.

Assets.		v	£	s.	đ.			Lia	bilities.		£ s. d.
Cash, Bank of New Zealand	• •						Unpresented cheques		••	• •	23 12 11
Cash, Post-office Savings-bank Cash in hand	••	• •	_	10	-	i					
9			0004	10		1					£23 12 11
			£294	13							£25 12 11

MARLBOROUGH HIGH SCHOOL.

Staff.

Mr. J. Innes, M.A., LL.D.; Mr. J. H. Goulding, B.A.; Miss M. C. Ross, M.A.; Miss E. M. Allen, M.A.; Miss W. Ham; Mr. P. Blick.

1. Report of the Board of Governors.

I have the honour to submit the following report of the Marlborough High School for the year ending 31st December, 1910:—

The number of new pupils enrolled at the beginning of the year was 50, 31 being girls and 19 boys. The total roll number was 126.

On the external examinations, 17 passed the Senior Free Place Examination, 3 the Civil Service Junior with credit, 1 obtained a partial pass and 1 a full pass for the Civil Service Senior, and two passed the first year's terms examination of Victoria College.

The curriculum comprises English, Latin, French, pure mathematics, heat, botany, physical measurements, history, and geography. In the lower forms book-keeping, cookery, and woodwork are also taken. It is proposed to add agricultural science next year. This is rendered possible by the appointment of an additional teacher. In addition to the Principal, the staff comprises four qualified teachers, all holding the M.A. degree.

The gymnasium erected and equipped last year has been systematically and regularly used.

The success achieved by several of the old pupils is very gratifying, more especially that of one

who gained the Ettles Scholarship at Edinburgh.

The growth of the school has made the buildings unsuitable for effective working, and extensive lterations and additions are in progress which will bring about a great and much-needed improvement. These include the erection and equipment of a science-room, the use of which the Board of Governors propose to allow to the Education Board for the purpose of Saturday classes for teachers.

R. McCallum, Chairman.

2. Work of the Highest and Lowest Classes.

Highest.—English—Nesfield, English Grammar Past and Present, chapter 21-25; Nesfield's Aids; Wilson's Literature; Chaucer's Prologue; Carlyle's Sartor Resartus; Milton's Samson Agonistes; composition and essay-writing. Latin—Bradley's Arnold's Latin Prose Composition; Ramsay's Latin Prose, Vol. II; Caesar, Gallic War, Book VII; Horace, Epistles, Book I; Shuckburgh's History of Rome; Antiquities. French—Wellington College French Grammar; Berthou and Onions's Advanced French Composition; Daudet's Petit Chose; Victor Hugo's Hernani; Molière's Le Misanthrope. Mathematics—Pendlebury's Arithmetic; Pendlebury's Trigonometry; Hall and Stevens's Geometry; Baker and Bourne's Algebra. Heat—Glazebrook's Heat; Jones's Examples in Physics. Botany—Dendy and Lucas's Botany.

Lowest.—English—Nesfield's Outlines; Meiklejohn's Spelling; Nesfield's Junior Composition;

Lowest.—English—Nesfield's Outlines; Meiklejohn's Spelling; Nesfield's Junior Composition; Scott's Lady of the Lake and Tales of a Grandfather. Geography—Arnold's Handbooks, Nos. 2, 4, 5. History—Tout's History, up to Tudor Period. Arithmetic—Pendlebury's New School Arithmetic, up to proportion. Algebra—Baker and Bourne, to the end of simple problems. Geometry—Hall and Stevens's, Part I. Latin—Bell's Illustrated Latin Course, Parts I and II; Bell's Scalae Primae, about half. French—Dent's First French Book. Botany—Elementary work. Physics—Gregory's Exercise-book. Book-keeping—Bolton's Book-keeping, Parts I and II. Woodwork (for boys). Cookery and needlework (for girls).

3. GENERAL STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1910.

3. GENERAL STATEMENT OF	r A	CCOUN'	rs	FO.	R	THE I	EAR	ENDEI) 318T	DECEM	IBER,	1910.		
Receipts.		£	s.	d.	1				Expend	liture.		£	8.	d.
Balance at beginning of year		476				Manager	nent-	-	-					
Government capitation—						Office						52	0	0
For free places		1,277	1	8		Other			es	• •	••	5		11
For recognized school classes for man	nual					Other	expen	ses of r	nanager	nent		5	3	8
instruction		63	7	6	. 17	Teachers						1,006	10	Ó
Statutory grant, 1910-11		400	0	0	<u>ا</u> ا	Superani	nuatio	n: An	nount d	leducted	1909,	,		
Paid by School Commissioners		65	0	0		paid P	ublic'	Prustee	1910			0	12	0
School fees		132	10	6	8	Scholarsi	hips					20		
Books, &c., sold and other refunds		136	18	5	I	Prizes	-					9	9	
Interest on current account		14	17	1	I	Printing,	, stati	nery,	and adv	ertising		7	10	6
Voluntary contributions on account	of				10	Cleaning	, fuel,	light,	&c.			59	9	3
general purposes of the school		5	0	0	I	Books an	d stat	ionery	for sale	to pupils	s, and			
Contractors' deposits		30	0	0		other t	empoi	ary ad	vances	7.7		140	0	3
<u>-</u>					I	Maintens	ance o	f class	es for m	anual in	struc-			
						tion				••		83	17	8
					F	Purchase	s and	new w	orks			854	3	10
					E	Fencing,	repair	:s, &o.		• •		11	4	2
					1	Miscellan	eous	rates,	&c.)	• •		8	12	6
					F	Refund o	f depo	sit	••	••		10	0	0
						Interest o				• •		1	0	6
					I	Interest of	n No	sworth:	y beque	st		11	5	0
					Į E	Hire of h	all for	lectur	e, &o.	• •	• •	4	3	5
					V	M-scellan	eous		• •			5	5	6
					E	Balance :	at end	of yea	r	••		306	4	0
				_	1									
		£2,601	12	11	:							£2,601	12	11
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- R. McCallum, Chairman.
- E. HYLTON, Secretary.

Examined and found correct, except that a sum of £500, bequeathed for the foundation of the Wrigley Scholarship, has been unlawfully used for other purposes. Note.—This exception has been taken on the balance-sheets of the years 1907, 1908, and 1909.—R. J. Collins, Controller and Auditor-General.

Statement of Monetary Assets and Liabilities at 31st December, 1910.

Assets.	£	s.	d.	${\it Liabilities}.$	£	S.	d.
Credit balance at 31st December, 1910	306	4	0	Builder's deposit	30	0	0
Grants from Government—				Prizes	5	7	6
Capitation on free places	414	11	8	Additions to buildings	1,227	14	10
For additions to building				Manual and technical classes	26	5	0
Capitation, manual and technical classes	. 50	5	0	Furniture, fittings, and apparatus for new			
•				science-room	300	0	0
	61 071				01 500		
	£1,271		<u> </u>		£1,589		-4

NELSON COLLEGE.

Staff.

Boys' College.—Mr. H. L. Fowler, M.A.; Mr. G. J. Lancaster, M.A.; Mr. C. H. Broad, B.A.; Mr. J. G. McKay, B.A.; Mr. J. C. Pope, M.A.; Mr. C. H. McKay; Mr. A. E. Brockett; Mr. H. P. Kidson, M.A.; Mr. H. D. Skinner; Mr. W. S. Hampson; Mr. F. F. Huddleston.

Girls' College.—Miss M. Lorimer, M.A.; Miss F. M. Kirton, M.A.; Miss M. McEachen, M.A.; Miss A. Eastwood, M.A.; Miss A. O'Callaghan, B.A.; Miss E. Baxter, M.A.; Miss B. Nicholson, B.A.; Miss E. F. Chisholm; Miss B. Greenwood; Miss M. Igglesden.

1. Report of the Board of Governors.

The average number of boys in attendance was 204, being a slight increase; 148 of the pupils held free places, 90 junior and 58 senior. The boarding department continues to make good progress, the total number of boarders for the year being 103. The average number at the Girls' College was

The Governors desire to thank the donors of a horse roller and mowing-machine, by the use of which the playground at the Boys' College has been brought into a much better condition. They also desire to thank the Old Girls' Association for their donation towards the formation of a reference library.

The shooting team, without being able to repeat their success of the previous year, did very well. taking the second place in the New Zealand secondary schools competition, one point behind the winners. In the shooting for the Prince of Wales' Cup, open to all schools of the Empire, they stood sixth, being beaten by only one school in Australasia.

The equipment of the Girls' College was improved by the addition of a roomy and airy building, containing suitable accommodation for practical and demonstration lessons in cookery.

A camera club was formed at the Girls' College, and a dark room provided.

The girls' hockey club was able to enter two teams for the matches, and the junior team was successful in winning the challenge cup.

Early in the year Mr. James Blair, who has been Secretary for the past eight years, resigned, and

his place was filled by the appointment of Mr. R. Catley.

The Staff.—Boys' College: Mr. A. E. Brockett has taken charge of the preparatory department, in succession to Mr. M. Skelton. Mr. J. C. Pope, B.A., fills the vacancy caused by the departure of Mr. W. Moyes for King's College. Mr. H. P. Kidson, M.A., and Mr. H. Skinner also joined the staff during the year. Girls' College: Miss O'Callaghan, M.A., and Miss Nicholson, B.A., resigned at the end of the year. Miss Farrow, M.A., of Canterbury College, and Miss Hind, M.A., of Victoria College, were appointed to fill the vacancies.

The results of the public examinations were very satisfactory. Boys' College: L. Bell and J. O'Connell gained Senior National Scholarships on entrance to the University. One boy qualified for Matriculation on the scholarship papers, and ten others passed the Matriculation (Solicitors' General Knowledge) Examination, two of them the Medical Preliminary also. Forty-five passed the Junior Civil Service Examination. Nine boys passed the terms examinations of Victoria College, five the first year, three the second, and one the third. Girls' College: A. Fell, S. Derrick, and R. Walker passed first year's terms. Rona Karsten passed the Senior Civil Service Examination, heading the list for the Dominion. Fifteen girls passed Matriculation or Matriculation and Solicitors' General Knowledge, a highly gratifying result. Seventeen girls passed the Junior Civil Service Examination, Edith Woods heading the Nelson list. In addition, twenty gained the Senior Free Place, and eight gained extension under clause 5 (1).

2. Work of the Highest and Lowest Classes.

Highest.—Boys' College: As for Junior University Scholarships in English, Latin, French, mathematics, and science (chemistry and mechanics), and for the B.A. degree in English and Latin. English matics, and science (chemistry and mechanics), and for the B.A. degree in English and Latin. English—Macbeth; Samson Agonistes; Prometheus Unbound; Sartor Resartus; Selected English Essays (Macmillan); Golden Treasury; Brooke's Primer of English Literature; Nesfield's English, Past and Present. Latin—Selections from Ovid; Dies Romani; Livy, Book XXII; Bradley's Arnold; Bryan's Latin Prose Exercises; Bradley's Aids; Res Romanae; Horace, Epistles, I; Caesar, B.G., VII. French—Le Tour du Monde; Half-hours; Blouet's Composition; Wellington French Grammar; Dent's Phonetic French Reader. Mathematics—Murray's Higher Arithmetic; Lachlan and Fletcher's Trigonometry; Barnard and Child's Senior Geometry; C. Smith's Algebra (Macmillan). Science41 E.—6.

Loney's Statics and Dynamics; Shenstone's Chemistry. Girls' College: English—Junior University Scholarship work, and work for first year's terms, Victoria College. Books used: Nesfield's Historical English and Derivation; Sertor Resertus; Prometheus Unbound; Samson Agonistes; Hales's Longer English Poems; Chaucer's Prologue; Faerie Queene, Book I; Paradise Lost, Book I; Milton's sonnets and shorter poems; extracts from Wordsworth, Tennyson, Matthew Arnold; Sweet's Anglo-Saxon Primer; Morris and Skeet's Specimens of Early English. French — Wellington College Grammar; Spiers's Rapid French Exercises; Siepmann's Primary French Course (first term); Bué's French Idioms; Le Petit Chose; Hernani; Le Misanthrope; Longmans' Advanced Unseens. Latin —Bradley's Arnold's Prose Composition; Allen's Elementary Latin Grammar; Bradley's Aid to Latin Prose; Selections from Blackie's Senior Unseens; Wilkins's Antiquities; Merivale and Puller's Roman History; Gallic War, VII; Horace's Epistles, I. Mathematics—Pendlebury's Trigonometry; Todhunter and Loney's Algebra; Hall and Knight's Algebra; Baker and Bourne's Geometry; Loney's Elements of Statics and Dynamics; Loney's Elements of Hydrostatics. Botany—Lowson's Second Stage Botany.

Lowest.—Boys' College: English—Scott's Talisman; Poems of English Heroism; Nesfield's Manual of English Grammar; civics, the Citizen Reader. History—Longmans' Historical Series, I. Geography—Meiklejohn's New Geography, Part I. Latin—Elementa Latina; Scalae Primae. French—Siepmann's Primary French Course, I. Arithmetic—Workman's, to stocks. Algebra—Baker and Bourne's, Part I, to simple equations. Geometry—Eggar's Practical Exercises. Science—Physical measurements. Girls' College: First year of Civil Service work. English—Nesfield's Manual; In the World of Books; The Old Curiosity Shop. Geography—Longmans', Book III. History—No book. Latin—Scott and Jones's First Latin Course; Scott and Jones's Second Latin Course (part); Scott and Jones's Grammar. French—Siepmann, Part I. Mathematics—Workman's Tutorial Arithmetic; Baker and Bourne's Elementary Geometry; Hall and Knight's Elementary Algebra. Physi-

ology-Furneaux's. Botany-Laurie's.

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3. STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1910.

·	Endowment Account.	
Receipts. Rents	£ s. d. 988 8 4 Rates and taxes 1 520 0 0 Expenditure Printing and advertising Stationery Repairs Governors' and auditors' fees Secretary Office-rent Office-cleaning and gas Interest on bank overdraft Telephone and letter box Cleating noxious weeds Bank charge Petty cash, postages, and sundries	£ s. d 12 5 10 0 16 10 5 13 0 11 9 8 0 5 3 0 6 9 35 16 8 25 0 0 8 11 10 22 13 3 6 0 0 3 16 0 0 10 0 20 4 6
	Boys' College.	
Boarding fees	4,519 16 2 1,019 11 0 1,584 11 0 43 0 0 38 0 0 for 10 10 0 7 14 0 1 10 10 .	25 8 2 15 0 0
Carried forward	Telephone Asphalt tennis-court Horse roller Horse mower Sports Museum Minemax fire-extinguisher Secretary Sundries 8,820 12 9 Carried forward	6 0 0 . 52 10 9 46 17 9 35 6 3 20 0 0 4 10 6 6 10 0 83 12 7 0 19 5

Brought forwa	Receipts.		£ 320 1	s. 2	d .		. d. 1 7
			G_{i}	irls	, (College.	
Boarding fees Tuition Government capitation			135 1 700 1		0	House expenses 1,303 1 Tuition	
Free places Manual instruction		1,4	70 1	12	3 6	Endowed 53 (Foundation	0 (
Donation Subsidy donation Refund	••	••	15		0 3	District High School 40 (Governors' and auditors' fees 37 (Stationery	
		_				Prizes 21 10 Printing and advertising	5 2
		•				Rates and taxes 9 10 Repairs	8 6
					i	Insurance	0
						Magazine	3 0 0 0 3 0
						Drainage	7 3
						Secretary 83 1 Sundries 2	2 7 3 10
			Сар	oita	ıl	Account.	
Payment on account o			938 218		0	Furniture— Boys' College	0
		•				Bank overdraft, 31st December, 1909 934 13 Balance in bank, 31st December, 1910 £119 6 9	
•					į	Less unpaid cheque 9 10 0 Cash on deposit at call 600 0	
Total (of four	accounts)	£13,	111 1	18	1	Total (of four accounts) . £13,111 1	3 1
T haraby cartif	by that I have			ho	fc	preceing accounts and compared them with	the

I hereby certify that I have examined the foregoing accounts, and compared them with the several vouchers relating thereto, and have found them correct.—F. A. Bamford, F.P.M.A.Z., Auditor.

Statement of Loans on Mortgage Account at 31st December, 1910.

A. Mortgage owing to Nelson College.

Amount outstanding on loan at 31st cember, 1909	De-	£ 1,608	s. 0		Repayments on account of mortgage Balance outstanding on loan at 31st December, 1910	£ 338 1,270		d. 0
		£1,608	0	0		£1,608	0	0
	в. 1	Mo rtga ge	ow	ing	by Nelson College.			
Amount borrowed on mortgage at 31st I	De-	£	8.	đ.	Amount outstanding on Mortgage at 31st	£	s.	đ.
cember, 1909	• •	10,000	_0 	0	December, 1910	10,000	0	0
	į.	£10,000	0	0		£10,000	0	0

I hereby certify that I have examined the above accounts and have found the same correct, and have duly examined all deeds of mortgage and other securities, and have found the same in full force and virtue.—F. A. BAMFORD, F.P.M.A.Z, Auditor.

Statement of Monetary Assets and Liabilities of Nelson College on 31st December, 1910.

		Ass	sets.	£	۶.	đ.	:	Liabil	lities.		£	s.	d
Interest due				 8	3	10	Governors' fees				100	0	0
Rents due				 119	15	0	:						
Fees due	• •			 25	7	4							
Capitation, fre	e pupils			 1,003	10	11							
Advances to be				 184	4	7							
Cash in bank				 109	16	9							
Cash on depos	it			 600	0	0							
				£2,050	18	5					£100	0	0
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R. CATLEY, Secretary.

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GREYMOUTH HIGH SCHOOL.

GENERAL STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1910.

Receipts.	£	s.	d.		Expen	diture.		£	s.	d.
Balance, 31st December, 1909 .	1,702	3		Secretary's salary	• •	• •		10		
Westland School Commissioners.	 50	0	0	Bank charges				0	10	0
Interest	 86	17	3	Grant to Education	Board	for purpose	of			
				secondary education	n	.,		200	0	0
				Balance, 31st December	ber, 191	.0				
				National Bank				18	1	10
				Post-Office Savings	-Bank			220	8	6
				Grey Borough debe	ntures			1,390	0	0
	£1,839	0	4	, ,						
								£1,839	0	4

Statement of Monetary Assets and Liabilities.

Nil.

Liabilites.

W. R. Kettle, Chairman. P. F. Daniel, Secretary.

Examined and found correct.-R. J. Collins, Controller and Auditor-General.

HOKITIKA HIGH SCHOOL.

GENERAL STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1910.

Receipts.	£		d.	Expenditure.		£	s.	d.
	. 1,640			Management				
Current income from reserves	. 36	0	0	Office salary		15	15	0
Interest on moneys invested and on unpaid	đ			Other office expenses		0	19	6
purchase-money		U	0	Teachers' salaries and allowances (grant	to			
Paid by School Commissioners	. 50	0	0	Westland Education Board)		130	0	0
·				Fencing, repairs, &c		4	19	7
				Miscellaneous (rates, &c.)		1	3	0
					1	,621	15	0
								—
	£1,774	12	1		£1	,774	12	1
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Examined and found correct, except that the Hokitika debentures in which school funds are invested is not one of the securities in which the governors are authorized by law to invest such school funds.—R. J. Collins, Controller and Auditor-General.

Statement of Monetary Assets and Liabilities for the Year ending 31st December, 1910.

	·					•		•		•		
Assets			£	8.	d.	1		Liabilitie	28.		£ s.	d.
Credit balance in Bank of New	Zealand, c	ur-				Office salary	y d ue (one	quarter)	••	• •	3 18	9
rent account		٠.	113	15	0							
Fixed deposits, Bank of New Zo	ealand		1,200	0	0							
Fixed deposit, Hokitika Savings	s-bank		200	0	0							
Current Account, Hokitika Savi	ings-bank		8	0	0							
Hokitika Borough debentures	••		100	0	0							
Interest due on debentures			2	10	0							
Interest due on fixed deposits			18	0	0							
Rent due, Government House			5	5	0							
		-										_
		;	£1,647	10	0						£3 18	9
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H. L. MICHEL, Chairman. Chas. Kirk, Secretary.

RANGIORA HIGH SCHOOL.

Staff.

Mr. T. R. Cresswell, M.A.; Miss E. King, M.A.; Miss I. M. Keith, M.A.; Mr. S. A. Clark, B.A.; Miss Gillies Mr. Lewis; Sergeant-major Healey.

1. REPORT OF THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS.

The past year's successes have again exemplified the soundness of the methods pursued in this school. There has also been a very satisfactory increase in the attendance, so much so that it became necessary to engage an assistant master. The school staff is now enabled to give more attention to

the teaching of science; and the new brick science-room and class-room are being equipped with the latest and best scientific apparatus. Agricultural science, theoretical and practical, is being taught to those scholars who intend to follow the farmers' occupation. For the practical work in this connection the Board has leased a piece of land near the school. On the scholastic side the school has done well. This is shown by the large percentage of successful pupils in the various examinations. The school was inspected by the secondary schools Inspector during the year, and his report says, "The methods of teaching were, in general, very satisfactory. . . . There appeared to be a good spirit of work, and a really fine tone."

The school cadets have again proved that their reputation for drill, marksmanship, and enthusiasm was well deserved. The large playing-grounds attached to the school give unusual opportunities for school sports and pastimes, in which the Principal and staff take much interest. The inauguration of the school boardinghouse has proved a very successful step; and, as the tariff is low, it has brought boarding pupils to the school from the further ends of the North Canterbury railways. During the year provision was made for teaching certain technical subjects, and the school is now in a position to provide wider facilities for scholars.

ROBERT BALL, Chairman.

2. Work of the Highest and Lowest Classes.

Highest.—English—Morris and Skeat's Specimens of Early English; Morris's Outlines of Accidence; Hamlet; Merchant of Venice; Milton's shorter poems; Hales's Longer English Poems; selections from Ruskin, Carlyle, and Tennyson. Latin—Kennedy's Primer; Bradley's Arnold; Clement Bryan's Caesarian Prose; Aeneid, II; selections from Horace's Satires; Livy, Book II; Cicero, In Verrem Actio Secunda, &c. French—Hossfeld's Manual; Pierre Lotis, Pêcheur d'Islande; Molières Le Misanthrope; Victor Hugo's Quatre-vingt-treize. Mathematics—Arithmetic generally; geometry, Baker and Bourne; trigonometry, Hall and Stevens's, to solution of triangles; algebra, Baker and Bourne, to binomial theorem. Mechanics—Loney's, to Junior Scholarship standard. Heat—Glazebrook, to Junior Scholarship standard. Botany—Evans's Botany, notes, to Matriculation standard.

brook, to Junior Scholarship standard. Botany—Evans's Botany, notes, to Matriculation standard.

Lowest.—English—Nesfield's Manual, easier portions. Latin—Longmans' First Latin Course, pages 1–50. French—Chardenal, Part I. Arithmetic—Pendlebury, pages 1–228, 269–294. Algebra—Baker and Bourne, pages 1–80. Geometry—Baker and Bourne, pages 1–80. Botany—Elementary Botany (Charlotte Laurie), Parts I and III.

3. GENERAL STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1910.

Receipts.		£	s.	ď	Expenditure.	£	s.	đ,
Balance in hand and in bank at beginn	ing			•	Management—			
of year		209	18	10	Office expenses	3	12	7
Government grant for sites, building, fu	rni-				Other expenses of management		15	0
ture, &c. (general purposes)		163			Teachers' salaries and allowances	820		4
Government capitation for free places		936	19	1		3	3	0
Government grant for conveyance	of				Prizes	7	10	9
children to schools		5	6		Material for classes other than classes for			
Current income from reserves		189	6	4	,		10	
School fees		25						
Rent of school boardinghouse		26	0	0	,,,,	38	3	8
					Site, buildings, furniture, &c. (Govern-		_	
					ment grants)	163	0	0
					Purchases and new works	191	2	6
					Fencing, repairs, &c	10		
					Miscellaneous (rates, &c.)	22		0
					Bank interest on building loan	25	0	
					Conveyance of rupils to school	5		
					Contribution to sports fund (school)	5	0	_
					Bank charges	0	10	
					Balance at end of year	225	6	5
		£1,556	5	3	£	1,556	5	3

ROBERT BALL, Chairman. C. I. Jennings, Treasurer.

Examined and found correct, except that the payment of £10 10s. and £5 5s. as honoraria to Messrs. Ball and Jennings respectively, who as members of the Board are virtually invested with a fiduciary character, are disallowed as contravening the established rule of law that trustees shall not benefit from their relation to their trust. They cannot lawfully make payments to themselves for or in respect of their personal labour and services. Note.—A similar exception has been taken on each balance-sheet since 1908.—R. J. Collins, Controller and Auditor-General.

Statement of Monetary Assets and Liabilities as at 31st December, 1910.

	Assets	3.		£	s.	d.	Liabilities.	£	s. d.
Unpaid fees, third term,				22	1	0	Sundry small accounts	2	1 11
Capitation, third term,			• •	275					
Bank, credit balance		• •	• •	225	6	5			
				£522	7	5		£2	1 11
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ROBERT BALL, Chairman. C. I. Jennings, Treasurer. 45

CHRISTCHURCH BOYS' HIGH SCHOOL.

Staff

Mr. C. E. Bevan-Brown, M.A.; Mr. B. K. S. Lawrence, B.A.; Mr. W. Walton, B.A.; Mr. R. M. Laing, M.A., B.Sc.; Mr. A. Merton; Mr. T. H. Jackson, B.A.; Mr. T. W. Cane, M.A.; Mr. R. J. Thompson, B.A.; Mr. W. Watt, M.A.; Mr. J. Cook; Mr. L. G. Whitehead; Captain Farthing; Mons. Malaquin; Mr. T. S. Tankard; Miss Digby.

1. REPORT OF HEADMASTER.

The school roll at the end of the year was 212, including 20 in the preparatory class.

In December, 1910, the school had 10 candidates for Junior University Scholarships, 25 for Matriculation, 39 for Education Board, Junior Civil Service, or Senior Free Place Examinations: thus 74 boys of the upper school have recently been sitting for external examinations. The results of the outside examinations in December last were that of 9 candidates, 4 won Senior National Scholarships and were also awarded Gammack Scholarships by the Board of Education. The last-named body, however, intend in future to prohibit the holders of any other scholarship from holding a Gammack Scholarship. Two boys also obtained places on the credit list. Two boys won Senior [Education Board Scholarships, and 34 out of 42 candidates passed the Junior Civil or Senior Free Place Examinations. Of 27 candidates for Matriculation, 15 boys passed, including 4 for Medical Preliminary, and 1 for Engineering Preliminary.

The institution of form prefects has been good, and we hope to see the system developed. The

cadet corps numbers 180, and has had a successful camp.

The school workshop has been added to, and will now accommodate the full number of 24. In science many boys have taken pride in their note-books and practical work. There has been a success-

ful life-saving class and 30 certificates have been awarded.

Among distinctions won by old boys are the following: H. G. Denham, M.Sc., the holder of an 1851 Exhibition Science Scholarship, obtained the degree of D.Sc. at Liverpool, and of Ph.D. at the University of Heidelberg. L. H. Harrison obtained his M.Sc., with first-class honours, at Manchester University. C. M. Stubbs obtained his M.A. here, with double first-class honours in mathematics and chemistry; and also the 1851 Exhibition Scholarship. D. B. Macleod obtained his M.A. with first-class honours in chemistry. Four won College exhibitions, and H. Rands the Sir George Grey Scholarship. Mr. W. B. Robinson, at Guy's Hospital, London, distinguished himself at the Intermediate for the London degree in medicine, and the Primary Fellowship Examination of the Royal College of Surgeons. Two other old boys, after sitting for degrees here, are proceeding to Cambridge.

Mr. Sidney Clark, after useful work here, resigned in April to take up an appointment at Rangiora High School. He has been succeeded in the preparatory class by Mr. L. G. Whitehead. Mr. A. Watt has resigned in order to go to France. He has been an able and successful master. Mr. T. Cane has been appointed assistant in Latin and English at Canterbury College, but will retain his important

classes in 1911.

The Headmaster will be absent on leave in 1911, and Mr. B. K. S. Lawrence will be acting headmaster.

There were 82 Junior and 48 Senior Free Place holders in 1910.

C. E. BEVAN-BROWN.

2. Work of the Highest and Lowest Classes.

Highest.—Latin—Livy, Book XXII (Blackie's Illustrated Classics) without Vocabulary. Horace, Selections, Satires, and Epistles (Macmillan's Elementary Classics); Virgil, Georgic IV (Macmillan), Myths and Legends of Ancient Rome; Bradley's Arnold; Bradley's Aids to Latin Prose; Kennedy's Revised Latin Primer; Gepp and Haigh's Latin Dictionary; Robinson's First History of the Romans; Rivington's Class Book of Latin, Unseen, Book VII; Everyman's Library Atlas of Ancient Geography. English—Richard II (Pitt Press); The Squire's Tale, Chaucer (Macmillan); Lamb's Schooldays and other Essays (Blackie); Bacon's Essays (Blackie); Froissart's Chronicle, Vol. II, Reign of Richard II (Blackie); Palgrave's Golden Treasury; Nesfield's Aids to the Study and Composition of English; Nesfield's Historical English; English Literature, Laing (Collins and Sons). French—Le Cid, Corneille (Macmillan). Advanced French Composition, Duhamel (Rivington's); Tartarin de Tarasçon (Siepmann); Longmans' Advanced French Unseen (Bertenshaw); French Grammar, Moriarty (Sonnenschein). Mathematics—Borchardt and Perrott's Trigonometry; Baker and Bourne's Algebra (Bell); Elements of Mechanics of Solids and Fluids (Arnold); Hall and Stevens's School Geometry, Parts I to VI (Macmillan); Hogben's Trigonometry Tables; Pendlebury's Arithmetic; Ward's Trigonometry Papers (Bell and Sons). Science—Advanced Inorganic Chemistry, theoretical; Synopsis of Non-metallic Chemistry, Briggs (University Tutorial Series). Gymnastics.

Lowest.—Latin—Collar and Daniell's Beginner's Latin Book; Shorter Latin Primer (for revision of verbs). English—Deeds that Won the Empire (first series); Lyra Heroica (The Revenge, &c.); Nesfield's Outlines; parsing notes; dictation, composition, parsing, analysis (four forms of predicate and easy subordinate clauses); also one of 6d. editions in Lower IV list to be read at home per term. History—First Book of British History (Tout); Longmans' Historical Series for Schools, Book I. Geography—Southern Cross Series, Geography, Standard VI. French—Siepmann's First French Course. Mathematics—Pendlebury's New School Arithmetic (Bell and Sons); Hall and Stevens's School Geometry, Parts I and II., with lessons in experimental and practical geometry. Art—Same as Lower III, but more advanced, and with addition of elementary model-drawing. Writing.

Gymnasium. Singing-Novello's School Songs.

3.	GENERAL	STATEMENT	OF	ACCOUNTS	FOR	THE	YEAR	ENDED	$31s\tau$	DECEMBER.	1910.
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O. GENERAL STATEMENT OF A	CCOOM	T.D	run	THE LEAR ENDED OUST DECEMBER, 13.	IU.		
Receipts.	£	8.	d.	Expenditure.	£		d.
Balance at beginning of year	468				~	٠.	٠.
Government grant for buildings, furniture,		_	_	1	200	0	0
fittings, and apparatus for recognized				Other expenses of management	14		4
school classes for manual instruction	8	14	6			Ü	•
Government capitation-	_		-		747	6	2
For free places	713	16	2		167		ō
For recognized school classes for manual				Examinations-	10.	•	·
instruction	8	13	4		5	0	0
Current income from reserves	4,338				11		
School fees-	-,		-	Scholarships (bursaries)	45		
Main school	672	11	6	Prizes	16		
Preparatory department	167	0	0		101		
Contributions from pupils for instruction		_	_	Cleaning, fuel, light, &c	65		
in life-saving	1	5	0	Maintenance of classes for manual instruc-			
•			_	tion	8	16	4
				Site, buildings, furniture, &c			
				Manual instruction (Government grants)	191	16	3
				Purchases and new works, repairs, &c.	66	16	8
			i	Miscellaneous (insurance and keeping			
			Ì	grounds in order)	43	15	6
			- 1	Interest on Buildings Loan Ac-			
			1	count of £5,000 £200 0 0			
				Less credit of interest on cur-			
			- 1	rent account 24 19 3			
				- 	175	0	9
			1	Other expenditure			
			1	Contribution to Buildings Loan Account			
			1	towards extinction of debt on school			
			- 1		500		0
			ĺ	Grants to Sports Fund and cadet corps	85		0
					270		
				Rent of playground	63		
			1	Grant to school library	18		
				Sundries	33		
				Balance at end of year	547	14	9
	£6,378	15	1	99	378	15	_ 1
		=	_	==			_

I. C. Adams, Chairman. Geo. H. Mason, Registrar and Treasurer.

Examined and found correct.—R. J. Collins, Controller and Auditor-General.

Statement of Monetary Assets and Liabilities at 31st December, 1910.

Credit balance at bank

Assets.

£ s. d. | 543 10 5* Liabilities.

Nil.

* Excluding £4 4s. 4d., bank balance, preparatory department.

GEO. H. MASON, Registrar.

CHRISTCHURCH GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL.

Staff.

Miss M. V. Gibson, M.A.; Miss C. K. Henderson, B.A.; Miss M. Bell-Hay; Miss F. Sheard, M.A., B.Sc.; Miss K. Gresson, M.A.; Miss L. Bing, B.A.; Mrs. Longton, M.A.; Miss E. T. Crosby, B.A.; Miss E. Greenstreet, B.A.; Miss A. L. Wilson, M.A.; Miss M. Wills; Miss C. M. Farrow, M.A.; Captain Farthing; Miss N. Gard'ner; Miss A. Rennie; Miss H. Smith; Mrs. S. Mayne; Miss Webster; Miss A. Partridge; Mr. T. S. Tankard.

1. REPORT OF THE LADY PRINCIPAL.

The school roll again marked a record number, rising from 226 at the close of 1909 to 255 for the first term of 1910, second term 250, third term 238. The drop in numbers in the third term is unusually large, and both last year and this there have been indications of an undesirable tendency on the part of some parents to allow their children to take up Junior Free Places, but to throw them up—for no very adequate reason—before the completion of the two-years course. In 1909, of 17 pupils who left during the year, 13 resigned their Junior Free Places during their first year. In 1910, out of a total of 21 who left during the year, 15 were Junior Free Place scholars, 7 still in their first year. This is in marked contrast to the Senior Free Place scholars. only 2 of whom resigned during the year, one to take up a pupil-teachership, and one after an attendance of nearly six years. The number of Senior Free scholars staying for a fourth year or even longer, also shows a satisfactory increase. In all 64 Senior Free scholars attended, 165 Junior Free scholars, 3 pupils held school free places, and 26 paid fees, 12 of these being in the preparatory class.

The general health of the pupils was very good, and the average attendance for the year is 228 out of an average roll of 248.

In January Miss M. Barkas, M.A., resigned her position on the teaching staff to take up a more remunerative post at the Christchurch Technical College. Her place was filled by Miss A. I. Wilson, M.A., a past pupil of the school. Miss Bell-Hay was absent on leave for the year, and Miss Margaret

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Farrow, M.A., another past pupil, acted as relieving assistant teacher. Miss Farrow has now received a permanent position on the staff of the Nelson Girls' College. The dressmaking classes were taken by Miss I. Webster*, late headmistress of the Training School for Teachers, Wakefield, Yorkshire. The inclusion of two classes in regular school hours led to a very satisfactory increase in the number of pupils taking this subject. There have also been two cookery classes held on Mondays in addition to the Saturday class. A special teacher, Miss Alice Partridge*, was appointed at the beginning of the year to teach plain needlework, and Mrs. S. Mayne has filled the vacancy left by Miss Mabel Wauchop's resignation as teacher of swimming.

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At the Secondary Schools Conference, which was held in Wellington in May, the school was represented by the Lady Principal and two assistants, Miss L. Bing, B.A., and Miss G. Greenstreet, B.A.

The death of His late Majesty King Edward VII occurred during the May school holidays; but as many of the pupils as could be collected—about a hundred—attended the memorial service in Cranmer Square on 20th May, and representatives of the teaching staff also attended the memorial service in the Christchurch Cathedral on the evening of that day.

No candidate from the school sat for the Junior University Scholarship Examination of December, 1909. This failure to present a candidate is almost unprecedented in the history of the school, and had certainly not happened for the past twenty-eight years. It was due mainly to the unusually small number in the Sixth Form in 1909 through the large demand that year for additional pupil-teachers in the primary schools, and partly to the temporary indisposition of the one candidate whose name had been entered for the examination. Twenty-five pupils passed the Matriculation Examination, and 11 the Junior Civil Service Examination, of whom 7 obtained credit. Thirty-six pupils were awarded Senior Free Places, and one a Junior Free Place. Three gained Education Board Senior Scholarships.

In October, 1910, the school was visited by Dr. Anderson and Mr. Gill, M.A.. who inspected the general working of all the classes, and held an examination for Senior Free Places. Fifty-three were presented, of whom 43 passed the preliminary test, and 5 of the other subsequently succeeded in the regular Senior Free Place Examination held in December.

At the December, 1910, University examination, Ada Fairbairn took first place on the credit list of the Junior University Scholarship Examination, thereby winning a Gammack Scholarship. Elizabeth Harvey and Eileen Fairbairn were placed in the credit list. Twenty-two pupils passed the Matriculation Examination. Eight pupils passed the Junior Civil Service Examination, 5 being placed in the credit list. One pupil was presented for the Junior Free Place examination, and was successful. The preparatory class was examined by Mr. T. S. Foster, M.A., senior Inspector of the North Canterbury Education Board; the 2 pupils in the highest division received proficiency certificates.

The following past pupils of the school have won distinctions during the year: Laura Christensen, degree of M.Sc., with first-class honours in electricity and magnetism; Margaret Farrow, degree of M.A., with second-class honours in botany; Mary Barkas, degree of M.Sc., second-class honours in chemistry and research scholarship, Victoria College; Irene Wilson, degree of M.A., third-class honours in Latin and English; Gwen Opic, degrees of B.Sc. and M.Sc.; Alice Candy, degree of B.A., and senior scholarship in economics; Edith Jackson, degree of B.A. and senior scholarship in heat, light, and sound; Helen Leversedge, degree of B.A. and senior scholarship in French; Ida Mann, Gladys Marriott, and Florence Williams, degree of B.A.; Marjorie Turnbull, exhibition in French, Canterbury College. Jessie Scott has also completed her medical course at Edinburgh.

M. V. Gibson, Lady Principal.

2. Work of the Highest and Lowest Classes.

Highest.—Form VI, Upper—All work as for Junior University Scholarship Examination. Subjects: Mathematics (Arithmetic, algebra, geometry plane and solid, trigonometry); English (Grammar, composition, literature,); Latin; French; Roman history; German (as alternative with science); natural science (botany); physical science (heat). Latin—Virgil, Aeneid, Book III (Macmillan's Elementary Classics); Horace, Odes. Book I, (Macmillan's Elementary Classics); Cicero, Pro Lege Manilia (Blackie's Illustrated Latin Series); Livy, Second Macedonian War (Blackie's Illustrated Latin Series); Ovid in Exile (Arnold's Latin Texts); Kennedy's Revised Latin Primer; Bradley's Latin Prose Composition; Walter's Hints and Helps to Latin Prose. English—Shakespeare, Henry IV, Part II (Deighton); A Book of Comparative Poetry (Macpherson); English Odes (Marsh); Lobban's English Essays (Blackie); Chaucer's Selections (Bilderdeck); Nesfield's Past and Present; Nouvelles Contemporairies (Rivington); La Petite Fadette (Rivington); English Colloquialisms and French Equivalents (Hachette); Spiers, Graduated Course of Translation into French Prose; Spiers, Rapid French Exercises; Siepmann's Short French Grammar; Gasc's French Dictionary. Science—Glazebrook's Heat; Lowson's Second Stage Botany (U. B. Clive); Human Physiology, First Stage (Meachen); Biology, First Stage (Furneaux). Mathematics—Baker and Bourne's Elementary Algebra, Part II; Hall and Knight's Algebra; Lonev's Trigonometry, Part I; Hall and Stevens's Geometry, Parts I-VI.

Lowest.—Form IV. Junior—First-year course for Junior Free Place pupils. Subjects: Mathematics (arithmetic. elementary algebra, elementary geometry); English (grammar, composition, literature); Latin; French; English history; geography; science (elementary botany and elementary physiology, and laws of health); drawing; sewing. Cookery may be taken as an alternative with Latin; extra spelling, dictation, letter-writing, may be taken as alternative with geometry. Text-

^{*} These teachers were paid by the Christchurch Technical College.

books used: Latin—First Latin Reader (Beresford); Longmans' Latin Course. English—The Water Babies (abridged), (Kingsley); The Ancient Mariner and Select Ballads (Coleridge); Rambles in Bookland; Arnold Stronach's English Literature; Nesfield's Outlines of English Grammar. French—Dent's New First French Book; Français pour les Tout Petits; Sound and Sentence Practice. Science—First Studies in Plant-life in Australasia; Hill's Physiology; Nabarro's Laws of Health. Mathematics—Hall and Knight's Algebra; Hall and Stevens's Geometry.

3. GENERAL STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1910.

Receipts.	£	8.	d.	Expenditure. £ s. c	đ
Government grant for buildings, furniture,				By Overdraft or Dr. balance at beginning of	
fittings, and apparatus for recognized				year 2,090 18	7
school classes for manual instruction	53	5	9	Management—	
Government capitation—					0
For free places	2,655	6	8	Other expenses of management 4 4	6
For recognized school classes for manual				Teachers' salaries—	
instruction	80	1	3	Main school 2,211 10	0
Current income from reserves	486	1	1	Preparatory department 103 19	0
Interest on moneys invested and on unpaid				Boarding school Account (grant in aid to	
purchase-money	147	15	4	boarding-house) 50 0	0
School fees—				Examination expenses (prize-distribution,	
Main school	160	13	0	speech-night) 9 3	6
Preparatory department	103	19	0	Scholarships and exhibitions 91 13	4
Voluntary contributions on account of gene-					4
ral purposes of the school					4
Proceeds from cooking-class	39		7	Cl-aning, fuel, light, &c 35 0	0
Dr. balance at end of year	1,365	0	7	Maintenance of classes for manual instruc-	
					9
				Site, buildings, furniture, &c.—	
				Purchases and new works 42 3	
				Repairs, &c 102 0 1	
				Miscellaneous (insurance) 21 1	5
				Buildings, equipment, &c., for manual in-	
				struction 53 15 (
				Expenses connected with endowments 41 17	4
				Compensation for dwelling erected on Reserve	
				2208 50 0	-
				Sundries 12 15	1
£	5,097	11	3	£5,097 11	3
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I. C. Adams, Chairman. Geo. H. Mason, Registrar and Treasurer.

Examined and found correct.—R. J. Collins, Controller and Auditor-General.

Statement of Monetary Assets and Liabilities as at 31st December, 1910

Assets.		Liabiliti	es.		£	Ð.	d.
	Emily S. Foster Mem			in			
	trust)	_••	<u> </u>	• •	66	11	6
	H. Macmillan Brown N			ld			
	in trust)					8	
Nil.	Overdraft at bank	••	••	1,	365	0	7
				£1,	530	0	5
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GEO. H. MASON, Registrar.

CHRIST'S COLLEGE GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

Staff.

Rev. C. H. Moreland, M.A.; Rev. Canon F. A. Hare, M.A. . Mr. E. G. Hogg, M.A.; Mr. A. E. Flower, M.A., M.Sc.; Mr. E. Jenkins, M.A.; Mr. J. Monteath, B.A.; Mr. J. N. Ransom, B.A.; Mr. H. Hudson, B.A.; Mr. H. B. Lusk, M.A., LL.B.; Mr. P. F. Turner; Mr. G. H. Merton, B.A.; Mr. N. McK. Gibson, B.A.; Mr. A. J. Merton; Mr. J. M. Madden; Captain Farthing.

1. Work of the Highest and Lowest Classes.

Highest.-Work as for Junior Scholarships at the University of New Zealand.

Lowest.—Form III: Latin—Collar and Daniell, The Shorter Latin Primer; French—Dent's French Book; Macmillan's Progressive French Course; First Year Lectures Faciles. English—History, Warner's; geography, Longmans', Part I; grammar and composition, Longmans' Lyra Heroica; reading, The Water Babies, Steps to Literature, Book II; atlas, Home and Abroad. Divinity—St. Matthew's (Rivington); Catechism (Maclear). Mathematics—Set Cl and C2—Arithmetic (Pendlebury); set B2—Arithmetic (Pendlebury); algebra, Hall and Knight's, and Longmans' Junior School; geometry, Hall and Stevens's, Parts I and II. Grammar—Longmans' Grammar and Composition, to page 86. Geography—Southern Cross. I and II. Divinity—Ainslie's Lessons on the

Gospel; Church Catechism (Mrs. Francis). History—Blackwood's Series; Short Stories from English History. Arithmetic—Zealandia, I, II, and III. Writing—Public Service Copy-book, Nos. 2-8. Reading—Imperial Reader No. 3; Princess Reader, III, pages 1-80. Repetition: Loss of Royal George; Casabianca; Alexander Selkirk; and part of John Gilpin.

2. GENERAL STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 15TH MAY, 1910.

Receipts.	£	s.	đ.	Expenditure. £	s.	đ.
Price of land sold (Capital Account)	50	0	0	Dr. balance at beginning of year 1,959	12	2
Loan on mortgage repaid	709	5	8	Office salaries and expenses of management 289	11	2
				Teachers' salaries and allowances 3,518		
Current income from scholarships endow-	•			Examinations—		
ments	787	9	4	Examiners' fees 51	7	5
Interest on moneys invested and on unpaid				Other expenses 3	7	9
purchase-money	~~~	9	6	Scholarships 714	19	6
Interest on moneys invested, Sinking Fund				Prizes 53	1	
Account	38	1	6	Material for classes other than classes for		
School fees	3,324	9	9	manual instruction 36	14	4
Books, &c., sold, and other refunds	26	17	0	Printing, stationery, and advertising 86	4	4
Voluntary contributions on account of				Cleaning, fuel, light, &c 226	7	5
general purposes of the school	205	14	11		15	11
Depreciation and sinking funds transfer				Fencing, repairs, &c 298	2	10
(see contra)	621	18	3	Miscellaneous (rates, insurances, &c.) 80	3	8
Dr. balance at end of year	2,386	13	5	Interest on current account 46	18	6
•	•			Endowments, Sales Account—		
				Proceeds invested (including £400 sinking		
				fund) 1,109	5	8
					4	
				Expenses connected with school chapel 24	17	1
				Grant, Boys' Games Fund 309	10	1
				Grant, Boys' Cadet Fund 52	11	3
				Depreciation and sinking funds (see contra) 621		
						_
£1	10,511	14	6	£10,511	14	6
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C. Christchurch, Warden. W. Guise Brittan, Bursar.

Audited and found correct.—Armand McKellar, F.I.A.N.Z.

Statement of Monetary Assets and Liabilities at 31st January, 1911.

Assets.					Liabilities.				
Cash balances due by Union Bank	of				Debit balances due to Union Bank	of			
Australia—		£	s.	d.	Australia and to sundry depositors—		£	s.	đ.
Porter's Lodge Account		100	0	0	General Estate Capital Account		3		11
Depreciation fund		2	14	2	Buildings Account		2,548	1	3
College House sinking fund		50	0	0	Somes Income Account			16	9
Buller and Reay capital		5	7	2	Somes Buildings Account		285	9	Ō
Buller and Reay Reserve Account		45	0	0	Hulsean Chichele Buildings Account		202	8	0
Rowley income		75	8	4	Jackson Trust Income Account		65	11	1
Rowley capital		10	11	0	Jackson Trust Capital Account		1,344	14	9
Dudley income		22	7	3	_		•		
Tancred income		0	15	11	·				
Balfour income		0		11					
Robert Rhodes endowment		56	5	8					
Lyndale income		15	9	4					
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		£384	0	9		£	4,561	7	9
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W. Guise Brittan, Bursar of Christ's College.

AKAROA HIGH SCHOOL.

GENERAL STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1910.

Receipts.		£	8.	₫.	Expenditure.		£	s.	đ.
Balance at beginning of year	 ٠.	447			Inspection of reserves		2		0
Current income from reserves	 	133			Prizes		2	18	6
Interest on fixed deposits	 	6	9	2	Printing, stationery, and advertising		2	19	6
					Drain-pipes		2	6	9
					Grant to North Canterbury Board	of			
					Education		100	0	•
					Cheque-book and bank charges		0		-
					Deed-box		1	3	6
					Balance at end of year	• •	475	1	8
		£587	6	11			£587	6	11

ETIENNE E. LELIEVRE, Chairman. G. W. Thomas, Secretary.

Examined and found correct.—R. J. Collins, Controller and Auditor-General, 7—E. 6.

Statement of Monetary Assets and Liabilities at 31st December, 1910.

£ Liabilities. Assets. d. s. 0 Fixed deposits Current account ... 21 1 2 Nil. £475 1

G. W. Thomas, Secretary

ASHBURTON HIGH SCHOOL.

Staff.

Mr. W. F. Watters, B.A.; Mr. E. T. Norris, M.A.; Mr. A. H. R. Amess, M.A.; Miss F. E. Kershaw, M.A.; Miss M. M. Steven, B.A., B.Sc.

1. REPORT OF THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS.

The personnel of the Board is as follows: Mr. Joshua Tucker (Chairman), His Worship the Mayor (Henry Davis, Esq.), and Messrs. C. Reid, S. S. Chapman, J. C. N. Grigg, W. B. Denshire, and W. H.

The Board held twelve meetings, the average attendance being five.

The total enrolment of new pupils during the year was 130 (67 boys and 63 girls), the number of new pupils entering being 55 (30 boys and 25 girls). The number of fee-paying pupils was 8. There were in attendance 3 scholarship-holders (1 Education Board, 2 Junior National). The average attendance for the year was 112.

Owing to the increased attendance, the staff was strengthened by the appointment of Mr. A. H. R. Amess, M.A., as second assistant master.

Instruction in typewriting was provided for pupils taking commercial subjects, and the classes in woodwork, dressmaking, and cookery were maintained as formerly. Of 6 candidates presented from the school for the Cookery Examination of the City and Guilds of London Institute, 5 obtained first-class passes and 1 a second-class pass.

In order to provide practical experimental work in agriculture, the Board has had a portion of the gully in the school-grounds filled up, thus giving a section of close on a quarter of an acre, which it is hoped in the future will be further enlarged. The removal of trees, levelling, and fencing undertaken last year were this year completed, and the grounds are now in perfect order.

Mr. T. H. Gill, Inspector of Secondary Schools, visited the school in June.

The following are the examination results: 1 Junior Free Place extended for a third year; Senior Free Places, 7; Junior Civil Service (with credit) 3; Junior Civil Service, 8; Matriculation, 7; Matriculation on Junior University Scholarship papers, 1; passed Junior University Scholarship with credit, 1.

Joshua Tucker, Chairman.

2. Work of the Highest and Lowest Classes.

Highest.—English—Samson Agonistes; Faerie Queene, Cantos I and II; Macaulay's Chatham; Chaucer's Prologue and portion of Man of Lawe's Tale; selections from Piers Plowman; English literature—lives and works of prominent authors from 449 to 1850, with extracts from works; Nesfields Aids to English Grammar and Composition; Williams's Composition; Historical English Grammar. Latin—Caesar de Bello Gallico, Book VII, and extracts from De Bello Civili; Horace's Epistles. Book I; Matricella English Grammar. Latin—Caesar de Bello Gallico, Book VII, and extracts from De Bello Civili; Horace's Epistles. Book I; Matricella English Grammar. Latin Prose; Spragge's Latin Prose; Roman History, and Antiquities. French - Weekly's Matricuhation French Course, and Weekly's Tutorial French Composition; Perret's French Reader; unseens; phonetics. Heat—Glazebrook, Chapters i—xii, excluding xi. Botany—As for Junior University Scholarship; Dendy and Lucas's Botany. Mathematics—Arithmetic, whole of Goyen's Higher Arithmetic. metic; algebra, Hall and Knight, pages 160-328, end of permutations and combinations; geometry, Baker and Bourne, to end of Book VII; trigonometry, Bridgett and Hyslop, to page 217, end of solution of triangles.

Lowest.—English—Macaulay's Lays of Ancient Rome; selections from Longfellow; Mrs. Gattv's Parables from Nature; Nesfield's Aids to English Composition, pages 1-110; punctuation analysis, parsing, paraphrasing, prosody, figures of speech. Latin—Longmans' Latin Course, pages 1-87; Ora Maritima. French—Siepmann's French Course, Part I, whole book. Arithmetic—Goyen's Higher Arithmetic, pages 1-121 and 306-355. Algebra—Baker and Bourne, pages 1-114. Geometry—Baker and Bourne, Book I to proposition 13, with easy exercises; Practical Geometry. Agriculture—Kirk's Elementary Agriculture (subject treated as for Junior Civil Service). Botany—Evans's Botany, pages 1-122 and 160-184. Book-keeping—Grierson's Book-keeping. Shorthand—Gregg's Handbook. Typewriting Woodwork cooking dressmaking according to Department's syllabus. Handbook. Typewriting. Woodwork, cooking, dressmaking, according to Department's syllabus.

3. General Statement of Accounts for the Year ended 31st December, 1910.

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Receipts.		£	s.	đ.	Expenditure. £ s. d.
Government capitation—					Dr. balance at beginning of year 1,284 8 8
For free places		1,241	19	9	Management-
For recognized school classes for man	ual				Office salary 60 0 0
instruction		64	2	6	Other office expenses 3 11 10
Subsidy on voluntary contribution	S				Teachers' salaries and allowances 1,156 13 4
secondary schools		53	13	4	Prizes 14 8 11
Current income from reserves		766	3	3	Material for classes other than classes for
School fees		57		6	
Books, &c., sold and other refunds	٠.	0	15	0	Printing, stationery, and advertising 36 15 0
Voluntary contributions on account	of				Cleaning, fuel, light, &c 70 12 2
general purposes of the school		53	13	4	Maintenance of classes for manual instruction 64 2 6
Summer School Conference—for use	of				Site, building, furniture, &c. (Government
school					grant) 329 11 1
Dr. balance at end of year	• •	1,000	14	11	
					Miscellaneous (rates, &c.) 47 11 0
					Interest on current account 68 4 6
					Subsidy to technical classes 10 0 0
					Water-supply 7 16 0
					Inspection of reserves 10 0 0
					Honours Board 28 10 0
	4	23,239	2	7	£3,239 2 7
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Joshua Tucker, Chairman. John Davison, Secretary.

Examined and found correct.-R. J. Collins, Controller and Auditor-General.

Statement of Monetary Assets and Liabilities, Year ending December, 1910.

	Assets	ı .		£	s.	d.	1				Liab	ilities.		£	8.	d.
Rents of reserves (ou Capitation due from			rtment	33	0	0	Dr.	balance	due	bank	••	••	• •	1,000	14	11
(third term)				382	15	11	İ									
				£415	15	11							-	£1,000	14	11
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John Davison, Secretary.

TIMARU HIGH SCHOOL.

Staff.

Boys' School.—Mr. G. A. Simmers, M.A.; Mr. R. H. Rockel, M.A.; Mr. W. H. F. Munro, M.A.; Mr. A. G. Johnson, B.Sc.; Mr. R. Grant.

Girls' School.—Miss B. M. Watt, M.A.; Miss J. Mulholland, M.A.; Miss F. J. W. Hodges, M.A.; Miss E. Reid; Miss E. L. Wilson.

1. Work of the Highest and Lowest Classes.

Highest.—Boys: Latin—Tutorial Latin Composition; Tutorial Latin Grammar; Stedman's Latin Examination Papers; Shuckburgh's History of Rome; Tutorial Selections from Latin Authors; Blackie's Intermediate Unseens; Amy Dictionary. English—Nicol's English Composition; Nesfield's Historical English; B. Skent's Historical English; Sielye's 'Colonial Expansion; Carlyle's Heroes and Hero-Worship (selections); Wordsworth Epoch (Stobart); Twelfth Night, Macbeth. French—Tutorial French Composition; Tutorial French Grammar; Tutorial French Unseens; Matriculation French course in grammar and composition; Poèmes Choisis; Hernani (V. Hugo); Le Misanthrope (Molière); Le Petit Chose (A. Daudet); Cinq Mars (Siepmann's edition). Mathematics—As for Junior University Scholarship; Hall and Stevens's Geometry; Tutorial Advanced Algebra; Borchardt and Perrott's New Trigonometry. Mechanics and Electricity, as for Junior University Scholarship; Loney's Elements of Statics and Dynamics; Hadley's Manual of Electricity and Magnetism. Girls: English—Nesfield's English Grammar, Past and Present; Nesfield's Manual of English Grammar and Composition; Wordsworth's Ode on Intimations of Immortality; Shelley's Adonais; Spenser's Selections; selections from Seventeenth Century Prose; Chaucer's Prologue; Ruskin's Sesame and Lilies. Latin—Bryan's Latin Prose Exercises; Arnold's Latin Prose Composition; Latin Dictionary; Allan's Elementary Latin Grammar; Matriculation Selections from Latin Authors; Discernenda Latina; Horace, Odes, Book III.; Macmillan's Trind Latin Course; Caesar, Book VII. French—Matriculation French Course; Barlet and Mason's Advanced Reader; French Vocabularies for Repetition; Bué's Idioms; Boielle's French Poetry; Macmillan's French Composition, Second Course. History—Creighton's History Primer, Rome; Wilkins's Primer of Roman Antiquities. Mathematics—Goyen's Advanced Arithmetic and Elementary Algebra; Baker and Bourne's Algebra, Part I; Borchardt and Perrott's Trigonometry, Part I; Hall and Stevens's School Geometry, Parts I and

Lamb's Tales from Shakespeare; English Poetry for the Young (Blackie). Geography—Lyde's Man

on the Earth; Longmans' Elementary Physical Geography, Part V; Bosworth's Short Geography of the World (Macmillan). Geometry—Hall and Stevens, Parts I and II. Algebra—Blackie's Elementary Modern Algebra. Arithmetic—Goyen. Science—Exercises in Practical Physics (Gregory and Simmons), Sections 1-47, 66-91. Girls: English—Nesfield's Outline of English Grammar; Oral Exercises in English Composition; R. S. Wood's Word-building and Spelling, VI; Tellers of Tales; English Poetry for the Young; Dramatic Scenes from English Literature. Latin—Bell's Scalae Primae; Bell's Concise Latin Course, Part I; Bell's Latin Course, Part I. French—First Steps in Colloquial French; Le Livre des Jeux. History—Nelson's Highroads of History, IV. Mathematics—Standard VI—Arithmetic, New Southern Cross; Blackie's Elementary Modern Algebra; Hall and Stevens's School Geometry, I and II, with introductory course. Botany—Youman's Botany. Geography—New Century Geographical Reader, VI.

2. GENERAL STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1910.

Receipts.	£	s.	đ.	Expenditure. £ s. d.
Government capitation—				Dr. balance at beginning of year 150 7 9
For free places	1,137	6	5	Management—
For recognized school classes for manu	a.ì			Office salary 100 0 0
instruction		19		
Current income from reserves	2,086	14	4	Other expenses of management 74 18 0
School fees		14		Teachers' salaries and allowances 2,052 5 10
	32		3	
	. 2	-	0	
Dr. balance at end of year	230	12	2	,
				Cleaning, fuel, light, &c 108 0 7
				Maintenance of classes for manual instruc-
				tion 63 13 4
				Purchases and new works 943 15 0
				Fencing, repairs, &c 18 19 3
				Miscellaneous (rates, &c.) 41 11 10
				Buildings, equipment, &c., for manual in-
				struction 17 10 6
				Rent of telephones 11 14 9
				60 510 10 0
	£3,719	18	3	£3,719 18 3
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WM. B. Howell, Chairman. A. Bell, Secretary.

Examined and found correct.—R. J. Collins, Controller and Auditor-General.

Statement of Monetary Assets and Liabilities as at 31st December, 1910.

Assets.		£	8.	d.	Liabilities.	£	8.	d.
Outstanding rents Due from Government—	••	568	0	1	Dr. balance in bank Unpresented cheques	151 79	7 5	2 0
Capitation for free places, third term Capitation for technical classes	••	365 80	0 7	4 6	Outstanding accounts (estimated)	60	0	0
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	£	1,013	7	11		£290	12	2
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A. Bell, Secretary.

WAIMATE HIGH SCHOOL.

GENERAL STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1910.

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Receipts.	£ s. d.	Expenditure.	£ s. đ.
	2,798 3 10	Management—	
Current income from reserves	354 8 6		. 20 0 0
Interest on moneys invested and on unpe	id	Other office expenses	. 14 6 0
purchase-money	157 0 0		. 2 14 10
Insurance indemnity	0 5 0	Teachers' salaries and allowances .	. 127 10 0
Exchange	0 0 6	Examinations—Examiners' fees	. 16 16 0
		Scholarships	. 127 10 0
		Prizes	. 770
		Printing, stationery, and advertising .	. 10 0 6
		Cleaning, fuel, light, &c	. 3 9 1
		Books and stationery for sale to pupils, an	.đ
		other temporary advances	. 3 3 3
		Miscellaneous rates	. 0 5 0
		Interest	. 0 9 0
		Other expenditure—	
		Grant, technical classes	. 10 0 0
		Exchange	. 0 4 0
		Bank charge	. 0 10 0
		Solicitor's account	. 0 10 6
		On mortgage	. 2,800 0 0
		Balance at end of year	. 164 17 8
		-	
	£3,309 12 10		£3,309 12 10

H. C. BARCLAY, Chairman. GEO. BOLTON, Secretary.

Examined and found correct.-R. J. Collins, Controller and Auditor-General.

Statement of Monetary Assets and Liabilities as at 31st December, 1910.

		Asset	s.	£ s. d.	$oldsymbol{Liab}{ilities}.$
On mortgage				2,800 0 0	
In bank		• •		164 12 8	
Rents	• •	• •		51 10 10	NTO.
Interest	• •	• •	• •	44 0 0	Nil.
Cash in hand	• •	••	• •	, 3 18 0	
				£3,061 1 6	

GEO. BOLTON, Secretary.

WAITAKI HIGH SCHOOL.

Staff.

Boys' School.—Mr. F. Milner, M.A.; Mr. G. H. Uttley, M.A., B.Sc.; Mr. M. K. McCulloch, M.A.; Mr. D. S. Chisholm, M.A.; Mr. H. H. Allan, M.A.; Mr. R. C. Ongley; Mr. W. M. Uttley; Miss M. McCaw; Sergeant-major Kibble-white.

Girls' School.—Miss C. Ferguson, M.A.; Miss C. B. Mills, M.A., B.Sc.; Miss A. M. Budd, M.A.; Miss M. Reese, B.A.; Miss M. McCaw; Sergeant-major Kibblewhite.

1. REPORT OF THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS.

The Board of Governors beg to report a continuance of the success that attends the institutions under their charge. The total enrolment at the boys' school during the year comprised 229 pupils, of whom 159 were boarders. The roll at the girls' school has maintained the average. The results of the various public examinations were again satisfactory. At the boys' school 10 pupils who kept terms in connection with Otago University passed the first sections of the B.A. and L.L.B. degrees. The 3 candidates presented for Senior Civil Service gained full passes; 45 out of 50 candidates passed the Junior Civil Service Examination. Out of 6 candidates presented for the New Zealand Junior University Scholarship Examination, 2 won Junior University Scholarships, one of whom topped the list for the Dominion, 2 gained Senior National Scholarships, and the other two gained credit passes. Eight boys passed Matriculation, and 5 were allotted Otago Senior Board Scholarships. During the year the Board have added considerably to the equipment of the school.

DUNCAN SUTHERLAND, Chairman,

2. Work of the Highest and Lowest Classes.

Highest.—Boys: Mathematics—Baker and Bourne's Algebra, I and II; Hall and Stevens's Geometry; Hall and Knight's Elementary Trigonometry; Ward's Trigonometry Papers. Latin—Roby's School Latin Grammar; Bradley's Latin Prose Composition; Horton's History of Rome; Ramsay's Elementary Roman Antiquities; Bryan's Caesar's Latin Prose; Horace, Odes I and II; Caesar's Gallic War, Book VII; Ovid, selections; Virgil's Aeneid, Books XI and XII. French—Berthou's Selection from Modern French Prose; Berthou's Selection from Modern French Verse; Victor Hugo's Waterloo, Les Misérables; La Fontaine's Fables; Theopile Gautier's Scenes of Travel; Wellington College French Grammar; Bué's French Idioms. English—Nesfield's English, Past and Present; Skeat's Chaucer's Prologue; Shakespeare's Hamlet; Browning's Saul and Rabbi Ben Ezra; selections from Tennyson, Milton, Keats, Shelley, Coleridge; Hawthorne's Scarlet Letter; Tutorial History of English Literature. Science—Tutorial Chemistry (both parts, metals and non-metals). Chapman Jonas's Practical Inorganic Chemistry for Advanced Students; Draper's Heat for Advanced Students; Robson's Practical Exercises in Heat. Girls: English—As You Like It; Richard II; Morell's English Literature; Readings from Carlyle; Chaucer's Prologue and Selected Tales; miscellaneous readings from various authors; Nesfield's Grammar, Past and Present, Part III; essays. Latin—Bradley's Arnold's Latin Prose Composition, to the end; Virgil's Aeneid, Book I; Cicero's In Catilinam; Livy's History, Book XXII; Horace's Odes, Book III; miscellaneous reading from various authors; Roman History (Merivale). French—Boielle's Poetry; Weekly's Prose; Half-hours with the Best French Authors; La Fontaine's Fables; Blouet's Extracts; Chardenal's Idioms; Wellington College Grammar; miscellaneous prose. Botany—As for Junior University Scholarship. Heat—Glazebrook and Deschanel, to Junior University Scholarship standard. Mathematics—Arithmetic (the whole subject); algebra, Baker and Bourne's; geometry, Hall and Stevens's; trigo

Lowest.—Boys: English—Yoxall's Speller; Nesfield's Outlines of English Grammar; Nesfield's Oral Composition; Call of the Home-land; Readings from Dickens; Macaulay's Armada, Ivry, and Battle of Naseby; Irving's Rip Van Winkle, Struggle for Freedom. Latin—Elementa Latina. Mathematics—Baker and Bourne's Algebra; Hall and Stevens's Geometry, 1 to 4; Pendlebury's New School Arithmetic. Science—Murchie's Physiology; First-stage Physiology; Furneaux. French—Roseman and Schmidt, Part I; Mademoiselle Papillon; French without Tears, Part I. Girls: English—Logie Robertson's Prose; Laureata; Nesfield's Manual, to page 91; essay-writing. Latin—Longmans', Part I, to exercise 70. French—Bell's First French Course, and part of Second Course.

Botany.—Flower, fruit, root, stem, seed, leaves, and a few orders. Physiology—Murchie's, and practical work. Arithmetic—Pendlebury's. Algebra—Baker and Bourne's, up to H.C.F. and L.C.M. Geometry—Baker and Bourne's, Book I, up to proposition 31. Drawing—Freehand, model, brushwork. Scripture—Lessons from Genesis and Exodus.

3. General Statement of Accounts for the Year ended 31st December, 1910.

Receipts.	£	s.	d.	Expenditure.	£	s.	đ.
Government capitation—				Dr. balance at beginning of year	1,077		1
For free places	2,060	8	4	Management—	-,-,-		•
For recognized school classes for manual				Office salary	200	0	0
instruction	12	17	6	Other expenses of management—petty	200	U	Ü
Subsidy on voluntary contributions, second-				cach	õ	0	0
ary schools	500	0	0	Teachers' salaries and allowances	2,642	5	ő
Current income from reserves	1,439	9	6	Drizes	33	2	3
Paid by School Commissioners	326	1	9	Printing, stationery, and advertising	80		-
School fees	816	5	ő	Cleaning fuel light &c	158	5	9
Interest on Scholarship Account		15	ŏ	School institutions	89	11	ő
Voluntary contributions—	•			Maintenance of classes for manual instruc-	09	11	v
On account of general purposes of the				tion	39	4	9
school	500	0	0	Site, buildings, furniture, &c.—	.55	*	3
Refunds	0	9	ŏ	Purchases and new works	1,971	6	1
Lighting-plant sold	-	10	ŏ	Domain a manaina &		-	0
Dr. balance at end of year	870		8	Mina-11	71	5	•
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				Donahar A strait In 1 4 6 4	25	0	0
				Miscellaneous (surveys &s)	12	9	ก
				Incidentale		_	0
				Duill Instancton	17	10	ő
				Pancar	15	0	0
				Tamasata		-	0
				Liaw-costs	4	10	ō
	£6,550	18	9		£6,550	18	9

Duncan Sutherland, Chairman. A. A. McKinnon, Secretary.

Statement of the Monetary Assets and Liabilities at 31st December, 1910.

Assets. Rents uncollected, outstanding Capitation, third term, 1910 Capitation, technical, third term, 1910	 685 8 4	Liabilities. Outstanding accounts (estimated) Contracts in progress (estimated) Bank of New Zealand, Dr. balance		2 0	_
	£999 6 4		£2,264	5	5

Examined and found correct, except that—(1.) The payment of £15 for Waitakian it without authority of law, and is therefore disallowed. (2.) The following payments contravene a principle of the Trustees Act that persons holding a position of fiduciary character must not benefit from their relationship to their trust: Mr. J. M. Brown (a member of the Board) for goods supplied, £106 11s. 8d.; Messrs. Milligan and Bond (of which firm Mr. R. Milligan, a member of the Board, is a partner) for goods supplied, £14 3s. 3d.—R. J. Collins, Controller and Auditor-General.

OTAGO BOYS' AND GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOLS.

Staff.

Boys' School.—Mr. W. J. Morrell, M.A.; Mr. M. Watson, M.A.; Mr. J. Maepherson, F.E.I.S.; Mr. F. H. Campbell, B.A.; Mr. R. A. McCullough, M.A.; Mr. E. J. Parr, M.A., B.Sc.; Mr. J. Reid, B.A.; Mr. J. G. Fullarton, B.A.; Mr. H. Chapman, B.A.; Mr. W. A. Armour, M.A., B.Sc.; Mr. J. G. Paterson, M.A.; Mr. D. Sherriff; Mr. J. Hanna. Girls' School.—Miss M. E. A. Marchant, M.A.; Miss F. M. Allan, M.A.; Miss H. Alexander, B.A.; Miss S. C. C. McKnight, M.A., M.Sc; Miss E. E. Little; Miss F. Campbell, B.A.; Miss L. A. N. Downes, B.A.; Miss M. W. Alves; Miss E. M. Campbell; Miss M. McLeod; Mr. J. Hanna; Mr. W. O. Taylor; Mrs. L. A. Mason.

1. REPORT OF THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS.

In compliance with your circular of the 7th December, 1910, I have the honour to forward the following general report on the schools for the year ending 31st December, 1910.

The schools were inspected in October last by the Assistant Inspector-General of Schools, Dr. Anderson, and Inspector Gill, who reported generally on the satisfactory work done, and the efficiency of the staff.

The main portion of the new Girls' High School building was completed in September, 1910. The building is thoroughly modern in all respects and temporarily meets the requirements of the school, but with the increased attendance it will be necessary at an early date to complete the additional wing which was provided for in the plan of the new building. It was very gratifying to the Board to have the building contract carried out and completed in a most satisfactory manner.

J. R. Sinclair, Chairman.

2. Work of the Highest and Lowest Classes.

Highest.—Boys: English—Shakespeare, Macbeth; Chaucer, Prologue; Milton, Paradise Lost, Book II; Palgrave's Golden Treasury, Book IV (selections); Lee, Seventeenth Century Prose; Ruskin, Boesame and Lilies; Nesfield's Historical English; Nichol and M'Cormick, Exercises on English Composition. Latin—Livy, Book II; Cicero, In Verrem Actio Prima; Horace, Odes, Book I; Virgil, Georgics, II; sight translation, prose composition, and grammar papers; Shuckburgh, History of Rome; Wilkins, Roman Antiquities. French—Daudet, Tartarin de Tarascon; Molière, Le Médeein; Victor Hugo, Lyric Poems, composition, grammar, phonetics, &c. Mathematics—Arithmetic (whole subject); algebra, Baker and Bourne, to permutations; geometry, Baker and Bourne, Books I to VII; trigonometry, Hall and Knight. Science—Chemistry, the metals, revision of non-metals, elementary qualitative analysis; physics; heat. Girls: English—Chaucer, part of the Prologue, and extracts from Tales; Shakespeare, Julius Caesar, Antony and Cleopatra, Twelfth Night, Henry IV; Milton's Comus; Historical English Grammar; composition, &c.; Literature, general, with readings from modern poets and Ruskin. Latin—Livy, Book III, chapters 9-26; Horace Odes, Book III (part), Book IV, four epodes, four epistles; Middleton's Latin Verse; composition, grammar, &c.; Roman History and Antiquities. French—Macmillan's Advanced Exercises; Wellington College Reader; Boïelle, poetry; Pellissier, French Unseens for Higher Forms; Grammar, composition, &c.; Berthou. Specimens of Modern French Verse. Mathematics—Arithmetic, the whole subject; algebra, to permutations and combinations, inclusive; geometry, Euclid, Books I, II, II, V, VI, VII (Baker and Bourne); trigonometry, Lock's Trigonometry, to solutions of triangles. Science—Botany—The morphology and physiology of the botanical types specified in the Junior Scholarship schedule. Physics—As defined in the Junior Scholarship schedule. Commercial Work—Elementary book-keeping; shorthand and typewriting.

Lowest.—Boys: English—Smith, Book of Verse, Part II: Scott, Talisman; Anson, Taking of the Galleon; Gow's Method of English, Part I. English History—Tout, First Book of British History, (IIIB) to 1727. (IIIc) to 1625. Geography—Herbertson, Preliminary Geography. Latin—Macmillan's Shorter Latin Course, Part I, (IIIB) the whole; (IIIc), sections 1–55; Bell's Scalae Primae, (IIIB) chapters 35–45; (IIIc) chapters 1–10. French—Siepmann's Primary French Course, Part I, (IIIB) Lessons 1–25; (IIIc) 1–18. Mathematics—Workman's School Arithmetic, (IIIB) to ratio and proportion, (IIIc) to recurring decimals; algebra, Baker and Bourne, (IIIB) to simultaneous equations, (IIIc) to easy problems; geometry, Hall and Stevens, (IIIB) theorems 1–22, (IIIc) theorems 1–13, problems 1–6; experimental work. Science—Elementary Inorganic Chemistry (Jago). Girls: English—Literature, In Golden Realms, Midsummer Night's Dream; reader, Literary Reading and Composition; grammar, parsing and analysis; Nesfield's Aids to the Study and Composition of English; composition; geography, Regional Geography (Europe). French—Siepmann, Part I; and regular verbs. Mathematics—Arithmetic, fractions, decimals, practice, proportion, proportionate division; algebra, Hall and Knight, to equations; geometry, practical work.—Science—Botany, as in IVA. Commercial work—Elementary.

5. General Statement of Accounts for the Year ended 31st December, 1910.

5. GENERAL STATEMENT OF AC	COUNT	י פ	r OI	THE TEAK ENDED SIST DECEMBER,	1910.		
Receipts,	£		d.	Expenditure.	£	o.	d.
Balance in hand and in bank at beginning	~	٥,	u.	Management—	2	о.	u.
•	567	6	9	Office malauten	235	0	0
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Government grants for sites, building, furni-	# 009	5	0			7	
ture, &c. (general purposes)	6,923	J	U	m 1 1	39	_	
Government capitation—	0 501		0		5,289	Э	11
For free places	3,521	8	8		150		_
For recognized school classes for manual	00	_	0	Repairs	176		3
instruction	23			Rent	51	7	6
Current income from reserves	2,728	15	7	Sundries and incidentals	49		8
Interest on moneys invested and on unpaid			4.0	Legal			
purchase-money			10		15		6
Paid by School Commissioners	374			Prizes		13	
School fees	362						
Deposits on contracts	17			,	139	12	4
Sale of timber on reserves	8						
Interest from prize funds		18			301	0	6
Costs from tenants for leases		11		Books and stationery for sale to pupils, and			
Sale of building material	115	0	0	other temporary advances	1	2	1
Valuation improvements from incoming				Maintenances of classes for manual in-			
tenants	165	0	0	struction	23	7	6
Dr. balance at end of year	605	11	6	Site, buildings, furniture, &c. (Government			
•				grants)	6,923	5	C
				Building Girls' School	1,226	19	11
				Fencing, repairs, &c., furnishing	209	5	7
				Miscellaneous (rates, &c.)	51	0	4
				Buildings, equipment, &c., for manual			
				instruction	34	4	4
				Interest on current account and on de-			
				bentures	151	4	0
				Endowments-			
				Expenditure	147	14	11
				Valuation (outgoing tenants)	165	0	0
				Sinking fund	16	10	ō
				Rent temporary premises		18	
				Refund of deposit		9	
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	£15,448	1	6	£	15,448	1	6
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1910.			s. (_	1910.	£	s.	đ.
Jan. 1. Balance brought down— Deposit on contract		30	0	0	Jan. 1. Balances brought down— Uncompleted purchases	319	4	1
Dec. 31. Ordinary expenditure Balances carried down—	15,5	264	2	6	Fixed deposits— Dalrymple Prize Fund	100	0	0
Dalrymple Fund		100 316			Sinking fund		0	
Sinking fund			15		Fund		17	
Campbell and Hawthorne Pri Fund	ze ••	47	17	8		$\frac{519}{7,150}$	17	5
					Interest on sinking fund deposit Building grant	$\frac{1}{6,923}$		
					Interest on personal accounts Balances carried down	15	12	8
					Overdraft, Bank of New Zealand	653	9	2
	015			_	Deposit due to contractors			_
	£15,8	809		9		15,809	-	9
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			•	•	Sinking Fund Campbell and Hawthorne Fund	50	15 17	8
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Assets.	_	٤	s. d	d. ;	Liabilities.	£		
Rents overdue		292	8	3		3,300		0
capitation— Boys	:	873	4	9	Deposits to contractors Overdraft, Bank of New Zealand Rent overpaid	45 653	9	2
Girls	• • •	597	12 1	0	Rent overpaid	0	0	4
interest Amount on fixed deposit (Campbell an	;	316	4 1	1				
Hawthorne Fund)		47	17					
Amount at credit of Sinking fund			15	!				
	£2,1	178	4	1 : = ;		£4,089	13	10
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	910	£ 56		5	Expenditure. Paid scholarship, H. W. Slater	40	s. 0 15	0
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Statement of Income and Expenditure Account fo	re of the r Year	e Ote endi	igo Boys' and ng 31st Decem	Girls' l	High School	ols Sin	king	y Fu	nd	-
Balance on 1st January, 1910	£ 33	s. d.	!	21st Da	aambar 10	10 G.,	a d	£	s.	d.
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New Zealand	<u> </u>	5 8					_			_
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Examined and found correct, except (1) the amount of £64 15s. 5d. at credit of the George Russell Scholarship Fund has unlawfully been used to reduce the bank overdraft, and (2) the payments included in the item Sundries and incidentals, £49 8s. 8d.; of £3 2s., expenses of members attending meetings of the Board; and £7 9s. 8d., travelling-expenses of Rector attending the Secondary Schools Conference, are without authority of law, and are therefore disallowed.—R. J. Collins, Controller and Auditor-General.

GORE HIGH SCHOOL.

Staff.

Mr. J. Hunter, M.A.; Mr. W. T. Foster, M.A.; Mr. A. B. Fitt, M.A.; Miss H. P. Kerse, M.A.

1. Report of the Board of Governors.

The buildings occupied by the school during the year 1909 were found totally inadequate to accommodate the pupils who were enrolled at the commencement of 1910. The Board were fortunate in securing from Messrs. Wallis and Waddell, at a rent of £1 per week, the lease for twelve months from the 1st of February of the upper story of Ambrosse's Buildings. This provided for five class-rooms, and, although not all that could be desired, was probably the best that could be obtained for the pur-

. The alterations, &c., to the surroundings cost the Board about £40.

Owing to the large increase in the roll the Board invited applications for a second male assistant to take up commercial subjects, and on the 10th March Mr. A. B. Fitt, M.A., of Napier Boy's High

School, was appointed.

On the 29th March the Board accepted the tender of Mr. Owen Kelly for the erection of the new school buildings on the plans approved by the Department, the contract price being £4,350. The contract included the erection of a woodwork and a cookery room.

On the 10th May the Southland Education Board made a distribution of the accumulated savings of the last ten years to the various technical schools. The amount allotted to Gore and received by the Board was £375 towards the cost of the erection of a cookery-room in brick, of which the primary-school teachers and pupils should have the use for classes as well as of the woodwork-room. On the 6th April the foundation-stone of the new school building was laid by His Excellency the Governor, Lord Plunket, who was accompanied by the Right Hon. the Premier, Sir J. G. Ward, Mr. G. J. Anderson, M.P., the Mayor and Mayor-elect of Gore, and members of the Board of Governors.

During the year the grounds have been cultivated and improved with a view to having them laid down in grass at the earliest possible date. Some five hundred holly-trees have also been planted as a fence.

The seating of the new school was the subject of much thought and consideration by the Board. Reports from various educational institutions in the large centres were considered, and eventually, on the 12th September, it was decided to install the automatic Triumph model of combined seat and desk, fifty-five double and thirty single desks being ordered. Arrangements were made with the Borough Council for drainage of the school buildings connecting with Richmond Street drain, the Board giving a subsidy of £15.

In conclusion, the Board desire to place on record their high appreciation of the work of the Rector and his staff, and the Board have every reason to believe that splendid work is being carried out under considerable difficulties in regard to accommodation for classes and outdoor work. The results of the examinations have been most satisfactory, and the health and conduct of the pupils also testify to the

great care exercised by the staff.

On the 9th December the annual break-up ceremony was held. Mr. James Allen, M.P., was invited by the Board of Governors to give an address and to present the prizes. The function was a most enjoyable and successful one.

Andrew Martin, Chairman. George Brett, Secretary.

2. Work of the Highest and Lowest Classes.

Highest.—English—Nesfield's Manual of English Grammar and Composition; Meiklejohn's Spelling-book; Shakespeare's Midsummer Night's Dream; Scott's Waverley; Coleridge's Ancient Mariner; Nesfield's Senior Course of Composition. Latin—Composition, Allen's Latin Exercises, Part II, Allen's Latin Grammar; Caesar, Book VII; sight translation; Excerpta Facilia. French—Siepmann's Public School French Primer; Wellington College French Grammar; Berthou's Specimens of Modern French Prose; Berthou's Specimens of Modern French Poetry. Arithmetic—The whole subject; Goyen's Advanced Arithmetic and Elementary Algebra and Mensuration. Algebra—Hall and Knight's, covered course for Junior University Scholarship. Geometry—Hall and Stevens's, covered Matriculation course. Trigonometry—Pendlebury's, covered course for Junior University Scholarship. Geography—Longmans' Series, Book V; Bosworth's Short Geography of the World. History—Ransome's History of England, covered Matriculation course.

History—Ransome's History of England, covered Matriculation course.

Lowest.—English—Nesfield's Manual of English Grammar and Composition. Part I to page 117, Part II, chapters 14 and 19, Part III, chapters 24 and 25; Nesfield's Oral Exercises in English Composition, pages 1–156, chapters 1–6; Yoxall and Gregory's Spelling-book; Shakespeare's, As You Like it; Macmillan's Advanced Reader. Latin—Elementa Latina (the whole); Allen's First Latin Exercise Book, to Exercise 16. French—Siepmann's Primary French Course, Part I, to page 78. Arithmetic—Workman's School Arithmetic, sections i to viii. Algebra—Hall and Knight's, to chapter 16, omitting chapters 9, 13, 14, and cube-root. Geometry—Hall and Stevens's, to page 68. Geography—Longmans' Series, Book V, Elementary Physical Geography; Bosworth's Short Geography of the World, to page 67. History—Arabella Buckley's History of England for Beginners, to page 69. Commercial work: Book-keeping—Thornton's Primer, to page 87; Thornton's Easy Exercises, to page 95. Shorthand—Pitman's Instructor, to page 89. Commercial correspondence, indexing and précis-writing—Pitman's Guide to Commercial Correspondence and Business Composition, taken as teacher's guide for letter-writing. &c. Commercial arithmetic—Stocks, shares, and mensuration (no special text-book). Commercial geography (no text-book)—The substance of Marshall's Geography of New Zealand, Part III, chapters 1-9 (inclusive); Pitman's Commercial Geography, pages 62–177; New Zealand Official Year-book, commercial sections.

3. GENERAL STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1910.

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Receipts.	£	s.	d.	Expenditure. \pounds s. d	Э.
Balance at beginning of year	136	3 1	3	Management—	
Government grant for sites, building, fu					8
ture, &c. (general purposes)	1,450	0	0	Other office expenses 5 11	
Government capitation-	•			Other expenses of management 4 16	
For free places	1.097	7 18	4	Teachers' salaries and allowances 919 8	
For recognized school classes for man				Prizes	
instruction	24	1 7	3	Material for classes other than classes for	•
Paid by School Commissioners	78	10	5	manual instruction 44 9	3
School fees				Printing, stationery, and advertising 33 18	
School fees-technical classes	18	3 0	ő	Cleaning, fuel, light, &c 37 19 1	
Southland Education Board-grant town	ards		-	Books and stationery for sale to pupils, and	-
technical schools building		0	0	other temporary advances 9 14	n
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				1 41	9
				Site, buildings, furniture, &c.—	4
				Ordinary (Government grant) 1.277 5	o
				Teas for early scholars	
				Trowel presented to Governor 5 0 Flag	Ü
				Tablet for foundation 3 10	
				Travelling-expenses re desks 2 15	
				Cartage 0 1	
				Balance at end of year 702 16	3
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Andrew Martin, Chairman. George Brett, Secretary.

Examined and found correct, except that the following payments, being without authority of law, are disallowed: Trowel presented to Governor, £5; tablet for foundation, £3 10s.; travelling-expenses re desks, £2 15s.—R. J. COLLINS, Controller and Auditor-General.

General Statement of Monetary Assets and Liabilities as at 31st December, 1910.

Assets. Balance in Bank of New Zealand, Gore Rents due from School Commissioners Balance of capitation, third term Voted by Borough Council Claim for furniture, fittings, rent, &c.		714 41 183	5 6 0	8 8 0	Outstanding accounts (estimated)	. 1	s. 1 17 0 0	6
	£1	,119	13	6		£3:	17	6

SOUTHLAND HIGH SCHOOL.

Staff.

Boys' School.—Mr. T. D. Pearce, M.A.; Mr. J. Williams, B.Sc.; Mr. J. P. Dakin, B.A.; Mr. J. S. McGrath, B.A.; Mr. J. Pow; Mr. P. Edmondson, B.A.; Mr. I. G. Galloway; Mr. J. W. Dickson; Mr. R. Brownlie. Girls' School.—Miss C. M. Cruickshank, M.A., M.Sc.; Miss M. H. M. King, M.A.; Miss G. F. Gibson, M.A.; Miss E. S. Morrison, M.A.; Miss E. E. Law, M.A.; Miss V. C. Farnie, B.A.; Miss A. M. Griffin, B.A.; Miss G. A. Turner; Mr. I. G. Galloway; Mr. J. W. Dickson.

1. Work of the Highest and Lowest Classes.

Highest.—Boys: English—Reading, Shakespeare's Macbeth; Seeley's Colonial Expansion: comparative poetry, Chaucer, and selections from various authors; historical grammar; composition and rhetoric. Latin—Reading in Livy, Cicero, Vergil, Horace; unseens in prose and verse; grammar; prose composition; history; antiquities. French—Reading, Sandeau's Sacs et Parchemins, Gems of Modern French Poetry; unseens; grammar; composition. Mathematics—Arithmetic, algebra, geometry, and trigonometry, to University Scholarship standard. Science—Chemistry, inorganic; metals and non-metals; qualitative and quantitative analysis; electricity and magnetism to University Scholarship standard. Girls (Form VI): English—Nesfield's English Grammar, Past and Present; Chaucer, Prologue and Knight's Tale; Shakespeare, Macbeth; Milton, Comus; Wordsworth epoch, with selections from the poets; selections from Macaulay, Froude, and Carlyle. French—Wellington College French Grammar; Bué's French Idioms; Maemillan's Advanced French Prose Composition; Hugo, Quatre-vingt-treize, Poèmes Choisis; Spiers's Rapid Exercises; phonetics and dictation. Latin—Arnold's Latin Prose Composition; Allen's Grammar; Bryan's Exercises; Aeneid, IX; selections from Caesar and Livy VIII; Horton's History of the Romans; Wilkins's; Roman Antiquities. Mathematics—Arithmetic, the whole subject (Workman); algebra, Hall and Knight's Algebra and higher work; geometry, Godfrey and Siddon's and Stevens's Geometry, VI; Trigonometry, Locke and Loney, as for Junior University Scholarship. Botany—Lowson's Botany, types and orders (practical work and microscope-work) set for Junior University Scholarship. Heat—Glazebrook's Heat, with practical work and extra lessons as for Junior University Scholarship. (Form V): English—Nesfield's Grammar; parsing and analysis; synthesis; Lockwood and Emerson; composition and rhetoric; The Mill on the Floss; selections from Pope, Wordsworth, Byron, Tennyson, and Browning; miscellaneous exercises, paraphrasing, punctuation, correction of sentences,

Lowest.—Boys: English—Authors read; Laureata; Great Deeds on Land and Sea; Greek Myths; grammar, composition, and spelling. Geography—physical. English History—Ransone's Elementary Course. Latin—Welch and Duffield's Accidence; Latin reader, Caesar's Invasion of Britain; Gardiner's Translation Primer. French—Beuzemaker's First French Course. Non-Latin—Book-keeping and commercial arithmetic; European history; Greek legends. Non-French—Book-keeping, commercial arithmetic, and woodwork. Mathematics—Arithmetic (the whole subject), and mental; algebra, Hall and Knight, to factors; geometry, Barnard and Child, junior course. Science—Elementary physics; elementary chemistry. Girls: Botany (A)—All orders prescribed for Junior Civil Service; pollination, seed-dispersal, fruits, nutrition, assimilation, respiration, transpiration; Fucus, Marchantia, moss, fern, pine (no microscopic work). Botany (B)—Orders and types prescribed for Junior Civil Service; general structural botany; respiration, transpiration, and nutrition illustrated by experiment; seeds and germination (no microscopic work). Physiology—Meachen's Physiology, general outline. History—James I; William IV; Ransome's Elementary History. Geography—The British Empire. Needlework—Drafting of blouse, skirt, and underclothing patterns; cutting-out and making of blouse; slip-bodice or camisole made by hand. First Aid—Treatment of fractures, hemorrhage, drowning and choking, unconsciousness, poisons, dislocation, sprain and strain, foreign body in eye, ear, and nose; use of splints and triangular bandage. (Form III): English (A)—Marsh's Literary Reader; Laureata; Merchant of Venice; Evangeline; West's Grammar; Nesfield's Oral Composition; Parables from Nature; The Black Arrow; analysis, synthesis, indirect speech, correction of sentences, Word Builder and Speller (Yoxall and Gregory). French (A)—Méthode Naturelle; indicative mood, participles, and imperative mood of regular verbs, and first page of irregular verbs. Latin—Elementa Latina; First Latin Book (Scott and Jo

GENERAL STATEMENT	OF	Accounts	FOR	THE	YEAR	ENDED	31sr	DECEMBER,	1910.

Receipts.	£	s.	d.	Expenditure. \pounds s.	d.
Balance at beginning of year	1,563	9	8		
Government capitation-				Onio Balary 1.	0
For free places	3,279	3	4	Other office of pombes in the second of the	0
For recognized school classes for manual				Teachers' salaries and allowances 3,004 0	0
instruction		4	7		
Subsidy on voluntary contributions —				Prizes 23 18	
secondary schools	25	0	0		9
Current income from reserves	1,570	17	11	Cleaning, fuel, light, &c 235 7	4
Paid by School Commissioners	249	1	0	Maintenance of classes for manual instruc-	
School fees	186	13	4	100	0
Books, &c., sold, and other refunds	9	4	6	Rent, Corporation leases 15 0	0.
Voluntary contributions on account of gene-				Fencing, repairs, &c 213 13	4
ral purposes of the school	25	0	0		4
Gymnasium subsidies	110	0	0	I III OI OI I OIL I	0
Interest on fixed deposit	27	0	0	Technymone (Insumment of lower)	0
Rents for Corporation leasehold	73	0	0	Purchase of lands 900 0	0
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•				Chemicals and apparatus 33 12	
				Library 7 11	3
				Sundry expenses, including valuation and	
				sale of leases 50 6	11
				Balance at end of year 1,674 9	2
				07 170 14	
	£7,178	14	4	£7,178 14	4
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Statement of Monetary Assets and Liabilities as on the 31st December, 1910.

School fees due and unpaid	£ 1,674 10	s. 9 0	d. 2 0	Liabilities Bluff Harbour Board—Balance of loan still due	£ 500 8		
Free-place capitation due by Department Rents of endowments due and unpaid Rents, secondary reserves, for quarter ending 31st December, 1910, due by School Commissioners	250 111	2	9	Corporation— Rent of theatre		5 0 16 18	0
Subsidy due by Department on voluntary contributions	25 £3,081	0	6	Girls' school	2 27	19 12 9 11	8 0 0

W. MACALISTER, Chairman.
JNO. NEILL, Secretary and Treasurer.

Examined and found correct, except that the following payments contravene a principle of the Trustees Act that persons holding a position of a fiduciary character must not benefit from their relationship to their trust: £6 6s. for legal work done by Macalister Bros., of which firm Mr. W. Macalister, Chairman of the Board, is a member; £28 19s. 2d. for supplies by Smith and Laing, of which firm Mr. J. Crosbie Smith, a member of the Board, is a partner.—R. J. Collins, Controller and Auditor-General.

Statement of Rents of Reserves for Year 1910.

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			Arrears.					
Arrears from previous Year.	Charges for Current Year.	Cash collected.	Previous Year	Current Year.				
£ s. d. 392 5 6	£ s. d. 1,428 15 2	£ ь. d. 1,570 17 11	£ s. d. 2 10 0	£ s. d. 247 12 9				

W MACALISTER, Chairman.
JNO. NEILL, Secretary and Treasurer.

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