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DETAILED TABLES RELATING TO PRIMARY EDUCATION.

THE following tables relate to Primary Education for the year 1917. The extract from the Minister's Report (E.-1) relating to primary education is not being republished this year in this paper.

TABLE A1.—NUMBER OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS, DECEMBER, 1917.  
[Classified according to Part I of Fifth Schedule to the Education Act, 1914.]

Grade of School and Average Attendance.			Auckland.	Taranaki.	Wanganui.	Hawke's Bay.	Wellington.	Nelson.	Canterbury.	Otago.	Southland.	Total Number of Schools, Dec. 1917.
0	1-8	..	37	9	13	16	39	16	17	17	13	177
I	9-20	..	196	35	63	38	65	42	100	71	52	662
II	21-35	..	153	40	37	25	55	25	98	63	40	536
III	A 36-80	..	161	53	50	28	47	25	88	59	55	566
	B 81-120	..	17	8	13	14	15	9	23	11	7	117
	A 121-160	..	6	4	8	4	6	4	12	8	4	56
IV	B 161-200	..	14	..	2	2	7	3	5	5	5	43
	C 201-240	..	8	..	1	2	3	2	9	2	3	30
	A 241-280	..	8	1	5	3	6	2	2	2	..	29
	B 281-320	..	5	2	2	4	3	..	3	..	3	22
V	C 321-360	..	2	..	1	4	4	..	4	5	1	21
	D 361-400	..	3	..	2	1	2	..	4	2	..	14
VI	A 401-450	..	3	1	1	1	..	..	2	1	1	10
	B 451-500	..	6	..	4	..	4	..	3	2	1	20
	A 501-550	..	3	1	..	..	2	..	..	3	..	9
	B 551-600	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	4	..	7
	C 601-650	..	7	1	1	1	2	..	7	4	1	24
	D 651-700	..	5	1	..	..	2	1	..	1	..	10
VII	E 701-750	..	3	..	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	7
	F 751-800	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	4
	G 801-850	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
	H 851-900	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	I 901-950	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	2
	J 951-1,000	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals for 1917			640	156	203	145	265	129	383	260	187	2,368
Totals for 1916			633	152	201	157	267	121	381	261	182	2,355
Difference ..			+7	+4	+2	-12	-2	+8	+2	-1	+5	+13

NOTE.—Part-time schools and main schools with side-schools attached are counted separately, and are included in the respective grades determined by the separate average attendance of each school.

TABLE B1.—SCHOOL ATTENDANCE AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR 1917.  
(Excluding Secondary Departments of District High Schools.)

Education Districts.	Roll Numbers.		Mean of Average Weekly Roll of Four Quarters, 1917.			Average Attendance for Whole Year (Mean of Average Attendance of Four Quarters).			Average Attendance as Percentage of the Mean of Average Weekly Roll of Four Quarters, 1917.
	Pupils at 31st De- cember, 1916.	Pupils belonging at 31st De- cember, 1917.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	
Auckland..	50,048	51,817	26,651	24,456	51,107	23,823	21,588	45,411	88.9
Taranaki ..	9,384	9,816	5,040	4,590	9,630	4,476	4,028	8,504	88.3
Wanganui ..	14,699	15,065	7,825	7,077	14,902	7,070	6,328	13,398	89.9
Hawke's Bay ..	12,838	13,048	6,678	6,190	12,868	5,962	5,509	11,471	89.1
Wellington ..	23,449	24,039	12,422	11,271	23,693	11,307	10,153	21,460	90.6
Nelson ..	6,600	6,728	3,550	3,229	6,779	3,219	2,868	6,087	89.8
Canterbury ..	32,939	33,464	17,020	15,897	32,917	15,257	14,151	29,408	89.3
Otago ..	21,918	22,207	11,347	10,476	21,823	10,540	9,660	20,200	92.6
Southland ..	11,894	11,990	6,155	5,675	11,830	5,521	5,050	10,571	89.4
Totals, 1917	..	188,174	96,688	88,861	185,549	87,175	79,335	166,510	89.7
Totals, 1916	183,769	..	94,608	87,062	181,670	84,336	76,644	160,980	88.6
Difference	..	4,405	2,080	1,799	3,879	2,839	2,691	5,530	1.1

TABLE B2.—SCHOOL ATTENDANCE AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR 1917.

(Including Secondary Departments of District High Schools.)

Education Districts.	Roll Numbers.		Mean of Average Weekly Roll <sup>1</sup> of Four Quarters, 1917.			Average Attendance for Whole Year (Mean of Average Attendance of Four Quarters).			Average Attendance as Percentage of the Mean of Average Weekly Roll of Four Quarters, 1917.
	Pupils at 31st December, 1916.	Pupils belonging at 31st December, 1917.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	
Auckland.. ..	50,331	52,133	26,806	24,668	51,474	23,964	21,779	45,743	88.9
Taranaki .. ..	9,564	10,019	5,130	4,695	9,825	4,557	4,123	8,680	88.3
Wanganui .. ..	14,829	15,204	7,890	7,175	15,065	7,128	6,415	13,543	89.9
Hawke's Bay .. ..	13,001	13,176	6,750	6,271	13,021	6,029	5,584	11,613	89.2
Wellington .. ..	23,726	24,360	12,601	11,457	24,058	11,475	10,329	21,804	90.6
Nelson .. ..	6,734	3,859	3,611	3,313	6,924	3,273	2,944	6,217	89.8
Canterbury .. ..	33,596	34,119	17,395	16,235	33,630	15,604	14,457	30,061	89.4
Otago .. ..	22,209	22,494	11,481	10,646	22,127	10,663	9,816	20,479	92.6
Southland .. ..	11,894	11,990	6,155	5,675	11,830	5,521	5,050	10,571	89.4
Totals, 1917 .. ..	..	190,354	97,819	90,135	187,954	88,214	80,497	168,711	89.8
Totals, 1916 .. ..	185,884	..	95,775	88,281	184,056	85,408	77,748	163,156	88.6
Difference .. ..	..	4,470	2,044	1,854	3,898	2,806	2,749	5,555	1.2

TABLE B3.—AVERAGE ATTENDANCE FOR THE YEAR 1917 AT THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS AS GROUPED IN TABLE A1, AS ESTIMATED FOR DETERMINING THE GRADES OF SCHOOLS. (PART I OF THE FIFTH SCHEDULE TO THE EDUCATION ACT, 1914.)

(Including Secondary Departments of District High Schools.)

Grade.		Auckland.	Taranaki.	Wanganui.	Hawke's Bay.	Wellington.	Nelson.	Canterbury.	Otago.	Southland.	Totals for 1917.
0	1-8 .. ..	285	38	71	100	203	82	99	108	53	1,039
I	9-20 .. ..	2,813	501	822	546	846	571	1,372	945	719	9,135
II	21-35 .. ..	3,895	1,036	984	700	1,314	649	2,568	1,557	1,089	13,792
III	A 36-80 .. ..	8,062	2,601	2,529	1,465	2,399	1,199	4,287	2,927	2,634	28,103
	B 81-120 .. ..	1,628	781	1,306	1,301	1,526	893	2,163	1,035	680	11,313
IV	A 121-160 .. ..	913	569	1,100	498	876	618	1,537	1,094	534	7,739
	B 161-200 .. ..	2,624	..	379	364	1,251	563	839	883	869	7,772
V	C 201-240 .. ..	1,905	..	209	485	674	440	1,946	543	590	6,792
	D 241-280 .. ..	2,075	267	1,356	754	1,616	552	515	515	..	7,650
VI	A 281-320 .. ..	1,648	592	623	1,201	916	..	1,024	..	937	6,941
	B 321-360 .. ..	710	..	334	1,412	1,317	..	1,352	1,739	321	7,185
VII	C 361-400 .. ..	1,178	..	727	352	835	..	1,513	741	..	5,346
	D 401-450 .. ..	1,374	453	476	425	..	..	887	399	403	4,417
VIII	A 451-500 .. ..	2,795	..	2,046	..	1,963	..	1,418	935	451	9,608
	B 501-550 .. ..	1,562	560	..	..	1,160	..	..	1,613	..	4,895
IX	C 551-600 .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,685	2,358	..	4,043
	D 601-650 .. ..	4,479	666	656	607	1,302	..	4,361	2,513	601	15,185
X	E 651-700 .. ..	3,434	673	..	..	1,408	674	..	670	..	6,859
	F 701-750 .. ..	2,154	..	..	1,494	1,483	..	..	..	..	5,134
XI	G 751-800 .. ..	1,658	..	..	..	787	..	766	..	..	3,211
	H 801-850 .. ..	819	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	770	1,589
XII	I 851-900 .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	J 901-950 .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,827	..	..	1,827
XIII	K 951-1,000 .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	L .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals for 1917 .. ..		46,011	8,737	13,618	11,704	21,879	6,241	30,159	20,575	10,651	169,575
Totals for 1916 .. ..		43,756	8,420	13,091	11,355	20,934	5,906	29,808	20,323	10,515	164,108
Difference .. ..		+2,255	+317	+527	+349	+945	+335	+351	+252	+136	+5,467

The following notes are appended in explanation of this table:—

A.—The average attendance as given in Table B3 differs from that in Table B2 for the following reasons:—

(1.) Under certain contingencies the regulations provide for the elimination of one or two quarters' averages in the case of any school or department if the grade of the school or department would be raised or maintained by calculating the yearly average attendance on the mean of the remaining quarters' average. The amended average attendance thus ascertained is reckoned for the sole purpose of determining the grade of the school, and consequently this amended average attendance is used in the compilation of Table B3, which gives the schools according to their grades. For statistical purposes the average attendance as given in Table B2 should be taken.

(2.) The totals of this table are for the mean of the four quarters of each school taken separately not the mean of the gross quarterly totals of all schools.

(3.) New schools, many of which were open for only part of the year, are included as having an average attendance for the whole year; whereas in Table B2 the average attendance is included only for those quarters during which the schools were open.

B.—This table shows the average attendance for determining the grades of schools. For determining the "primary" staffs of schools, however, the figures require to be reduced by the attendance in secondary departments of district high schools, viz.: Grade IIIA, 10; IIIB, 64; IVA, 76; IVB, 181; IVc, 98; VA, 57; VB, 169; Vc, 201; VD, 127; VIA, 137; VIB, 276; VIIA, 43; VIIB, 106; VIIC, 30; VIID, 288; VIIc, 120; VIIi, 252: total, 2,235.

TABLE C1.—AGE AND SEX OF THE PUPILS ON THE SCHOOL-ROLLS IN THE SEVERAL EDUCATION DISTRICTS AT THE END OF 1917.  
(Excluding Secondary Departments of District High Schools.)

Education Districts.	5 and under 6 Years.		6 and under 7.		7 and under 8.		8 and under 9.		9 and under 10.		10 and under 11.		11 and under 12.		12 and under 13.		13 and under 14.		14 and under 15.		Over 15 Years.		Totals of all Ages.		
	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Totals.		
Auckland..	2,124	1,866	2,749	2,464	3,040	2,734	3,047	2,895	3,132	2,882	3,001	2,744	2,920	2,693	2,784	2,571	2,444	2,311	1,336	1,202	462	416	27,039	24,775	51,817
Taranaki ..	367	347	551	523	594	556	594	549	609	542	555	489	544	500	529	517	499	394	230	195	70	62	5,142	4,674	9,816
Wanganui ..	557	538	774	721	930	851	958	888	878	835	875	803	867	816	852	738	730	637	349	288	105	75	7,875	7,190	15,065
Hawke's Bay ..	441	392	738	648	814	790	752	758	846	764	738	683	741	719	704	671	595	552	285	273	80	64	6,734	6,314	13,048
Wellington ..	983	877	1,367	1,199	1,507	1,314	1,448	1,455	1,554	1,357	1,379	1,253	1,361	1,260	1,290	1,236	1,064	1,006	505	418	117	89	12,575	11,464	24,039
Nelson ..	292	292	384	318	404	411	437	425	389	364	384	359	406	338	385	321	303	253	108	115	20	20	3,512	3,216	6,728
Canterbury ..	1,527	1,485	1,950	1,773	1,956	1,835	2,048	1,923	1,922	1,853	1,934	1,835	1,877	1,702	1,786	1,692	1,429	1,367	675	555	180	160	17,284	16,180	33,464
Otago ..	1,070	956	1,263	1,137	1,285	1,177	1,209	1,204	1,298	1,239	1,270	1,179	1,238	1,212	1,193	1,118	1,047	971	510	407	130	94	11,513	10,694	22,207
Southland ..	548	466	705	649	714	672	735	687	682	678	681	668	641	632	666	591	560	477	240	177	74	47	6,246	5,744	11,990
Totals for 1917 ..	7,909	7,219	10,481	9,432	11,244	10,340	11,228	10,784	11,310	10,514	10,817	10,013	10,595	9,872	10,189	9,455	8,671	7,968	4,238	3,630	1,238	1,027	97,920	90,254	188,174
Totals for 1916 ..	7,753	6,945	10,307	9,441	11,101	10,500	11,320	10,396	10,774	10,089	10,653	9,968	10,388	9,729	10,144	9,325	8,293	7,452	4,259	3,771	1,675	1,601	*96,667	*89,217	*195,884
Difference ..	156	274	174	—9	143	—160	—92	388	536	425	164	45	207	143	45	130	378	516	—21	—141	—437	—574	1,253	1,037	2,290

\* Including Secondary Departments of District High Schools.



TABLE C2.—STANDARD CLASSES OF PUPILS ON SCHOOL-ROLLS IN THE SEVERAL EDUCATION DISTRICTS AT THE END OF 1917.  
(Excluding Secondary Departments of District High Schools.)

Education Districts.	Pupils at End of Year in Standard																								Totals.			
	Pupils in Preparatory Classes.						I.			II.			III.			IV.			V.			VI.				VII.		
	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.		Boys.	Girls.	Total.
Auckland	10,273	8,876	19,149	3,519	3,341	6,860	3,453	3,274	6,727	3,124	2,953	6,077	2,737	2,537	5,274	2,362	2,236	4,598	1,543	1,534	3,077	28	27	55	27,039	24,778	51,817	
Taranaki	1,965	1,715	3,680	626	643	1,269	626	584	1,210	572	511	1,083	575	495	1,070	499	462	961	277	255	532	2	9	11	5,142	4,674	9,816	
Wanganui	2,753	2,521	5,274	1,054	943	1,997	976	935	1,911	1,057	958	2,015	873	756	1,629	739	651	1,390	420	419	839	3	7	10	7,875	7,190	15,065	
Hawke's Bay	2,252	2,117	4,369	860	770	1,630	834	817	1,651	919	833	1,752	741	691	1,432	673	623	1,296	455	463	918	..	..	..	6,734	6,314	13,048	
Wellington	4,414	3,782	8,196	1,441	1,403	2,844	1,631	1,522	3,153	1,465	1,391	2,856	1,435	1,368	2,803	1,259	1,098	2,357	917	881	1,798	13	19	32	12,575	11,464	24,039	
Nelson	1,136	1,040	2,176	427	394	821	461	407	868	439	398	837	438	342	780	362	320	682	221	280	501	28	35	63	3,512	3,216	6,728	
Canterbury	6,268	5,694	11,962	2,141	2,041	4,182	2,126	2,012	4,138	2,044	1,953	3,997	1,849	1,810	3,659	1,707	1,609	3,316	1,141	1,046	2,187	8	15	23	17,284	16,180	33,464	
Otago	3,815	3,404	7,219	1,595	1,444	3,039	1,450	1,380	2,830	1,379	1,396	2,775	1,317	1,262	2,579	1,121	1,011	2,132	808	747	1,555	28	50	78	11,513	10,694	22,207	
Southland	2,196	1,908	4,104	811	813	1,624	746	763	1,509	745	708	1,453	706	636	1,342	631	549	1,180	396	349	745	15	18	33	6,246	5,744	11,990	
Totals for 1917..	35,072	31,057	66,129	12,474	11,792	24,266	12,303	11,694	23,997	11,744	11,101	22,845	10,671	9,897	20,568	9,353	8,559	17,912	6,178	5,974	12,152	125	180	305	97,920	90,254	188,174	
Totals for 1916..	34,825	31,125	65,950	12,208	11,501	23,709	11,840	10,949	22,789	11,404	10,641	22,045	10,620	9,666	20,286	8,941	8,292	17,233	5,692	5,728	11,420	*1,137	*1,315	*2,452	*96,667	*89,217	*185,884	
Difference	247	-68	179	266	291	557	463	745	1,208	340	460	800	51	231	282	412	267	679	486	246	732	-1012	-1135	-2147	1,253	1,037	2,290	

\* Including Secondary Departments of District High Schools.

TABLE C3.—AGE AND SEX OF PUPILS, DECEMBER, 1917.  
(Excluding Secondary Departments of District High Schools).

Ages.				1917.			Percentages for Five Years.				
				Boys.	Girls.	Total.	1913.	1914.	1915.	1916.	1917.
5 and under 6 years	..	..	..	7,909	7,219	15,128	8.0	8.0	7.8	7.9	8.0
6	..	7	..	10,481	9,432	19,913	10.6	10.9	10.8	10.6	10.6
7	..	8	..	11,244	10,340	21,584	11.8	11.5	11.7	11.6	11.5
8	..	9	..	11,228	10,784	22,012	11.8	11.7	11.4	11.7	11.7
9	..	10	..	11,310	10,514	21,824	11.7	11.4	11.4	11.2	11.6
10	..	11	..	10,817	10,013	20,830	10.9	11.3	11.2	11.1	11.1
11	..	12	..	10,595	9,872	20,467	10.5	10.5	10.9	10.8	10.9
12	..	13	..	10,189	9,455	19,644	10.2	9.9	10.0	10.5	10.4
13	..	14	..	8,671	7,968	16,639	8.4	8.6	8.5	8.5	8.8
14	..	15	..	4,238	3,630	7,868	4.3	4.4	4.5	4.3	4.2
15 and over	..	..	..	96,682	89,227	185,909	98.2*	98.2*	98.2*	98.2*	98.8
	..	..	..	1,238	1,027	2,265	1.8*	1.8*	1.8*	1.8*	1.2
Totals	..	..	..	97,920	90,254	188,174	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00

\* Including Secondary Departments of District High Schools.

TABLE C4.—CLASSIFICATION OF PUPILS AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS, DECEMBER, 1917.  
(Excluding Secondary Departments of District High Schools.)

Classes.				Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Percentages for Five Years.				
							1913.	1914.	1915.	1916.	1917.
Class P	..	..	..	35,072	31,057	66,129	36.22	36.33	35.94	35.48	35.14
S1	..	..	..	12,474	11,792	24,266	12.39	12.11	12.50	12.76	12.90
S2	..	..	..	12,303	11,694	23,997	12.32	12.26	12.19	12.26	12.75
S3	..	..	..	11,744	11,101	22,845	11.90	12.01	11.92	11.86	12.14
S4	..	..	..	10,671	9,897	20,568	10.84	10.80	10.70	10.91	10.93
S5	..	..	..	9,353	8,559	17,912	8.97	9.08	9.22	9.27	9.52
S6	..	..	..	6,178	5,974	12,152	6.02	6.05	6.19	6.14	6.46
S7	..	..	..	125	180	305	1.34*	1.36*	1.34*	1.32*	0.16
Totals	..	..	..	97,920	90,254	188,174	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00

\* Including Secondary Departments of District High Schools.

TABLE C5.—AVERAGE AGE OF PUPILS AS AT 31ST DECEMBER, 1917.

Education Districts.				Average Ages of the Pupils in each Class.										Average Ages for all Classes.						
				P.		I.		II.		III.		IV.		V.		VI.		1917.		
				Yrs. mos.		Yrs. mos.		Yrs. mos.		Yrs. mos.		Yrs. mos.		Yrs. mos.		Yrs. mos.		Yrs. mos.		
Auckland	..	..	..	7	3	9	4	10	5	11	7	12	6	13	4	14	1	9	11	
Taranaki	..	..	..	7	2	9	3	10	5	11	5	12	4	13	2	14	0	9	10	
Wanganui	..	..	..	7	2	9	1	10	3	11	4	12	3	13	3	13	10	9	10	
Hawke's Bay	..	..	..	7	1	8	11	10	1	11	1	12	2	13	0	13	9	9	9	
Wellington	..	..	..	7	0	8	11	9	10	11	0	12	1	12	9	13	8	9	9	
Nelson	..	..	..	6	11	8	8	9	9	10	9	11	9	12	7	13	4	9	6	
Canterbury	..	..	..	6	11	9	0	10	0	11	1	12	1	13	0	13	10	9	8	
Otago	..	..	..	6	10	8	10	10	0	11	1	12	1	13	1	13	9	9	9	
Southland	..	..	..	6	11	8	11	10	0	11	1	12	1	13	0	13	8	9	8	
Average for Dominion, 1917				7	1	9	1	10	2	11	3	12	3	13	1	13	10	9	9	
Range (difference between highest and lowest)				0	5	0	8	0	8	0	10	0	9	0	9	0	9	0	5	
Average for Dominion, 1916				7	0	9	1	10	1	11	2	12	2	13	0	13	9	9	9	
Range (difference between highest and lowest)				0	6	0	7	0	8	0	9	0	10	0	8	0	7	0	5	

TABLE C6.—PROFICIENCY CERTIFICATE EXAMINATION RESULTS, 1917, IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Education District.	Number of Candidates.	Proficiency Certificates.		Competency Certificates.		Endorsed Competency Certificates (Included in Competency Certificates).	
		Number.	Percentage.	Number.	Percentage.	Number.	Percentage.
Auckland .. .. .	3,329	2,451	73·6	490	14·7	21	0·6
Taranaki .. .. .	682	533	78·2	60	8·8	11	1·6
Wanganui .. .. .	902	572	63·4	172	19·1	43	4·8
Wellington .. .. .	1,965	1,239	63·1	395	20·1	47	2·4
Hawke's Bay .. .. .	1,052	542	51·5	190	18·1	48	4·5
Nelson .. .. .	570	327	57·4	124	21·8	18	3·2
Canterbury .. .. .	2,596	1,632	62·9	570	22·0	38	1·5
Otago .. .. .	1,631	1,275	78·2	212	13·0	3	0·2
Southland .. .. .	806	527	65·4	142	17·6	11	1·4
Totals .. .. .	13,533	9,098	67·2	2,355	17·4	240	1·8

Note.—Competency certificates appear to have been endorsed in some districts only when application for endorsement has been made.

TABLE C7.—NUMBER OF CHILDREN WHO LEFT THE PRIMARY SCHOOLS IN 1916.

District.	Those who passed S6.		Percentage of Total Roll.	Those who did not pass S6 but reached the Age of 14 Years.		Percentage of Total Roll.	Total.	Percentage of Total Roll.
	Boys.	Girls.		Boys.	Girls.			
Auckland .. .. .	1,374	1,271	5·3	895	723	3·3	4,263	8·6
Taranaki .. .. .	228	213	4·7	191	150	3·7	782	8·4
Wanganui .. .. .	309	296	4·2	249	210	3·1	1,064	7·3
Hawke's Bay .. .. .	308	242	4·4	190	145	2·6	885	7·0
Wellington .. .. .	751	666	6·1	285	262	2·3	1,964	8·4
Nelson .. .. .	192	167	5·4	107	79	2·8	545	8·2
Canterbury .. .. .	864	749	4·9	521	432	2·9	2,566	7·8
Otago .. .. .	646	616	5·9	330	320	3·0	1,912	8·9
Southland .. .. .	350	275	5·4	176	162	2·9	963	8·3
Totals .. .. .	5,022	4,495	5·2	2,944	2,483	3·0	14,944	8·2

TABLE D1.—REGISTERED PRIVATE PRIMARY SCHOOLS FOR 1917.—NUMBER, AVERAGE ATTENDANCE, ROLL, CLASSIFICATION, AND AGES OF PUPILS.

Education District.	Number of Schools.	Average Attendance.	Roll Number.			Pupils in Preparatory Class.		Ages of Pupils.					
			Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Number.	Percentage of whole.	Under 7.		7 to 10.		Over 10.	
								Number.	Percentage of whole.	Number.	Percentage of whole.	Number.	Percentage of whole.
Auckland .. .. .	41	4,246	2,003	2,750	4,753	1,661	34·9	939	19·8	1,443	30·4	2,371	49·8
Taranaki .. .. .	13	922	494	583	1,077	325	30·2	247	22·9	345	32·0	485	45·1
Wanganui .. .. .	17	1,193	664	708	1,372	483	35·2	268	19·6	425	31·0	679	49·4
Hawke's Bay .. .. .	18	1,446	676	907	1,583	536	33·9	290	18·3	550	34·8	743	46·9
Wellington .. .. .	29	2,435	1,177	1,648	2,825	874	30·9	520	18·5	996	35·2	1,309	46·3
Nelson .. .. .	8	573	290	368	658	193	29·3	142	21·6	213	32·3	303	46·1
Canterbury .. .. .	43	3,307	1,818	1,949	3,767	1,252	33·2	742	19·7	1,191	31·6	1,834	48·7
Otago .. .. .	18	1,615	737	1,037	1,774	493	27·8	330	18·6	640	36·1	804	45·3
Southland .. .. .	10	692	336	449	785	202	25·7	104	13·2	288	36·7	393	50·1
Totals .. .. .	197	16,429	8,195	10,399	18,594	6,019	32·4	3,582	19·2	6,091	32·8	8,921	48·0

TABLE D2.—REGISTERED PRIVATE PRIMARY SCHOOLS FOR 1917.—STAFFING AND EXAMINATION STATISTICS.

Education District.	Average Attendance.	Staffs.			Examination Results.					
		Number of Teachers.		Number of Pupils per Teacher.	Number of S8 Pupils presented for Examination.	Certificates of Proficiency.		Certificates of Competency		
		Males.	Fe- males.			Number.	Percentage.	Number.	Percentage.	
Auckland .. ..	4,246	12	134	29	266	172	65	54	20	
Taranaki .. ..	922	3	31	27	59	52	88	7	12	
Wanganui .. ..	1,193	7	45	23	75	32	43	23	31	
Hawke's Bay ..	1,446	7	57	23	70	35	50	16	23	
Wellington .. ..	2,435	11	78	27	189	152	80	19	10	
Nelson .. .. .	573	..	28	20	57	27	47	14	25	
Canterbury .. ..	3,307	12	111	27	262	156	60	70	27	
Otago .. .. .	1,615	3	63	24	169	114	67	16	9	
Southland .. ..	692	3	26	24	43	21	49	9	21	
Totals .. .. .	16,429	58	573	26	1,190	761	64	228	30	

TABLE E1.—SCHOOL STAFF, DECEMBER, 1917 (EXCLUSIVE OF SECONDARY DEPARTMENTS OF DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOLS).

Education Districts.	Number of Schools.	Heads of Schools.		Sole Teachers.		Assistant Teachers.		Total Number of Adult Teachers.			Pupil-teachers.			Total Number of Adult Teachers and Pupil-teachers.	Percentage of Male to Female Adult Teachers.	Yearly Average Attendance (as in Table B3, less Secondary Depts. of D.H. Schools).	Average Number of Pupils to One Teacher, reckoning Two Pupil-teachers as One Adult.
		M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.				
Auckland ..	640	196	40	143	196	85	543	424	779	1,203	40	177	217	1,420	54.4	45,677	35
Taranaki ..	156	38	24	19	70	12	106	69	200	269	2	21	23	292	34.5	8,561	31
Wanganui ..	203	69	14	27	88	18	174	114	276	390	9	42	51	441	41.3	13,471	33
Hawke's Bay ..	145	52	13	7	71	21	159	80	243	323	16	32	38	361	32.9	11,562	34
Wellington ..	265	81	13	24	134	45	307	150	454	604	14	38	52	656	33.0	21,531	35
Nelson ..	129	29	11	10	68	7	83	46	162	208	4	19	23	231	28.4	6,109	28
Canterbury ..	383	126	25	38	186	61	379	225	590	815	25	101	126	941	38.1	29,496	34
Otago ..	260	100	4	21	134	50	249	171	387	558	28	54	82	640	44.2	20,282	34
Southland ..	187	52	22	36	75	16	136	104	233	337	4	33	37	374	44.6	10,651	30
Totals, 1917 ..	2,368	743	166	325	1022	315	2136	1,383	3,324	4,707	132	517	649	5,356	41.6	167,340	34
Totals, 1916 ..	2,355	770	161	374	942	357	2106	1,501	3,209	4,710	137	519	656	5,366	46.8	161,907	32
Difference ..	13	-27	+5	-49	+80	-42	+30	-118	+115	-3	-5	-2	-7	-10	-5.2	+5,433	+2

TABLE E2.—CLASSIFICATION OF TEACHERS IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS AT 31ST DECEMBER, 1917 (EXCLUSIVE OF TEACHERS IN SECONDARY SCHOOLS AND SECONDARY DEPARTMENTS OF DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOLS).

Education Districts.	All Schools.				Excluding Schools of Grades 0 and I.			
	Classified Teachers.	Holders of Licenses.	Unclassified and Unlicensed Teachers.	Total.	Classified Teachers.	Holders of Licenses.	Unclassified and Unlicensed Teachers.	Totals.
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Auckland ..	825	25	353	1,203	803	24	240	1,067
Taranaki ..	140	4	125	269	138	4	85	227
Wanganui ..	251	6	133	390	244	5	67	316
Hawke's Bay ..	227	6	90	323	218	5	46	269
Wellington ..	451	8	145	604	437	8	57	502
Nelson ..	120	8	80	208	112	6	36	154
Canterbury ..	673	20	122	815	631	15	53	699
Otago ..	432	12	114	558	409	9	53	471
Southland ..	204	10	123	337	198	9	66	273
Totals ..	3,323	99	1,285	4,707	3,190	85	703	3,978

TABLE E3.—CERTIFICATED TEACHERS IN THE SERVICE OF EDUCATION BOARDS AT 31ST DECEMBER, 1917.

(Arranged according to Sex of Teachers and Class of Certificate held.)

Education Districts.	Class A.			Class B.			Class C.			Class D.			Class E.			Total.		
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
Auckland ..	2	1	3	30	6	36	166	183	349	104	238	342	11	84	95	313	[2]	512
Taranaki ..	1	..	1	1	..	1	29	17	46	18	51	69	4	19	23	53	[4]	87
Wanganui ..	2	1	3	14	7	21	44	45	89	32	78	110	3	25	28	95	[2]	156
Hawke's Bay ..	1	..	1	10	2	12	40	36	76	19	96	115	5	18	23	75	[2]	162
Wellington ..	5	2	7	27	25	52	47	101	148	49	163	212	2	30	32	130	[3]	321
Nelson ..	1	1	2	9	6	15	14	20	34	9	45	54	2	13	15	35	[4]	85
Canterbury ..	8	..	8	43	14	57	77	94	271	63	219	282	11	44	55	202	[7]	471
Otago ..	3	1	4	29	10	39	69	128	197	43	133	176	3	13	16	147	[2]	285
Southland ..	1	..	1	13	6	19	19	44	63	24	70	94	10	17	27	67	[10]	137
Totals ..	24	6	30	176	76	252	505	768	1,273	361	1,093	1,454	51	263	314	1,117	[18]	2,206

NOTE.—Numbers in brackets represent assistants employed in secondary departments of district high schools.

TABLE E4.—AVERAGE SALARIES OF ADULT PRIMARY TEACHERS, 1917.

Grade of School and Average Attendance.	Sole Teachers.				Head Teachers.				Assistant Teachers.				All Teachers.			
	Excluding House Allowance and Rents.		Including House Allowance and Rents.		Excluding House Allowance and Rents.		Including House Allowance and Rents.		M.		F.		Excluding House Allowance and Rents.		Including House Allowance and Rents.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
0 (1-8)	42 13 4	49 19 7	42 13 4	49 19 7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	42 13 4	49 19 7	42 13 4	49 19 7
I (9-20)	119 9 10	138 17 1	139 9 10	138 17 1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	139 9 10	138 17 1	139 9 10	138 17 1
II (21-35)	157 6 2	172 11 8	177 6 2	172 11 8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	153 8 7	171 2 2	173 0 0	173 0 0
IIIA (36-80)	220 10 10	228 15 6	250 10 10	228 15 6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	254 2 1	156 17 9	192 18 8	192 18 8
IIIB (81-120)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	273 19 6	128 19 2	176 0 4	176 0 4
IV (121-240)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	299 15 2	149 11 9	199 19 11	199 19 11
V (241-400)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	320 15 1	156 13 3	201 18 5	201 18 5
VI (401-500)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	329 11 5	171 18 5	222 1 7	222 1 7
VII (over 500)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	338 14 8	166 19 0	215 19 6	215 19 6
All grades	152 15 9	124 11 10	174 1 7	142 5 0	275 15 7	216 19 5	312 0 3	247 7 10	257 4 3	148 17 2	144 15 11	173 11 0	267 2 4	151 14 11	185 12 11	185 12 11
Grades I-VII	153 16 3	135 18 11	175 6 1	156 5 11	275 15 7	216 19 5	312 0 3	247 7 10	257 4 3	148 17 2	148 16 3	177 5 8	267 12 1	156 1 1	189 14 11	189 14 11
Grades II-VII	171 12 6	156 2 1	193 17 9	176 17 4	275 15 7	216 19 5	312 0 3	247 7 10	257 4 3	148 17 2	154 2 5	185 18 8	278 14 0	159 2 1	197 5 7	197 5 7
	(212)	(407)	(212)	(407)	(743)	(166)	(743)	(166)	(315)	(2,136)	(2,709)	(3,979)	(1,270)	(2,709)	(3,979)	(3,979)

NOTE.—The numbers in parentheses indicate the number of teachers.

TABLE F1.—INCOME AND BANK BALANCES OF THE SEVERAL EDUCATION BOARDS FOR THE YEAR 1917.

Education Boards.	Receipts from Government.											Receipts from Local Sources.	Total Receipts.	Credit Balances, 1st January, 1917.
	Receipts from Government.													
	General Fund. (Capitation at 5s. per Unit of Average Attendance.)	Teachers' and Relieving- teachers' Salaries and Allowances.	Libraries (Capitation Grant).	Conveyance and Board of Pupils.	Incidental Expenses of Schools.	Training of Teachers.	Manual Instruction (excluding Buildings).	Technical Instruction (excluding Buildings).	Buildings, Sites, Furniture, Apparatus, &c.	Teachers' House Allowance.	Scholarships, Subsidies, and Miscellaneous.	Total from Government.	(13)	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)
Auckland	£ s. d. 10,990 9 7	£ s. d. 241,169 18 6	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 975 19 6	£ s. d. 15,407 2 0	£ s. d. 11,038 10 10	£ s. d. 18,226 2 10	£ s. d. 38,854 9 5	£ s. d. 9,043 13 3	£ s. d. 3,959 1 5	£ s. d. 365,597 16 3	£ s. d. 372,469 5 9	£ s. d. 61,017 15 4	
Taranaki	£ s. d. 2,094 0 0	£ s. d. 50,453 6 2	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 3,317 9 8	£ s. d. 72 7 4	£ s. d. 3,863 15 1	£ s. d. 9,791 4 9	£ s. d. 1,464 4 8	£ s. d. 687 1 10	£ s. d. 74,564 16 11	£ s. d. 76,498 9 7	£ s. d. 2,792 1 3	
Wanganui	£ s. d. 3,243 10 2	£ s. d. 73,842 1 5	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 289 18 6	£ s. d. 4,683 14 4	£ s. d. 317 15 8	£ s. d. 6,182 14 10	£ s. d. 9,531 1 8	£ s. d. 2,526 2 8	£ s. d. 1,166 0 7	£ s. d. 105,691 14 5	£ s. d. 111,838 1 4	£ s. d. 2,375 2 1	
Hawke's Bay	£ s. d. 2,778 14 0	£ s. d. 61,656 6 3	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 1,261 8 11	£ s. d. 3,877 10 9	£ s. d. 333 11 7	£ s. d. 3,437 10 0	£ s. d. 8,261 2 0	£ s. d. 1,682 10 9	£ s. d. 1,189 11 5	£ s. d. 88,224 13 3	£ s. d. 90,284 3 1	£ s. d. 8,403 18 11	
Wellington	£ s. d. 5,252 5 0	£ s. d. 112,731 13 4	£ s. d. 257 18 9	£ s. d. 829 11 2	£ s. d. 6,967 17 9	£ s. d. 12,457 7 7	£ s. d. 11,700 5 0	£ s. d. 17,946 13 0	£ s. d. 3,186 2 6	£ s. d. 2,657 13 7	£ s. d. 180,726 12 6	£ s. d. 183,731 4 7	£ s. d. 6,781 19 2	
Nelson	£ s. d. 1,451 5 0	£ s. d. 36,754 5 3	£ s. d. 75 3 3	£ s. d. 931 11 0	£ s. d. 2,407 0 0	£ s. d. 100 0 0	£ s. d. 2,866 2 10	£ s. d. 5,105 17 10	£ s. d. 1,446 17 8	£ s. d. 734 16 0	£ s. d. 52,825 11 5	£ s. d. 54,073 16 8	£ s. d. 608 12 9	
Canterbury	£ s. d. 7,447 10 0	£ s. d. 167,616 14 10	£ s. d. 365 19 6	£ s. d. 3,771 9 9	£ s. d. 10,426 11 9	£ s. d. 9,767 14 9	£ s. d. 13,675 8 2	£ s. d. 28,537 16 9	£ s. d. 3,498 14 10	£ s. d. 2,769 19 0	£ s. d. 256,773 11 4	£ s. d. 260,341 7 6	£ s. d. 6,954 19 0	
Otago..	£ s. d. 5,117 13 6	£ s. d. 111,844 19 11	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 1,943 15 2	£ s. d. 6,961 15 6	£ s. d. 11,117 7 10	£ s. d. 10,086 10 9	£ s. d. 20,854 18 0	£ s. d. 1,313 4 9	£ s. d. 1,961 2 6	£ s. d. 178,130 0 8	£ s. d. 182,459 18 4	£ s. d. 8,354 14 7	
Southland	£ s. d. 2,672 18 8	£ s. d. 61,024 12 3	£ s. d. 127 15 6	£ s. d. 1,561 2 1	£ s. d. 4,160 9 6	£ s. d. 298 12 8	£ s. d. 5,343 14 9	£ s. d. 9,245 12 4	£ s. d. 1,132 17 5	£ s. d. 763 15 9	£ s. d. 89,701 8 9	£ s. d. 92,007 12 0	£ s. d. 6,476 2 7	
Totals	£ s. d. 4,048 5 11	£ s. d. 917,093 17 11	£ s. d. 826 17 0	£ s. d. 11,564 16 1	£ s. d. 158,209 11 3	£ s. d. 45,503 8 8	£ s. d. 675,382 4 3	£ s. d. 148,128 15 9	£ s. d. 925,294 8 6	£ s. d. 615,889 2 1	£ s. d. 1,392,236 5 6	£ s. d. 4,123,703 18 10	£ s. d. 103,765 5 8	



TABLE F4.—OFFICE STAFF OF EDUCATION BOARDS AS AT 31ST DECEMBER, 1917.

	Salaries paid in 1917.	Remarks.
<b>Auckland—</b>	£ s. d.	
Secretary and Treasurer .. .. .	600 0 0	
Assistant Secretary .. .. .	400 0 0	
Accountant .. .. .	197 10 0	Half salary, with Expeditionary Force.
Clerks, 9—1 at £327 7s. 6d., 1 at £181 3s. .. .. .	508 10 6	
1 at £137 5s. .. .. .	137 5 0	Half salary, from 1st May, with Expeditionary Force.
1 at £88 2s. 6d. .. .. .	88 2 6	Half salary, with Expeditionary Force.
1 at £177 7s. 6d., 1 at £176 5s. .. .. .	353 12 6	
1 at £129 3s. 5d., 1 at £82 10s. .. .. .	211 13 5	
1 at £70 16s. 9d. .. .. .	70 16 9	Half salary from 23rd August, with Expeditionary Force.
Extra clerical assistance .. .. .	810 9 8	
Architect .. .. .	700 0 0	With actual travelling-expenses.
Draughtsman .. .. .	274 5 4	
Foreman of Works .. .. .	254 0 0	Including travelling-expenses.
Truant Officer .. .. .	258 0 8	"
<b>Total</b> .. .. .	<b>4,864 6 4</b>	
<b>Taranaki—</b>		
Secretary .. .. .	375 0 0	
Assistant Secretary .. .. .	200 0 0	
Clerks .. .. .	218 8 5	
Truant Officer .. .. .	140 7 6	
Architect .. .. .	312 0 0	With travelling-allowance.
Foreman .. .. .	234 0 0	"
" .. .. .	208 0 0	
<b>Total</b> .. .. .	<b>1,687 15 11</b>	
<b>Wanganui—</b>		
Secretary and Treasurer .. .. .	500 0 0	
Clerks, 8—1 at £140, 1 at £134 3s. 4d. .. .. .	274 3 4	Half salary, with Expeditionary Force
1 at £280 16s. 8d., 1 at £173 0s. 8d. .. .. .	453 17 4	
1 at £142 10s., 1 at £112 10s. .. .. .	255 0 0	
1 at £87 10s., 1 at £60 .. .. .	147 10 1	
Architect .. .. .	146 12 3	
Draughtsman and Acting-Architect .. .. .	101 5 0	
Foreman of Works .. .. .	277 10 0	
Truant Officer .. .. .	280 0 0	With travelling-allowance, £40.
<b>Total</b> .. .. .	<b>2,435 18 0</b>	
<b>Hawke's Bay—</b>		
Secretary and Treasurer .. .. .	550 0 0	
Accountant .. .. .	112 10 0	Half salary, with Expeditionary Force.
Clerks, 4—1 at £246 5s. .. .. .	246 5 0	
1 at £102 13s. 4d. .. .. .	102 13 4	Part-time.
1 at £111 4s. 4d. .. .. .	111 4 4	"
1 at £144 16s. 8d. .. .. .	144 16 8	
Architect .. .. .	325 0 0	With travelling-allowance.
<b>Total</b> .. .. .	<b>1,592 9 4</b>	
<b>Wellington—</b>		
Secretary and Treasurer .. .. .	600 0 0	
Chief Clerk .. .. .	300 0 0	
Accountant .. .. .	300 0 0	
Clerks, 6—1 at £280, 1 at £210 .. .. .	490 0 0	
1 at £190, 1 at £130 .. .. .	320 0 0	
1 at £50, 1 at £40 .. .. .	90 0 0	
Typists, 3—2 at £104, 1 at £78 .. .. .	286 0 0	
Architect .. .. .	350 0 0	With actual travelling-expenses.
Draughtsman .. .. .	210 0 0	
Foreman of Works .. .. .	240 0 0	"
Truant Officer .. .. .	170 0 0	"
<b>Total</b> .. .. .	<b>3,356 0 0</b>	
<b>Nelson—</b>		
Secretary and Treasurer .. .. .	350 9 0	
Clerks, 3—1 at £150, 1 at £148 10s. .. .. .	298 10 0	
1 at £38 15s. .. .. .	38 15 0	
Truant Officer .. .. .	52 0 0	
<b>Total</b> .. .. .	<b>739 5 0</b>	



TABLE F4.—OFFICE STAFF OF EDUCATION BOARDS AS AT 31ST DECEMBER, 1917—*continued*.

	Salaries paid in 1917.	Remarks.
Canterbury—	£ s. d.	
Secretary .. .. .	550 0 0	
Assistant Secretary .. .. .	350 0 0	
Accountant .. .. .	308 6 8	
Clerks, 7—1 at £250, 1 at £170 .. .. .	420 0 0	
1 at £156, 1 at £85 .. .. .	241 0 0	
1 at £65 .. .. .	65 0 0	
2 on military service .. .. .	121 5 0	
3 Typists at £100 .. .. .	300 0 0	
War bonus .. .. .	80 9 0	
Architect .. .. .	400 0 0	
Assistant Architect .. .. .	225 0 0	
Draughtsman .. .. .	125 0 0	
Foremen of Works, 3—1 at £325, 1 at £225, 1 at £210 .. .. .	760 0 0	
Truant Officers, 2—1 at £200, 1 at £100 .. .. .	300 0 0	
Total .. .. .	4,246 0 8	
Otago—		
Secretary .. .. .	550 0 0	
Clerks, 8—1 at £320, 1 at £260 .. .. .	580 0 0	
1 at £123 1s. 11d. .. .. .	123 1 11	Half salary, from 13th February, with Expeditionary Force. From 1st January to 31st August.
1 at £123 1s. 11d. .. .. .	123 1 11	
1 at £177 10s., 1 at £128 16s. 2d. .. .. .	306 6 2	
1 at £81 12s. 6d., 1 at £74 10s. 3d. .. .. .	156 2 9	
Architect .. .. .	472 19 11	
Draughtsman .. .. .	112 10 0	Half salary, with Expeditionary Force. From 8th October to 29th December.
" .. .. .	48 0 0	
Truant Officer .. .. .	213 13 4	
Total .. .. .	2,685 16 0	
Southland—		
Secretary .. .. .	405 0 0	
Accountant .. .. .	235 10 0	
Clerks, 2—1 at £128 6s. 8d., 1 at £86 13s. 4d. .. .. .	215 0 0	
Typist .. .. .	76 17 9	
Architect .. .. .	400 0 0	
Assistant Architect .. .. .	250 0 0	
Truant Officer .. .. .	200 0 0	
Total .. .. .	1,782 7 9	
Grand total .. .. .	£23,389 19 0	

TABLE F5A.—SUMMARY OF EDUCATION BOARDS' INCOME, 1877-1917.

Year.	Balances, 1st January.			Maintenance.			Other Grants from Government.			Local Receipts.			Interest.			Deposits, Refunds, &c.			Total.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1877	..	32,490	7 6	16,604	4 3	157,392	15 10	46,812	7 6	..	..	..	..	..	..	411,823	18 4	308,269	11 10	..	..
1878	..	23,323	0 9	8,862	3 9	216,666	4 0	101,257	2 11	..	..	..	..	..	..	6,361	1 4	360,759	7 6	..	..
1883	..	11,532	15 4	24,714	18 9	266,967	12 11	83,322	10 9	..	..	..	..	..	..	3,117	4 2	393,890	0 7	..	..
1888	..	25,118	3 0	31,882	3 1	318,273	0 3	46,783	10 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	802	1 6	425,268	2 5	..	..
1893	..	51,098	17 6	37,169	11 0	350,465	13 11	47,273	0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,014	14 6	490,411	9 5	..	..
1898	..	14,317	17 3	38,023	15 4	396,114	6 11	64,733	2 6	2,557	13 8	..	..	..	..	266	2 2	523,731	1 8	..	..
1900	..	5,520	13 10	41,381	1 8	387,637	10 8	58,740	12 6	996	15 9	..	..	..	..	1,790	1 0	501,943	10 10	..	..
1901	..	11,565	8 8	40,969	0 2	413,381	2 11	55,049	7 3	4,948	0 7	..	..	..	..	645	14 8	533,101	11 5	..	..
1902	..	6,923	0 3	43,046	17 10	458,966	7 11	60,679	11 3	8,726	4 11	..	..	..	..	770	6 0	586,390	16 5	..	..
1903	..	17,892	15 5	44,506	4 2	432,897	7 1	78,406	13 11	8,461	2 4	17,664	3 5	..	..	387	19 8	607,593	13 11	..	..
1904	..	6,485	17 11	44,429	9 11	439,538	19 6	98,839	9 1	14,316	1 8	19,226	7 7	..	..	2,766	17 2	632,241	4 9	..	..
1905	..	29,230	11 9	49,236	6 8	461,948	15 8	86,458	13 7	20,702	14 11	22,678	11 5	..	..	1,380	5 1	678,953	1 4	..	..
1906	..	20,923	7 1	48,895	7 11	519,734	19 11	172,075	15 5	32,279	13 1	32,431	13 6	..	..	1,064	9 2	845,881	0 3	..	..
1907	..	59,075	8 11	47,385	4 8	539,365	4 9	127,610	6 1	31,126	13 6	30,440	10 1	..	..	622	6 0	847,950	17 2	..	..
1908	..	50,178	1 11	48,764	19 6	542,098	11 7	185,777	10 10	42,634	15 11	31,128	14 8	..	..	2,486	18 8	916,611	15 5	..	..
1909	..	78,144	3 1	57,282	3 6	609,934	16 3	107,021	19 5	48,514	3 7	29,339	12 8	..	..	5,995	7 5	949,177	8 1	..	..
1910	..	29,997	0 9	53,562	5 11	647,732	16 10	158,226	13 5	52,692	3 11	29,799	4 4	..	..	5,998	6 5	994,796	9 0	..	..
1911	..	66,711	11 5	46,776	16 7	671,563	0 9	163,219	16 6	56,691	7 11	31,344	13 7	..	..	3,879	5 5	1,054,591	7 0	..	..
1912	..	41,528	1 9	61,731	13 8	730,995	5 5	188,911	0 1	66,587	14 2	30,082	13 1	..	..	4,023	17 1	1,155,833	18 11	..	..
1913	..	51,807	15 9	63,487	16 10	747,580	17 3	181,101	10 1	74,836	18 4	30,162	10 11	..	..	5,896	18 0	1,172,486	10 3	..	..
1914	..	31,617	12 0	64,158	10 8	800,705	2 1	232,942	1 8	77,067	18 8	32,759	11 4	..	..	6,261	4 6	1,262,404	3 1	..	..
1915	..	50,926	19 5	983,345	0 9	..	..	195,665	15 2	51,083	11 3	42,615	5 4	..	..	..	..	1,347,132	1 0	..	..
1916	..	76,527	2 2	1,115,028	8 11	..	..	149,090	8 3	60,134	3 0	15,281	12 6	..	..	..	..	1,446,355	0 7	..	..
1917	..	103,765	5 8	1,127,541	14 11	..	..	173,423	4 3	75,382	4 3	15,889	2 1	..	..	..	..	1,527,469	4 6	..	..

\* Including sums raised by School Committees and expended on education without going through the Boards' books.  
 † Including £9,025 7s. 5d. for secondary schools, the Auckland College and Grammar School and the Otago High School being under the charge of the Education Boards during the year 1877.  
 ‡ Included amongst rents, &c.  
 § Included in previous years amongst "Maintenance."

TABLE F5B.—SUMMARY OF EDUCATION BOARDS' EXPENDITURE, 1877-1917.

Year.	Management by Boards.	Inspection and Examination.	Maintenance of Schools.*	School Buildings.	Secondary Instruction.	Technical.	Interest and Exchanges.	Conveyance and Board of Children. Refunds. Advances. &c.	Balances, 31st December.	Totals.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1877	10,484 14 10	5,606 19 7	173,726 9 7	80,351 16 9	..	..	256 12 6	14,519 17 10	23,323 0 9	308,269 11 10
1878	10,225 12 2	6,142 14 5	192,736 19 7	89,255 3 7	..	..	252 4 11	3,973 8 11	58,173 3 11	360,759 7 6
1883	9,662 12 9	9,866 11 8	272,269 17 2	86,748 13 0	..	..	214 12 1	2,120 2 3	13,007 11 8	393,890 0 7
1888	9,566 11 10	10,147 10 5	327,085 3 8	30,354 13 9	..	..	61 7 0	332 14 7	47,715 1 2	425,263 2 5
1893	11,860 10 11	11,882 10 3	371,205 1	44,387 2 4	..	..	207 9 0	659 2 4	50,709 13 7	490,411 9 5
1898	12,649 0 6	13,076 16 11	412,373 15 11	52,719 18 4	..	6,112 10 9	271 10 10	1,510 17 4	25,016 11 1	523,731 1 8
1900	14,532 4 0	14,698 18 4	401,977 1 2	51,805 18 2	..	5,720 18 2	327 9 11	1,315 12 4	11,565 8 8	501,943 10 10
1901	15,127 5 1	14,690 9 11	427,659 13 5	60,102 13 0	..	7,610 13 10	241 11 9	746 4 2	6,923 0 3	533,101 11 5
1902	14,693 9 8	14,215 2 10	465,247 15 1	61,763 5 2	..	11,805 7 9	..	790 14 6	18,075 1 5	586,390 16 5
1903	30,493 7 11	..	461,830 3 2	94,990 13 11	..	12,984 9 8	..	809 1 4	6,485 17 11	607,593 13 11
1904	31,980 15 2	..	449,249 11 7	83,509 1 6	20,507 12 11	16,735 7 7	..	1,028 4 3	29,230 11 9	632,241 4 9
1905	32,675 0 0	..	472,064 2 3	101,582 19 8	24,698 1 11	25,055 17 5	..	1,953 13 0	20,923 7 1	678,953 1 4
1906	35,148 10 5	..	527,856 3 4	150,344 5 6	33,002 13 1	36,239 12 8	..	4,214 6 4	59,075 8 11	845,881 0 3
1907	37,831 18 1	..	547,114 19 10	131,238 12 4	32,465 14 9	43,461 15 1	..	5,669 15 2	50,178 1 11	847,950 17 2
1908	39,730 9 7	..	550,846 4 9	157,969 3 8	31,892 8 7	48,212 3 10	..	9,817 1 11	78,144 3 1	916,611 15 5
1909	42,332 0 0	..	620,360 10 9	169,601 5 0	32,135 10 2	47,926 10 10	..	6,764 10 7	29,997 0 9	949,177 8 1
1910	41,395 17 6	..	650,899 6 5	136,716 6 11	32,811 3 11	56,048 13 6	..	10,213 9 4	66,711 11 5	994,796 9 0
1911	43,697 2 9	..	684,193 15 6	175,401 6 9	32,619 17 1	65,194 17 1	..	11,956 6 1	41,528 1 9	1,054,591 7 0
1912	47,772 9 11	..	723,039 19 11	201,682 5 3	33,361 2 4	77,131 7 2	..	21,069 3 7	51,777 10 9	1,155,833 18 11
1913	48,003 18 4	..	757,255 14 5	207,994 17 4	33,072 4 7	82,030 6 9	..	12,511 16 10	31,617 12 0	1,172,486 10 3
1914	48,266 12 5	..	804,960 3 2	219,096 10 4	34,436 8 9	89,349 18 8	..	14,792 10 4	51,501 19 5	1,262,404 3 1
1915	48,892 3 4	..	952,667 19 11	183,534 4 9	34,961 14 7	86,109 0 5	..	14,439 15 10	76,527 2 2	1,347,132 1 0
1916	32,367 16 2	..	1,069,708 5 9	147,706 4 3	16,880 17 9	60,733 5 5	..	15,193 5 7	103,765 5 8	1,446,955 0 7
1917	31,874 5 3	..	1,072,169 14 3	164,545 6 3	25,559 0 2	70,632 13 8	..	11,503 2 2	151,185 2 9	1,527,469 4 6

\* Maintenance includes teachers' and pupil-teachers' salaries and pupil-teachers' lodging allowances, and training of teachers. † Including £11,166 2s. for the Auckland College and Grammar School and the Otago High School, which were under the charge of the Board. ‡ Prior to 1915 inspectors' salaries were included in this column. § Prior to 1915 manual instruction was included in this column.

TABLE F6.—BALANCES AND OTHER MONETARY ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF EDUCATION BOARDS AS AT 31ST DECEMBER, 1917.

Education Boards.	Monetary Assets.						Liabilities.						Balances.	
	Bank.		Other Assets.		Total.		Overdrafts.		Other Liabilities.		Total.			
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.		
Auckland ..	77,012	11 11	38,477	5 5	115,489	17 4	..	..	31,495	8 8	31,495	8 8	83,994	8 8
Taranaki ..	1,572	2 0	8,741	6 1	10,313	8 1	..	..	401	2 0	401	2 0	9,912	6 1
Wanganui ..	1,898	3 0	7,351	2 6	9,249	5 6	..	..	7,055	0 6	7,055	0 6	2,194	5 0
Hawke's Bay ..	12,421	19 9	3,571	3 10	15,993	3 7	..	..	1,182	3 11	1,182	3 11	14,810	19 8
Wellington ..	14,367	2 3	3,246	0 3	17,613	2 6	..	..	1,893	3 6	1,893	3 6	15,719	19 0
Nelson ..	2,101	14 8	2,193	17 5	4,295	12 1	..	..	1,730	18 9	1,730	18 9	2,564	13 4
Canterbury ..	14,234	4 2	12,998	10 6	27,232	14 8	..	..	8,258	0 8	8,258	0 8	18,974	14 0
Otago ..	20,295	5 3	4,478	17 2	24,774	2 5	..	..	5,539	5 8	5,539	5 8	19,234	16 9
Southland ..	7,281	19 9	2,435	0 6	9,717	0 3	..	..	931	15 0	931	15 0	8,785	5 3
Totals ..	151,185	2 9	83,493	3 8	234,678	6 5	..	..	58,486	18 8	58,486	18 8	176,191	7 9

TABLE F6A.—BALANCES AND OTHER MONETARY ASSETS AND LIABILITIES (ALL ACCOUNTS EXCLUDING BUILDINGS) OF EDUCATION BOARDS AS AT 31ST DECEMBER, 1917.

Education Boards.	Monetary Assets.						Liabilities.						Balances.			
	Bank.		Other Assets.		Total.		Overdrafts.		Other Liabilities.		Total.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Auckland ..	31,177	18	6	3,476	15	0	34,654	13	6	..	..	..	3,505	9	10	Cr. 31,149 3 8
Taranaki ..	3,220	17	11	2,601	15	4	5,822	13	3	..	..	..	251	2	0	Cr. 5,571 11 3
Wanganui ..	4,403	6	10	3,984	7	9	8,387	14	7	..	..	..	2,508	1	1	Cr. 5,879 13 6
Hawke's Bay ..	5,741	3	11	1,846	14	9	7,587	18	8	..	..	..	505	12	3	Cr. 7,082 6 5
Wellington ..	9,948	14	7	3,246	0	3	13,194	14	10	..	..	..	306	14	0	Cr. 12,888 0 10
Nelson ..	..	..	..	2,030	15	0	2,030	15	0	3,064	0	9	1,035	18	9	Dr. 2,069 4 6
Canterbury ..	2,542	19	2	3,516	17	4	6,059	16	6	..	..	..	1,179	8	8	Cr. 4,880 7 10
Otago ..	12,888	1	10	2,382	3	11	15,270	5	9	..	..	..	2,129	7	8	Cr. 13,140 18 1
Southland ..	6,436	9	8	1,229	4	11	7,665	14	7	..	..	..	512	15	0	Cr. 7,152 19 7
Totals ..	76,359	12	5	24,314	14	3	100,674	6	8	3,064	0	9	11,934	9	3	Cr. 85,675 16 8

TABLE F6B.—BALANCES AND OTHER MONETARY ASSETS AND LIABILITIES, BUILDINGS ACCOUNT (NEW BUILDINGS AND ADDITIONS, REBUILDING AND MAINTENANCE OF BUILDINGS, LAND SALES, AND RENTS), OF EDUCATION BOARDS AS AT 31ST DECEMBER, 1917.

Education Boards.	Monetary Assets.						Liabilities.						Balances.	
	Bank.		Other Assets.		Total.		Overdrafts.		Other Liabilities.		Total.			
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Auckland ..	45,834	13 5	35,000	10 5	80,835	3 10	..	..	27,989	18 10	27,989	18 10	Cr.	52,845 5 0
Taranaki ..	..	..	6,139	10 9	6,139	10 9	1,648	15 11	150	0 0	1,798	15 11	Cr.	4,340 14 10
Wanganui ..	..	..	3,366	14 9	3,366	14 9	2,505	3 10	4,546	19 5	7,052	3 3	Dr.	3,685 8 6
Hawke's Bay ..	6,680	15 10	1,724	9 1	8,405	4 11	..	..	676	11 8	676	11 8	Cr.	7,728 13 3
Wellington ..	4,418	7 8	..	..	4,418	7 8	..	..	1,586	9 6	1,586	9 6	Cr.	2,831 18 2
Nelson ..	5,165	15 5	163	2 5	5,328	17 10	..	..	695	0 0	695	0 0	Cr.	4,633 17 10
Canterbury ..	11,691	5 0	9,481	13 2	21,172	18 2	..	..	7,078	12 0	7,078	12 0	Cr.	14,094 6 2
Otago ..	7,407	3 5	2,096	13 3	9,503	16 8	..	..	3,409	18 0	3,409	18 0	Cr.	6,093 18 8
Southland ..	845	10 1	1,205	15 7	2,051	5 8	..	..	419	0 0	419	0 0	Cr.	1,632 5 8
Totals ..	82,043	10 10	59,178	9 5	141,222	0 3	4,153	19 9	46,552	9 5	50,706	9 2	Cr.	90,515 11 1

TABLE F6C.—BALANCES AND ASSETS AND LIABILITIES (SCHOOL BUILDINGS, REBUILDING ACCOUNT) OF EDUCATION BOARDS AS AT 31ST DECEMBER, 1917.

Education Boards.				Ledger Balances at End of Year.			Assets.			Liabilities.			Net Credit Balances at End of Year.		
				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Auckland..	..	..	..	60,035	0	5	1,780	5	0	1,450	8	10	60,364	16	7
Taranaki ..	..	..	..	1,454	16	10	2,353	15	0	..	..	..	3,808	11	10
Wanganui ..	..	..	..	19,861	17	9	448	3	4	3,591	9	11	16,718	11	2
Hawke's Bay	..	..	..	16,296	16	8	191	0	0	207	9	9	16,280	6	11
Wellington ..	..	..	..	18,246	9	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	18,246	9	11
Nelson ..	..	..	..	6,755	18	3	50	0	0	..	..	..	6,805	18	3
Canterbury ..	..	..	..	15,602	17	0	2,639	5	3	4,500	0	0	13,742	2	3
Otago ..	..	..	..	10,310	9	8	435	6	8	500	0	0	10,245	16	4
Southland ..	..	..	..	6,957	18	5	413	5	0	323	0	0	7,048	3	5
Totals ..	..	..	..	155,522	4	11	8,311	0	3	10,572	8	6	153,260	16	8

## APPENDIX A.

## ABRIDGED REPORTS OF EDUCATION BOARDS.

## AUCKLAND.

SIR,—

Education Office, Auckland, 27th March, 1918.

In accordance with the requirements of the Education Act, the Education Board of the District of Auckland has the honour to submit the following report for last year:—

*Board.*—The members in office are: For the Auckland Urban Area—Mrs. R. L. Baume, and Messrs. F. W. H. Brinsden, G. J. Garland, and G. W. Murray; North Ward—Mr. J. D. McKenzie (Chairman) and Mr. R. C. Smith; East Ward—Messrs. E. C. Banks and A. Burns; West Ward—Messrs. J. Boddie and J. S. Bond. I regret to report that Mr. W. Auld, a member for the West Ward, died at the end of 1917. The Board places on record its appreciation of the services rendered by Mr. Auld as a member of the Board.

*Schools.*—At the end of last year the number of schools in operation was 641, being an increase of eleven during the year. Of those schools 126 were worked as part-time schools. In reporting upon part-time schools the Inspectors state that the main object in recommending that schools be worked half-time is not to effect saving, but to secure greater efficiency in the schools; and that the relatively high salary paid in part-time schools tends to draw a teacher of a much better class than can usually be secured for small full-time schools, and that in consequence the work in part-time schools is generally of a much higher quality than the work in Grade I full-time schools. They state further that they are of opinion that, whenever practicable, small schools should be worked as part-time schools.

*Buildings.*—During the year fifteen new schools were built and sixteen schools were enlarged. At the end of last year school was held in 502 buildings belonging to the Board and in 139 privately owned buildings. The number of teachers' residences was 204. Improvements, renovations, and larger repairs to schools are undertaken by a competent staff of workmen under the direction of the architect. It has been necessary to postpone as far as possible such maintenance works as are not considered very urgent, owing to the heavy cost of materials and the increasing scarcity of labour, and the fact that the cost of painting-materials, roofing-iron, &c., is now practically prohibitive, and, further, that for the most part the quality of the materials is indifferent. So soon as things become normal again the arrears of work will be overtaken as early as possible.

*Attendance.*—The number of scholars on the roll at the end of last year was 52,133—viz., boys, 27,166; girls, 24,967. This represents a total increase of 1,802 for the year. The average attendance for the December quarter was 47,162, and for last year the average was 45,742. At the end of last year 2,396 Maoris and half-caste scholars were enrolled.

*Teachers.*—The Board regrets to report that eighteen teachers have been killed in action during the year (names published in Appendix to E.—1). The number of teachers now with the Forces amounts to 300. Owing to the withdrawal of so many teachers for active service, the Board continues to experience serious difficulty in securing competent teachers to staff the schools. The Board has resolved that, in the interests of those teachers who are on active service, all appointments, as far as possible, shall be made temporary during the period of the war.

*Pupil-teachers.*—The Board is strongly of the opinion that the remuneration offered to pupil-teachers is insufficient to attract the best of our young people into the teaching profession. A beginner in the Public Service is paid £50 a year, plus £28 a year boarding-allowance if required to live away from home, whereas a pupil-teacher with the same qualification (*i.e.*, Intermediate Examination) is paid only £45 a year with £15 a year boarding-allowance. It is not an uncommon occurrence for a pupil-teacher or probationer to resign in order to accept appointment in the Public Service or some other calling. Three such resignations have been received during the present month. Another factor which seriously affects the admission of desirable candidates to the teaching service is the altogether inadequate remuneration paid to Training College students during the two years they are required to attend College. The experience of this Board is that some of the best pupil-teachers for financial reasons are quite unable to attend the College.

*Training College.*—The number of students at the end of last year was 105. Since the war began 158 students and ex-students have joined the Forces. Of those, twenty have been killed in action, and thirty-one have been wounded. The Board greatly regrets to report that the Principal, 2nd Lieutenant Herbert A. E. Milnes, who volunteered and was accepted for active service in March, 1916, was killed in action in the attack of Passchendaele Ridge, France, on the 2nd October, 1917. The Board places on record its appreciation of the very valuable services rendered by the late Mr. Milnes in the cause of education in this Dominion. His excellent qualities as a man and an educationist were very highly appreciated. His name will be remembered with

affectionate regard by all those who had the privilege of his acquaintance. It is the intention of the Board not to appoint a successor to Mr. Milnes until after the war, and to allow the present arrangements for the conduct of the Training College and Normal School to continue in the meantime.

*Manual and Technical Instruction.*—During the year manual-training schools were built at Matamata and Te Kuiti, and steps are being taken to provide manual-training schools at Rotorua, Huntly, Te Awamutu, Northcote, and Coromandel. The manual-training schools in Auckland City are overcrowded, and it is hoped that another school will be built at Kingsland during 1918. Classes were held at the following centres: Te Kuiti, Dargaville, Whangarei, Devonport, Otahuhu, Pukekohe, Hamilton, Thames, Waihi, Te Aroha, Matamata, Te Kopuru. The numbers in attendance at the various technical schools are steadily increasing, and the general efficiency of the work shows a marked improvement. The main subjects taken at the various centres are English, arithmetic, book-keeping, shorthand, typewriting, dressmaking, home science, woodwork and trade drawing, with the addition of plumbing at Thames, and plumbing and engineering at Hamilton. Application has been made for a grant for the erection of new technical-school buildings at Hamilton. A building consisting of a science-room and a class-room is being erected at the Morrinsville School.

The Board has made the rural course compulsory for all first- and second-year students in district high schools. The following are the district high schools: Aratapu, Pukekohe, Coromandel, Paeroa, Waihi, Tauranga, Te Kuiti, Cambridge; and to these, for 1918, will be added the newly established district high schools at Huntly, Taumarunui, and Matamata. It has been decided to increase the number of instructors in agriculture from three to five for the year 1918, and accordingly two additional instructors have been appointed. A teachers' farm school held at Ruakura Government Farm of Instruction during January was attended by about ninety teachers, and proved very successful. The Manager, Mr. A. W. Green, and officers of the Ruakura Farm, and Mr. J. Brown, B.Sc., Director of Agricultural Department, and officers of the Agricultural Department, gave every assistance, and the thanks of the Board is due to them for their active co-operation. 319 primary schools had recognized classes during 1917 (223 agriculture, ninety-three in agriculture and dairy science combined course, and three in dairy science). Every school in Grade IIIA, with one exception, and not including nineteen city and suburban schools, had recognized classes, as also had ninety-seven sole-charge schools. There are also ten Native schools with recognized classes in agriculture.

Teachers' classes for instruction in dairy science and agriculture, botany, and hygiene were held in January, June, and September; and, owing to the kindness of Mr. E. C. Isaac, Inspector of Technical Schools, who acted as instructor, a course of instruction in cardboard modelling and plasticine modelling was given to teachers in January, 1917. There is a great desire on the part of teachers for more instruction in these subjects. Thirty schools held classes in swimming and life-saving. Recognizing the importance of domestic-science teaching, the Board has decided to appoint, at a salary of £300 a year plus travelling-expenses, a woman organizer who will devote her time to the supervision of domestic-science work in the manual-training schools, technical schools, and colleges.

*Seddon Memorial Technical College.*—The war continued to exert an adverse influence on the College during the year, both as regards instructors and students. In the Technical High School the number of pupils in attendance was 541, being an increase of thirty-three over the previous year. The total number of students attending the College was 1,752, as against 1,837 in 1916, the decrease being largely attributable to the drain on students of military age.

*Advisory Inspector.*—Since the Inspectors became officers of the Education Department very often considerable delay was experienced in obtaining reports on various matters referred to them, so, with a view to expedite the furnishing of reports on applications for schools, enlargement of schools, selection of sites, &c., the Board resolved to appoint an Advisory Inspector. Mr. E. C. Purdie was appointed to that position at the beginning of last month. Mr. Purdie was formerly an Inspector of Schools in this district. I have, &c.,

The Hon. the Minister of Education, Wellington.

J. D. McKENZIE, Chairman.

## TARANAKI.

SIR,—

Education Office, New Plymouth, 31st March, 1918.

In accordance with the provision of the Education Act, I have the honour, on behalf of the Taranaki Education Board, to present the following report of its proceedings for the year 1917:—

At the beginning of the year the Board comprised the following members: Mr. R. Masters (Chairman), Rev. A. B. Chappell, Messrs. E. Dixon, S. G. Smith, H. Trimble, and C. A. Wilkinson, M.P. The Rev. A. B. Chappell, representing the North Ward, resigned on the 7th February, and at the special election held on the 26th March to fill the vacancy Mr. P. J. H. White was duly elected.

*Schools.*—The number of schools in operation at the end of the year 1917 was 153, inclusive of sixteen schools held in buildings not belonging to the Board. During this year new schools were opened at Finnerty Road, Hapurua-Waitewhena, Moss (household), and Te Wakarae, while the schools at Herangi, Mangaehu, Patua, and Shield's (household) were closed.

*Scholarships.*—Senior National Scholarships were awarded to pupils of the following schools: Stratford District High School, 1; New Plymouth Boys' High School, 3. Junior National Scholarships were awarded to scholars from the following schools: New Plymouth Girls' High School, 4; New Plymouth Boys' High School, 1; Waitara, 1; Hawera, 1; Manaia, 1; Stratford, 1. The Bayly Memorial Scholarship was awarded to a pupil of the Stratford District High School, who, however, relinquished the scholarship in favour of a Junior National Scholarship. One pupil from the Stratford District High School was awarded a Junior University Scholarship, being third on the credit list, the boy's success being a pleasing proof of the high standard of secondary work in this district; another pupil secured second place on the credit list in the Senior National Scholarship Examination, passing the Matriculation Examination at the end of the third high-school year.

*Teaching Staff.*—The following are the numbers of the teachers, pupil-teachers, and probationers in the service of the Board at the end of the year:—

	Male.	Female.	Total.
Head teachers ... ..	39	22	61
Sole teachers ... ..	19	73	92
Assistants ... ..	13	112	125
Pupil-teachers ... ..	1	22	23
Probationers ... ..	4	19	23
	<hr/> 76	<hr/> 248	<hr/> 324

*Buildings.*—New schools have been erected at Awakino, Finnerty Road, Pukengahu, Tahora, and Te Wakarae; also, additions were made to the Tokirima and Otakeho Schools. The Stanley Road School, destroyed by fire in 1916, has been reinstated. The new school, having been erected on modern open-air principles, has attracted some notice outside the limits of this district. The Okato School has been completely renovated and practically rebuilt. At Tatu a new residence, containing four rooms, has been erected. Eighteen schools and fifteen residences have been painted during the year. The installation of a properly equipped workshop and plant has enabled the Board to undertake the manufacture of the whole of the required furniture and joinery, and has proved eminently satisfactory. As a matter of business, and in view of the uncertainty of obtaining supplies, the Board throughout the year carried a heavy stock of building-materials. The value of the building stock on the 31st December was £1,610. It may be mentioned that the Board found it necessary to incur very heavy expenditure on the maintenance and repair of school buildings in the southern portion of the district, in particular on the buildings taken over from the Wanganui Board.

*Agricultural Instruction.*—This section of the Board's activities made good progress, as evidenced by the desire for extension of instruction next year at practically all centres. The centres of instruction for farmers reached a total of forty, and in addition several classes in horticulture and orchard-work were formed in the larger centres. For the latter development good support was forthcoming, especially from ladies, and a further extension in this line is assured. A short course in agriculture, &c., at Easter was attended by the majority of teachers in the Board's service, and has already demonstrated its utility in increased interest and more co-ordinated effort throughout the district. A special feature is being made of improvements to grounds, and with this end in view some propagation has been done in the majority of schools, and in some of them a great deal. It is hoped that shortly each of our school-grounds will be a beauty spot, and an object of pride to pupils and teachers alike. The model dairy farm now in operation at Stratford is an important development so far as the future of agricultural instruction is concerned. The instructor stationed at that centre will be responsible for official records, and an increasing amount of instructional work will be taken there by rural pupils.

*Technical Instruction.*—During 1917 the day classes at New Plymouth continued to be carried on, the engineering and commercial classes being very large classes. The evening classes were attended largely by compulsory students, many of whom showed a strong desire to progress in their studies. At Hawera day classes were inaugurated, and proved most successful. The commercial class was the largest, and in it and the general class much good work was done. The evening class in general was well attended. At Stratford, where the compulsory class was not in operation, some good work was done in the various evening classes. It will be necessary for the School Committee at Stratford to seriously consider the advisability of asking the Board to bring this centre into line with regard to the compulsory attendance of boys. At Eltham the experiment was tried of carrying on a shorthand class for girls in the early morning instead of in the evening. Owing to the keenness of the employers and others who made efforts to enable the students to attend, the success of the venture was such as to engender the hope that ultimately these early classes will be generally adopted.

*Manual Instruction.*—Woodwork and cookery classes have been carried on at New Plymouth, Stratford, Hawera, Eltham, and Inglewood. In accordance with the policy that where possible the instruction should be carried to the children instead of *vice versa*, members of the Board visited Waitara and suggested to the School Committee that the residents of the town should raise sufficient funds to erect a building wherein woodwork and cookery might be taught. The idea was taken up with avidity, and the sum of £220 was collected. The school is now completed.

*Secondary Instruction.*—It is pleasing to note the increase of interest in secondary education in this district. The attendance at the Stratford District High School and the day technical classes at New Plymouth and Hawera centres show that parents in the Taranaki Education District are becoming fully alive to the advantage of secondary education. The average attendance of the

Stratford secondary department during the period 1910-17 has risen from 95 to 143, and at Hawera from 34 to 47. As a further indication of the interest taken in education in this district, during the year the Hawera Borough Council offered the Board 5 acres of land, part of the Recreation Reserve No. 36, to be used as a site for the proposed technical high school, the site being one of the best in the borough; and the Stratford Borough Council, through the Board, donated 6 acres of land, part of Block 69, Stratford, to be vested in the Crown for education purposes, thus showing the keen interest taken by the citizens of those towns in secondary education.

*Pupil-teachers and Probationers.*—My Board desires to bring before your notice the urgent necessity of revising the scale of remuneration and allowances paid to pupil-teachers and probationers, in order that capable youths may be attracted to the teaching profession. There is every indication of scarcity of male teachers throughout the Dominion and of the position becoming more acute in the near future. As an illustration of the difficulty in the Taranaki District, it may be pointed out that in the year 1916, out of forty-one applicants for positions as pupil-teachers and probationers, only six were males; in 1917, out of forty-four applicants, four males; in 1918, out of forty-eight, two males, one subsequently resigning his position immediately on appointment. Better salaries are being offered by other Government Departments and commercial houses. If youths are to be induced to take up the teaching profession, consideration must be given to increasing the salaries now offered. Desirable and qualified candidates are undoubtedly being lost to the teaching profession on account of the meagre salary offered.

*Payment to Relieving Teachers.*—The Board, much against its wish, was compelled to reduce the allowance for sick-leave last year, on account of the capitation not being sufficient to meet the expenses attached to the reasonable time off for those unfortunate enough to be absent on account of illness. This has been unduly hard on teachers, who have given long and faithful services, and in many cases have not previously had cause to make a call on the Board. The allowance made is not in keeping with that made by private employers, and in many cases teachers have to return to their schools before they are sufficiently recovered to undertake their work. While the suggested increase in capitation will be appreciated and will enable the Board to make a more liberal scale for sick-leave, it will barely cover the cost incurred if the suggestions of the Department are complied with. Further, the debit standing on the Board's books against this account will still be a charge on the funds unless the Department undertakes to meet the liability, which was undoubtedly created through the grant not having been increased at the same time as the salaries were raised.

*Teachers' Classes.*—Saturday classes were held during the year at New Plymouth and at Stratford (alternate Saturdays) for the instruction of teachers and pupil-teachers in the following subjects: Drawing, hygiene and home science, handwork and agriculture. During the Easter holidays a successful course of instruction in agriculture, dairy-work, and nature-study was held at New Plymouth.

The following is an abstract showing the number of schools, teachers, and pupils attending schools in the district, beginning with the year 1877, to the present time:—

Year.	Schools.	Head and Sole Teachers.	Assistants.	Pupil-teachers and Probationers.	Total.	December Quarter's Return.	
						Roll Number.	Average.
1877 .. ..	23	23	7	2	32	726	496
1887 .. ..	35	35	9	26	70	2,395	1,597
1897 .. ..	60	60	18	29	107	3,845	3,018
1907 .. ..	81	78	45	23	146	5,096	4,246
1916 .. ..	149	147	130	48	325	9,649	8,458
1917 .. ..	153	153	125	46	324	10,019	9,007

I have, &c.,  
The Hon. the Minister of Education, Wellington.

ROBERT MASTERS, Chairman.

WANGANUI.

SIR,— Education Office, Wanganui, 31st March, 1918.  
In accordance with the provisions of the Education Act, I submit herewith a report on the progress of education in this district during the year 1917.  
*Board.*—There has been no change in the personnel of the Board since the election in July, 1916.

*Schools and Attendance.*—New schools were opened at Glenwarlock, Te Awa, Mangatiti Landing (Grade 0), Kawautahi Road, Ore Ore, Mount Richards Road, Pokako, and Upper Retaruke (Grade I). The schools at Rakautangi, Te Rimu, Makirikiri Valley, Naumanui, and Komako were closed. Ruatiti and Whareroa Schools were closed temporarily. The half-time schools at Coal Creek and Ridge Road were closed and a full-time school opened. At the close of the year



there were open 196 main schools, three side schools, and four half-time schools, graded as follows: Grade 0, 11; Grade 1, 63; Grade II, 35; Grade IIIA, 49; Grade IIIB, 12; Grade IVA, 9; Grade IVB, 2; Grade IVc, 1; Grade VA, 4; Grade VB, 3; Grade Vc, 1; Grade Vd, 2; Grade VIA, 1; Grade VIB, 4; Grade VIC, 1. The number of district high schools was six.

The number of children on the rolls at the close of the year was 15,204. Of these, 129 were in the secondary departments of district high schools. The average attendance for the year was 13,543, which expressed as a percentage of the average weekly roll number was 89.9. This is 1.4 higher than the previous year. The Truant Officer paid 274 visits to schools. 182 summonses were issued to parents. In the 147 cases proceeded with five were dismissed and 142 convictions were recorded. The fines inflicted and the costs awarded amounted to £81 1s. 10d.

*Teachers.*—The number of teachers in the Board's service on the 31st December, excluding pupil-teachers and probationers, was 454. The number of uncertificated teachers was 170. Of these, ten were in charge of Grade 0 schools, seventy-three were in charge of Grade I schools, thirty-one were in charge of Grade II schools, and fifty-six were assistants. Omitting the teachers in Grade 0 schools, uncertificated teachers holding war appointments, and twenty teachers who were granted certificates early in the year, the percentage of uncertificated teachers was 28.

*Pupil-teachers and Probationers.*—At the close of the year there were nine male and forty-two female pupil-teachers, and one male and twenty-five female probationers. The term of service of fifteen pupil-teachers and eight probationers expired, and of these fourteen entered the Training College. The Board desires to again direct attention to the inadequacy of the salaries and allowances of pupil-teachers, probationers, and training-college students.

*Scholarships.*—There were in force during the year thirty-five Junior National, fourteen Senior National, and six Education Board Scholarships. The total annual value was £1,053. On the result of the examinations held towards the close of the year, at which 129 candidates entered for the Junior and fifty-one for the Senior Examination, pupils of the following schools were awarded National Scholarships: Junior—Wanganui Girls' College, 1; College Street, 1; Wanganui Technical, 3; Beaconsfield, 1; Bull's District High School, 2; Palmerston North High School, 2; Feilding District High School, 1; Victoria Avenue, 2. Senior—Wanganui Collegiate, 3; Palmerston North High School, 4; Wanganui Technical, 2; Feilding District High School, 1. The Lieutenant Gray Scholarship, which was established by friends of the late Lieutenant J. H. Gray, formerly on the staff of the Campbell Street School, Palmerston North, is open for competition by the boys attending the four Palmerston North schools, and such other schools as the trustees may from time to time decide. It is of the annual value of £6 6s. At the examination held in December last eighteen candidates competed, the winner being a pupil of the Campbell Street School.

*Conveyance and Boarding Allowances.*—The total amount paid under this head was £344 4s. 6d. Conveyance allowance was granted on account of sixty-three children in attendance at ten schools. Twenty-five children in attendance at eleven schools received boarding-allowance. It is considered that if, instead of providing a capitation of £8 for household schools, the Department increased the boarding-allowance so as to cover the actual cost of boarding the pupil away from home in order that he might receive instruction from an efficient teacher better results would be obtained than under the present system. Household schools are situated in remote parts of the country, and are attended by the children of one or more families. The parents are called upon to supplement the teacher's salary, and to provide free board and lodging. This often inflicts hardship, especially where the settlers are in new country, and it seems unfair that they should be required to contribute in this way. The whole question of grants for the conveyance and board of children urgently requires attention.

*Voluntary Contributions.*—The sum of £841 10s. 11d. was received in contributions for primary schools and £316 15s. 6d. for manual and technical instruction. A contribution of £100 towards the erection of a school at Nukumarū was promised, and at Nukumarū, Omahine, Mount Richards Road, and Upper Retaruke sites for schools were given free. This generosity on the part of parents and others has enabled the Board to carry out many works which it would otherwise have had to abandon or at least postpone; to establish new libraries and enlarge others; and to provide apparatus for Montessori work. To the contributors throughout the district the Board tenders its thanks.

*The War.*—Fifteen teachers have joined the Expeditionary Forces in addition to those mentioned in previous reports. The total number of teachers and officials who have gone into camp is now ninety-two. (For names see appendix to E.—1.) Up to the time the report for 1916 was written seven of our teachers had made the supreme sacrifice. I regret to state that four more must now be added to the number. After very careful consideration the Board decided to appeal for the exemption of teachers in the Second Division. Good work continues to be done by the children throughout the district in raising funds for patriotic work.

*Buildings and Sites.*—The principal works completed during the year were the erection of new schools at Pokako, Te Pou, Ore Ore, Mount Richards Road, Raurimu; the removal of the Brownlee School to Nukumarū; the removal of the Kimbolton School to a new site; additions to the schools at Alton, Tiritea, Manunui, Te Arakura, and Raetihi; and the painting of thirty-two schools and twelve residences. Repairs, erection of shelter-sheds, out-offices, &c., have been carried out at a large number of places. Works now in hand include new schools at Omahine and Upper Tutaenui, and additions to the Carnarvon School. The erection of new infant departments at Campbell Street and College Street, and additions at Gonville, Terrace End, and Ohakea are contemplated. The Queen's Park School, with the exception of one room, was destroyed by fire in September last. It has been suggested that a site in another portion of the town be secured. The erection of the new building has been delayed pending a settlement of this matter. Excellent swimming-baths were constructed for the Campbell Street School. The School Committee under-

took the responsibility of raising the funds required for the work and for the purchase of a site of half an acre adjoining the new school-site. A subsidy of £200 was granted by the Department. Two acres of land were purchased as an addition to the Gonville site, the residents contributing £100. Suitable sites were given free at Nukumaru, Omahine, Mount Richards Road, and Upper Retaruke. The cost of building-materials continues to advance, and but for the fact that we have been able to lay in good stocks of some lines at fairly reasonable rates it would have been necessary to curtail our maintenance works.

*Manual and Technical Instruction.*—The Board desires again to express its appreciation of the generous assistance given by local bodies and individuals throughout the district to technical education. The war has greatly interfered with the attendance of adult pupils at technical classes, but there was an increase in the numbers who attended manual-training classes during the year.

The residents of Feilding have for some time been steadily working for the establishment of a technical high school, and it is pleasing to know that the Council of Education has approved of the proposal and has recommended that such an institution be established when a suitable site is provided. It is expected that the efforts to procure a site will be successful.

*General.*—I wish to thank Senior Inspector Strong for assisting and advising the Board in matters in which expert advice was required, and for continuing to fill the position of editor of *The Leaflet*. This little publication must be of immense assistance to teachers, and the wonder is that other districts have not taken up the idea. I have, &c.,

The Hon. the Minister of Education, Wellington.

I have, &c.,

FRED. PIRANI, Chairman.

## HAWKE'S BAY.

SIR,—

Education Office, Napier, 31st March, 1918.

In accordance with the provisions of the Education Act, the Education Board for the District of Hawke's Bay has the honour to submit the following report of its proceedings during the year 1917:—

*Board.*—In October last Mr. J. H. Sheath, who had for eight years been a member of the Board, and who during the past three years had been Chairman, died. The Board desires to record its appreciation of the untiring and conscientious service rendered by the late Mr. Sheath, to whose upright and tactful supervision the smooth working of the Board's administration during the past few years was largely due. Mr. Sheath was succeeded on the Board by Mr. R. L. Paterson, so that the personnel of the Board at the end of the year was: Napier Urban Area—Messrs. J. Clark Thomson and R. L. Paterson; Gisborne Urban Area—Messrs. G. Wildish and J. H. Bull; North Ward—Captain J. R. Kirk and Mr. W. Oates; Middle Ward—Messrs. G. F. Roach and G. McKay; South Ward—Messrs. P. G. Grant and R. Soundy. Mr. J. H. Sheath was Chairman until his death, when Mr. G. F. Roach was elected to succeed him. Captain J. R. Kirk is still absent on leave with the Expeditionary Forces in France.

The Rev. A. Grant, Messrs. W. G. Hunter and S. Ashcroft represented the Board on the Dannevirke High School Board of Governors; Messrs. G. F. Roach and R. L. Paterson on the Napier High School Board; Messrs. H. Bull and A. G. Wildish on the Gisborne High School Board; Messrs. R. L. Paterson, M. Chadwick, and A. L. Beattie on the Napier Technical College Board; and Messrs. G. McKay and W. J. Pellow on the Waipawa Technical Classes Association.

*Number of Schools.*—The number of schools in operation at the end of 1916 was 157. During 1917 new schools were opened at Ihungia and Waitio, while schools were closed at Ellingham's, Eskmount, Hatuma South, Huanui, Lower Hangaroa, Ohuka, Poututu, Tamumu, Waimata, Waiwhenua, and Wharcrata, leaving in operation at the end of the year 148.

*Attendance.*—The number on the roll at the end of the year was 13,176, an increase of 175 during the year. Epidemics of diphtheria and influenza again seriously affected the attendance, which averaged 11,614, being 89·2 per cent. of the average roll. The average roll and attendance for the year were as follows: Average on roll, 13,021; average attendance, 11,614; percentage of attendance, 89·2.

*Teachers.*—On the 31st December, 1917, there were in the Board's service 391 teachers, classed as follows :—

	Certificated.	Licensed.	Uncertificated.	Total
M. F.	M. F.	M. F.	M. F.	M. F.
Head teachers .. .. .	51 11	2 0	0 71	53 12
Sole teachers .. .. .	3 23	0 1	5 46	8 70
Assistant teachers .. .. .	23 122	0 4	1 37	24 163
Total adults.. .. .	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	85 245
Pupil-teachers .. .. .	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	6 31
Probationers .. .. .	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	1 23
Totals .. .. .	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	92 299

In addition to the above the following instructors in special subjects were employed :—

	Male.	Female.
Agriculture and dairying ... ..	2	0
Domestic science ... ..	0	2
Woodwork ... ..	2	0
Totals ... ..	4	2

The teachers have continued to respond to the call for men to fight the battles of the Empire. Thirty-three teachers and four clerks enlisted. Of these, five have been wounded and returned, though only two are yet fit for duty, and five have made the supreme sacrifice.

*Instruction of Teachers.*—Teachers' Saturday training classes in drawing were established at Gisborne, Napier, and Dannevirke. The attendance and work were good. The Board continued its correspondence classes, thirty-two uncertificated teachers taking advantage of the opportunities offered. In addition to the issue of study-sheets, winter and summer schools were held in Gisborne and Hastings respectively; twenty-five attended at Gisborne and thirty-four at Hastings. The excellent results obtained by the students in the Department's certificate examination prove the great value of the classes.

*District High Schools.*—[See E.—6, Report on Secondary Education.]

*Manual and Technical Instruction.*—Classes in elementary handwork were recognized in 121 schools, and the material for carrying out this work was all supplied by the Board. Considerable difficulty was experienced in procuring materials for certain of the classes, but with the willing assistance of the teachers sufficient were secured to carry on the work. The average number of pupils in the different groups of classes who received instruction was: P to S2, 6,029; S3 and S4, 2,829; S5 and S6, 2,149: total, 11,007. Needlework classes under clause 26 (e) of the Manual and Technical Regulations were conducted in nine schools. The roll number was 123, and average yearly attendance 102. Most of the work done was for the Red Cross or some patriotic society. 116 science classes were recognized for purposes of capitation during the year. These included forty-five classes in agriculture and dairy science, fifty classes in agriculture, and twenty-one classes in experimental science. The roll numbers were as follows: Agriculture, 50 classes, roll 1,045; agriculture and dairy science, 45 classes, roll 969; experimental science, 21 classes, roll 765: totals, 116 classes, roll 2,779.

The Board regrets that another year has gone by and the manual-training centre for Napier is not yet an established fact. Until the question of the site for Napier Main School is settled no progress can be made in this matter. In the meantime 400 pupils are deprived of instruction in woodwork, cookery, and dressmaking. The number of classes and roll in the district in these subjects were—Woodwork, 23 classes, roll 560; cookery, 23 classes, roll 526; dressmaking, 23 classes, roll 468. The quality of the work of the pupils attending the woodwork classes is steadily on the up grade. The instrumental drawing was particularly good, and the completed models showed that both pupils and instructors are doing satisfactory work.

*Physical Instruction.*—The Inspectors report that during the early part of the year all the larger schools and many of the country schools were visited by the Department's physical instructors. The work on the whole is progressing, and the children are showing the benefit of the training. Periodic refresher courses are, however, required for the teachers, and to this end physical instruction was included in the programme of work undertaken at the winter school held in Gisborne during the month of May.

*Medical Inspection.*—The district was not visited by the Medical Inspector of Schools last year, but the Board has reason to hope that in the near future a permanent Inspector will be appointed for the district, and that she is to have the assistance of a district nurse. The Board trusts that the Inspector will have the assistance of a physical instructor also in establishing corrective classes.

*Scholarships.*—Scholarships in tenure during 1917 were—Junior National Scholarship, 32; Senior National Scholarship, 8; Wairoa County Council Scholarship, 3.

*Buildings.*—The Board regrets exceedingly to have again to deplore the delay in proceeding with the replacing of the Napier Main School, destroyed by fire in November, 1916. The question of site has proved a stumbling-block, and though the Board has done everything possible to help and meet the Department in coming to a decision, nothing definite has yet been done. The Board earnestly trusts that you will do your utmost to have the vexed question of site settled and funds allocated for the rebuilding of this important school. The Board regrets that in January, 1917, the school at Te Rehunga was destroyed by fire. The Department has provided funds to erect an up-to-date building, which is nearing completion. During the year additions to the Gisborne East and Gisborne West Schools were completed, and a new domestic-science class-room was erected and equipped at Hastings. New works are in progress as follows: New schools at Te Rehunga, Kurukuru, Springhill, and Flemington, and an addition to the school at Wairoa. The following buildings were painted and generally renovated by the Board's workmen: Schools—Wanstead, Wallingford, Porangahau, Herbertville, Wimbledon, Weber, Awariki, Kiritaki, Dannevirke North, Norsewood, Ti-tree Point, Waitahora, Mangatoro, and Dannevirke South; residences—Wanstead, Wallingford, Porangahau, Herbertville, Wimbledon, Weber, Awariki, Kiritaki, and Dannevirke North. Owing to the increased cost of materials the Board's programme for the replacement of worn-out and out-of-date furniture had to be modified, but the Board endeavoured to deal with the most urgent requirements.

The Hon. the Minister of Education, Wellington.

I have, &c.,  
G. F. ROACH, Chairman.

## WELLINGTON.

SIR,—

Education Board, Wellington, 31st March, 1918.

In accordance with the requirements of the Education Act, 1914, I beg to submit the following report of the Education Board of the District of Wellington for the year 1917 :—

*Board.*—The Board membership at the beginning of the year was the same as at the election of 1916, viz. :— Urban Areas : (1) Wellington City, and Boroughs of Karori, Onslow, and Miramar—Hon. J. G. W. Aitken, M.L.C. (Chairman), Messrs. William Allan, Thomas Forsyth, and R. A. Wright, M.P.; (2) Hutt and Petone—Messrs. G. T. London and E. P. Rishworth. Rural Area : (1) Hutt-Horowhenua Ward—Messrs. W. H. Field, M.P., and John Kebbell; (2) Wairarapa Ward—Messrs. A. W. Hogg and T. Moss; (3) Marlborough Ward—Messrs. E. H. Penny and A. Mackay. On the death of Mr. Alexander Mackay during the year Mr. R. McCallum, M.P., was elected to fill the resulting vacancy. The Board's Technical School representatives were unchanged.

*Schools and Attendance.*—Ten small schools were closed and six were opened, so that at the end of the year there were in operation 251 schools, a decrease of four since the end of 1916. A side school was opened at Seatoun. The mean of the average roll and of the average attendance for the year was: Average roll—Boys, 12,601; girls, 11,457; total, 24,058. Average attendance—Boys, 11,475; girls, 10,329; total, 21,804. The number on the roll at the end of the year was 24,360, compared with 23,726 at the end of 1916, an increase of 634. The average roll increased by 715 and the average attendance by 981. The average attendance was 90·6 per cent. of the average roll for the year. The regularity of attendance thus improved by 1·4 per cent., and but for prevalent sickness in the September quarter would have quite equalled that of 1915 (91 per cent.). The Board is of opinion that a legal penalty should be imposed on the unscrupulous employer who engages children still below the standard or age of exemption.

*Teaching Staff.*—The following were the numbers of teachers, pupil-teachers, and probationers in the service of the Board at the end of the year :—

	Men.	Women.	Totals.
Heads of schools	82	13	95
Sole teachers	22	135	157
Assistants	50	322	372
Total adults	154	470	624
Pupil-teachers	15	38	53
	169	508	677
Probationers	4	43	47
Totals, including pupil-teachers and probationers	173	551	724

The corresponding total for 1916 was 722.

A comparison of the numbers with those of 1913—the year preceding the war—shows that the proportion of male teachers (including probationers) has fallen from 32·2 per cent. to 23·9 per cent. of the whole number. Of forty pupil-teachers and probationers appointed since the end of 1917 only three were males, two other male applicants being rejected because they were unqualified. The present keen competition of both State Departments and commerce tends to divert from the teaching profession the most capable scholars as they leave our schools. Now, if it be admitted that the most precious possession of the State—its children—requires for their education the services of the most richly endowed with character and brains, it becomes evident that greater inducements must be offered if a sufficient supply is to be maintained of young teachers well equipped in both body and mind. Any advance in remuneration should certainly be to a minimum not less than that of entrance to the Civil Service. This point has been stressed in previous reports. The matter is now of extreme urgency.

*Instruction of Teachers.*—The following were the arrangements of the year for instruction of teachers : (1.) Week-end classes in preparation for the certificate were held, as in previous years, at Wellington, Masterton, and Pahiatua. (2.) Marlborough: No Saturday classes were held, but the correspondence course covering the "D" programme was continued, and at the end of the year the usual summer school was held in Blenheim, extending over a period of three weeks. Thirty teachers attended this course. (3.) A spring course in elementary agriculture, extending over a fortnight and held at Masterton District High School in September, was attended by forty-six teachers. Of these, a number attended in order to meet the requirements of the certificate in this subject; others, for general improvement in agriculture as a school subject. The course was characterized by an earnest spirit of work. Mr. Cockayne, of the Agricultural Department, rendered valued assistance in both lecture and field work.

*Training College.*—A full statement of the work of the year will be found in the report of the Principal. The following is a brief statement of the statistics of the institution: The total number of students was 120—14 men and 106 women. Six of the men obtained leave of absence in order to enlist. There were sixty-four first-year students and fifty-six second-year students classified thus—Division A, 114; B, 5; C, 0; D, 1. They came from: Wellington, 45; Wanganui, 25; Hawke's Bay, 16; Nelson, 15; Taranaki, 9; Westland, 3; Grey, 3; Canterbury, 2; Southland, 2.

*Manual Instruction.*—The following table shows in detail the subjects of manual instruction undertaken in recognized school classes, the number of schools represented, and the number of pupils under instruction :—

Subject.	Number of Schools represented.	Number of Pupils.
Agriculture ... ..	80	1,513
Botany ... ..	2	39
Chemistry ... ..	3	120
Cookery and domestic economy ... ..	38	1,337
Dressmaking ... ..	6	159
Handwork ... ..	172	18,962
Laundrywork ... ..	15	462
Needlework (sole-teacher schools where special instructress is engaged) ... ..	24	311
Physical measurements ... ..	13	845
Physical science ... ..	1	108
Physiology and first aid ... ..	9	540
Swimming and life-saving ... ..	19	1,649
Woodwork ... ..	43	1,506
Dairy science ... ..	1	15

The full rural course was undertaken by 239 pupils at six of the nine district high schools. The Inspectors record satisfactory progress in the teaching of elementary agriculture at the primary school, and the chief instructor finds that the increasing efficiency of the instruction in the primary school is reflected in a rising standard of work by pupils who undertake the rural course. Two district-high-school rural-course pupils have just been awarded an agricultural bursary which entitles them to continue their studies at Lincoln College, Canterbury. The Board considers the Minister has acted wisely in thus providing opportunity for advanced study with a view to the wider application of science to what must always be the leading industry of this country. In order to afford increased assistance in nature-study and elementary agriculture, the Board has lately engaged a third instructor in agriculture, who will spend part of his time in Marlborough.

*District High Schools.*—The work of the district high schools is fully discussed in the report of the Inspectors. The average attendances for the year 1917 were: Carterton, 43; Eketahuna, 24; Greytown, 12; Hutt, 27; Levin, 43; Masterton, 85; Normal, 21; Pahiatua, 36; Petone, 55: total, 346.

*National Scholarships.*—There were current at the end of 1917 twenty-nine Senior and thirty-nine Junior Scholarships. On the 31st December, 1917, four Junior Scholarships expired. There were awarded on the results of the November-December examination, 1917, nine Senior and nineteen Junior Scholarships, and, in addition, two Agricultural Bursaries.

*Medical Inspection and Physical Instruction.*—In relation to medical inspection and physical instruction the Board notes with pleasure—(1.) The appointment of school nurses. (2.) The improvement of the condition of weak and defective children through corrective classes, and the treatment secured by the parent on the recommendation of the Inspector. It appears that 70 per cent. of the reported cases received the treatment required; this percentage may be expected to rise steadily as the benefit to the child is more fully recognized. (3.) The efforts of the Medical Inspector and the school staff to secure the sympathy and co-operation of the parent.

*Buildings.*—During the year the Seaview School was removed to a position midway between Seaview and Starborough, thus serving the purposes of two districts. Additions were erected at Maranui and Deep Creek; and new buildings, in extension of existing buildings, were provided at Lansdowne (open air), Ohariu, Wadestown, and Pongaroa. Urgent works only have been carried out, but the increase of numbers in the vicinity of the city has been such as to compel the Board either to erect permanent buildings, or additions, or to make temporary arrangements. Increased accommodation is being provided at Levin and Upper Hutt, and a new school is under construction at Seatoun. Tenders have been called for increased accommodation at Island Bay and Maranui, and the plans of the main Normal School block at Kelburn are in preparation. Increased accommodation must be provided in the immediate future at the following schools: Berhampore, Muritai, Eastern Hutt, Masterton West (where a site has been acquired), Lansdowne, Khandallah, and Plimmerton. Many works were again postponed because of the scarcity of labour and material and the consequent high cost. Such as were undertaken were carried out at greatly increased cost. The Board trusts that the Kelburn Normal School will this year reach completion.

*Wellington Technical School.*—The Board wishes to emphasize the opinion previously expressed that in the interests of healthy boyhood and girlhood and of sound education the present unfavourable conditions of accommodation for students, junior and senior, of the Wellington Technical College should be ended at the earliest possible moment. It earnestly trusts that, as a result of the consideration the matter is now receiving at the hands of the Government, the site universally approved by the people of Wellington may within the next few months be made available for the Technical College.

*School Libraries.*—A number of subsidies were granted, but Committees generally have not fully availed themselves of the opportunity of providing at small cost interesting and instructive library reading-matter. The City Council has continued its successful and beneficial library scheme, which now embraces twenty-one city and suburban schools. To meet the growing requirements nearly six thousand volumes were procured. The Onslow and Karori Councils arranged with the city for supply to their schools, and the Board notes with pleasure the establishment of a children's library scheme by the Petone Borough Council. Thirty-three School Committees

applied for Government subsidy on local contributions totalling £1,076 11s. 3d. This large sum, with subsidy, has enabled the libraries to be enlarged in a number of schools and works of great benefit to the schools to be undertaken on well-considered plans.

*Aided Schools.*—The Board approves the increased capitation allowed for settlers in isolated places. The problem of the education of the Sounds children is, however, not to be finally and effectively met by an increased capitation.

*The War.*—During the year twenty-one members of the staff have undertaken military service. The Board records with mingled feelings of gratitude, pride, sympathy, and regret that since the issue of last report twelve members of its staff have laid down their lives. This makes a total of twenty-one. (For names see Appendix to E.—1.) As opportunity offered during the course of the year the Board promoted a number of teachers during their absence on military service. Patriotic effort in varied forms has engaged the attention of Committees, teaching staffs, and children in nearly the whole of our schools, a splendid spirit of willing enthusiasm having marked the workers.

*Film-censorship and Posters.*—The Board records with regret the failure of its efforts to secure, in the interests of children, an adequate censorship of films. In this connection it considers that, also in the interests of the young, the citizens should, through effective official control, be enabled to veto the display on public hoardings and elsewhere of posters that seriously offend the moral and the artistic taste.

I have, &c.,

The Hon. the Minister of Education, Wellington.

J. G. W. AITKEN, Chairman.

## NELSON.

SIR,—

Nelson, 28th June, 1918.

In accordance with the provisions of the Education Act, the Nelson Education Board has the honour to submit the following report of proceedings for the year 1917 :—

*The Board.*—No change was made in the personnel of the Board during the year. The members are Messrs. G. H. Gothard (Chairman) and D. J. Williams, representing the West Ward; Messrs. F. W. O. Smith and E. J. Scantlebury, representing the Eastern Ward; Messrs. W. C. Baigent and T. Symes, representing the North Ward; and Messrs. W. Lock and E. E. Boyes, representing the Nelson City Urban Area. Twelve meetings were held during the year. With a view to reducing travelling-expenses of members arrangements were made from June to transact the business in each month in one day, committee meetings being now held prior to the general meeting. Mr. F. W. O. Smith continues to represent the Board on the Board of Governors of the Nelson College, and the Hon. A. T. Maginnity was the representative on the Victoria College University Council. The death of Mr. Maginnity early this year is much regretted. Mr. Maginnity was a member of the Board for many years and Chairman for three years, when his ability in connection with educational administration was well known throughout the district.

*Primary Schools.*—The number of schools at the end of the year was 119, an increase of five, mostly household schools. There has not been any noticeable increase in the settlement of the district, though in the principal centres the number on the school rolls has shown advancement.

*District High Schools.*—Secondary departments are in operation at Westport, Reefton, Motueka, and Takaka. With the exception of the Takaka District High School, the roll numbers have shown increases, especially at Westport. The Board has had under consideration during the year the question of disestablishing the Westport District High School with a view to enlarging the scope of the Technical High School at that place. It is hoped that this proposal will be brought into effect at an early date. Considering the circumstances now prevailing and the better inducements offered to teachers in secondary schools, the Board has been able to maintain a satisfactory staff in the secondary departments. An effort has been made to establish a rural course at the Takaka District High School. The local School Committee has assisted the Board very materially in this matter, and approximately £200 has been raised in the district towards the cost of the erection of a manual-training school, without which the carrying-on of a rural course would be impracticable. The manual-training school is now in course of erection, but the Board's efforts to obtain an assistant specially qualified to teach most of the subjects of the rural course have so far been unsuccessful. It is evident that the salary that can be offered to such a teacher is quite insufficient to attract a capable person.

*Scholarships.*—No Education Board Scholarships are now held. Nine Junior National and four Senior National Scholarships were awarded to pupils in this district in 1917.

*Attendance.*—The total number of children on the roll at the public schools at the end of the year was 6,859, and the average attendance for the year was 6,219, an increase of 310 for the year. The average attendance is the highest ever attained in the district, the percentage of attendance being 89·7.

*Buildings.*—There are 116 buildings belonging to the Board. Sixteen schools are held in privately owned buildings. There are fifty-one teachers' residences. The only new work carried out during the year was an addition to the school at Riwaka. The school building at Inangahua Landing was destroyed by fire in June, and up to the present arrangements have not been made for rebuilding the school. The small school building at Newton Flat was removed during the year to Ariki, where a school has been opened this year. The Board was fortunate to meet the Minister in conference early in the year, when the position regarding the Building Fund was gone into. The need for more systematic attention to repairs and maintenance and provision for rebuilding was stressed, with the result that the Board arranged with the Senior Inspector to prepare a schedule showing all building requirements set out in order of urgency. The schedule was adopted by the Board as the principal basis on which to plan for the repair and improvements

of buildings, hitherto School Committees being relied upon for the most part to bring under notice all such matters requiring attention. A comparatively large sum has been expended on repairs and maintenance, but the Board has the satisfaction of knowing that the buildings are now being placed in a thorough state of repair, and at the same time more adequate provision is being made for future rebuilding.

*Manual and Technical Instruction.*—The reports of the Directors of the Technical Schools at Nelson and Westport indicate the progress made at these institutions. The usefulness of the Nelson School was increased by providing for day and evening classes in engineering. With the limited accommodation available good work was done in this branch of instruction. The Board was also grateful for the Department's action in providing a grant for the extension of the workshops, which work has now been carried out. In the matter of accommodation for the Nelson Technical School, the whole of the school-site is now covered with buildings, and additional accommodation for the classes will become a serious matter. In this connection it is to be regretted that the Board has so far been unable to secure the use of a portion of the Provincial Grounds adjacent to the school, on which the buildings could be extended. At Westport excellent work is being accomplished in the Engineering School despite adverse conditions due to the war. At this centre, too, the question of increased school accommodation has to be faced should the institution have to continue to be carried on under present auspices. It is confidently hoped, however, that a Technical High School proper may be established at Westport in the near future. Technical classes are also conducted at Reefton. It is proposed to place the Nelson School under a Board of Managers, provided local bodies and others will contribute to the support of the school.

Manual training is capably provided for at the principal centres, and the itinerant instructor supervises the classes in agriculture and dairy-work. A large number of schools also took up instruction in swimming, physiology, &c. The expenses necessarily incurred in carrying on the manual-training classes have steadily increased, and the Board desires to represent the urgent need of providing increased capitation to cover the cost of running the classes. In this matter the Board has been fortunate in securing the co-operation of the other Boards.

*Finance.*—The credit balance on all accounts at the end of the year was £2,101 14s. 8d., of which a sum of £550 was on fixed deposit. The improved position hoped for in the General Account has, unfortunately, not been secured. The decreased capitation due to the fall in the average attendance for 1916 is partly responsible. The Rebuilding Account has a credit balance of £6,755 18s. 3d. The heavy debit balance on the Relieving Teachers' Account has been reduced slightly, and the Board is grateful for the Department's recognition of the fact that an increased capitation grant is required in order to place the account in a better position.

I have, &c.,

GEO. H. GOTHARD, Chairman

The Hon. the Minister of Education, Wellington.

#### CANTERBURY.

SIR,—

Christchurch, 31st March, 1918.

I have the honour to present the following report of the proceedings of the Education Board of the District of Canterbury for the year ended 31st December, 1917:—

*The Board.*—As the Education Act of 1914 provides for an election of members and Chairman every second year only, no election was held during 1917, and there is consequently no change in the membership, which is as follows: Christchurch Urban Area—Messrs. C. H. Opie (Chairman of the Board), E. H. Andrews, J. Jamieson, A. Peverill; Timaru Urban Area—Messrs. C. S. Howard, J. Maze; North-west Ward—Messrs. H. J. Bignell, J. Grimmond; Middle Ward—Messrs. W. A. Banks, T. W. Adams; South Ward—Messrs. G. W. Armitage, W. M. Hamilton. The following standing committees were elected at the annual meeting of the Board in August, the Chairman of the Board being *ex officio* member of each committee: Agriculture—Messrs. T. W. Adams, W. A. Banks (Chairman), H. J. Bignell, J. Grimmond, W. M. Hamilton, C. S. Howard, J. Maze; Appointments—Messrs. T. W. Adams, E. H. Andrews (Chairman), H. J. Bignell, W. M. Hamilton, C. S. Howard; Buildings—Messrs. G. W. Armitage, W. A. Banks, J. Grimmond, J. Jamieson (Chairman), J. Maze, A. Peverill; Finance—Messrs. E. H. Andrews, G. W. Armitage (Chairman), W. A. Banks, H. J. Bignell, J. Grimmond, A. Peverill.

*Constitution of District.*—It is felt that under the existing provision for the division of the Canterbury Education District the representation of the various wards is not satisfactory. After careful consideration the Board has recommended the Government to amend the Act so as to give eight representatives to the rural area, in accordance with the report adopted by the General Council of Education at its sitting in September, 1916. Under such provision both the West Coast and North Canterbury would receive equitable representation. The Board is informed that the Minister has caused the necessary amendments to be prepared for consideration by Parliament at the first opportunity.

*Board's Representatives.*—At the end of the year 1917 the Board's representatives on the several High School Boards and Boards of Managers of Technical Classes were as follows: High School Boards—Akaroa, Messrs. W. K. Virtue, R. Latter; Ashburton, Messrs. J. Tucker, W. B. Denshire; Greymouth, Mr. W. R. Kettle; Hokitika, Mr. H. Michel; Rangiora, Messrs. H. Boyd, W. A. Banks; Timaru, Mr. C. S. Howard; Waimate, Messrs. W. Lindsay, W. M. Hamilton. Boards of Managers of Technical Classes—Christchurch, Messrs. C. H. Opie, M. Dalziel, S. C. Owen; Banks Peninsula (Akaroa), Mr. J. D. Bruce; Ashburton, Messrs. J. Tucker, G. W. Andrews; Kaiapoi, Messrs. J. H. Blackwell, T. Douds; Timaru, Messrs. G. J. Sealy, J. G. Gow; Temuka, Messrs. D. McInnes, G. Thompson; Waimate, Messrs. T. W. Manchester, E. Hassall; Fairlie, Mr. T. Foden; Pleasant Point, Mr. J. Maze.

*By-laws.*—In May, 1917, the Board held a special meeting for the purpose of revising its by-laws. These have now been compiled in pamphlet form and issued to Committees and teachers.

*Board Offices.*—Since the present Board was constituted in 1916 there has been a considerable increase in the Board's staff, owing to the larger area administered, and developments in agricultural and manual and technical instruction; consequently the office accommodation available in the Normal School buildings was found insufficient. In view of this, and the Training College requiring more accommodation owing to increase in numbers of students, arrangements have been made to lease for a period of fifteen years central offices in Oxford Terrace. The new offices, which have been planned to meet the Board's requirements, will enable the whole of the Board's staff to be accommodated in one building, and this central position should prove a great convenience not only to the staff, but to teachers, Committees, and others having business transactions with the Board.

*Buildings.*—New schools were erected at Cameron's, Huntingdon, Mount Nessing, Sherwood Downs, and Whiterock; arrangements were made for the building of new schools at Lagimhor and Parnassus; and schools were rebuilt at Methven, Mikonui, and Paroa. Additions were authorized to the schools at Beckenham, Cashmere, Clandeboye, Fairton, Shirley, Somerfield, and Sutherland's, and at date of this report, with the exception of Fairton, are either finished or nearing completion. The teacher's residence at Milford was rebuilt, and a small residence erected at Waitaha. Considerable improvements were effected at the Normal School, where complete and up-to-date outbuildings have been provided. The school building at Rangatira Valley was removed to Winchester Settlement, and opened under the name of Te Awa. Extensive alterations were carried out at the Halswell School, and temporary class-rooms were erected at Christchurch West to provide for increased attendance. At the new Methven School an open-air class-room was built in accordance with the plan approved by the Medical Inspector of Schools, and steps are being taken to erect a detached open-air class-room at the Wainataitai School, Timaru. Since the close of the year the Department has granted the Board's application for a contribution towards the erection of a complete new school in brick at Ashburton, and the rebuilding in brick of three rooms at St. Albans and four rooms at Sydenham. The Board's thanks are due to Mr. H. Friedlander for his generous gift of £1,000 towards the rebuilding of the Ashburton School. The urgent need of improving the school buildings at the Chatham Islands was brought under the notice of the Department, and it is hoped that a grant for this purpose will be made at the close of the war. The Board is arranging for the carrying-out at once of the most urgent repairs. In the case of fifty school buildings, a sum of £50 or over was expended either on repairs, renovations, or furniture, or on improvements to school-grounds. Owing to the high cost of painting-material, the Board is carrying out painting of buildings only in urgent cases. A site of half an acre has been purchased in Moorhouse Avenue for the erection of workshops in Christchurch to be used in connection with the manufacture of school furniture and ordinary repair work.

*Finance.*—From the statement of receipts and expenditure it will be noticed that, as regards the General Account and Rebuilding Account, the financial position of the Board has improved considerably during the past year. In order to make provision for the rebuilding of worn-out schools it was decided at the beginning of the year to set apart 40 per cent. of the building grant for this purpose, the money being placed on fixed deposit. For a long time past the Board has desired that the Department should divide the building grant into separate amounts for rebuilding and maintenance of buildings. In October the Department decided to do this, and from the 1st November separate grants have been paid. It is worthy of notice that the amount allotted by the Department is almost the same as that approved by the Board earlier in the year. Owing to the rapidly increasing cost of building the Board has had great difficulty in keeping the cost of new works near the amount of the special Government grant for the purpose. In many cases the cost has considerably exceeded the grant, in which connection, however, the Minister has intimated his willingness to make such adjustments of special grants as may be reasonable and equitable, having regard to the rapid increase in the cost of building.

*Schools.*—The number of schools in operation at the end of the year, including thirty-one aided schools but excluding eight side schools, were 376, classified as follows: Grade 0, 15; Grade I, 100; Grade II, 98; Grade III, 108; Grade IV, 23; Grade V, 12; Grade VI, 5; Grade VII, 11; Grade VII½, 4: total, 376. During the year schools were opened at Sherwood Downs, Te Awa, and Waipara, and household schools at Lyttelton Heads and Waikerikikeri. The schools at Flea Bay, Four Peaks, Kaimata, Skipton, Taipo, Tormore, and Westbrook were closed. The undermentioned table shows the number of schools at the end of the year of each decade given, and at the end of the year 1917, also the number of children on the rolls, the approximate number in average attendance, and the percentages of attendance:—

Year.	Total of Schools.	On Roll at End of Year.	Average Attendance.	Percentage of Attendance.
1880 .. ..	185	23,086	16,412	71.1
1890 .. ..	268	29,605	23,728	80.1
1900 .. ..	335	27,930	23,806	81.6
1910 .. ..	360	29,778	25,587	85.9
1917 .. ..	376	34,119	30,062	88.1



*Maintenance.*—The total expenditure on primary salaries for the year 1917, including £3,510 12s. 11d. house allowances, £734 4s. for relieving teachers, and £4,633 6s. 5d. (half-yearly instalment) war bonuses, was £165,430 12s. 11d. The salaries paid to teachers in secondary departments amounted to £6,565 8s. 5d.

The following table shows the expenditure on salaries and incidentals for each year mentioned:—

Year.	Salaries.			Incidental Expenses.			Totals.			Average Attendance.
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
1880 .. ..	55,318	17	8	8,071	12	2	63,390	9	10	16,412
1900 .. ..	70,978	18	7	8,064	13	10	79,043	12	5	23,806
1916 .. ..	166,651	3	0	11,074	16	4	177,725	19	4	29,728
1917 .. ..	165,430	12	11	11,682	3	4	177,112	16	3	30,061

*School Staffs.*—There were 996 teachers in the Board's service at the end of 1917. Of these, 379 (161 males and 218 females) were head teachers or in sole charge, 491 (81 males and 410 females) were assistants, and 126 (27 males and 99 females) were pupil-teachers. There were in addition 77 (5 males and 72 females) probationers, and 28 sewing mistresses in small schools in charge of male teachers.

*Organizing Teachers.*—A committee of the Board was set up to consider the advisability of the appointment of travelling Inspectors or teachers to assist in organizing the work of the smaller schools, especially those in charge of uncertificated teachers. In accordance with the recommendation of this committee the Board made application to the Department for the salary of an organizing teacher. In its reply the Department stated that there was no authority for the appointment of such teachers, but that as soon as the necessary amendment could be made steps would be taken to provide assistance for sole-charge schools.

*War Legislation Amendment Act, 1917.*—Under this Act regulations were issued providing for the reduction in the staff of a school at the end of any quarter should the attendance for the preceding quarters have fallen to certain stated numbers. In some grades of schools the action of the earlier regulations was rather drastic, and it is pleasing to note that, after representations had been made to the Department by the Board, the regulations were amended in the direction asked.

*Conveyance and Board of Children.*—The expenditure for the conveyance of children to school and board of children living a long distance from school was £3,257. Conveyance allowance was paid in respect of 735 children, and boarding-allowance for forty-six children. The Board is of opinion that the allowance for conveyance should be increased, and that children riding horses and bicycles should not be excluded.

*Incidental Expenses of Schools.*—In the last report reference was made to the insufficiency of the incidental allowances paid to School Committees, particularly in view of the present high prices of labour, material, fuel, &c. The Board is glad to know that Parliament realized the urgent need of giving some help to Committees, and made a special grant equivalent to approximately 1s. per pupil in average attendance.

*Scholarships.*—The number of candidates for Junior National Scholarships was 507—girls, 231; boys, 276. Of these, forty-three qualified—twenty girls and twenty-three boys. Three successful candidates had been attending sole-charge schools, fifteen had been attending large primary schools, and twenty-five had been attending district high schools and secondary schools. For the Senior Scholarships there were 113 candidates—girls, 55; boys, 58. Of these, eighteen qualified—eight girls and ten boys. For the two Gammack Scholarships there were nineteen candidates.

*Irregular Attendance.*—The Truant Officer reports that during the year notices were sent out to 2,551 parents and guardians regarding irregular attendance of their children at school. In 106 cases summonses were issued, and in sixty-two cases fines were inflicted. Owing to the absence of serious epidemics the attendance has been better than during the previous two years.

*Training College.*—Fifty-four students were admitted at the beginning of the year, making the total enrolment 110, of whom fifty-six were second-year students. Owing, however, to enlistments for active service, and to the retirement of three women students, the total number in attendance at the end of year was reduced to 100. Towards the close of the year Mr. T. S. Foster was compelled, owing to illness, to temporarily relinquish his duties as Principal of the Training College. During Mr. Foster's absence Mr. C. T. Aschman, headmaster, will act as Principal, while Mr. J. E. Purchase, assistant lecturer, will take the lectures on education at Canterbury College. The Board has so repeatedly stressed the need of a new training college that it seems scarcely necessary to again refer to a matter the urgency of which the Minister himself has already recognized.

*Manual and Technical Instruction.*—The Board has devoted a good deal of attention during the year to classes for manual and technical instruction, and, generally speaking, the work has received a big impetus, although it will take some time before this large and newly constituted district can be brought into one harmonious whole. Owing to war conditions, some difficulty was experienced in providing the material and apparatus required for schools taking elementary handwork, but the best was done under the circumstances, and the smaller schools in the remoter parts of the district were as liberally treated as those in the larger centres. Elementary handwork

was taken up at 379 schools by 27,352 pupils. Considerable extension has taken place in regard to advanced handwork; there are now twenty-two manual-training centres where pupils are taught woodwork, cookery, and domestic economy. A new manual-training centre was established at Geraldine, and the new rooms at Oxford proved a great convenience. Manual-training centres were re-established at Greymouth and Hokitika. Swimming and life-saving received due attention during the year; seventy-five classes were established, with an attendance of over a thousand pupils. Rural courses of instruction were carried out at ten district high schools in the district.

War conditions generally affected the attendances at technical and continuation classes, especially in the country districts. Courses of instruction, however, were carried on at the following technical schools: Waimate, Temuka, Timaru, Geraldine, Ashburton, Greymouth, Kaiapoi, and Hokitika; whilst individual technical and continuation classes have been carried on at Fairlie, Blackball, Kaikoura, Akaroa, Doyleston, Leeston, and Lakeside. Teachers' classes have been carried on at Christchurch, Timaru, and Greymouth; these classes have been well attended, and the instruction given has been much appreciated. Although much has been done, much more remains to be done, and, profiting by the experience of the past year's work, the Board hopes to considerably extend the manual and technical work during the incoming year.

*Agriculture.*—There has been a material increase in the interest taken in agriculture, and the schools in North Canterbury have been graded according to the quality of the work done. Mr. McFarlane, of Springburn, generously donated a shield to be awarded to the school making the most progress during any year, and this year the shield has been won by the Carleton School.

*The War.*—During the year 1917 twenty-four teachers and seven Training College students have joined the Expeditionary Forces, making a total since the outbreak of war of 109 (eighty-two teachers, twenty-five students, and two members of the office staff).

I have, &c.,

The Hon. the Minister of Education, Wellington.

C. H. OPIE, Chairman.

## OTAGO.

SIR,—

Education Office, Dunedin, 31st March, 1918.

In accordance with the requirements of the Education Act, 1914, the Education Board of the District of Otago has the honour to present the following report of its proceedings for the year 1917:—

*Board.*—The constitution of the Board remained unaltered from the previous year, viz: Urban Area—Messrs. William R. Brugh, Robert H. S. Todd, James Wallace, and James H. Wilkinson; North Ward—Messrs. Donald Borrie and George Livingstone; Central Ward—Messrs. James Horn and James Smith; South Ward—Messrs. David T. Fleming (Chairman) and Parker McKinlay, M.A. The following were the Board's representatives on various educational bodies: Council of the University of Otago—Mr. P. McKinlay, M.A.; Otago High Schools' Board—Messrs. D. T. Fleming and William R. Brugh; Waitaki High Schools' Board—Mr. James Mitchell; Boards of Management of Associated (Technical) Classes—Dunedin, Messrs. W. R. Brugh, P. McKinlay, M.A., and James Wallace; Oamaru, Mr. James Mitchell; Milton, Messrs. P. McKinlay, M.A., and W. B. Graham.

*Number of Schools.*—The number of schools in operation at the 31st December, 1917, was 261, the same as in the previous year. Two were half-time schools and eight were household schools. Fifteen had an average attendance below 9, seventy-five from 9 to 20, sixty-two from 21 to 35, fifty-nine from 36 to 80, eleven from 81 to 120, eight from 121 to 160, five from 161 to 200, nine from 201 to 360, five from 361 to 500, and twelve over 500.

*Teachers.*—On the 31st December there were in the Board's service 748 teachers, classified as under:—

	Male.	Female.	Total.
Head teachers ... ..	100	4	104
Sole teachers ... ..	21	134	155
Assistant teachers ... ..	54	261	315
Total of adult teachers ... ..	175	399	574
Pupil-teachers ... ..	27	55	82
Probationers ... ..	11	43	54
Teachers of needlework ... ..	...	17	17
Manual and technical (special teachers) ... ..	13	8	21
Totals for 1917 ... ..	226	522	748

The permanent teachers absent on military service were: Head teachers, 3; sole teachers, 13; assistant teachers, 18; pupil-teacher, 1; manual and technical (special teacher), 1; total, 36. There were fifteen male teachers and twenty female teachers acting as substitutes for those absent on military duty. For the past two years the ratio of male to female teachers employed in Otago has been: Adult teachers—1916, 100 males to 215 females; 1917, 100 males to 228 females. Pupil-teachers and probationers—1916, 100 males to 251 females; 1917, 100 males to 258 females. During the year eighty-nine appointments of teachers were made by the Board. There were fourteen male and seventeen female pupil-teachers appointed, and five male and twenty-five female

probationers. Of these sixty-one young people, no less than thirty-two had passed the Matriculation Examination, while twenty-six had passed the Intermediate or the Public Service Entrance Examination. Only three had no higher examination status than the Proficiency Examination.

*Attendance of Pupils.*—The mean of the average roll, average of attendance, and percentage of average attendance for the year were: Average roll, 22,128; average attendance, 20,479; percentage, 92·5. The increase in the mean roll number over that of the previous year was 248, while the increase in the average attendance was 242. The average attendance (20,479) is the highest ever attained in this district. The percentage of attendance (92·5) has only once been exceeded—viz., in the year 1914, when it reached 92·7 per cent. The following table shows for each twenty years since the institution of the Otago education scheme in 1856, and for the year just closed, the number of schools, the number of teachers, the number on the rolls, and the average attendance:—

Year.	Schools.	Teachers.	On the Roll.	Average Attendance.	Percentage of Attendance, Otago District.	Percentage of Attendance for whole of Dominion.
1856-57 .. ..	5	7	..	236	..	..
1876 .. ..	165	329	13,537	11,210	..	..
1896 .. ..	218	554	22,091	19,502	85·9	81·4
1916 .. ..	261	754	21,880	20,237	92·4	88·6
1917 .. ..	261	748	22,128	20,479	92·5	..

*Classification.*—The pupils of the public schools classified according to standards as at the 31st December, 1917, were: Class P, 7,219 (32·6 per cent.); Standard I, 3,039 (13·7 per cent.); Standard II, 2,830 (12·7 per cent.); Standard III, 2,775 (12·5 per cent.); Standard IV, 2,579 (11·6 per cent.); Standard V, 2,132 (9·6 per cent.); Standard VI, 1,555 (7 per cent.); Standard VII (exclusive of secondary pupils of district high schools), 78 (0·3 per cent.): total, 22,207.

*Junior and Senior National Scholarships.*—For the Junior Scholarships there were 259 competitors, of whom three from schools with not more than one teacher gained between 53½ and 63½ per cent. of marks. Forty-three competitors reached the ordinary standard of qualification (63½ per cent.). There were thus forty-six Junior Scholarships awarded to pupils in this district, as against thirty-three in the previous year: that is, 17·7 per cent. of the competitors were successful last year, as compared with 12·5 per cent. in 1916. The number of pupils in Standard VI at the time the examination was held was 1,555, and 259, or 16·6 per cent., contested the examination. For the Senior Scholarships there were seventy-four competitors, of whom twenty-three gained the qualifying percentage of marks (63 per cent.): that is, 31 per cent. were successful, as against 16·5 per cent. in the previous year. It is noteworthy that thirteen out of the twenty-three scholarships awarded were taken by pupils of the secondary departments of the Board's district high schools—viz., Balclutha, 5; Normal, 4; Lawrence, 2; Mosgiel, 2. Of the ninety-eight scholarships current at the end of the year sixty were Junior National, twenty-nine were Senior National, five were Junior Board, and four were Senior Board. Twenty-five were held by girls and seventy-three by lads. The Principals of the secondary schools the holders attended reported that, almost without exception, their conduct, diligence, and progress were satisfactory.

*District High Schools.*—[See E.-6, Report on Secondary Education.]

*Agricultural Instruction.*—During the past year elementary agricultural instruction has, under the supervision of the Board's instructors in agriculture, been associated with the other subjects of the curriculum in 196 schools, and in many of these very effective work is being done. In six of the district high schools the full rural science course has been followed. In these schools the permeation of the ordinary subjects with agricultural sciences paves the way for an intelligent appreciation of the principles upon which the best practice of the art of agriculture is based.

*Swimming.*—Pupils from thirty-one schools participated in the instruction, the average attendance being 786 boys and 697 girls. The cost of the classes was £198 17s. 7d., while the amount of Government capitation earned was £187 10s.

*Training College.*—The total number of students enrolled was 117, comprising 97 women and 20 men. The education districts represented were: Otago, 70; Southland, 28; Canterbury, 18; Wanganui, 1. The allowances paid to them or on their behalf were: Bursaries, lodging-allowances, and travelling-expenses, £6,094 18s. 6d.; College fees, £962 12s.: total, £7,057 10s. 6d.—or £162 18s. 6d. less than in the previous year.

*Truancy.*—The Board's Truant Officer served 434 notices on parents and guardians for infringements of the Education Act, 1914, while 186 cases of irregular attendance were investigated by him. Penalty summonses to the number of forty-two were issued under section 62 of the Act. Forty convictions were obtained and two cases were withdrawn—one by doctor's certificate, and one owing to the child concerned being committed to the industrial school. The fines inflicted and the costs awarded amounted to £21 18s. 2d. In Dunedin and suburbs 146 pupils in classes below Standard VI terminated their school course in December, 1917. Of this number four had passed Standard II, twenty-three had passed Standard III, thirty-eight had passed Standard IV, and eighty-one had passed Standard V. All the pupils in question had reached the exemption age—viz., fourteen years.

*School Libraries.*—During the past year the question of providing increased reading-matter for our pupils and of stimulating interest in school libraries received special consideration. The returns furnished at the request of the Board from different schools that have installed libraries show that the books are much appreciated and eagerly sought by the young people, especially in those schools where the teachers show enthusiasm for this branch of education. In order to secure increased facilities for our boys and girls obtaining a wider range of carefully selected books, and to augment those at present in our libraries, several conferences were held with the managers of the Dunedin Free Public Library. As a result they have generously agreed to inaugurate a system of travelling libraries in connection with their juvenile department, and, as an experiment, will next year loan fifty to sixty books per week to each standard from the Fourth to the Sixth in four of our city schools. The Board is assured that, if this scheme works out satisfactorily, it will subsequently be extended to all our city schools. The Board also hoped to arouse increased interest in libraries in country schools, and to do something more to meet the urgent needs of children in the backblocks, and extremely regrets that so few grants for libraries were applied for during the year.

*Pupil-teachers, Probationers, and Training College Students.*—The Board expresses its profound disappointment that the Minister has not yet been able to adopt the recommendation made with practical unanimity by the educational bodies throughout the Dominion, and systematically supported by this Board for some years past, for an increase in the salaries and allowances of pupil-teachers, probationers, and Training College students, so as to make them at least equal to the rates paid to other public servants with corresponding service. The whole scale of payments to these teachers requires to be recast forthwith on more liberal lines. This is a reform which brooks no delay.

*Grade 0 Schools.*—The Board notes with appreciation that the capitation grants for these schools have been increased to £8 per head. This will give much-needed relief to struggling schools, and help to secure for them more efficient teachers.

*Salaries of Temporary Teachers.*—The Board expresses its regret that the Minister, by powers conferred upon him by regulation, has seen fit to reduce the rates of salaries proposed by the Board to be paid to certain temporary teachers. The Board holds that all such teachers whose character and competency are attested are entitled to receive the rates of salary provided by statute for the grades of position they occupy, and that it is inequitable they should be obliged to agree to a decrease in their salaries, in some cases of £20 per annum, or forfeit the appointment. In apportioning salaries to temporary teachers the Board has not departed from the statutory scale, and the onus of reducing the salaries of these teachers must therefore rest upon the Minister.

*Certificates.*—The number of pupils of the public schools examined for proficiency certificates was 1,631, of whom 1,275 (or 78 per cent.) gained the certificate, while 212 (or 13 per cent.) were granted certificates of competency of Standard VI.

*Inspection of Schools.*—The Inspectors' estimate of the efficiency of the schools is as follows: Excellent or very good, 26 per cent.; good, 41 per cent.; satisfactory, 28 per cent.; fair to inferior, 5 per cent.

*Buildings.*—Considerable difficulty has been experienced during the past year in obtaining the necessary building-material, some lines being almost unprocurable, while the prices for all, as well as for labour, have been extremely high. Under such circumstances only necessary work could be undertaken. As a result the buildings have been allowed to stand a little longer before being repainted, but an honest attempt has been made to do all work where delay would be doubtful economy. A new school has been erected at Tawanui. An unused class-room was removed from Chaslands and erected to provide a school at Papatowai. The Tokarahi buildings were altered and added to, the additions providing an extra class-room for the school and two rooms for the residence. A room was removed from the old St. Clair building and erected as an additional class-room at the Macandrew Road School. A residence was erected for the teacher at Otekaike, and a small cottage at Poolburn. An addition was made to the janitor's cottage at Kensington. During the year a good deal has also been done in the way of renewing outhouses, repairing and renewing fences, and asphaltting school-grounds.

*The War—Roll of Honour.*—Since the issue of the last report fifteen teachers and Training College students have proceeded on active service, the total number of the Board's employees who have joined the Expeditionary Forces to date being ninety-nine. (See Appendix to E.-1 for names and for casualties.)

I have, &c.,

The Hon. the Minister of Education, Wellington.

D. T. FLEMING, Chairman.

## SOUTHLAND.

SIR,—

Education Office, Invercargill, 21st March, 1918.

In compliance with the provisions of the Education Act, 1914, the Education Board of the District of Southland has the honour to submit the following report of its proceedings for the year ended 31st December, 1917:—

*Board.*—At the beginning of the year the membership of the Board was as follows: Invercargill Urban Area representatives—Messrs. D. Gilchrist (Chairman) and G. T. Stevens; West Ward representatives—Messrs. J. Findlay and J. C. Thomson, M.P.; East Ward representatives—Messrs. J. MacGibbon and H. E. Niven; Central Ward representative—Mr. P. A. de la Perrelle. In the month of January an election was held to fill the extraordinary vacancy caused by the

resignation of Mr. Amos, one of the representatives for the Central Ward. The polling resulted in the election of Mr. J. D. Trotter. The Board's representatives on the various educational bodies are as follows: Southland Boys' and Girls' High Schools' Board—Messrs. G. T. Stevens and J. C. Thomson; Board of Management of the Southland Technical College—Messrs. H. E. Niven, P. A. de la Perrelle, G. T. Stevens, J. C. Thomson, M.P., and A. L. Wyllie, M.A.; Gore High School Board—Messrs. D. Gilchrist, J. MacGibbon, and H. E. Niven; Training College Committee of Advice—Mr. G. T. Stevens; Otago University Council—Hon. T. MacGibbon, M.L.C.

*Schools.*—At the close of 1916 there were 182 schools in operation. During the year to which this report refers new schools were opened at East Limehills, Happy Valley, Etalvale (ii), Kinloch, and Glenham (sawmill). Thus at the end of 1917 there were 187 under the jurisdiction of this Board. Applications for the establishment of new schools at Pukemaori, Waiparu, Rakahouka, and Paradise (household) were dealt with during the year.

*Demonstration Schools.*—In view of the fact that there are in this district a large number of uncertificated teachers, many of whom have had no previous experience in the management of a school, the Board again urges upon the Minister the need for the establishment of one or two demonstration schools in this district, where the inexperienced teacher will have an opportunity of observing the work of experienced teachers. Under present conditions the necessary experience is gained mainly at the expense of the pupils.

*Attendance.*—The following table shows the number of schools, the number of children on the rolls, the number in average attendance, and the percentage of attendance for the past five years:—

Year.	Total Number of Schools.	Mean Average for Year.		Percentage.
		On Roll.	Attendance.	
1913 .. .. .	180	10,966	9,671	88.2
1914 .. .. .	184	11,322	10,090	89.1
1915 .. .. .	185	11,478	10,223	89.1
1916 .. .. .	182	11,668	10,457	89.6
1917 .. .. .	187	11,829	10,571	89.3

From the above table it will be seen that the attendance has been well maintained, although there was an abnormal amount of sickness amongst the pupils during the first six months of the year. To the Truant Officer for his untiring efforts to improve the attendance in this district credit is due. As pointed out in last year's report, a regulation of the Board requires teachers to furnish, on a form provided for the purpose, a monthly statement of the attendance at each school, together with the names of defaulters; yet the monthly report of the Truant Officer invariably contains the names of from twelve to twenty teachers who fail to comply with it. When it is remembered that this regulation was framed partly for the benefit of teachers, one cannot understand the reason for the apparent indifference to their own interests as well as the welfare of the pupils. The Truant Officer in his annual report to the Board states that he sent out 333 notices to defaulters, issued 102 summonses, and secured 64 convictions. The amount of fines inflicted was £15 12s.

*Teachers.*—On the 31st December, 1917, there were in the Board's service 431 teachers. The following table will show the distribution of the teaching staff in the schools under the control of the Board:—

				Male.	Female.	Total.
Head teachers	...	...	...	51	23	74
Sole teachers	...	...	...	35	76	111
Assistants	...	...	...	16	136	152
Total adult teachers	...	...	...	102	235	337
Pupil-teachers	...	...	...	5	33	38
Probationers	...	...	...	6	21	27
Teachers of needlework	...	...	...	...	22	22
Manual and technical teachers	...	...	...	3	4	7
Totals	...	...	...	116	315	431

Of the 337 adult primary-school teachers in the service of the Board 207 held teachers' certificates, five held licenses to teach, while the number of uncertificated teachers was 125. The staffing of our schools by qualified teachers, more especially in localities removed from centres of population, is becoming an increasingly difficult problem. It was anticipated that with the increased facilities for admission to training colleges the output of qualified teachers would have been augmented to such an extent as to obviate in large measure the necessity for appointing applicants with little or no previous teaching experience. This anticipation has not so far been realized in any appreciable degree. It must not be understood, however, that the Board is altogether dissatisfied with the work of its uncertificated teachers; on the contrary, the Inspectors report that some of the recently appointed uncertificated teachers give promise of becoming useful

members of the teaching profession. During the year the Board informed several uncertificated teachers who have been in the service several years that, unless they succeeded in passing some part of the Teachers' D Examination at the first opportunity, the question of terminating their engagement as teachers under the Board would be considered. For some years past this Education Board, in common with most other Education Boards in the Dominion, has experienced great difficulty in obtaining the services of male pupil-teachers. The reason for this state of affairs is plain. To induce our youths to enter the teaching profession the monetary inducements offered should be increased, otherwise they will seek more lucrative spheres of employment.

*Instruction of Teachers.*—During the year Saturday classes for the training of teachers were carried on for a period of twenty-six weeks. The subjects of instruction and the numbers of students in each subject were as follows: Drawing (three classes), 87; vocal music (two classes), 46; needlework (two classes), 54; agriculture (two classes), 37; mathematics, 13; English, 16; card-board work, 30; school method, 19; hygiene (three classes), 89; elocution, 12. In addition a class in drawing for town pupil-teachers and probationers met on two afternoons a week for a period of thirty-eight weeks, the roll number being thirty-two. The attendance of students was in nearly all cases very satisfactory, and the results of the examinations conducted by the instructors indicated that with only a few exceptions the students had been doing their best to profit by the instruction provided. As regards those teachers who, in consequence of the remoteness of their schools, were unable to attend Saturday classes, and who were dependent therefore upon instruction by correspondence, eight intimated their intention to take advantage of the assistance granted by the Department to correspondence students.

*Scholarships.*—The annual examination of candidates for Junior National and Senior National Scholarships took place in November. For the Junior National Scholarship Examination there were 101 candidates, three more than in 1916, and for the Senior forty-two candidates, seven less than in 1916. Nineteen Junior Scholarships and three Senior Scholarships were awarded. The amount disbursed during the year in respect of scholarships was £908 8s. 4d.

*Medical Inspection.*—During the year the Department's Medical Inspector of Schools, accompanied by the Department's school nurse, visited the larger schools in this district and medically examined the pupils of Standard II. The Board trusts that the day is not far distant when the Medical Inspector will be able to visit every school and examine all the children, especially those in the remote parts of the district. In one or two cases the Inspector visited schools when an epidemic was prevalent and examined every child.

*Physical Instruction.*—During the months of January and September the Department's physical instructors visited Invercargill and conducted classes in physical training. Practically the whole of the Board's teaching staff has now had a course of physical training. The Inspectors report that physical instruction is given regularly, especially in regard to deep breathing and free exercises. Most of the Board's teachers are taking up this branch of instruction with marked earnestness, and the Board is convinced that physical training in conjunction with the medical inspection of schools will be of incalculable benefit to the present generation of school-children.

*Conveyance and Boarding-allowance.*—During the year the sum of £1,645 11s. 6d. was paid under this head, an increase of £300 as compared with last year's payments. Again the Board draws the Department's attention to the injustice of excluding the riding of horses and bicycles from the means of conveyance on account of which the allowance will be made. Under the present regulation the Department allows only half-rates for the conveyance of children between five years and seven years of age, the other half being paid by the Board out of its general fund. The Board is strongly of the opinion that the full allowance should be paid by the Department in all cases, especially in view of the fact that if parents did not avail themselves of this provision for educating their children the Department would in all probability be called upon to establish additional schools.

*Subsidies on Voluntary Contributions.*—During the year several School Committees took advantage of the regulations regarding the payment of subsidies on voluntary contributions. Under these regulations these Committees were enabled to supplement their allowances for incidental expenses, and thus secure assistance towards the cost of improvements to school-grounds, establishment of school libraries, &c.

*Certificates.*—806 pupils were presented for examination in the subjects of the Sixth Standard. Of these, 529 gained proficiency certificates; 142 gained competency certificates; while 135 failed—percentages of 65·5, 17·5, and 17 respectively.

*Board's Regulations.*—In consequence of the coming into operation of the Education Act, 1914, the Board found it necessary to revise its regulations, the compilation of which entailed much thought and careful consideration on the part of the Board members and officials.

*School Committees.*—Once again the Board desires to place on record its hearty appreciation of the manner in which the majority of School Committees continue to co-operate with it in the administration of educational matters in this district. During the year the incidental allowances paid to School Committees have totalled £4,028 10s., a sum of £476 in excess of the amount paid to the Board by the Department. The increased amount has been paid to schools up to and including Grade III. In addition to the above-stated amount, the Board is pleased to announce that the Department has authorized a supplementary grant for School Committees' incidental expenses during the period of the war. This additional payment will be made along with the ordinary quarterly allowance in March of the current year. In view of the great increase in the cost of fuel and cleaning the additional grant will be welcomed by School Committees, especially those in the backblocks, who have not the opportunity of augmenting their funds by means of concerts, &c.

*The War.*—During the year fifteen members of the teaching profession have enlisted to assist the Home-land and her Allies in the dread conflict. Some have been wounded, and two have made the great sacrifice. The Board is pleased to place on record its hearty appreciation of the untiring efforts of the school-children in providing comforts for the wounded soldiers and in raising money for the various patriotic funds.

*Buildings.*—The Board has continued its policy of erecting new or adding to existing buildings and in effecting repairs with its own staff of workmen. With a completely equipped workshop, ample yard accommodation for seasoning timber, and an efficient staff, it has been found that the work now undertaken is infinitely more satisfactory in its results than under the old contract system. A new school has been erected at East Limehills, and additions have been built to schools at Invercargill Middle, Fernhills, Seaward Downs, Mimihau, and to the Springhills residence, and the reinstatement of the old Myross Bush School has been completed. Works now in hand are the erection of a manual-training centre in Don Street (the Tay Street centre being required for the extension of the Technical High School); a new school at Waimatua; the reinstatement of the school at Slope Point (destroyed by fire); and additions to the schools at Waihopai, Gore, Waimumu, and Clifden. Dual desks have been manufactured and installed in several of the town and country schools, and this work will be gradually extended as funds permit. The increased cost of painting-material has rendered it incumbent on the Board to hold over the painting of the interiors of certain schools requiring renovation, but the periodical overhaul of the exteriors has not been neglected, and the buildings are all in fairly good order considering their age.

I have, &c.,

DUNCAN GILCHRIST, Chairman.

The Hon. the Minister of Education, Wellington.

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## STATEMENTS OF RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS OF EDUCATION BOARDS.

## AUCKLAND.

## GENERAL STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31ST DECEMBER, 1917.

NOTE.—The Auditor's certificate does not cover columns (11) and (12). The figures in those columns have been added to the statement by the Education Department from returns supplied by Education Boards.

No.	Name of Account.	As at 1st January.		Cash Transactions during Year.				Transfers.		As at 31st December.			
		Balances.	Deficits.	Receipts.		Expenditure.	Debit.	Credit.	Balances.	Deficits.	Assets	Liabilities.	
				From Government.	From other Sources.								
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
1	<i>General Account.</i> Receipts from 5s. capitation, &c., expended on— Office staff salaries .. .. Office contingencies .. .. Subsidies for school and class libraries paid out of Board's general fund .. Refunds and sundries .. ..	23,037 8 10	..	10,990 9 7	519 4 9	3,636 1 0 2,669 19 2 26 17 9 733 0 3	60 10 0	1,277 0 8	26,264 14 4	..	..	..	
2	<i>Special Accounts.</i> Salaries of primary-school teachers (including two-fifths of the total cost of the training-college staff)	..	46 17 8	237,009 12 10	..	237,435 5 0	..	..	..	472 9 10	472 9 10	..	
3	Relieving teachers— Salaries .. ..	..	2,483 4 0	1,070 3 1	..	1,386 9 4 82 15 0	..	..	..	2,882 5 3	..	..	
4	Necessary travelling-expenses .. .. School and class libraries—Government capitation grant .. ..	633 13 1	..	..	..	229 13 2	..	..	403 19 11	..	..	403 19 11	
5	Conveyance and board of school-children ..	..	..	975 19 6	..	998 18 5	..	..	..	22 18 11	255 5 2	232 6 3	
6	Incidental expenses of schools ..	..	..	15,407 2 0	..	16,578 1 4	1,170 19 4	..	..	..	..	2,307 0 2	
7	Training colleges— Salaries of staff (three-fifths of the cost) Special instructors and associated teachers Allowances and fees of students .. Incidental expenses .. ..	..	462 1 6	3 195 11 6 497 15 0 7,218 4 4 127 0 0	..	3,212 4 10 356 15 0 7,178 3 2 262 11 4 411 13 5	..	..	..	327 3 8	327 3 8	..	
8	Training classes for teachers, including such classes recognized under the Manual and Technical Regulations .. ..	106 10 9	..	..	..	..	106 1 4	127 9 7	..	432 12 3	650 0 0	262 3 6	
9	Scholarships—Board's .. ..	..	415 16 8	1,101 4 9	..	885 8 1	..	..	..	200 0 0	200 0 0	..	
10	Scholarships—National .. .. District high schools .. ..	..	543 7 8	2,857 16 8	..	3,106 10 4	..	..	..	792 1 4	792 1 4	..	
12	Salaries of staffs of secondary departments ..	..	1 1 8	3,090 2 7	..	3,094 15 11	..	..	..	5 15 0	5 15 0	..	
13	General purposes—Out of fees from pupils ..	..	..	..	60 10 0	..	..	60 10 0	..	..	..	..	
14	Manual instruction—Receipts from capitation, contributions, subsidies, sales, &c., expended on— Direction and administration .. .. Salaries of instructors .. .. Equipment and material for elementary handwork .. .. Material for manual instruction .. ..	..	5,527 19 1	15,932 8 11	1,142 18 10	1,341 14 11 6,469 2 7 1,908 18 11	..	282 16 0	..	1,585 13 6	376 0 0	300 0 0	



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Education Office, Auckland, 7th January, 1918.

J. D. McKENZIE, Chairman.  
R. CROWE, Secretary.

Examined and found correct except that (1) receipts have not been produced for certain payments totalling £78 9s. 7d., and (2) the accounts credits are not supported by equivalent funds.—R. J. COLLINS, Controller and Auditor-General.

## TARANAKI.

## GENERAL STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1917.

NOTE.—The Auditor's certificate does not cover columns (11) and (12). The figures in those columns have been added to the statement by the Education Department from returns supplied by Education Boards.

No.	Name of Account.	As at 1st January.		Cash Transactions during Year.					Transfers.		As at 31st December.			
		Balances.	Deficits.	Receipts.		Expenditure.	Debit	Credit.	Balances.	Deficits.	Assets.	Liabilities.		
				From Government.	From other Sources.									
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)			
1	General Account. Receipts from 5s. capitation, &c., expended on— Office staff salaries .. .. Office contingencies .. .. Subsidies for school and class libraries paid out of Board's general fund .. .. Refunds and sundries .. ..	£ s. d. 872 13 2 ..	£ s. d. 2,094 0 0 455 19 8	£ s. d. 943 5 11 1,082 13 8 0 11 3 44 0 4	£ s. d. 47,507 19 0 1,300 0 0	£ s. d. 47,559 8 2 1,396 13 1	£ s. d. 14 6 11 ..	£ s. d. 15 13 8	£ s. d. 96 13 1	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 99 13 1			
2	Special Accounts. Salaries of primary-school teachers .. ..	£ s. d. 65 16 1 ..	£ s. d. 47,507 19 0 ..	£ s. d. 47,559 8 2 ..	£ s. d. 1,300 0 0 ..	£ s. d. 1,396 13 1 ..	£ s. d. 14 6 11 ..	£ s. d. 15 13 8 ..	£ s. d. 96 13 1 ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 99 13 1			
2A	War bonus .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..			
3	Relieving teachers— Salaries .. .. Necessary travelling-expenses .. .. School and class libraries — Government capitation grant .. ..	£ s. d. 311 9 3 ..	£ s. d. 209 9 8 ..	£ s. d. 136 11 4 22 19 10 11 16 11	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. 261 10 9 ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..			
4	Conveyance and board of school-children .. ..	£ s. d. 115 0 4 ..	£ s. d. 3 6 2 ..	£ s. d. 185 2 10 ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. 296 17 0 ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..			
5	Incidental expenses of schools .. ..	£ s. d. 34 0 4 ..	£ s. d. 13 10 8 ..	£ s. d. 3,313 5 5 ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..			
6	Contributions and subsidies (section 159, Education Act) Training classes for teachers, including such classes recognized under the Manual and Technical Regulations .. ..	£ s. d. 138 5 4 ..	£ s. d. 127 17 1 ..	£ s. d. 420 0 2 ..	£ s. d. 241 4 8 ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..			
6A	Scholarships—Board's .. .. Scholarships—National .. .. District high schools— Salaries of staffs of secondary departments .. .. General purposes—Out of fees from pupils .. .. Manual instruction—Receipts from capitation, contributions, subsidies, sales, &c., expended on— Direction and administration .. .. Salaries of instructors .. .. Equipment and material for elementary handwork .. .. Material for manual instruction and sundries .. ..	£ s. d. 8 17 1 ..	£ s. d. 72 7 4 ..	£ s. d. 219 7 4 ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. 155 17 1 ..	£ s. d. 155 17 1 ..	£ s. d. .. ..			
8	Scholarships—Board's .. .. Scholarships—National .. .. District high schools— Salaries of staffs of secondary departments .. .. General purposes—Out of fees from pupils .. .. Manual instruction—Receipts from capitation, contributions, subsidies, sales, &c., expended on— Direction and administration .. .. Salaries of instructors .. .. Equipment and material for elementary handwork .. .. Material for manual instruction and sundries .. ..	£ s. d. 39 11 11 ..	£ s. d. 51 10 0 ..	£ s. d. 11 18 1 ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..			
9	Scholarships—Board's .. .. Scholarships—National .. .. District high schools— Salaries of staffs of secondary departments .. .. General purposes—Out of fees from pupils .. .. Manual instruction—Receipts from capitation, contributions, subsidies, sales, &c., expended on— Direction and administration .. .. Salaries of instructors .. .. Equipment and material for elementary handwork .. .. Material for manual instruction and sundries .. ..	£ s. d. 110 17 5 ..	£ s. d. 507 14 9 ..	£ s. d. 558 3 8 ..	£ s. d. 1 5 0 ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..			
10	Scholarships—Board's .. .. Scholarships—National .. .. District high schools— Salaries of staffs of secondary departments .. .. General purposes—Out of fees from pupils .. .. Manual instruction—Receipts from capitation, contributions, subsidies, sales, &c., expended on— Direction and administration .. .. Salaries of instructors .. .. Equipment and material for elementary handwork .. .. Material for manual instruction and sundries .. ..	£ s. d. 2 9 2 ..	£ s. d. 1,435 17 6 ..	£ s. d. 1,433 8 4 ..	£ s. d. 22 0 0 ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..			
12	Scholarships—Board's .. .. Scholarships—National .. .. District high schools— Salaries of staffs of secondary departments .. .. General purposes—Out of fees from pupils .. .. Manual instruction—Receipts from capitation, contributions, subsidies, sales, &c., expended on— Direction and administration .. .. Salaries of instructors .. .. Equipment and material for elementary handwork .. .. Material for manual instruction and sundries .. ..	£ s. d. 91 9 6 ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..			
13	Scholarships—Board's .. .. Scholarships—National .. .. District high schools— Salaries of staffs of secondary departments .. .. General purposes—Out of fees from pupils .. .. Manual instruction—Receipts from capitation, contributions, subsidies, sales, &c., expended on— Direction and administration .. .. Salaries of instructors .. .. Equipment and material for elementary handwork .. .. Material for manual instruction and sundries .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..			
14	Scholarships—Board's .. .. Scholarships—National .. .. District high schools— Salaries of staffs of secondary departments .. .. General purposes—Out of fees from pupils .. .. Manual instruction—Receipts from capitation, contributions, subsidies, sales, &c., expended on— Direction and administration .. .. Salaries of instructors .. .. Equipment and material for elementary handwork .. .. Material for manual instruction and sundries .. ..	£ s. d. 1,761 14 3 ..	£ s. d. 2,821 7 5 ..	£ s. d. 1,621 11 8 ..	£ s. d. 65 2 9 ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..	£ s. d. .. ..			

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Net balance at 1st January, 1917. Cr...

Net balance at 31st December, 1917 Cr.

Education Office, New Plymouth, 13th March, 1918.

**R. MASTERS, Chairman.**

P. S. WHITCOMBE, Secretary.

## WANGANUI.

## GENERAL STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31ST DECEMBER, 1917.

NOTE.—The Auditor's certificate does not cover columns (11) and (12). The figures in those columns have been added to the statement by the Education Department from returns supplied by Education Boards.

No.	Name of Account.	As at 1st January.		Cash Transactions during Year.				Transfers.		As at 31st December.			
		Balances.	Deficits.	Receipts.		Expenditure.	Debit.	Credit.	Balances.	Deficits.	Assets.	Liabilities.	
				From Government.	From other Sources.								
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)		
1	General Account. Receipts from ss. capitation, &c., expended on— Office staff salaries .. .. Office contingencies .. .. Subsidies for school and class libraries paid out of Board's general fund .. Refunds and sundries .. ..	£ s. d. 2,128 16 6	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 3,242 10 2	£ s. d. 101 12 0	£ s. d. 1,342 15 8 1,832 2 9 .. 1 11 0	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 2,296 9 3	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 167 1 1	£ s. d. 13 7 0	
2	Special Accounts. Salaries of primary-school teachers ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 1,107 1 11	£ s. d. 69,992 18 4	£ s. d. 154 7 3	£ s. d. 70,190 9 9	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 1,150 6 1	£ s. d. 24 5 8	£ s. d. ..	
3	Relieving teachers— Salaries .. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 895 13 8	£ s. d. 324 1 7	£ s. d. 83 6 8	£ s. d. 422 1 6 14 3 2	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 924 10 1	£ s. d. 140 9 10	£ s. d. ..	
4	School and class libraries—Government capitation grant ..	£ s. d. 10 15 8	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 33 19 8	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 44 15 4	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 200 13 7	£ s. d. 245 8 11	
5	Conveyance and board of school-children ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 48 7 3	£ s. d. 289 18 6	£ s. d. 0 19 6	£ s. d. 344 4 6	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 101 13 9	£ s. d. 205 1 6	£ s. d. 108 19 0	
6	Incidental expenses of schools ..	£ s. d. 2 18 9	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 4,683 14 4	£ s. d. 5 13 0	£ s. d. 4,124 7 1	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 567 19 0	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 236 19 0	£ s. d. 1,801 5 2	
8	Training classes for teachers, including such classes recognized under the Manual and Training Regulations ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 638 11 8	£ s. d. 317 15 8	£ s. d. 29 17 6	£ s. d. 575 1 5	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 865 19 11	£ s. d. 396 4 10	£ s. d. ..	
9	Scholarships—Board's ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 136 3 1	£ s. d. 240 15 8	£ s. d. 2 3 4	£ s. d. 142 15 11	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 36 0 0	£ s. d. 30 5 11	£ s. d. ..	
10	Scholarships—National ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 151 1 2	£ s. d. 925 4 11	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 1,054 2 7	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 279 18 10	£ s. d. 269 1 4	£ s. d. ..	
11	Scholarships—Special ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 41 5 0	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 12 12 0	£ s. d. 3 3 0	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 31 16 0	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 9 9 0	
12	District high schools— Salaries of staffs of secondary departments ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 9 5 4	£ s. d. 1,725 1 6	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 1,722 11 6	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 122 16 8	£ s. d. 6 15 4	£ s. d. 13 10 0	£ s. d. 2 10 0	
13	General purposes—Out of fees from pupils ..	£ s. d. 97 0 0	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 25 16 8	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	
14	Manual instruction—Receipts from capitation, contributions, subsidies, sales, &c., expended on— Direction and administration .. .. Salaries of instructors .. .. Equipment and material for elementary handwork .. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 2,124 10 9	£ s. d. 3,908 14 7	£ s. d. 91 19 0	£ s. d. 662 7 5 2,885 0 10 .. 505 7 0	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 2,176 12 5	£ s. d. 698 0 6	£ s. d. 282 11 7	
15	Material for manual instruction .. Technical instruction—Receipts from capitation, contributions, subsidies, grants for material, fees, sales, &c., expended on—	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	

16	Salaries of instructors...	4,900 19 10	6,182 14 10	1,471 16 1	4,706 8 1	6,093 2 10	1,458 14 9	44 10 5
17	Material .....	3 9 6	2,526 2 8	7 10 0	1,314 14 2	17 1 0	1 15 0	..
	Teachers' house allowances ..	..	..	..	2,520 1 2	..	..	..
	School buildings—Rebuilding—	..	..	..	196 12 7	..	..	..
	Rebuilding for the whole year ..	..	..	..	4,559 10 7	..	..	..
	Maintenance and small additions prior to	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	1st November ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Rebuilding schools destroyed by fire ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Rents of buildings and sites for school	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	purposes prior to 1st November ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	School buildings—Maintenance—	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Ordinary maintenance (1st November–31st	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	December) ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Rents of buildings and sites for school	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	purposes (1st November–31st December)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Rents of buildings for manual and technical	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	instruction—	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Manual instruction ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Technical instruction ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Public schools—New buildings, additions,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	furniture, apparatus, sites	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	New buildings, apparatus, &c., for manual	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	and technical classes—	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Manual instruction (exclusive of element-	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	ary handwork) ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Technical instruction ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Site-sales ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Contractors' deposits ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Wanganui school-sites ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	War Fund ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Rees bequest ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Physical-training classes ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Prize Fund ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	War bonus ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Totals ..	26,796 3 7	24,421 1 6	6,146 6 11	112,315 0 5	611 5 1	7,351 2 6	7,055 0 6

Net balance at 1st January, 1917, Cr. ..	£	s.	d.
Net balance at 31st December, 1917, Cr.	2,375	2	1
	1,898	3	0

Education Office, Wanganui, 5th June, 1918.

FRED. PIRANI, Chairman.  
W. H. SWANGER, Secretary.

## HAWKE'S BAY.

## GENERAL STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31ST DECEMBER, 1917.

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No.	Name of Account.	As at 1st January.		Cash Transactions during Year.					Transfers.		As at 31st December.			
		Balances.	Deficits.	Receipts.		Expenditure.	Debit.	Credit.	Balances.	Deficits.	Assets.	Liabilities.		
				From Government.	From other Sources.									
													(2)	(3)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)			
1	General Account. Receipts from 5s. capitation, &c., expended on— Office staff salaries .. .. Office contingencies .. .. Subsidies for school and class libraries paid out of Board's general fund .. Refunds and sundries.. ..	£ s. d. 2,998 12 10	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 2,778 14 0	£ s. d. 629 6 10	£ s. d. 1,267 9 4 992 6 4 14 17 0 64 17 2	£ s. d. 33 0 0	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 4,100 3 10	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 93 10 0	£ s. d. ..		
2	Special Accounts. Salaries of primary-school teachers .. ..	£ s. d. 223 0 7	£ s. d. 45 1 6	£ s. d. 58,245 4 5	£ s. d. 62 10 0	£ s. d. 58,259 7 8	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 3 5 3	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 13 3 0	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 3 5 3		
3	Relieving teachers .. ..	£ s. d. 223 4 3	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 277 4 0	£ s. d. 28 6 9	£ s. d. 373 3 1	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 155 8 3	£ s. d. 137 10 4	£ s. d. 140 10 0	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..		
4	School and class libraries—Government capitation grant .. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 788 3 11	£ s. d. 1,261 8 11	£ s. d. 60 0 0	£ s. d. 1,171 6 9	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 638 1 9	£ s. d. 384 13 3	£ s. d. ..		
5	Conveyance and board of school-children .. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 321 6 7	£ s. d. 3,877 10 9	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 3,765 18 0	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 209 13 10	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 8 6 0		
6	Incidental expenses of schools .. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 636 18 2	£ s. d. 333 11 7	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 411 5 6	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 714 12 1	£ s. d. 250 0 0	£ s. d. 10 0 0		
8	Training classes for teachers, including such classes recognized under the Manual and Technical Regulations .. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 102 7 6	£ s. d. 102 7 6	£ s. d. 3 10 0	£ s. d. 612 16 4	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 159 18 6	£ s. d. 110 0 0	£ s. d. ..		
9	Scholarships—Board's .. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 174 3 6	£ s. d. 623 11 4	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 110 0 0	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 110 0 0	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..		
10	Scholarships—National .. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..		
11	Scholarships—Special .. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..		
12	District high schools— Salaries of staffs of secondary departments .. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 1,533 17 10	£ s. d. 33 0 0	£ s. d. 1,532 4 6	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 1 13 4	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 1 13 4		
13	General purposes—Out of fees from pupils .. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..		
14	Manual instruction—Receipts from capitation, contributions, subsidies, sales, &c., expended on— Direction and administration .. .. Salaries of instructors .. .. Equipment and material for elementary handwork .. ..	£ s. d. 788 4 4	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 3,746 7 7	£ s. d. 79 1 6	£ s. d. 253 16 8 1,483 0 0 155 2 10 488 1 10	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 2,233 12 1	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 220 0 0	£ s. d. 54 0 0	£ s. d. ..		
15	Material for manual instruction .. .. Technical instruction—Receipts from capitation, contributions, subsidies, grants for material, fees, sales, &c., expended on— Classes conducted by Board— Salaries of instructors .. .. Material .. .. Direction, administration, &c. .. ..	£ s. d. 244 14 11	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 177 17 5	£ s. d. 128 4 6	£ s. d. 224 7 2 63 17 2 12 0 0	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 250 12 6	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 475 0 0	£ s. d. 10 0 0	£ s. d. ..		

	Classes conducted by managers—All services except buildings, equipment, and rent	..	..	3,197 19 7	..	2,980 12 7	..	..	217 7 0	..	..	..
16	Teachers' house allowances	2 11 8	..	1,682 10 9	13 4	1,691 15 9	..	..	..	..	..	..
17	School buildings—Rebuilding— Rebuilding for the whole year .. Maintenance and small additions prior to 1st November	15,194 6 5	..	5,441 0 10	179 3 1	4,277 8 9	..	16,296 16 8	191 0 0	207 9 9	..	..
	Rebuilding schools destroyed by fire .. Rents of buildings and sites for school purposes prior to 1st November	..	..	331 10 0	..	571 14 11	..	..	..	..	..	..
18	School buildings—Maintenance (Nov.—Dec.)— Ordinary maintenance .. Rents of buildings and sites for school purposes	..	..	609 16 8	..	317 13 4	..	177 16 4	294 5 0	396 1 11	..	..
	Rents of buildings for manual instruction .. Public schools—New buildings, additions, furniture, apparatus, sites	..	154 13 8 8,464 13 1	1,404 14 6	50 0 0	1,864 12 1	..	..	270 4 5 8,874 10 8	..	..	..
21	New buildings, apparatus, &c., for manual and technical classes—Manual instruction (exclusive of elementary handwork)	..	848 11 1	474 0 0	..	347 11 0	..	..	722 2 1	..	..	..
23	Contractors' deposits .. Waipawa Technical Association .. War bonus to teachers .. Voluntary contributions and subsidies .. Deposit fees for teachers' classes ..	63 0 0 .. 154 2 9 48 0 0	.. .. .. ..	61 13 0 1,000 0 0 463 12 7 ..	107 0 0 .. 692 13 10 ..	97 0 0 61 13 0 1,585 10 2 892 1 6 7 0 0	.. .. .. .. ..	73 0 0 .. 14 9 10 418 7 8 41 0 0	.. .. .. .. ..	73 0 0 .. .. 418 7 8 ..	..	..
	Totals	19,939 17 9	11,535 18 10	88,224 13 3	2,059 9 10	86,266 2 3	33 0 0	33 0 0	24,121 3 1	111,699 3 4	3,571 3 10	1,182 3 11

Net balance at 1st January, 1917, *Cr.*... £ 8,403 18 11  
Net balance at 31st December, 1917, *Cr.*... s. 12,421 19 9  
d.

Education Office, Napier, 11th June, 1918.

GEO. F. ROACH, Chairman.  
G. CRAWSHAW, Secretary.

Examined and found correct, except that certain moneys have been used for purposes other than those for which they were received and the accounts credits are not supported by equivalent funds.—R. J. COLLINS, Controller and Auditor-General.





15	Technical instruction—Receipts from capitalization, contributions, subsidies, grants for material, fees, sales, &c., expended on—Classes conducted by Board—	315 11 0	65 16 0	..	..	62 10 0 30 16 8 7 0 0 11,634 9 0	..	..	350 1 8	163 19 11	3 0 0
	Salaries of instructors .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Material .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Direction, administration, &c.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Classes conducted by managers—All services except buildings, equipment, and rent	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
16	Teachers' house allowances .. .. .	32 14 4	3,186 2 6	45 0 0	3,233 5 11	..	..	..	..	..	..
17	School buildings—Rebuilding—	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Rebuilding for the whole year..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Maintenance and small additions prior to 1st November	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Rebuilding schools destroyed by fire ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Rents of buildings and sites for school purposes prior to 1st November	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
18	School buildings—Maintenance (Nov.—Dec.)—	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Ordinary maintenance .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Rents of buildings and sites for school purposes	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
19	Rents of buildings for manual and technical instruction—	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Manual instruction .. .. .	3 10 0	323 15 10	..	3 10 0	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Technical instruction (classes conducted by managers)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
20	Public schools—New buildings, additions, furniture, apparatus, sites	8,232 7 7	3,567 12 1	..	2,802 16 0	59 12 1	486 9 3	..	7,894 8 8	..	..
21	New buildings, apparatus, &c., for manual and technical classes:—	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Manual instruction (exclusive of elementary handwork)	653 1 4	374 2 7	40 0 0	84 15 5	..	3 10 0	..	327 4 2	..	..
	Technical instruction (classes conducted by Board)	272 17 2	..	..	43 6 0	..	..	..	316 3 2	..	..
	Technical instruction (classes conducted by managers)	..	44 9 11	..	44 9 11	..	..	..	..	..	..
22	Sites-sales .. .. .	6,756 15 2	2,768 14 7	..	2,209 3 5	..	..	..	6,197 4 0	..	..
23	Contractors' deposits .. .. .	..	..	202 15 6	186 18 9	..	..	..	..	..	106 3 6
24	Teachers' war bonus .. .. .	7 3 5	2,985 2 10	..	3,122 2 4	..	..	..	129 16 1	129 16 1	..
6A	Contributions and subsidies .. .. .	118 4 5	870 9 4	1,076 11 3	1,442 11 5	..	..	..	622 13 7	..	..
	Totals .. .. .	26,351 13 10	180,726 12 6	3,004 12 1	176,146 1 6	590 13 5	590 13 5	32,783 15 0	18,416 12 9	3,246 0 3	1,893 3 6

	£	s.	d.
Net balance at 1st January, 1917, Cr. . .	..	..	..
Net balance at 31st December, 1917, Cr.	..	..	..
	6,781	19	2
	14,367	2	3

Education Office, Wellington, 16th July, 1918.

Examined and found correct, except that certain moneys have been used for purposes other than those for which they were received and the accounts credits are not supported by equivalent funds—R. J. COLLINS, Controller and Auditor-General.

JOHN G. W. AITKEN, Chairman.  
G. L. STEWART, Secretary.



	Salaries of instructors...	..	847 11 6	2,866 2 10	837 9 8	{ 2,195 15 2 341 10 2 564 8 9 1,446 13 4 }	..	..	245 13 1	535 0 0	227 0 0
16	Material ..	..	12 12 2	1,446 17 8	..	..	..	..	12 7 10	..	..
17	Teachers' house allowances ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	School buildings—Rebuilding— Rebuilding for the whole year ..	..	..	3,866 19 2	35 2 1	2,263 6 10	..	6,755 18 3	..	50 0 0	..
	Maintenance and small additions prior to 1st November ..	..	..	..	..	63 8 0	..	..	..	..	..
	Rebuilding schools destroyed by fire ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Rents of buildings and sites for school purposes prior to 1st November ..	..	..	362 13 4	..	378 4 5 4 12 0	..	..	20 3 1	20 0 0	630 0 0
18	School buildings—Maintenance (Nov.—Dec.)— Ordinary maintenance ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	853 7 2	72 14 6	..
	Rents of buildings and sites for school pur- poses ..	..	1,222 9 1	708 13 9	59 0 0	398 11 10	..	..	..	..	..
20	Public schools—New buildings, additions, furniture, apparatus, sites ..	..	440 17 2	167 11 7	27 13 4	503 12 6 12 0 0	..	..	749 4 9	20 7 11	..
21	New buildings, apparatus, &c., for manual and technical classes— Technical instruction ..	..	..	..	17 0 0	12 0 0	..	45 0 0	..	..	45 0 0
23	Contractors' deposits ..	..	..	1,000 0 0	7 6 7	1,096 2 8	..	..	88 16 1	88 16 1	..
..	War bonus ..	..	..	..	87 16 5	87 16 5	..	..	..	..	..
..	Air Raid Fund ..	..	..	36 1 0	26 10 0	82 13 0	..	33 10 0	..	..	..
..	Contributions and subsidies ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	0 4 6	..	..	..
..	Belgian Fund ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Totals ..	..	5,344 18 9	4,736 6 0	52,825 11 5	1,248 5 3	52,580 14 9	..	7,198 18 8	5,097 4 0	2,193 17 5
		..						..			1,730 18 9

£ s. d  
Net balance at 1st January, 1917, Cr. ... 608 12 9  
Net balance at 31st December, 1917, Cr... 2,101 14 8

Education Office. Nelson, 20th July, 1918.

G. H. GOTHARD, Chairman.  
N. R. WILLIAMS, Secretary.





## OTAGO.

## GENERAL STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31ST DECEMBER, 1917.

NOTE.—The Auditor's certificate does not cover columns (11) and (12). The figures in those columns have been added by the Education Department from returns supplied by Education Boards.

No.	Name of Account. (1)	As at 1st January.		Cash Transactions during Year.				Transfers.		As at 31st December.						
		Balances. (2)	Deficits. (3)	Receipts.		Expenditure. (6)	Debit. (7)	Credit. (8)	Balances. (9)	Deficits. (10)	Assets. (11)	Liabilities. (12)				
				From Government. (4)	From other Sources. (5)											
													£	s.	d.	£
1	<i>General Account.</i> Receipts from 5s. capitation, &c., expended on— Office staff salaries .. .. Office contingencies .. .. Subsidies for school and class libraries paid out of Board's general fund .. .. Refunds and sundries.. ..	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.

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\* Erroneously credited to Account No. 18 instead of to Account No. 17. Adjustment to be made by Board in 1918.

	£	s.	d.
Net balance at 1st January, 1917, <i>Cr.</i>	8,354	14	7
Net balance at 31st December, 1917, <i>Cr.</i>	20,295	5	3

Education Office, Dunedin, 6th March, 1918.

D. T. FLEMING, Chairman.  
S. M. PARK, Secretary.

Examined and found correct, except that (1) Messrs. Smith and Livingstone, having drawn travelling-expenses from the Land Purchase Board for attendance at meetings held on the same dates as those of the Education Board, have unlawfully drawn corresponding expenses from the latter; (2) the accounts credits are not supported by equivalent funds.—R. J. COLLINS, Controller and Auditor-General.

## SOUTHLAND.

## GENERAL STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31ST DECEMBER, 1917.

NOTE.—The Auditor's certificate does not cover columns (11) and (12). The figures in those columns have been added by the Education Department from returns supplied by Education Boards.

No.	Name of Account.	As at 1st January.		Cash Transactions during Year.				Transfers.		As at 31st December.			
		Balances.	Deficits.	Receipts.		Expenditure.	Debit.	Credit.	Balances.	Deficits.	Assets.	Liabilities.	
				From Government.	From other Sources.								
													(4)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)		
1	General Account. Receipts from 5s. capitation, &c., expended on— Office staff salaries .. .. Office contingencies .. .. Subsidies for school and class libraries paid out of Board's general fund	£ s. d. 2,843 12 3	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 2,672 18 8	£ s. d. 296 5 4	£ s. d. 1,147 12 9 787 8 11 ..	£ s. d. 45 0 0 91 4 6 ..	£ s. d. .. .. ..	£ s. d. 4,013 19 1	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 16 10 2	
2	Special Accounts. Salaries of primary-school teachers .. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 220 6 1	£ s. d. 59,188 11 9	£ s. d. 18 10 0	£ s. d. 59,224 5 5	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 237 9 9	£ s. d. 74 7 6	£ s. d. ..	
2A	Removal expenses .. ..	£ s. d. 241 17 10	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 10 0 0	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 10 0 0	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 278 11 4	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	
3	Relieving teachers .. ..	£ s. d. 475 3 8	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 267 5 6	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 230 12 0	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 531 5 7	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	
4	School and class libraries—Government capitation grant	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 127 15 6	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 71 13 7	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	
5	Conveyance and board of school-children .. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 72 10 7	£ s. d. 1,561 2 1	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 1,632 2 0	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 143 10 6	£ s. d. 460 11 4	£ s. d. 483 3 6	
6	Incidental expenses of schools .. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 991 18 11	£ s. d. 4,160 9 6	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 4,028 10 0	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 859 19 5	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	
8	Training classes for teachers, including such classes recognized under the Manual and Technical Regulations	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 31 0 9	£ s. d. 298 12 8	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 308 0 5	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 75 0 0	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 115 8 6	£ s. d. 352 19 7	£ s. d. ..	
9	Scholarships—Board's .. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 50 0 10	£ s. d. 41 17 6	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 77 10 0	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 85 13 4	£ s. d. 35 0 0	£ s. d. ..	
10	Scholarships—National .. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 623 8 4	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 830 18 4	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 207 10 0	£ s. d. 207 10 0	£ s. d. ..	
12	District high schools—Salaries of staffs of secondary departments	£ s. d. 14 19 10	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 14 19 10	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	
14	Manual instruction—Receipts from capitation, contributions, subsidies, sales, &c., expended on— Direction and administration .. .. Salaries of instructors .. .. Equipment and material for elementary handwork	£ s. d. 2,941 8 10	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 3,369 17 10	£ s. d. 538 4 8	£ s. d. 305 0 3 1,496 17 2 487 19 6 970 0 8	£ s. d. 18 17 8 50 0 0 .. ..	£ s. d. 64 0 0 .. .. ..	£ s. d. 3,594 11 5	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 26 10 9	£ s. d. 13 1 4	
15	Material for manual instruction .. .. Technical instruction—Receipts from capitation, contributions, subsidies, grants for material, fees, sales, &c., expended on— Classes conducted by Board— Salaries of instructors .. .. Material .. .. Direction, administration, &c.	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 615 12 6	£ s. d. 60 2 6	£ s. d. 44 16 9	£ s. d. 12 9 1 44 2 5 .. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 568 12 5	£ s. d. 72 5 9	£ s. d. ..	



	Classes conducted by managers—All services except buildings, equipment, and rent.	265 0 9	5,283 12 3	..	4,753 12 3	..	..	264 19 3	..	..	..	..
16	Teachers' house allowances ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
17	School buildings—Rebuilding—Rebuilding for the whole year... Maintenance and small additions prior to 1st November	127 16 8	1,132 17 5	..	1,161 16 4	..	..	..	156 15 7	..	..	..
	Rebuilding schools destroyed by fire ..	..	..	..	7,532 13 0	..	..	6,949 15 3	..	475 11 3	323 0 0	..
18	Rents of buildings and sites for school purposes prior to 1st November	7,385 9 5	79 6 0	200 12 0	62 6 3	59 15 3	..	..	..	..	..	..
	School buildings—Maintenance (Nov.—Dec.)—	..	..	..	456 19 7	..	..	157 3 9	..	89 13 6	96 0 0	..
19	Ordinary maintenance ..	..	678 3 4	..	..	..	..	..	18 0 0	..	..	..
20	Rents of buildings for technical instruction ..	18 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,851 2 1	300 10 10	..	..
	Public schools—New buildings, additions, furniture, apparatus, sites	1,270 2 4	2,120 0 0	..	2,700 19 9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
21	New buildings, apparatus, &c., for manual and technical classes—	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Manual instruction (exclusive of elementary handwork)	..	100 0 0	..	610 11 4	..	..	..	510 11 4	340 0 0	..	..
	Technical instruction—	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
22	Classes conducted by Board ..	3,356 15 8	259 18 10	..	..	..	..	..	3,356 15 8	..	..	..
23	Classes conducted by Managers ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
24	Sites-sales ..	368 4 3	..	..	..	..	..	0 14 6	368 4 3	..	..	..
	Contractors' deposits ..	0 14 6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Contributions and subsidies for school purposes	..	35 19 3	68 5 9	78 16 7	..	..	25 8 5	..	..	..	..
	Museum ..	..	..	..	25 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Physical-training classes ..	32 4 5	..	..	..	..	..	..	57 4 5	..	..	..
	Superannuation paid in cash ..	..	62 10 8	..	64 10 8	..	..	..	2 0 0	..	..	..
	Patriotic subscriptions ..	..	..	22 14 0	22 14 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Suspense Account ..	..	..	170 16 7	170 16 7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	War bonus ..	..	..	15 0 0	15 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Totals ..	13,903 6 4	7,427 3 9	2,306 3 3	91,201 14 10	205 2 2	205 2 2	15,830 13 11	8,548 14 2	2,435 0 6	931 15 0	..

£ s. d.

Net balance at 1st January, 1917, Cr.

Net balance at 31st December, 1917, Cr.

NOTE.—The figures in Accounts Nos. 17 and 21 differ very slightly from those incorporated in the various financial tables, the amended figures above having been received after the tables were compiled.

Education Office, Invercargill, 4th June, 1918.

Geo. T. STEVENS, Acting-Chairman  
F. G. STEVENSON, Secretary.



## APPENDIX B.

## ABRIDGED REPORTS OF INSPECTORS OF SCHOOLS, 1917.

## AUCKLAND.

SIR,—

Auckland, 30th March, 1918.

We have the honour to submit our annual report for the year 1917 on the public primary schools of the Auckland Education District, and on those private schools, practically all of which are registered, whose inspection was undertaken by the Department.

At the close of the year the number of public schools in operation was 641, an increase of eleven on the previous year. In addition to the public schools, thirty-one Roman Catholic diocesan schools and twelve other private schools were also inspected.

The following table gives the number on the roll and the number present at the annual examination in the case of each class of the public primary schools:—

					Number on Roll.	Present at Annual Examination.
Standard VII	...	...	...	...	403	377
„ VI	...	...	...	...	3,311	3,188
„ V	...	...	...	...	4,637	4,531
„ IV	...	...	...	...	5,315	5,219
„ III	...	...	...	...	6,132	5,943
„ II	...	...	...	...	6,741	6,516
„ I	...	...	...	...	6,895	6,626
Preparatory	...	...	...	...	19,217	17,879
Totals	...	...	...	...	52,651	50,279

This table shows an increase for the year of 1,641 on the enrolment and 1,993 on the number present at the annual examination.

The total enrolment in the Roman Catholic diocesan schools was 4,248, of whom 4,024 were present at the annual examination. In the case of the other private schools the numbers were respectively 1,009 and 962.

In the course of the year, but chiefly during the months of November and December, 2,440 certificates of proficiency and 479 certificates of competency in the work of S6 were awarded to the pupils from the public schools, as well as 186 certificates of proficiency and 55 certificates of competency in the work of S6 to pupils from private schools. A few of the holders of competency certificates in the work of S6 applied to have their certificates endorsed, in most cases with success.

The great majority of the schools were visited twice during the year. The demands of duties elsewhere, and the absence of teachers when Inspectors happened to be in the neighbourhood of their schools, prevented our paying two visits in every case.

We have repeatedly drawn attention to the difficulty of adequately carrying out the work of inspection in this large district, with its expanding settlement and lack of travelling facilities. We realize the difficulties in the way of providing the additional assistance required in view of present conditions, but we feel that the matter is so important that further and favourable consideration should no longer be deferred. In common with other districts, ours has suffered severely since the outbreak of war, a large number of teachers having enlisted for active service, and we are now obliged to employ many untrained and inexperienced men and women whose efforts need constant supervision and guidance. The relatively large number of schools each Inspector is obliged to include in his special area makes it impossible for him to prolong visits where this becomes necessary, and hence many of the visits which should extend over several days are disposed of in a few hours. In the case of the more efficient schools visits of inspection might well be omitted during one or more years without any risk to the service were it not for the operation of grading regulations and requirements. The former rightly insist on the claims of all teachers being considered annually, and to do this with such justice and thoroughness as the importance of the work demands it is highly desirable, if not absolutely necessary, that each teacher be seen at work between successive gradings. Inspectors cannot, therefore, gain time for assisting those most in need of help by the omission of visits where assistance is not so greatly needed.

Many of the remarks made in former reports on the teaching of and progress in the various subjects of instruction apply with slight modifications to conditions obtaining during the year under review. In view of the very serious difficulty so frequently presented of obtaining a supply of moderately efficient teachers, we have reason to be satisfied with the general progress throughout the district.

The efforts of practically all teachers have been put forth with a full consciousness of the importance of the duties they are called on to discharge, work has been characterized by earnest endeavour, and modern developments have found appreciative and intelligent followers.

We have, &c.,

E. K. MULGAN,	N. T. LAMBOURNE,	} Inspectors.
CHAS. W. GARRARD,	JAS. W. McILRAITH,	
JAMES T. G. COX,	N. R. MCKENZIE,	
G. H. PLUMMER,	M. McLEOD,	
MAURICE PRIESTLEY,	GEO. PITCAITHLEY,	

The Director of Education, Wellington.

#### TARANAKI.

SIR,—

New Plymouth, 2nd March, 1918.

We have the honour to submit the annual report on the public primary schools of the Taranaki Education District and of the private schools inspected.

At the end of the year the number of public schools in operation was 156, including two half-time schools. Of this number, eighty-two were in charge of sole teachers. The private schools inspected number thirteen, with a total roll of 1,161.

*Inspection.*—With hardly any exception the schools, both public and private, received two visits during the year, and it was very seldom that two schools were visited on the same day. For the greater part of the year the services of a third Inspector were available. There was thereby provided an opportunity to carry out the duties of the Inspectors with greater completeness and efficiency than was possible during the previous year.

*Conditions.*—The average attendance for the year, based on the average roll number, was 88·3 per cent. Although this percentage compares favourably with that of other districts during the previous year, there is need in some localities for greater insistence on the necessity for fuller attendance. A certain amount of irregularity is due to war conditions, as there is a tendency to make use of the older pupils on the farms to the detriment of school attendance. There are some instances of the overwork of children in connection with the dairy industry, and these demand their protection in some way from the ill-considered action of the parents. Generally, however, the conditions in this respect are good.

Considerable difficulty has been experienced in obtaining a supply of suitable teachers to take charge of small schools and to fill positions as assistants of the lowest grade. In a number of cases applicants with practically no experience have perforce been accepted. Of the head and sole teachers and assistants 110, or 39 per cent., are uncertificated, and many of these have had no previous training as pupil-teachers or probationers. Satisfactory arrangements have been made for supplying substitutes for teachers absent on war service. Assistance to teachers desiring to qualify for certificates has been continued. Special aid to inexperienced teachers in the small schools has been provided by the issue of specimen schemes and of specimen term tests. Such assistance has met with wide appreciation. A promising feature in connection with the future supply of teachers is that the Board was able to fill practically all the vacancies for pupil-teachers and probationers from applicants that had attended at least three years in a secondary school.

*Efficiency.*—We have again to report that the efficiency of the schools is creditable to the teaching staff of the district. Only occasionally is slackness or inferior work evident, and in some instances at least this is due to lack of experience on the part of the teacher. Of the 155 schools, three were recorded as excellent, thirty-one as very good, forty-two as good, sixty as satisfactory or very satisfactory, sixteen as fair or very fair, and only three as weak. Commendable results were obtained by the private schools, the teachers of which continue to take a keen interest in the welfare of their pupils.

*Standard VI.*—The number of pupils presented for inspection in S6 was 682. Of these, 533 were awarded proficiency certificates, eleven endorsed competency certificates, and forty-nine ordinary competency certificates—percentages of 78 for proficiency and 9 for competency certificates. The increase in the percentage of proficiency certificates was to some extent unexpected. It may largely be explained, however, by the strictness in the previous classification in the Fifth Standard, and by the effect of the issue by the Inspectors of independent specimen tests to all schools at the end of each term. The latter tended to maintain regularity of effort and a more exact estimate of the progress of the pupils during the year.

*Course of Instruction.*—Owing to the necessity for brevity in the report a detailed reference to the subjects of the course is omitted. In any case extended comment is not very necessary, as many of the suggestions of the previous annual report cannot be completely adopted in one year, and to a large extent still apply to the conditions existing. A good beginning has been made in modifying the programmes in drawing, vocal music, nature-study, and handwork, as well as in improving methods in other subjects. It is usual to find that care and intelligence have been applied to the preparation and presentation of the schemes of work in all classes of schools. It may be mentioned specially that in physical instruction the course has been extended and more thorough methods adopted.

We have, &c.,

A. J. MORTON,	} Inspectors.
W. A. BALLANTYNE,	
H. DEMPSEY,	

The Director of Education, Wellington

## WANGANUI.

SIR,—

Wanganui, 2nd March, 1918.

We have the honour to present our report for the year ended 31st December, 1917.

During the year 202 schools were in operation, 117 being single-teacher schools, forty-three employing two teachers, twenty three teachers, and twenty-two more than three teachers. The total number of teachers (heads and assistants) employed was 399, of whom 258 were certificated and 141 uncertificated. Most of the uncertificated teachers were in the smaller schools, and here we found greatest difficulty in securing an adequate return for the salaries paid. In most of these cases two visits a year proved quite inadequate, but with the present staff we could do no more. We are glad to record, however, that some of the beginners proved to be most devoted to their studies and to their school-work, among them being men and women who had previously followed other callings. Acting on our advice the Board held a winter and a summer school of instruction in Wanganui, and many teachers from remote schools availed themselves of these opportunities to gain further knowledge of school-work. We have in previous reports pointed out the necessity in this district for a model country school, and we are glad to know that the establishment of such a school is now possible. Some further method of aiding inexperienced teachers is, however, necessary, and we would suggest that much good would result if supervising teachers were appointed to give assistance in the small schools throughout the district. We do not think these supervisors should have the rank of Inspectors, but should, under the direction and control of the Board and the Inspectors, move from school to school aiding the teachers and demonstrating good methods of organization and teaching.

In the larger schools the head teachers willingly seconded our efforts to have more attention paid to such details of organization as the arrangements for the professional training of pupil-teachers and probationers, the establishment of the prefect system, the providing of adequate playground supervision, the preparation of a proper plan of supervision of classes by head teachers, and a systematic method of aiding the assistants and dealing with class weaknesses. We were glad to note by the end of the year a very marked improvement in the trainees, and are confident these will go forward to the Training College well prepared for the more highly specialized training they will receive there.

Early in February conferences between Inspectors and teachers were held in Wanganui, Feilding, Palmerston, and Taihape, and much benefit to ourselves as well as, we believe, to the teachers resulted from the free interchange of opinion the conferences made possible.

There is a tendency for the general public to judge the success of a school and a district by its percentage of proficiency passes in S6. While there is, no doubt, some general relation between the efficiency of a school and the success of its S6 pupils, and while it is desirable teachers should be urged to spare no effort to enable their pupils to qualify for the privileges attached to a S6 pass, yet it must be remembered that in North Island districts especially the movement of the people from place to place is very pronounced and cannot but react deleteriously on the progress of the pupils. This movement in the school population is still most pronounced in the Wanganui Education District.

The war has robbed our schools of many efficient teachers. No less than seventy-two have gone on active service, and there remain only fifty-five, all in the Second Division, who are eligible for service. Some of our most reliable and most efficient teachers are at the front, several have fallen, and, though those who have stepped into the gaps are in most cases maintaining the efficiency of the service in its higher branches, there remain positions for which the Board can find only inexperienced teachers.

With the coming into use of the motor-car some change in methods of inspection appears desirable. At present the notified visit of inspection is compulsory, except for the space of one year, when it may, with the Board's approval, be omitted. The notified visit has in this district, and we believe elsewhere, become an examination visit. The Inspector takes charge and tests as many subjects and as many classes as possible. We believe some testing of a teacher's work is necessary; but we would suggest that the retention of the notified visit unduly hampers Inspectors who desire to move freely among the schools and examine only where such a course appears necessary. We do not suggest there should be no examination by Inspectors—in the smaller schools this is very necessary—we merely recommend that the notification of one visit should be mandatory only in cases where an examination is decided upon.

The Board's *Leaflet* and the circulating library, both of which are in the Inspectors' care, continue, we feel sure, to be of service to teachers, and amply repay the money and effort expended on them. By their help teachers have been made acquainted with modern movements in education, a knowledge of Montessori methods has been spread through the district, and teachers have been kept in touch with educational ideals. Many teachers are full of enthusiasm, and spare neither time nor effort to keep themselves in the van of educational advance. We are glad to have the opportunity here to commend the many teachers of infant classes who, in their effort to follow in the footsteps of Dr. Montessori, prepared large stocks of material and even manufactured part of the recognized Montessori apparatus. The method has been introduced into many of the country schools, and where understood has proved an unqualified success. One of our most pleasing experiences has been to mingle with the Montessori pupils in a country school and to note their ingenuous eagerness and interest in their self-imposed tasks.

With regard to the subjects of instruction and methods of teaching, there is less cause to complain of the isolation of the subjects. The possibilities of the correlation of studies and their corresponding intensification is well recognized in all efficient schools. The importance of a well-reasoned scheme of manual and technical instruction is recognized throughout the district and we have endeavoured in other than manual and technical subjects to lay stress on practical methods of instruction.

Twelve schools have been constituted "weather-observation stations," and these are supplied with a maximum and minimum thermometer in addition to the ordinary apparatus supplied. Monthly reports are received from these schools and published in the *Leaflet*, with such details as altitude of station, situation with respect to land and water masses, to enable all schools throughout the district to compare weather records and deal with the teaching of climate in the most practical manner.

The scheme of manual and technical instruction in the primary schools aims at providing continuous courses of manual occupations associated on the one side with instrumental drawing and on the other with free drawing. In the junior classes plane geometry is taught through the medium of paper-folding, but in the larger schools carton-modelling may be substituted in S2. In the senior division scale drawing and geometry (plane and solid) are associated with carton or cardboard modelling, or, where facilities are available, with woodwork. The boys alone follow up instrumental drawing along these lines in the senior division. In the case of girls the instrumental drawing is associated with brush design, and scale drawing is not as a rule taken. In addition to the above course in instrumental drawing with the associated handwork, most schools provide a course in plasticine-modelling associated with free drawing (object drawing and design). Unfortunately this course is interrupted, usually at the end of the S2 period, and we do not at present see our way to urge the continuance of the instruction in the senior division.

We have, &c.,

T. B. STRONG,  
JAMES MILNE } Inspectors.  
D. STEWART, }

The Director of Education, Wellington.

#### HAWKE'S BAY.

SIR,—

Napier, 22nd February, 1918.

We have the honour to present the following report on the state of primary education in Hawke's Bay for the year 1917:—

In December there were in operation 145 public schools, ten Roman Catholic schools, and nine private registered schools. As in the preceding year, the primary classes of the local high schools and the Native schools in the district were subject to our inspection. Two new schools were opened during the year and fourteen were closed. All of these were small household schools.

The following table shows the number on the roll and the number present at the teachers' annual examination in December, 1917:—

<i>Public Schools.</i>					Number on Roll.	Present at Examination.
Standard VII	...	...	...	...	141	137
„ VI	...	...	...	...	919	898
„ V	...	...	...	...	1,318	1,288
„ IV	...	...	...	...	1,473	1,442
„ III	...	...	...	...	1,684	1,637
„ II	...	...	...	...	1,668	1,623
„ I	...	...	...	...	1,657	1,606
Preparatory	...	...	...	...	4,375	4,098
Totals	...	...	...	...	13,235	12,729

<i>Roman Catholic Schools.</i>					Number on Roll.	Present at Examination.
Standard VII	...	...	...	...	34	21
„ VI	...	...	...	...	82	76
„ V	...	...	...	...	113	104
„ IV	...	...	...	...	126	126
„ III	...	...	...	...	131	125
„ II	...	...	...	...	126	120
„ I	...	...	...	...	178	164
Preparatory	...	...	...	...	409	382
Totals	...	...	...	...	1,199	1,118

*Registered Schools (other than Roman Catholic Schools).*—In the case of some of these schools information as to enrolment and classification is not given in terms similar to those used in the public schools, and some have forwarded no statement. We recommend that these schools be required to keep records in the registers provided by the Department. The total number on the rolls of these schools was 685; number present at examination, 645.

*School Buildings.*—As a rule the teachers bestow reasonable care on the buildings. The use of schoolrooms for social gatherings is a matter which should receive attention. We have again had complaints concerning the condition in which the premises are left. The new buildings now in course of erection are of a much better type as regards lighting and ventilation. Nothing has yet been done in the matter of open-air class-rooms, although a good deal of open-air teaching is practised.

*Physical Instruction.*—During the early part of the year all the larger schools and many of the country schools were visited by the Department's physical instructors. The work on the whole is progressing, and the children are showing the benefit of the training. Periodic refresher courses are, however, required for the teachers, and to this end physical instruction was included in the programme of work undertaken at the winter school held in Gisborne during the month of May.

*General Efficiency.*—In regard to the quality of the work presented during the year we have to offer the following remarks:—

*English.*—Reading is generally satisfactory. More attention should be given to develop more fully in the pupils the power to express in their own language the thoughts contained in the passage read. The value of silent reading, followed by exercises in reproduction, is too little appreciated, especially in the country schools. Children should be encouraged to read more extensively, and to this end the school libraries should be increased. A new series of supplementary readers is to be introduced this year. Only in a comparatively few schools are the definite lessons in speech indicated in the syllabus taken. The phonic exercises in the reading-book should be of some assistance to teachers; unfortunately, we fear that these are often ignored. In recitation more elocutionary and dramatic effect should be sought, and in many cases more critical judgment should be exercised in the selection of pieces for recitation. Writing is on the whole satisfactory. Excellent work is shown in places. In the lower classes a closer adherence to the head-line is required, and more blackboard illustration should be given. Spelling has improved to a reasonable degree. Teachers are beginning to follow out the plan of making the children learn words commonly used by them, and some of the lists prepared are compiled with good judgment by those who have begun the practice. The essays show a distinct advance in quality this year, and are freer from errors. In the upper standards, paragraphing and study of diction and synonyms and of figurative expression require attention. A careful study of connectives is also desirable, and some consideration might well be directed to style. Every child above the age of ten should be accustomed to the use of the dictionary. Oral composition is not very satisfactorily treated, and its value when correlated with picture-study, nature-work, word-building, and logical arrangement of ideas is lost sight of. We are inclined to think that there should be more careful preparation beforehand, and look to see provision for this in the schemes of work for the current year. Further, a close adherence to the class-book in vogue tends to destroy originality and local colour in the work, all the pupils being confined to the same subject and to the same line of treatment. From our observation we are satisfied that in the majority of the schools grammar should receive more definite formal treatment to meet the most recent additions to the syllabus, and teachers are enjoined to make a careful study of the new requirements in this subject.

In *arithmetic* more mental and oral work is required, and should receive a definite allocation on the time-table. Teachers will do well in the higher classes to devote some time to short methods, especially in regard to bill items, problems of everyday life, and the application of decimals.

*Geography.*—In the lower standards the work in geography is well taught. We find frequently that the work in S5 does not show a sufficient advance in economic geography from that presented in S4, owing to the tendency to confine the course too closely to New Zealand, which, after two years' study in S3 and S4, should be sufficiently known.

*History.*—The text-books recommended by the Board contain clearly defined programmes of instruction, and the knowledge exhibited by the children should be more exact. In S6 we consider that the programme should concern itself mostly with the Hanoverian period, and should include the principal events in the history of our own Dominion.

*Drawing.*—With the purpose of limiting the programmes in each branch to the essential features of the syllabus, a scheme of work was issued by the Board as a suggestion to teachers, and the result has been very satisfactory, particularly with regard to drawing with brush and chalk. The principles of model-drawing are, however, insufficiently understood in many instances.

*Science.*—During the year programmes in various branches of science were drawn up, and we are hoping to arrange this year for classes in suitable centres in order to demonstrate to teachers the course therein contained. This seems to be particularly desirable in general science, in which branch the teachers have had no opportunity of receiving instruction. In dairy science and agriculture much useful work continues to be done.

*Singing.*—In very few schools do we find the full purpose of singing-lessons carried out; little is attempted beyond the mere teaching of songs. Arrangements are now in hand to afford teachers a practical course of lessons in illustration of the complete requirements of the syllabus.

*Needlework.*—Most of the schools have been employed during the year in work for patriotic purposes, the result being that the importance of the fundamental instruction in sewing has been largely overlooked. It is essential, we think, that girls should be taught the stitches required in general sewing and their application, and this must be done apart from patriotic work.

*Pupil-teachers and Probationers.*—We have brought before the Board the need for securing for the pupil-teachers and probationers a greater amount of practical training in the art of teaching, and have recommended that regular criticism lessons under the direct supervision of the headmaster and the more experienced assistants, in turn, be taken at fortnightly intervals.

*District High Schools.*—[See E.-6, Report on Secondary Education.]

*Uncertificated Teachers.*—Thirty-two teachers joined the Board's correspondence course arranged in the interest of uncertificated teachers. In connection with this course classes of instruction were held—one in May at Gisborne, and one in December at Hastings. The subjects comprised practical science, agriculture and dairy science, school method and physical instruc-

tion, elementary hygiene, arithmetic, and English. The results just published may be regarded as very satisfactory. In the interests of uncertificated teachers in more remote places we hope to hold during June, in addition to the ordinary correspondence course, a winter school in the subjects that do not lend themselves to correspondence teaching.

*Manual Instruction.*—Instruction in woodwork and cookery is afforded in five centres. The need for a separate manual-training school in Napier itself is still an urgent matter. The ordinary handwork subjects in the schools have been to some extent interfered with owing to the difficulty of obtaining material.

*Grading of Teachers.*—The grading of teachers in accordance with the Dominion grading scheme appears to have met with little objection at the hands of the teachers. Seven appeals, most of which were based on reasonable grounds, were dealt with by the Appeal Board. With one exception all were upheld, and the necessary adjustments have been made.

We have, &c.,

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DAVID A. STRACHAN, } Inspectors.  
RICHARD G. WHETTER }

The Director of Education, Wellington.

### WELLINGTON.

SIR,—

Wellington, February, 1918.

We have the honour to submit our report for 1917 on the work of the primary and district high schools of the Wellington District.

During the year a new side school was opened at Seatoun, while aided schools at Black Rock, Elaine Bay, Huritini, Pukekoikoi, Titirangi, Whakatahuri, Lowlands, Pencarrow, Pori, and Stronvar were closed. New Board schools were opened at Brancott, Saratoga, Tira Ora, Wairau Bar, and Whareatea. New private schools were registered at Carterton (St. Mary's Convent), Masterton (Solway College), and Wellington (St. Mark's). Details as to numbers, average ages, &c., of 264 public, twenty-nine registered private, and two special schools are compiled in the following tables:—

					Roll.	Present at Annual Examination.	Average Age.
<i>Public Schools.</i>							
Standard VII	..	..	..	..	354	337	Yrs. mos. 14 11
„ VI	..	..	..	..	1,965	1,943	13 9
„ V	..	..	..	..	2,444	2,402	12 10
„ IV	..	..	..	..	2,725	2,701	11 10
„ III	..	..	..	..	2,928	2,891	10 11
„ II	..	..	..	..	3,153	3,107	10 1
„ I	..	..	..	..	3,123	3,069	8 10
Preparatory	..	..	..	..	8,033	7,595	6 10
Totals	..	..	..	..	24,725	24,045	
<i>Registered Private Schools.</i>							
Standard VII	..	..	..	..	92	90	15 0
„ VI	..	..	..	..	235	226	14 2
„ V	..	..	..	..	312	309	13 1
„ IV	..	..	..	..	353	337	12 3
„ III	..	..	..	..	312	307	11 0
„ II	..	..	..	..	346	328	10 0
„ I	..	..	..	..	336	327	9 1
Preparatory	..	..	..	..	941	883	6 4
Totals	..	..	..	..	2,927	2,807	
<i>Special Schools.</i>							
Standard VI	..	..	..	..	4	4	14 6
„ V	..	..	..	..	13	13	13 9
„ IV	..	..	..	..	12	12	12 9
„ III	..	..	..	..	19	19	12 0
„ II	..	..	..	..	13	13	11 6
„ I	..	..	..	..	16	15	10 0
Preparatory	..	..	..	..	57	55	7 0
Totals	..	..	..	..	134	131	

There was thus a total of 295 schools in operation, with 27,786 pupils on the rolls and 26,983 present at the Inspectors' annual visit.



The following figures show the increase of roll number since the amalgamation of the Marlborough District with Wellington: Combined roll—1916, 23,928; 1917, 24,725: increase, 797. The percentage of roll in each class was as follows:—

		P.	S1.	S2.	S3.	S4.	S5.	S6.	S7.
Dominion ..	..	35.5	12.7	12.3	11.9	10.9	9.3	6.1	1.3
Wellington ..	..	32.5	12.6	12.8	11.9	11.0	9.9	7.9	1.4

Summary of efficiency: Good to very good, 78 schools; satisfactory to good, 129 schools; fair to moderate, 40 schools; inferior, 4 schools: total, 251. As in previous years, the schools classified as unsatisfactory are, with two exceptions, in Grades 0, I, and II, and are situated in remote parts of the district. The problem of finding competent teachers for such places has always been a difficult one, and matters have not improved under war conditions. A separate report is attached giving details of action taken in regard to the most unsatisfactory of these schools.

*Syllabus.*—We here briefly summarize our estimate of the efficiency of the district as a whole in the various subjects of the syllabus. English: Reading—accuracy and fluency, good; comprehension of subject-matter, satisfactory. We are asking, however, that more attention be paid to the general meaning of the paragraph, and that the upper standards should have more practice with pencil or brush in the interpretation of details in the subject-matter of the reading-lesson. Faults in articulation and enunciation are more apparent than they should be, and we have had to call attention to the absence from many schemes of work of any method—critical or constructive—of dealing systematically with common faults in the spoken language. Recitation is satisfactory so far as the memorizing of the regulation number of lines is concerned, but seldom shows any elocutionary merit, and in many instances the pieces are, moreover, selected with too little regard for correlation either with the matter of other subjects of the syllabus or with the pupils' own experience. Essay-writing is good, particularly in schools in which teachers show sound judgment in the selection of topics which are of live interest to the pupils. Letter-writing is not so satisfactory, and we shall expect teachers to deal definitely with such details as the correct setting-out of the superscription and subscription of the more common types of letters. Writing and spelling range from satisfactory to good. Arithmetic is on the whole good, though we have noticed some neglect of the syllabus requirements in the P. and S1 classes. We have found a tendency on the part of many teachers to deal with numbers considerably beyond the limit set for these classes by the regulations, the result being that ready knowledge of the composition of numbers below 100 and facility in oral work as specifically required by the regulations are sacrificed to long and laboured operations in tens, and even hundreds, of thousands. History and geography are naturally closely correlated with the circumstances of the war, and are on the whole receiving intelligent treatment—that is, so far as examination requirements will allow. We regret that drawing can be classed as fair only. Though very good work is being done in some schools, the results attained in the district as a whole are disappointing. Specific directions have been issued to teachers with a view to ensuring more progressive treatment of this subject from class to class, and its greater co-ordination with other subjects of the syllabus. The efficiency mark for handwork ranges from good to very good.

We find evidence of very satisfactory progress being made in the teaching of elementary agriculture. As showing the benefits to be derived from well-directed courses of cottage gardening and nature-study, the Chief Instructor remarks on the gradual but steady improvement in many of the school-grounds, and the greater adaptability for agricultural work shown in the district high schools by the average proficiency pupil of to-day.

Medical inspection and physical instruction: The Medical Officer reports that upwards of three thousand children in the Wellington District were medically examined. Lectures and demonstrations were also given to training-college students, and, wherever practicable, meetings with parents were arranged and addresses given. The establishment of the school-nurse system has provided a most desirable and effective link between the school and the home in regard to cases reported by the Medical Inspector as defective, and has resulted in nearly 70 per cent. of these cases receiving the necessary treatment, a result which, in the circumstances, the Medical Inspector considers satisfactory. Excellent results are being recorded with regard to the corrective classes which have been established in connection with schools of Grade IV and upwards. Satisfactory reports have also been received from the physical instructors, some 195 schools, representing upwards of twenty thousand children, having been visited and inspected. Swimming is receiving attention wherever the necessary facilities exist, and we have to express appreciation of the action of the City Council in placing the Municipal Baths at the disposal of the schools.

*District High Schools.*—[See E.—6, Report on Secondary Education.]

*General.*—The spring school of agricultural instruction for teachers was held in Masterton with very gratifying results; a similar school was also held with equal success in Blenheim. A training-camp for physical instruction was held in the early part of the year, and one for training-college students in November. The physical instructors emphasize the importance of these camps as “refresher courses” for all teachers. During the year addresses on educational matters were delivered by the Inspectors to gatherings of teachers at Wellington, Masterton, and Pahiatua, and head teachers have several times met in conference with the Senior Inspector to discuss matters in connection with the interpretation and administration of the Department's regulations.

The demands of military service have seriously depleted the ranks of our male teachers, many of whom have, indeed, already made the supreme sacrifice; and while we have felt it our duty to draw attention to shortcomings in the method and management of some of our schools,

we feel bound also to express our high appreciation of the meritorious service and loyal co-operation of the teachers as a body in our efforts to maintain the educational efficiency of the district.

We have, &c.,

The Director of Education, Wellington.

F. H. BAKEWELL,  
F. G. A. STUCKEY,  
D. A. STURROCK,  
W. H. GOULD, } Inspectors.

### NELSON.

SIR,—

Nelson, 12th March, 1918.

We have the honour to present our annual report on the schools of the Nelson Education District for the year 1917.

During the last quarter of the year 119 schools were at work, the number including four half-time schools reckoned as two. There were also nine side schools, Rahui (previously attached to Charleston) having been closed. 115 schools were inspected by us, in most cases more than once, those unvisited having been opened since the Inspector's visit to their part of the district. With the addition of the nine side schools, four secondary classes at district high schools, and sixteen private and miscellaneous schools, 144 school establishments in all came under inspection.

*Private Schools.*—The roll number of the private and special schools inspected was 957, of which number 932 were present at the annual examination. In all seventy-six pupils were presented for the Sixth Standard examination, and thirty-three proficiency and eighteen competency certificates were obtained. The preparatory divisions at the Nelson Boys' and Girls' Colleges were also inspected, and candidates for certificates were examined by us. The roll number was fifty-two, fifty-one being present at the examination. Including twelve from the upper school, there were in all twenty-two candidates for certificates, and fourteen proficiency and five competency certificates were gained.

The efficiency of the work of these different schools, of which the total roll number is 1,009, is briefly summarized in the following estimate: Four schools good, three schools satisfactory to good, seven schools satisfactory, two schools fair to satisfactory.

*Public Schools.*—The number on the rolls of the public schools of the district has also increased, the average weekly roll for September quarter being 6,967. In regularity of attendance a great improvement has been made, the average attendance for the year, 6,217, being 89·7 per cent. of the average weekly roll, almost as high as any previously recorded in this district. The percentage for the whole Dominion last year was 88·6, being lower than usual on account of the prevalence of epidemics. The following details of classes are supplied from the Inspectors' annual return :—

					Number on Roll.	Present at Annual Examination.
Standard VII	...	...	...	...	144	138
„ VI	...	...	...	...	532	523
„ V	...	...	...	...	667	653
„ IV	...	...	...	...	767	757
„ III	...	...	...	...	813	804
„ II	...	...	...	...	875	858
„ I	...	...	...	...	863	845
Preparatory	...	...	...	...	2,338	2,274
Totals for 1917 ...					6,999	6,852
Totals for 1916 ...					6,881	6,437

Increase is most apparent in S6 and S1. Owing to the absence of any general epidemic this year the number present at examination shows a decided improvement. There is still a great leakage of numbers between S2 and S6, markedly increasing in proportion as the higher standards are reached. The number in S7 consists mainly of the secondary-class pupils of the four district high schools, and is comparatively small, as a large proportion of those gaining proficiency certificates annually pass on to secondary or technical schools. The proportion of children retained in the preparatory class shows further diminution, representing now 33·4 per cent. of the total roll.

The following is a general summary of results of examinations :—

	Number presented.	Proficiency Certificates.	Competency Certificates.	*Endorsed Competency.	Failures.
Primary-school pupils .. .. .	537	309 (57%)	116 (21%)	18	112
Private-school pupils .. .. .	65	29 (44%)	14 (21%)	5	22
Miscellaneous .. .. .	33	18 (54%)	8 (24%)	..	7

\* Included in number of competency certificates.

Though the number of certificates awarded is much greater, the percentage of passes—proficiency 57 per cent. and competency 21 per cent.—is practically the same as that of last year. For the whole Dominion last year the percentages were 67 and 16 respectively. Of the competency certificates twenty-three were endorsed for special merit in handwork and elementary science. The endorsed certificate, as well as the proficiency, qualifies the holder for a junior free place at a technical school.

*Teachers.*—The status of the teaching staff has not further suffered during the year, but, if anything, has slightly improved in respect to sole teachers. On the 31st December 209 teachers were in the employ of the Education Board, classified as follows:—

	Certificated. Uncertificated.		Total.
Head teachers	38	2	40
Assistants	64	29	93
Sole teachers	25	51	76
Totals	127	82	209
Totals for 1916	125	79	204

Twenty-three pupil-teachers and eighteen probationers were also employed.

*School Buildings.*—During the last two or three years the greatly increased cost of materials and labour has led to the postponement of much repairing and repainting. The general condition of the school buildings has suffered in consequence. We are pleased to see that during the year the Board has taken effective measures to prevent rapid deterioration. Schools requiring attention have been graded, and are being systematically put in order, the most urgent cases having been already dealt with. Several of our schools are very old. In order to avoid the accumulated cost of rebuilding these—a necessity which must arise at no very distant date—it would be well to systematize effort and allocate a sufficient sum to replace one school each year or alternate year.

*Efficiency of Schools.*—The estimate following shows that the loss of efficiency occasioned by the unusual disabilities of last year has been somewhat compensated by an improvement in the number of schools classed as efficient. Good, 24 schools; satisfactory to good, 23; satisfactory, 53; fair to satisfactory, 13; fair, 3; moderate to fair, 1. Efficient, 100; non-efficient, 17: for 1916—efficient, 95; non-efficient, 17. All but one of those marked inefficient are sole-teacher schools, and many of them, are of such low grade that it is almost impossible to obtain trained or certificated teachers for them. Though the general status of the schools is not so high as it was even in 1915, the improvement is gratifying, and shows that the teaching staffs as a rule are doing their duty in maintaining efficiency and in preventing the decline that might be expected as a result of continued war conditions.

*Handwork.*—Some form of elementary handwork has been taught in almost all schools, and the quality of the work done has been reported on in 105. Plasticine-modelling is by far the most common form of training. The manual-training centres of Nelson, Westport, Wakefield, and Reefton have, as usual, conducted classes in woodwork or ironwork and cookery. Motueka has taken the domestic-science course only, and a new centre for metal-work and cookery has been formed at Denniston. Seventy-two schools have taken some form of manual training.

The most common deficiency in handwork instruction is to be found in small country schools remote from a manual-training centre, which find special difficulty in carrying out the requirements laid down for S5 and S6.

*District High Schools.*—[See E.—6, Report on Secondary Education.]

*Maori Children.*—The number of Maori children in attendance at the schools of the district is thirty-one, as compared with thirty-three last year. This number is distributed throughout eleven schools, Whangarae, with nine pupils, having the largest roll number. There are ten in Class P, four in S1, seven in S2, four in S4, five in S5, and one in S6; and the general progress of the Maori children is quite satisfactory.

*Physical Instruction.*—The work of physical instruction is now very systematically carried out in almost all the schools of the district. The reports of the physical instructors are in most cases of a very favourable nature, and indicate that good work is being done. The chief weakness is that in some schools the work is becoming too mechanical. A refresher camp of instruction for teachers was held on the West Coast in December. Fifty teachers attended, and in spite of very unfavourable weather conditions during the opening days everything worked towards a complete success. The regular visit of the Medical Inspector was made during the year. The corrective classes previously established were inspected, and further classes of the kind were organized. It is not always easy to arrange and carry on the special work of these classes, but where the treatment has been regularly applied good results have been evident.

We have, &c.,

The Director of Education, Wellington.

G. A. HARKNESS, } Inspectors.  
A. CRAWFORD, }

## CANTERBURY.

SIR,—

Christchurch, April, 1918.

We have the honour to present our annual report on the schools of this district for the year 1917.

The number of public schools open at the close of the year was 381. To each of these, with the exception of two or three small schools, two visits were paid. Forty-five private schools were also inspected. The annual examination lists show an enrolment of 34,285 pupils in the Board's schools and 3,792 in the private schools under inspection. The following is a summary of the results of the proficiency examinations :—

	Pupils examined.	Proficiency Certificates.	Competency Certificates.
Public schools ... ..	2,356	1,528	482
Private schools ... ..	265	157	70
Special examinations ... ..	240	104	88
	<hr/> 2,861	<hr/> 1,789	<hr/> 640

Thus 63 per cent. of those presenting themselves obtained proficiency and 22 per cent. competency.

The returns from district high schools showed 655 pupils on the roll. Owing to the shortage of adult labour a keen demand has arisen for the services of boys and girls, and the existence of some of the smaller schools has been threatened. This is to be greatly regretted, as these schools have in the past rendered excellent service to the cause of secondary education.

During the year there has been considerable extension of handwork classes. This has been largely due to the energy, enthusiasm, and able administration of the Board's Supervisor of Handwork. Lack of sufficient centres has handicapped his efforts, but it is to be hoped that in the near future adequate woodwork and cookery accommodation will be provided.

The medical inspection of pupils has been zealously carried out by the Medical Inspector of Schools, and the increasing interest shown is abundant proof that its importance is recognized by the general public.

The physical instructors have had a very successful year, and many of the pupils by their improved physique and carriage bear testimony to the benefits derived from regular and systematic training. The results of the corrective classes have exceeded expectations, the whole-hearted support of the teachers being most encouraging. It is, however, to be regretted that there are still some schools in which the harmful bodily attitudes assumed by the pupils while at their work appear to escape the teachers' observation.

In connection with the various subjects of the curriculum there is little change to report. Reading, though on the whole improving, still suffers in some schools from the fact that the pupils simply say the words without much regard to thought-interpretation. More, too, might be done in the direction of systematic training of the vocal organs, in which connection the voice-production exercises associated with the singing-lessons should be of great value. Spelling is generally good. Composition varies in quality from very good to poor. In our better schools there is evidence of excellent teaching, but in the poorer group instruction is often haphazard and unsystematic. Recitation in many instances shows an advance both in choice of matter and in mode of rendering. Writing is mainly satisfactory. In arithmetic, although the majority of the schools do sound work, there are still some that underestimate the importance of mental practice. History continues more or less unsatisfactory, and many teachers have yet to realize that success can be achieved only by definiteness of aim and inspirational methods. In geography steady improvement is noticeable, but observational work and a proper correlation of the commercial, physical, and political aspects of the subject should receive more thoughtful consideration. Drawing, while on the whole satisfactory, suffers in too many schools from lack of systematic instruction. Teachers themselves should assume the responsibility of framing properly graded schemes for the different sections of their pupils. In nature-study, too, they often fail to realize that the children themselves should do the most of the seeing, thinking, and talking.

Order and discipline are distinctly good, and there is every indication that this pleasing state of affairs is secured without resort to unduly repressive measures.

In conclusion, we would place on record our appreciation of the zeal and enthusiasm shown by the teachers of this district. In spite of the distracting influences of the last two or three years, they have worked loyally and faithfully. Although a few—and their number is rapidly diminishing—still fail to acquaint themselves with existing regulations, still neglect to have their schemes completed at the appointed time, and still omit to send in their returns promptly, the great body of teachers are men and women who have a fine conception of duty, and are endeavouring as far as lies in their power to promote the physical, mental, and moral welfare of those under their charge.

Our thanks are due to the Board and its officials for many acts of courtesy.

We have, &c.,

WM. BROCK,	} Inspectors.
JAS. GIBSON GOW,	
CHAS. D. HARDIE,	
S. C. OWEN,	
J. B. MAYNE,	
J. A. VALENTINE,	

The Director of Education, Wellington.

## OTAGO.

Sir,—

Dunedin, 8th March, 1918.

We have the honour to submit herewith our annual report on the work of the schools in this district for the year 1917.

The following table gives a summary of inspection results for the public schools:—

					Number on Roll.	Present at Annual Examination
Standard VII	...	...	...	...	339	311
„ VI	...	...	...	...	1,529	1,493
„ V	...	...	...	...	2,129	2,075
„ IV	...	...	...	...	2,590	2,531
„ III	...	...	...	...	2,760	2,697
„ II	...	...	...	...	2,832	2,770
„ I	...	...	...	...	3,205	3,035
Preparatory	...	...	...	...	7,220	6,966
Totals	...	...	...	...	22,595	21,878

During the year 260 schools were in operation: of these, two were half-time schools and six were household schools.

With the exception of household schools, all the schools were inspected, and in nearly all cases two visits were paid. In addition the Inspectors visited and reported on sixteen private schools.

*Efficiency of Schools.*—An analysis of the Inspectors' annual return gives the following results with regard to efficiency: Excellent or very good, 26 per cent.; good, 41 per cent.; satisfactory, 28 per cent.; fair to inferior, 5 per cent. This shows a satisfactory decrease of 5 per cent. in the lowest group and an increase of 6 per cent. in the highest group.

*Proficiency Examination.*—For the proficiency certificate 1,631 candidates presented themselves: of these, 1,275, or 78 per cent., secured the certificate of proficiency and 212 gained the certificate of competency. This shows an increase of 3 per cent. on the results of the previous year.

*Syllabus.*—Last year we reported very fully on the subjects of the syllabus, and as we have in our reports to the Board furnished details of the work done during the year we think it unnecessary to add to our general report this year, except to emphasize the remarks we made in 1917 on reading, history, geography, and drawing. Instruction in morals and health is receiving suitable attention, and the Minister's direction that lessons in temperance should be given is being fulfilled.

*Physical Instruction.*—In only a few schools have we had to call the teachers' attention to the necessity for regular instruction in physical drill, and in the majority of schools the exercises are faithfully carried out. The style of instruction by the teachers has improved, and in consequence the work was done more smartly by the children. In order to prevent any tendency to strain, and to obtain the greatest benefit from open-air exercise, the physical instructors have laid emphasis on the importance of correct breathing during the performance of all movements. The corrective classes which have been carried out during the year under the supervision of the Medical Inspector have been visited frequently by the physical instructors, and their report states, "The marked improvement in the physique of the children certainly justifies the continuance of these classes." In a number of schools swimming is systematically taught, while the importance of organized games as an educational factor is recognized in our schools, more especially in those in the larger centres.

*Manual Instruction.*—To our remarks on handwork last year we have little to add, except to state that we are pleased to record that the number of teachers who look upon the subject as a powerful educational factor and as an aid to instruction in other subjects is increasing, and that fewer are now treating it as an isolated subject in a watertight compartment. The instruction given in woodwork classes held in Dunedin and in the different centres is of a satisfactory character, but at the Dunedin centres the classes are too large, and in order to relieve the congestion the establishment of a third centre is absolutely necessary. In cookery and domestic economy good practical work has been done at all centres, but more theoretical instruction should be given in order to familiarize the pupils with principles.

*Maori Schools.*—In the Otago District the education of the Maori is conducted in mixed schools (nineteen), and as there are not one hundred Maori scholars in the whole district it is difficult to draw any comparison between their work and that of the European pupils.

In December the following were the numbers in each class: P, 25; S1, 16; S2, 12; S3, 11; S4, 12; S5, 3; S6, 5. These figures show that many of the Maori children leave school before reaching Standard 5, and up to this standard the average age of the Maori is considerably above that of the European in the same classes.

In drawing and in various manual occupations he does very good work, but the language difficulty handicaps him when he reaches the senior division. His behaviour is generally very satisfactory.

Of the five scholars in S6, one obtained a Proficiency Certificate and one a Competency.

*District High Schools.*—[See E.—6, Report on Secondary Education.]

*Buildings, &c.*—The buildings, grounds, and fences are, in general, in very good condition, and are well looked after. In only nine cases have the buildings been reported as below satisfactory, and in three of these the Board has already made provision for new buildings. The repairs necessary in the other cases are receiving the attention of the architect. In many cases

the condition of the school surroundings reflects great credit on the Committees and teachers, but in a few districts we find the Committees apathetic in matters affecting the welfare of the children. On the whole the schoolrooms are kept very clean and tidy. Some of them are well supplied with suitable pictures, but in many the walls are quite bare, and a strenuous effort should be made to remedy this defect.

*Pupil-teachers.*—One of the effects of free places at the high schools has been to increase the number of matriculated candidates for pupil-teacherships. At the completion of their course entrance to the training college is gained through partial D, consequently the necessary course of study is by no means exacting, especially as it is relieved by drawing and physical-instruction classes, which are in the nature of recreative exercises. We regret that wiser counsel does not prevail in the case of those young people who, though at a critical age, are aided and abetted in the unwise course of taking university classes during the years of their pupil-teachership—too frequently with ill effect upon the health, and at all times with the tendency to detach themselves from the work of the school, and expend energy in work that is provided for later in their training, and which, though no part of the pupil-teacher course, has been used to discredit the system. We are of opinion that the pupil-teacher course should be such as gives ample opportunities for rest and recreation, and this it does, especially as most of the youths are well on to partial D on their appointments, and the requirements can well be met without strain or other ill effects.

*Miscellaneous.*—Board's regulations: We frequently find teachers not as conversant with the Board's regulations as is necessary, and we consider it desirable that not only during their course of training, but also subsequently, means should be adopted to secure familiarity with the regulations under which our schools are to be conducted.

Educational literature: There appears to be prevalent the wrong impression that possession of a certificate obviates the necessity for further study. As a consequence too seldom do we find teachers well versed and up to date in educational literature, or imbued with the idea that the knowledge of the art of teaching obtained during their comparatively short period of training only enabled them to advance but a few steps out of the dark, and that they are yet only teachers in the making who require not only experience, but also effort directed by the master minds of education.

We cannot allow this report to pass without reference to the excellent patriotic work done by the children and the teachers—work which shows a fine spirit and is deserving of the highest praise. As a practical lesson in civics it cannot be surpassed, and it also affords evidence of the interest taken by the teachers in the welfare of the children both in and out of school. This interest is also shown by many teachers, who willingly give much of their spare time to instruction in and supervision of such organized games as cricket, tennis, football, hockey, &c.

We have, &c.,  
T. R. FLEMING,  
C. K. BOSSENCE,  
J. R. DON,  
M. J. LYNKEY, } Inspectors.

The Director of Education, Wellington.

SOUTHLAND.

Invercargill, 26th March, 1918.

SIR,— We have the honour to submit our report on the schools of Southland for the year ended 31st December, 1917.

The following table gives information as to number on the rolls, classification, and ages of the pupils attending the public schools of the district:—

Class.	Number on Roll.	Present at Annual Examination.	Average Age of the Pupils in every Class.
			Yrs. mos.
Standard VII .. .. .	15	13	14 2
"   VI .. .. .	769	743	13 10
"   V .. .. .	1,203	1,165	12 11
"   IV .. .. .	1,329	1,287	12 1
"   III .. .. .	1,436	1,400	11 2
"   II .. .. .	1,538	1,476	9 11
"   I .. .. .	1,638	1,578	8 11
Preparatory .. .. .	4,153	3,912	6 9
Totals .. .. .	12,081	11,574	11 3*

\* Mean of average age.

So far as attendance goes the year's record as regards a good many schools is anything but satisfactory, although the annual statistics show an increase on last year's figures. Southland achieved unenviable notoriety in the diphtheria epidemic of 1917, the number of cases in the district being larger than in any other in proportion to population. This led to wholesale

closing of schools and seriously interrupted the work of instruction. There is room for much doubt as to whether the means adopted was at all effective in checking this epidemic.

It is evidently advisable that every school should receive an unannounced visit, if for no other purpose than doing justice to its staff when the period for grading teachers comes round. On the other hand, the number of inexperienced teachers in the district is fairly large, and it seems our bounden duty to assist them practically to as great an extent as possible. We have therefore during the year exempted from full examination six of our higher-grade schools, and devoted the time thus gained to two-day visits to twenty-three of our weaker schools. The teachers thus benefited have not been slow to express their sense of the value of our assistance. It seems certain that this course will be necessary for some considerable time yet.

War conditions have almost depleted our schools of unmarried male teachers; the calling-up of the Second Division will involve us in almost insuperable difficulties. The position is now acute alike as regards the appointment of permanent, temporary, or relieving teachers. A moderate proportion of the staff in our larger schools should be male teachers; at present Invercargill South, with a roll of 841, has only one male assistant. In the case of Grade I schools it is becoming increasingly difficult to obtain even female teachers with satisfactory qualifications.

The strict conditions of attendance at teachers' Saturday classes have practically eliminated abuse of the benefits afforded by these classes. If the results do not seem commensurate with the expenditure, this is due largely to the time lost and the fatigue incurred by many of the students in travelling, and to the unfavourable conditions of study in their lodgings.

The number of male applicants for the positions of pupil-teacher and probationer is very small, and the proportion of candidates with the higher qualifications is much smaller than it is in districts with better facilities for university education. The extent to which leave of absence is granted to young teachers and their low average literary standing impel us to the conclusion that both physically and intellectually entrants to the teaching profession are inferior to those of former years.

There is possibly nothing which impedes the progress of education in this district more than the frequent changes of teaching staff. This is no new evil induced by war conditions, but has been in evidence for many years. There were 108 such changes during 1917. The evil is in some measure due to the great extent of the district, many teachers, particularly the uncertificated, being so remote from central classes as to render their advancement in status and their promotion matters of the utmost difficulty. A teacher is required, under the present rules of the Board, to remain at least one year in a position before again seeking appointment: it would be better for our schools, and in few cases detrimental to the teacher's interests, were the period two years instead of one.

Towards the end of the year we had much pleasure in conferring with the Teachers' Institute on schemes of work in history, geography, spelling, &c. The labour involved on both sides was considerable, but will be fully rewarded, we believe, by improvement in the treatment of these subjects in our schools. Should time allow we should be glad to give similar help in regard to other subjects which present much difficulty to our inexperienced teachers—nature-study, drawing, handwork, &c. As regards elementary science, some of the schemes presented last year were almost wholly made up of work properly coming under the headings of instrumental drawing and arithmetic; while the programmes of science in rural schools without a garden were, generally speaking, unsatisfactory. In all these cases we are asking that amended schemes be submitted to us for approval.

In the case of schools managed by uncertificated teachers we examine and classify all pupils at as late a period in the year as possible. Generally speaking, unwarranted promotion is a more frequent fault than undue retardation; the latter failing affects the infant classes principally. We have had in a good many cases to protest against "provisional" classification—i.e., promoting a pupil into a class for which he is not fit, to see if in time he will prove fit. In nine cases out of ten he proves unfit. The practice of subdividing S6 into upper and lower sections, the lower containing pupils fitter for S5 than for S6, has been practically discontinued: it was quite indefensible.

The results of the proficiency examination are given below. It is to be noted—First, that composition has greatly improved; second, that some teachers failed to notice the increased importance attached to composition by recent amendments of the syllabus; and, third, that a few teachers concentrated their efforts on English and arithmetic alone, their pupils in some cases fulfilling all the conditions in these two subjects, yet failing to gain proficiency.

—			Presented.	Examined.	Proficiency.	Competency.	Fail.
Public schools	..	..	812	806	527 (65.4%)	142 (17.6%)	137 (17.0%)
Private schools	..	..	40	40	19 (47.5%)	9 (22.5%)	11 (27.5%)
All schools	..	..	852	846	546 (64.5%)	151 (17.8%)	148 (17.5%)

The corresponding percentages for 1916 were—

			Proficiency.	Competency.	Fail.
Public schools	...	...	68.8	15.6	15.6
Private schools	...	...	52.2	18.2	29.6
All schools	...	...	68.0	15.7	16.3

In many of our schools the classes up to S2 show very satisfactory progress from year to year both in reading and in recitation, but such progress is usually not so well maintained throughout the senior division. It is doubtful, however, whether the P classes are sufficiently drilled in enunciation, and whether sufficient use is made of the continuous readers in the senior division. Judged by the dictation tests the spelling is satisfactory; in S6 it is often good, but errors in common words are frequent in the composition-papers even where the dictation test is well done. The handwriting is on the whole of very fair quality; much of it in S6 is indeed good in respect both of speed and of style. In some schools, however, S3, S4, and S5 are allowed through lack of supervision to lapse into careless habits. In respect of arrangement, paragraphing, and punctuation the composition shows improvement, especially in the larger schools, but neglect of these points is still too common. The programme in formal grammar is generally too restricted.

In the arithmetic of the lower classes there is usually too little drill in tables, too little mental and oral work. In the higher classes there is often a want of practical concrete knowledge of the weights and measures, little appreciation of short methods (properly so called) except in S6, and some waste of time over complex fractions. These faults are in many cases perpetuated and aggravated by the promotion of pupils that are weak in arithmetic. In S6 long tots and mental arithmetic are improving.

The buildings throughout the district are, generally speaking, in good repair. The credit for this is mostly due to the Board's gang of workmen, seconded in some cases by local activity. The Board's policy is to keep the exteriors of buildings well painted with a view to their preservation. It may be strongly questioned whether, considering the stakes at issue (the health and physical well-being of the pupils), the painting of the interiors is not more important. Owing to the large number of female teachers in the service many of the residences in the district are either untenanted or occupied by tenants other than the teachers. This would seem to indicate the necessity for a cautious policy in regard to building residences; on the other hand, the total discontinuance of building would debar many married men from the profession, for in most country places it is next to impossible to obtain a house suitable for a teacher's use, or, indeed, any house at all.

We have, &c.,

A. L. WYLLIE,	} Inspectors.
A. INGLIS,	
A. McNEIL,	

The Director of Education, Wellington.

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APPENDIX C.

MANUAL INSTRUCTION IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

No. 1. DETAILED TABLES.

TABLE G1.—SOME PARTICULARS RELATING TO ELEMENTARY HANDWORK AND MANUAL INSTRUCTION IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR THE YEARS 1911 TO 1917 INCLUSIVE.

	1911.	1912.	1913.	1914.	1915.	1916.	1917.
Number of public schools.. .. .	2,166	2,214	2,255	2,301	2,338	2,355	2,368
Number of schools taking elementary hand- work	1,273	1,319	1,382	1,513	1,793	1,898	2,011
Number of schools taking manual subjects..	979	1,139	1,227	1,298	1,398	1,445	1,503
Number of district high schools providing approved rural courses	17	28	33	34	37	38	38
Capitation for elementary handwork ..	£ 5,308	£ 5,430	£ 5,906	£ 6,456	£ 6,869	£ 7,623	£ 7,791
Capitation for manual instruction.. ..	11,745	15,804	18,563	18,016	20,574	21,939	23,763
Capitation for rural courses .. .. .	2,896	3,047	5,705	6,888	7,007	7,794	7,984
Cost to Government of conveyance of pupils to manual training centres	2,940	2,203	3,796	4,566	5,414	6,335	5,713
Receipts of Education Boards .. .. .	28,634	37,123	45,379	35,270	41,551	47,807	60,763
Expenditure of Education Boards.. ..	30,385	40,521	42,646	35,111	42,582	42,827	49,779

TABLE G2.—ELEMENTARY HANDWORK AND MANUAL INSTRUCTION, 1917. (PUBLIC SCHOOLS.)

Education District.	Elementary Woodwork.		Manual Instruction.					
	Number of Schools.	Number of Schools.	Number of Secondary Pupils taking Rural Courses at District High Schools.	Subjects and Number of Schools providing Instruction in each.				
				Domestic Subjects.	Woodwork and Ironwork.	Elementary Science.	Agriculture and Dairying, &c.	Swimming and Life-saving.
Auckland .. .. .	511	343	260	142	144	8	320	37
Taranaki .. .. .	127	112	71	17	16	31	108	10
Wanganui .. .. .	171	163	153	39	39	13	167	11
Hawke's Bay .. ..	121	99	139	17	17	10	95	2
Wellington .. .. .	172	123	216	44	45	28	98	20
Nelson .. .. .	101	76	..	23	23	15	64	13
Canterbury .. .. .	379	248	219	148	139	17	213	32
Otago .. .. .	259	216	166	51	48	22	203	32
Southland .. .. .	170	123	..	73	63	13	109	6
Totals .. .. .	2,011	1,503	1,229	554	534	157	1,377	163

TABLE C3.—HANDWORK AND MANUAL INSTRUCTION.—INCOME AND EXPENDITURE, TOGETHER WITH MONETARY ASSETS AND LIABILITIES, OF EDUCATION BOARDS FOR THE YEAR  
ENDING 31ST DECEMBER, 1917.

Education Boards.	Income.					Expenditure.					Liabilities.		Monetary Assets.			Difference.							
	Capitation.		Grants for Buildings and Equipment.	Subsidies on Voluntary Contribu- tions.		Receipts from other Sources.		Total Income.		Salaries of Instructors.	Working- expenses on Classes.	Buildings and Equipment.	Administration (including Salaries).		Total Expenditure.		Dr. Balance at 31st December, 1917.		Other Liabilities.	Cr. Balance at 31st December, 1917.			Other Assets.
Auckland ..	£ s. d. 15,600 3 3	£ s. d. 968 11 8	£ s. d. 582 5 8	£ s. d. 1,333 8 10	£ s. d. 18,484 9 5	£ s. d. 6,469 2 7	£ s. d. 5,039 8 8	£ s. d. 2,330 15 2	£ s. d. 1,341 14 11	£ s. d. 15,181 1 4	£ s. d. 2,336 11 0	£ s. d. 875 0 0	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 1,897 18 0	£ s. d. Dr. 1,313 13 0								
Taranaki ..	£ s. d. 2,807 9 0	£ s. d. 13 18 5	£ s. d. 220 0 0	£ s. d. 463 13 4	£ s. d. 3,505 0 9	£ s. d. 1,621 11 8	£ s. d. 545 7 0	£ s. d. 97 10 6	£ s. d. 127 18 3	£ s. d. 2,392 7 5	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 2,694 7 0	£ s. d. 450 0 0	£ s. d. Cr. 3,144 7 0								
Wanganui ..	£ s. d. 3,844 19 11	£ s. d. 277 2 7	£ s. d. 63 14 8	£ s. d. 91 19 0	£ s. d. 4,277 16 2	£ s. d. 2,885 0 10	£ s. d. 795 8 7	£ s. d. 229 2 6	£ s. d. 372 5 10	£ s. d. 4,281 17 9	£ s. d. 3,644 4 0	£ s. d. 282 11 7	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 751 18 9	£ s. d. Dr. 3,174 16 10								
Hawke's Bay	£ s. d. 3,741 7 7	£ s. d. 479 0 0	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 79 1 6	£ s. d. 4,299 9 1	£ s. d. 1,530 10 0	£ s. d. 595 14 8	£ s. d. 463 1 11	£ s. d. 253 16 8	£ s. d. 2,843 3 3	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 54 0 0	£ s. d. 1,241 5 7	£ s. d. 220 0 0	£ s. d. Cr. 1,407 5 7								
Wellington ..	£ s. d. 6,739 4 10	£ s. d. 374 2 7	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 231 0 0	£ s. d. 7,344 7 5	£ s. d. 2,474 9 9	£ s. d. 2,280 11 10	£ s. d. 84 15 5	£ s. d. 674 0 0	£ s. d. 5,513 17 0	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 72 2 0	£ s. d. 1,345 7 4	£ s. d. 1,208 1 8	£ s. d. Cr. 2,481 7 0								
Nelson ..	£ s. d. 952 12 7	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 75 9 9	£ s. d. 1,028 2 4	£ s. d. 932 12 7	£ s. d. 463 7 6	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 219 19 6	£ s. d. 1,615 19 7	£ s. d. 1,361 9 2	£ s. d. 65 4 9	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 526 2 2	£ s. d. Dr. 900 11 9								
Canterbury ..	£ s. d. 8,885 12 0	£ s. d. 1,099 6 8	£ s. d. 10 0 0	£ s. d. 692 11 3	£ s. d. 10,687 9 11	£ s. d. 5,077 13 2	£ s. d. 2,621 19 7	£ s. d. 1,440 3 8	£ s. d. 534 5 3	£ s. d. 9,674 1 8	£ s. d. 556 16 5	£ s. d. 75 0 0	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 210 11 8	£ s. d. Dr. 421 4 9								
Otago ..	£ s. d. 6,913 12 9	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 15 0 0	£ s. d. 199 10 2	£ s. d. 7,128 2 11	£ s. d. 2,039 3 11	£ s. d. 1,938 15 8	£ s. d. 147 12 6	£ s. d. 285 0 0	£ s. d. 4,410 12 1	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 5,651 2 6	£ s. d. 337 1 3	£ s. d. Cr. 5,988 3 9								
Southland ..	£ s. d. 3,282 0 6	£ s. d. 100 0 0	£ s. d. 87 17 4	£ s. d. 538 4 8	£ s. d. 4,008 2 6	£ s. d. 1,446 17 2	£ s. d. 1,478 0 2	£ s. d. 610 11 4	£ s. d. 330 2 7	£ s. d. 3,865 11 3	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 13 1 4	£ s. d. 3,084 0 1	£ s. d. 366 10 9	£ s. d. Cr. 3,437 9 6								
Totals ..	£ s. d. 52,767 2 5	£ s. d. 3,312 1 11	£ s. d. 978 17 8	£ s. d. 3,704 18 6	£ s. d. 60,763 0 6	£ s. d. 24,477 1 8	£ s. d. 15,758 13 8	£ s. d. 5,403 13 0	£ s. d. 4,139 3 0	£ s. d. 949,778 11 4	£ s. d. 9,336 0 3	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 19,984 6 9	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. Cr. 10,607 10 8								

No. 2. EXTRACTS FROM THE REPORTS OF INSPECTORS OF SCHOOLS, DIRECTORS  
AND SUPERVISORS OF MANUAL INSTRUCTION, ETC.

[For Reports on Rural Courses in District High Schools see E.-6, Report on Secondary Education.]

AUCKLAND.

EXTRACT FROM THE REPORT OF THE SUPERVISOR OF MANUAL AND TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION.

*School Cookery and Woodwork.*—The year 1917 shows a still further advance in these branches of training, and two new centres have been opened at Matamata and Te Kuiti. Manual-training classes are now being conducted at Cambridge, Dargaville, Devonport, Hamilton, Helensville, Matamata, Tauranga, Newmarket, Newton, Otahuhu, Ponsonby, Pukekohe, Te Aroha, Te Kopuru, Te Kuiti, Thames, Waihi, and Whangarei, and it is probable that during the forthcoming year several new centres will be established. Difficulty is still being experienced in procuring suitable equipment, owing to scarcity of supplies and prohibitive prices, but this is being overcome in a measure by sixty hours' instruction being given at some of the smaller centres for a period of three months of the year, and the transfer of the equipment to another centre. Although this measure may not be all that could be desired, it is certain that the intensified training for even a short period is of great benefit to the children, and more especially to those of the secondary department of a district high school who are taking the rural course.

*Elementary Agriculture and Dairy Science and School Gardening.*—During the year 221 public schools and ten Native schools applied for recognition in agriculture, and ninety-one in agriculture and dairy science combined, whilst four schools took dairy science only. Nearly all these schools were visited from time to time by one of the instructors in agriculture. It is proposed during the forthcoming year to hold special classes for primary-school teachers in the "best methods of teaching agriculture," and the outcome it is hoped will be to raise the standard of teaching the subject and at the same time create that enthusiasm amongst the teachers which the subject rightfully deserves. Interest in school agriculture and dairy science was last year stimulated by competitions instituted specially for school-children by the various agricultural and pastoral associations at their shows, and the Education Board contributed towards the prize-moneys for these competitions.

*Swimming and Life-saving.*—Thirty-seven schools were recognized for this subject, an increase of seven on the year 1916. Where facilities exist more attention might be given to this subject.

TARANAKI.

EXTRACT FROM THE REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF MANUAL AND TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION.

*Woodwork and Cookery.*—Classes for instruction in these subjects were held at New Plymouth, Hawera, Eltham, Stratford, and Inglewood. Pupils of Standards V and VI from the schools in and adjacent to these centres attended the classes. Arrangements were practically completed for the introduction of a scheme whereby an itinerant woodwork instructor will visit various country centres in South Taranaki. It is intended to utilize the shelter-sheds of the various schools, which will be fitted with a specially designed bench. This system has been made possible by the financial assistance guaranteed from the following School Committees, viz.: Pihana, Manaia, Kapuni, Kapinga, and Mangatoki. At Waitara also the citizens have shown a most commendable and progressive spirit, inasmuch as they have subscribed half the cost of a building wherein cookery and woodwork may be taught; thus obviating the necessity of the Waitara children coming to New Plymouth. The Department has granted the remainder of the money, and classes will be opened with the new year.

EXTRACT FROM THE REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURE.

Some 110 schools took agriculture or dairy-work, or both, making an increased number of fifty-odd on the previous year. The majority of schools were visited four or five times in the year, and several much more frequently. The system of repeated short visits again has been proved to be of special value in keeping constantly in touch with the teachers and pupils. While the year's work has been satisfactory, still, owing to bad weather and to some considerable extent to the calls made upon the time of instructors by farmers' and other classes, and again owing to staff changes, not so many visits have been made as was intended. A beginning has been made in the direction of establishing centres of propagation whence trees, shrubs, &c., of rapid increase can be sent for propagation and subsequent distribution to surrounding schools. New Plymouth Central and Stratford Schools will take a leading place in this work. Owing to the kindness of the Agricultural Department all schools taking agriculture were supplied with seed of lucerne for sowing in November and December, and it is hoped that as a consequence each child in our district will be more or less familiar in future with that valuable fodder plant. In South Taranaki particularly it is being successfully grown over an increasingly wide area, and this to some considerable extent is due to propaganda work at our school and farmers' classes in past years. An effort has been made to correlate the farm and school plot work in country districts, and also to link more closely the subject of nature-study in the lower classes with that of agriculture and dairy-work in the higher.

WANGANUI.

EXTRACT FROM THE REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF MANUAL AND TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION.

*Agriculture.*—157 schools had recognized classes, the average attendance being 2,300. The outdoor work continues to improve. Notebooks also showed improvement. There is still room for improvement in the indoor experimental work. Useful articles outlining experiments in agricultural science, schemes of work in primary-school agriculture, growing of native trees from seed, the cultivation of annuals, and nature-study notes appeared in the *Leaflet* during the year. An interesting exhibit showing the nature of the work undertaken at the schools was staged at the Palmerston North Winter Show. It is proposed to exhibit on a somewhat larger scale at future shows.

*Woodwork and Domestic Science.*—Classes were held at Wanganui, Patea, Marton, Bull's, Rongotea, Feilding, Palmerston North, Foxton, Apiti, Pohangina, Hunterville, Taihape, and Ohakune. 737 pupils from thirty-four schools received instruction in woodwork, and 736 pupils from thirty-three schools received instruction in domestic science. At Wanganui seventy-nine pupils from five schools took metal-work instead of woodwork. The programme of work in the woodwork course was on the lines set out in the report for 1916. Laundry-work was added to the programme of the domestic course for senior girls.

*Art Instruction.*—The Supervisor of Art Instruction visited a large number of schools during the year. Teachers were given practical assistance in the teaching of the various branches of drawing and design, &c., the work in the drawing-books was carefully examined, and lessons in drawing given to the pupils at all schools visited. A general improvement in the drawing-books is reported, some distinctly good work being shown in some schools. A certain amount of attention was given to the matter of surface treatment by pencil-painting for the expression of light and shade, &c. It is intended to further carry on this branch of the work as time goes on.

The usual tests in drawing in connection with the proficiency examination were set at the close of the year, and from a general survey of the work it appears that there is a distinct improvement in a good many schools. Much of the work in free drawing sent up, however, bears evidence of wrong methods of setting about the work and carelessness in execution. Design on the whole is still far from good, but there is a decided improvement in instrumental drawing. At the request of the Wanganui Women Teachers' Association the Board's Supervisor lectured at Palmerston North towards the close of the year to a gathering of about fifty teachers of that part of the district. The large number present is a pleasing proof of the interest that teachers take in the matter of drawing in our schools. It is hoped that further lectures will be arranged during the coming year.

*Handwork.*—Recognized classes in handwork were held at 171 schools. Great difficulty was experienced in securing supplies of suitable materials, but it is hoped that full supplies will be on hand at the beginning of next year.

*Swimming and Life-saving.*—1,072 pupils received instruction during the year. In view of the erection of swimming-baths at Palmerston North and the proposal to erect baths at Aramoho a large increase in the numbers receiving instruction in this subject may be looked for.

*Needlework and Dressmaking.*—Special teachers of needlework were employed at thirty schools. At four schools instruction was given in advanced needlework and dressmaking.

*Other Subjects.*—Classes in physical measurements were held at six schools, and in physiology and first aid at one school.

The following table shows the number of schools at which classes were held and the number of pupils who received instruction during 1917 :—

Subjects.	Number of Schools.	Average Attendance.
Agriculture and dairy-work .. .. .	157	2,300
Cookery .. .. .	33	736
Woodwork .. .. .	34	737
Metal-work .. .. .	5	79
Advanced dressmaking .. .. .	1	52
Handwork .. .. .	171	12,536
Needlework .. .. .	30	320
Physical measurements .. .. .	6	377
Physiology and first aid .. .. .	1	29
Swimming and life-saving .. .. .	10	1,072
Rural course at district high schools .. .. .	6	189

HAWKE'S BAY.

EXTRACT FROM THE REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF MANUAL AND TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION.

Classes in elementary handwork were recognized in 121 schools, and the materials for carrying on this work were all supplied by the Board. Great difficulty was experienced in procuring materials for the different branches of handwork. However, with the assistance of the teachers throughout the district, sufficient materials were found to carry on the work of the schools to the end of the year.

The average numbers of pupils in the different groups of classes who received instruction were—Class P to S2, 6,029; S3 and S4, 2,829; S5 and S6, 2,149: total, 11,007.

Needlework classes under clause 26 (e) of the Manual and Technical Regulations were conducted in nine schools. The roll number was 123, and the average yearly attendance 102. Most of the work done was for the Red Cross or some patriotic society.

*Woodwork, Cookery, and Dressmaking Classes.*—Owing to sickness the work of these classes has been again interfered with. At Gisborne the schools were closed for a period of four weeks, and at Hastings centre for two weeks, owing to epidemics of diphtheria. The following were the number of classes and the roll numbers of the woodwork, cookery, and dressmaking classes: Woodwork, 23 classes, roll 560; cookery, 23 classes, roll 526; dressmaking, 23 classes, roll 468. Owing to the manual-training centre at Napier not being yet an established fact, 400 pupils are being deprived of instruction in woodwork, cookery, and dressmaking. The quality of the work of the pupils attending the woodwork classes is steadily on the up grade. The instrumental drawing was particularly good, and the completed models showed that both pupils and instructors are doing satisfactory work.

The conditions under which teachers and pupils are working are gradually being improved. The woodwork-room at Gisborne was relined and remodelled during the Christmas vacation. During the year a new cookery-room was built at Hastings, linoleums were laid in the cookery-rooms at Gisborne and Hastings, and new benches were put in the cookery-room at Waipawa.

*Science Classes.*—116 classes were recognized for purposes of capitation during the year. These included forty-five classes in agriculture and dairy science, fifty classes in agriculture, and twenty-one classes in experimental science. The number of classes and roll numbers were as follows: Agriculture, 50 classes, roll 1,045; agriculture and dairy science, 45 classes, roll 969; experimental science, 21 classes, roll 765: total, 116 classes, roll 2,779. In the large schools some good work was done, and the school gardens and grounds were very creditable. Some of the small schools, owing to changes of teachers, did very spasmodic work. Next year I propose to conduct a series of classes for teachers in science subjects for Standard VI requirements. The work will be made more definite and the school-gardening more systematic. It is to be hoped that the teachers of the small country schools will be able to take advantage of these classes.

## CANTERBURY.

### EXTRACT FROM THE REPORT OF THE SUPERVISOR OF MANUAL TRAINING.

With respect to elementary handwork the Board carried out a forward policy during the year. It was not to be expected that such a large newly constituted district could be brought into one harmonious whole without a considerable amount of trouble, especially as many of the schools in the outlying parts of the district had not previously taken up any form of handwork and were without material and apparatus of any kind whatever. At the beginning of the year schemes of instruction were sent out to the different schools exemplifying how a course could be adopted, making the instruction correlative, continuous, and complete. In most cases teachers adopted these schemes and carried them out satisfactorily. The difficulties in the way of furnishing supplies have been very great, first on account of the scarcity of material and apparatus, and secondly on account of the increased cost thereof; but the best has been done under the circumstances, and the small schools in the remote parts of the district have been as liberally treated as those in the larger centres. Elementary handwork was taken up at 379 schools by 27,352 pupils.

A considerable amount of extension has also taken place in connection with what is known as the advanced branches of handwork. Included in this list are classes as part of the agricultural courses of instruction, classes in woodwork, ironwork, cookery, domestic economy, hygiene, home science, laundry-work, swimming, &c. Woodwork and cookery classes have been carried on at twenty-two different centres with about 124 classes in each subject, and an average of 6,000 pupils received instruction. An attempt was made to give all pupils attending schools within reach of manual-training centres an opportunity of attending classes in these important branches of education, and where possible pupils were conveyed by rail, tram, &c., to attend the different classes. Disorganization of the railway time-tables in the early part of the year threw these classes out of gear altogether, upset all our arrangements, and caused the Board considerable loss. In many instances classes once started had to be dropped because trains were unsuitable for both instructors and scholars. During the year a new manual-training centre was established at Geraldine, where some excellent work was done. New rooms at Oxford enabled the work to be carried on under more ideal conditions than heretofore. Classes in woodwork and cookery were re-established at the Hokitika and Greymouth centres. These centres had not been made use of for some time, and the buildings had got into disrepair. During the early part of the year the rooms were refitted and instructors appointed to take charge of the classes. These instructors have been most enthusiastic in their work, and the classes have been a great success. The wants and needs of our boys at the front have not been neglected by either the pupils or instructors in connection with these classes, as at nearly all the centres a great deal has been done by way of supplying articles to be sold for Red Cross and patriotic purposes. Although much has been done with

regard to these branches of handwork much more remains to be done, especially as the science of home-making and home-keeping is now to figure so largely in the education of our girls, and agriculture is to figure so largely in the education of our boys; yet the Board has felt that the time was not opportune for asking for grants for manual-training buildings, although these are badly needed, especially at some of the district high schools where the rural courses have to be provided for. At Kaikoura a strenuous effort is being made at the present time to raise sufficient funds to provide a memorial training-room. The Department has promised £300, provided half that amount is raised locally. Hokitika is also moving in the matter of providing a more up-to-date manual-training building. Swimming and life-saving as school subjects have also received due attention during the year. Seventy-five classes were carried on, and about three thousand pupils received instruction. As far as possible all operations in connection with handwork classes have been carried out with a minimum waste of time and disorganization of school class-work, and it is hoped that educationally the maximum results have been attained.

EXTRACT FROM THE REPORT OF THE CHIEF INSTRUCTOR IN AGRICULTURE.

The year 1917 has been marked by a material increase both in interest and progress in the work in agriculture. Of the contributory causes the institution of a system of grading, promise of recognition of the best work by the Board, the issue of a definite scheme, fuller appreciation of the value of the subject, and the McFarlane Shield each played a part in the schools of the northern area. South Canterbury and Westland schools have not yet been graded. The number of primary schools in Canterbury taking agriculture was 207, and the number of scholars receiving instruction 3,846. Early in the year the West Coast was visited, and agricultural instruction initiated into a dozen or more schools there.

EXTRACT FROM THE REPORT OF THE ASSISTANT AGRICULTURAL INSTRUCTOR.

Seventy-six primary schools in South Canterbury were visited during the year, most of them several times. All were supplied with Southland Up-to-Date seed-potatoes to be tested alongside of local seed. The results I anticipate will confirm those of last year's tests, and probably induce farmers generally to obtain their seed from farther south. I am pleased to report a still spreading interest in our potato-growing competition. Substantial results, from a utility point of view, are now beginning to accrue from our nursery and tree-culture work at the various schools. Some hundreds of trees of leading commercial varieties were distributed to pupils' home gardens. Upwards of 300 were taken from the Timaru Main School alone, while 170 surplus apple and pear stocks from Glen-iti and Southburn school nurseries were used to stock other gardens. One hundred trees from the High School nurseries were planted in school residence gardens. I hope in a season or two to have a good orchard established at all suitable school residences. Throughout South Canterbury generally the gardens give ample evidence of care and attention from both teachers and pupils. In addition to our usual routine work we are making an effort to save mangel, turnip, and carrot seed from selected roots.

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EXTRACT FROM THE REPORT OF THE INSPECTORS OF SCHOOLS.

To our remarks on handwork last year we have little to add, except to state that we are pleased to record that the number of teachers who look upon the subject as a powerful educational factor and as an aid to instruction in other subjects is increasing, and that fewer are now treating it as an isolated subject in a watertight compartment. The instruction given in woodwork classes held in Dunedin and in the different centres is of a satisfactory character; but at the Dunedin centres the classes are too large, and in order to relieve the congestion the establishment of a third centre is absolutely necessary. In cookery and domestic economy good practical work has been done at all centres, but more theoretical instruction should be given in order to familiarize the pupils with principles.

EXTRACT FROM THE EDUCATION BOARD'S REPORT.

The importance of the school-garden as an educational factor and as a means of bringing the child into sympathy with his environment is now generally recognized. During the past year elementary agricultural instruction has, under the supervision of the Board's instructors in agriculture, been associated with the other subjects of the curriculum in 196 schools, and in many of these very effective work is being done. In six of the district high schools the full rural-science course has been followed. In these schools the permeation of the ordinary subjects with agricultural science paves the way for an intelligent appreciation of the principles upon which the best practice of the art of agriculture is based.

Pupils from thirty-one schools participated in the instruction in swimming, the average attendance being 786 boys and 697 girls. The cost of the classes was £198 17s. 7d., while the amount of Government capitation earned was £187 10s.

## SOUTHLAND.

## EXTRACT FROM THE REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF MANUAL AND TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION.

*Elementary Handwork.*—In practically all the schools of the district some form of handwork was taught during the year, plasticine-modelling and paper-folding being the branches most commonly taken in the lower classes, and cardboard-modelling in the upper. Requisites for many forms of handwork have been almost or entirely unobtainable, and, as regards such supplies as were obtainable, the chief source of anxiety was due to the fact that though in every case prices had advanced—in some materials over 100 per cent.—yet there has not been any corresponding increase in the capitation wherewith to replenish stocks. Of necessity, therefore, the supplies available to teachers had to be somewhat curtailed. That the work should suffer such restriction is to be regretted, the more so in view of the general recognition by educationists of the fact that in these manipulative exercises, judiciously co-ordinated with other subjects of the syllabus, lies one of the most potent factors in a child's educational development. It cannot be said, however, that in every school this aspect of the work is fully appreciated; in some it is to be feared these subjects are regarded as but useful media for lending variety to the day's work and keeping little hands pleasantly employed with the exercise of a minimum of disciplinary control. As regards colour work, the use of pastels in the lower classes as a means to enable a child to give concrete expression to ideas of form and colour has considerably increased, and some very interesting work from even the youngest pupils has been seen. For the upper classes brushwork is still largely taken, but it is noted that there is a gradual falling-off in the number of schools where this form of drawing receives attention. In all schools beyond a reasonable distance from a manual-training centre cardboard-work has been taken in the upper standards, and where it was impossible for children to receive instruction in woodwork and cookery no better handwork subject could be selected. Apart from its value as a means of cultivating manual dexterity, this subject, in the hands of the intelligent teacher, can be made one of the best media for giving concrete illustration to various lessons in arithmetic and instrumental drawing. During the year a booklet on cardboard-modelling was issued by the instructor for the teachers' Saturday classes, and, recognizing its usefulness for school purposes, the Board decided to purchase the available supply and resell to teachers at half-price. It is satisfactory to record that practically every copy has been disposed of.

*Woodwork and Cookery.*—The number of schools that received instruction in these subjects shows a slight increase over the figures for last year, the numbers for each centre being as follows: Invercargill, 36; Gore, 22; Riverton, 14. In addition two classes in each subject from the High School received instruction at Gore, and for one day per week the instructors in the Invercargill No. 1 centre had charge of classes from the Technical High School. The number of primary-school children in attendance at the various centres was as follows: Invercargill, 639 boys, 556 girls; Gore, 364 boys, 314 girls; Riverton, 127 boys, 123 girls. Altogether, therefore, 1,130 boys and 993 girls received a course of instruction at one or other of the manual-training centres. A new building for the No. 2 cookery centre was commenced during the year, and the rooms, it is hoped, will shortly be ready for occupation.

Towards the close of the year the annual exhibition of work done in the cookery and woodwork classes was held in the Museum Hall, and, as usual, attracted considerable attention. In addition to this, however, an innovation was made at the Winter Show of the Agricultural and Pastoral Association by provision being made for competitions in cookery and woodwork as well as for school-garden products. The display made in all branches received unstinted praise, and it was generally recognized that the exhibits of school-work formed one of the most attractive features of the show, and demonstrated very plainly the value of the instruction being imparted.

*Elementary Agriculture.*—Work in this subject was carried on during the year in 109 schools, an increase of five over the figures of the previous year. The reports of the agricultural instructor indicate that an ever-increasing interest is being taken in school-garden work, the majority of teachers realizing some, at any rate, of the possibilities of this subject in the way of stimulating the intellectual development of their charges through the facilities afforded for accurate observation and sound reasoning. It cannot be said, however, that in all schools the subject received that intelligent treatment that is essential where the educative value of the work is properly appreciated. In too many cases still the untidy and neglected appearance of the plots tells its own tale. It is unfortunate that just at the period when the garden requires constant attention the continuity of the work should be broken by the summer vacation, but it should surely be possible to arrange with some of the pupils living in the immediate vicinity to devote a little time occasionally to the keeping of the plots in moderately good order. In a number of the schools the work carried on during the year was really excellent, and the fact that the children of their own accord spent a good deal of their spare time in keeping everything in first-class order bears testimony to the deep interest the teachers had been able to arouse in the work. During the year the Board decided to offer prizes for the best-kept school-gardens, the schools for this purpose being grouped in classes according to grades. With a view at the same time to improving the appearance of the grounds generally it was stipulated that in making the awards due consideration would be given to any efforts made to increase the general attractiveness of the school surroundings. It is pleasing to note that in an increasing number of schools Committees and teachers are beginning to recognize their responsibilities in this direction, the tastefully laid out and neatly kept grounds surrounding some schools being most creditable. Taking advantage of the assistance granted by the Department to schools raising money for improvement purposes fourteen schools forwarded applications amounting to £64 9s. 3d. for subsidies on voluntary contributions in aid of school gardens and grounds. To the local mercantile firms the Board was this year again indebted for donations of manure amounting in all to a value of £13 5s. 6d.

This enabled each garden to receive a fair supply. In view of the scarcity and high price of grass-seed efforts were again made to get children interested in the gathering of cocksfoot, and the collections forwarded to this office realized £42 13s. 4d. In addition to this it is known that a considerable amount was gathered by other school-children and sold direct to the seed-merchants.

*Advanced Needlework.*—Work in this subject was carried on during the year in forty schools on similar lines to those of last year, the making of garments for patriotic purposes occupying a prominent place in the scheme of work. From the material provided by the Board over fifteen hundred children's garments were made, and with the exception of a number which were handed over to the League of Social Service for local distribution amongst the needy all were forwarded Home for the benefit of those in distress through the war. The girls in all the schools where advanced needlework was carried on entered most enthusiastically into the work, and the results were a credit alike to teachers and pupils.

*Other Subjects.*—As regards the work in other manual subjects there is little that calls for special comment. In physical measurements the number of schools receiving instruction was eleven—the same as for the two previous years. In classes for swimming and life-saving there was a reduction, there being only five schools where instruction was given, and in some of them unfavourable weather prevented the course from being completed. It is much to be regretted that out of the whole district there should be so few schools where instruction is given in this most important subject.

The following are the number of schools taking various manual subjects (excluding elementary handwork): Elementary agriculture, 109; physical measurements, 11; advanced needlework, 42; swimming and life-saving, 5; elementary physiology and first aid, 2; woodwork and cookery, 72; standard needlework (special instructors), 23.

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APPENDIX D.

TRAINING OF TEACHERS.

No. 1. EXTRACT FROM THE FORTY-FIRST ANNUAL REPORT OF THE MINISTER OF EDUCATION.

TRAINING OF TEACHERS.

THERE are four training colleges situated in the four principal centres of the Dominion, which are open to four classes of students, as follows: Division A, ex-pupil-teachers, ex-probationers, or ex-trainees of recognized kindergarten schools who have obtained the necessary educational qualification; Division B, other students who have passed Matriculation or obtained a higher leaving-certificate; Division C, University graduates admitted for one year; and Division D, teachers entering on short-period studentships. The numbers of students in attendance during the last quarter of 1917 under the various divisions were—Division A, 414; Division B, 32; Division C, 1; and Division D, 4: the total being 451, as compared with 442 for the previous year. These figures do not include students absent with the Expeditionary Forces.

The numbers of students at each training college during the last quarters of 1916 and 1917 respectively are indicated in the following table:—

				1916.			1917.		
				Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.
Auckland	..	..	..	29	85	114	20	97	117
Wellington	..	..	..	11	91	102	12	104	116
Christchurch	..	..	..	18	92	110	16	87	103
Dunedin	..	..	..	21	95	116	20	95	115
Totals	..	..	..	79	363	442	68	383	451

The number of students has advanced from 390 in 1915 to 451 in 1917, the increase being in the number of women students.

The ordinary course of training is for two years, so that if the training colleges had their full complement of students (125 in each case) the number of students annually completing their training and passing into the schools would be about 250. Under certain conditions a one-year course is provided for in the case of University graduates or matriculated students who have completed a two-years course at an agricultural college or a school of home science recognized by the University of New Zealand. In addition, there are short-period studentships, of not less than three months' or more than one year's duration, for the benefit of teachers who have been already employed in teaching and are deemed worthy of further training in professional work, the allowances payable to such students being the same as those payable to students under Division B. The actual number of students completing one or other of these courses at the end of 1917 was 211.

For the teaching practice of students the normal practising schools forming part of the training college in each case are available, and opportunities of observation are also extended so as to embrace specially selected teachers and classes in neighbouring schools. The reports of the results of the latter aids to training are very favourable, and the extension of the system is recommended by Principals. Each normal school includes—(a) a main school, organized as a "mixed school"; and (b) such "model schools" as may be approved by the Minister, each model school being of one of the following types: (i) A rural public school under a sole teacher; (ii) a junior school under one teacher with not more than 45 children of classes P to S2 on the roll; (iii) a class representing the secondary department of a

district high school ; (iv) a class for backward children ; (v) a junior kindergarten. Special legislation was passed in 1917 providing for the staffing of classes for backward children and for public schools established as model schools, and a class for backward children was opened in Auckland in a specially designed modern building erected at the cost of a private donor.

Students receive their theoretical instruction from the training-college staff, and also attend University college classes to a considerable extent. A certain proportion of students attempt degree work in conjunction with their training-college work, although this double course is discouraged except in cases of specially suited students.

Divisions A, B, and C students satisfactorily completing the prescribed course of work at the training college may, on the recommendation of the Principal, receive without further examination a trained teacher's certificate ranking with the Class C or Class D certificate, as may be determined. Of the students beginning a two years' course in 1916, 3 held Class C certificates and 59 Class D certificates at the time of entry ; and at the end of the course, out of 206 students, 13 held Class B certificates, 129 Class C certificates, and 47 Class D certificates, the remaining students having secured sectional passes.

The amounts paid to Education Boards in 1916-17 and 1917-18 for the training of teachers were as follows :—

I. Training colleges—		1916-17.	1917-18.
Salaries of staffs (two-fifths charged to public-school salaries) .. .. .	£	13,268	13,765
War bonus to staff (£230) and students (£3,357) .. .. .	£	..	3,587
Students' allowances and University fees .. .. .	£	27,541	28,439
Special instruction, libraries, and incidentals .. .. .	£	1,307	1,750
Buildings, sites, and equipment .. .. .	£	942	358
II. Other training—		43,058	47,899
Grants for special instruction in certificate subjects, including science, agriculture, and handwork, of teachers other than training-college students .. .. .	£	1,595	3,415
Railway fares of teachers and instructors .. .. .	£	5,374	4,398
		6,969	7,813
		£50,027	£55,712
Less recoveries .. .. .		..	325
Totals .. .. .		£50,027	£55,387

A recent amendment in the regulations provides for an increase in the annual allowances of students under Divisions A and B from £40 and £20 to £50 and £30 respectively (lodging-allowance at the rate of £25 per annum being paid in addition).

#### PROVISION FOR UNCERTIFICATED TEACHERS.

Apart from the provision for training colleges, a grant of £2,900 was made last year to Education Boards for the maintenance of training classes for teachers, the amounts allotted to the various Boards ranging from £150 to £650. The purposes for which the grant was applied were :—

- (1.) Central classes for the direct personal tuition of uncertificated teachers (exclusive of pupil-teachers and probationers) in subjects required for the D certificate.
- (2.) Tuition and training in Class D subjects of uncertificated teachers (exclusive of pupil-teachers and probationers) by means of correspondence classes under the control of Education Boards, in cases in which it is found highly inconvenient to bring teachers to classes. Under this heading, however, no correspondence classes in science subjects are recognized unless the Board makes adequate provision for practical work.
- (3.) Courses of practical work in physical and natural science, in subjects of manual instruction other than those usually taught by special instructors, in vocal music, and in drawing.

No. 2.

DETAILED TABLES.

TABLE P1.—THE NUMBER OF STUDENTS IN THE FOUR TRAINING COLLEGES DURING THE LAST QUARTER OF 1917.

(a) As classified by Divisions; (b) as classified by Years.

Training Colleges.	As classified by Divisions.								As classified by Years.				Totals.		
	Division A.		Division B.		Division C.		Division D.		First Year.		Second Year.		M.	F.	Total.
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.			
Auckland .. ..	19	89	1	6	..	..	..	2	12	60	8	37	20	97	117
Wellington .. ..	12	100	..	3	..	..	..	1	9	51	3	53	12	104	116
Christchurch .. ..	11	78	4	8	..	1	1	..	7	43	9	44	16	87	103
Dunedin .. ..	20	85	..	10	..	..	..	..	14	46	6	49	20	95	115
Totals, 1917 .. ..	62	352	5	27	..	1	1	3	42	200	26	183	68	383	451
Totals, 1916 .. ..	64	317	12	32	..	9	3	5	51	213	28	150	79	363	442

Division A.—Ex-pupil-teachers or ex-probationers. Division B.—Students other than ex-pupil-teachers or ex-probationers who have passed Matriculation or some higher University examination. Division C.—University graduates admitted for one year of training. Division D.—Short-period studentships.  
NOTE.—Students on leave with the Expeditionary Forces are not included in the table; their names are printed in Appendix B to E.—1.

TABLE P2.—INITIAL STATUS OF DIVISION A AND B STUDENTS COMPLETING THEIR COURSE IN 1917 ON THEIR ADMISSION TO THE TRAINING COLLEGE IN 1916.

Division.	Training College attended.	I. Teachers' Certificate Examinations.							II. University Exams.					
		Full Passes.			Partial Successes.				Matriculation.	Credit Entrance Scholarship or other Undergraduate Qualification (not including 8).	Total.	Leaving Certificate only.	Total Number of Students.	
		Class C.	Class D.	Total.	Partial Success towards Card D.	Partial Success towards D only (not included in 4).	Total.	Total Certificate Qualifications.						
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	
Status at admission, 1916 (2nd year students)	A	Auckland .. ..	2	13	15	..	19	19	34	16	..	16	2	41
		Wellington .. ..	..	20	20	4	22	26	46	39	..	39	..	52
		Christchurch .. ..	..	8	8	..	9	9	17	26	..	26	4	46
		Dunedin .. ..	1	18	19	..	22	22	41	42	..	42	1	45
		Totals .. ..	3	59	62	4	72	76	138	123	..	123	7	184
	B	Auckland .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2	1	3
		Wellington .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	2
		Christchurch .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	..	7	..	7
		Dunedin .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	..	10	..	10
		Totals .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	21	..	21	1	22
	Total students admitted in 1916	3	59	62	4	72	76	138	144	..	144	8	206	

\* Students with both teacher's certificate and University examination status appear under each appropriate heading, but are reckoned once only in column 12 (total).

TABLE P3.—EXAMINATION STATUS OF ALL TRAINING-COLLEGE STUDENTS WHO COMPLETED THEIR COURSE IN 1917, AS REVISED AFTER THE CERTIFICATE EXAMINATIONS OF JANUARY, 1918.

Division.	Training College attended.	Full Passes.					Sectional Passes.			Total Number of Students.*	
		Class A.	Class B.	Class C.	Class D.	Totals.	Sectional C.	Sectional D.	Totals.		
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8		9
Students admitted in 1916. (Two-years course.)	A	Auckland .. ..	..	2	15	16	33	21	6	27	41
		Wellington .. ..	..	4	33	14	51	13	1	14	52
		Christchurch .. ..	..	2	30	12	44	12	2	14	46
		Dunedin .. ..	..	4	35	4	43	5	2	7	45
		Totals .. ..	..	12	113	46	171	51	11	62	184
	B	Auckland .. ..	..	..	2	..	2	1	..	1	3
		Wellington .. ..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	2
		Christchurch .. ..	..	1	6	..	7	..	..	..	7
		Dunedin .. ..	..	..	6	1	7	4	2	6	10
		Totals .. ..	..	1	16	1	18	5	2	7	22
Totals (second-year students)		..	13	129	47	189	56	13	69	206	
Students admitted in 1917 for one year only. Division C students	D	Auckland .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
		Wellington .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
		Christchurch .. ..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
		Dunedin .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
		Totals .. ..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
Students admitted in 1917 for period not exceeding one year. Division D students	D	Auckland .. ..	..	..	..	1	1	..	1	1	2
		Wellington .. ..	..	..	..	1	1	1	..	1	1
		Christchurch .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1
		Dunedin .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
		Totals .. ..	..	..	..	2	2	1	2	3	4
Totals (students admitted for one year only)		1	..	..	2	3	1	2	3	5	

\* Students with qualifications for both Class D and Class C appear under each appropriate heading, but are reckoned once only in column 9 (total).

No. 3.

EXTRACTS FROM THE REPORTS OF PRINCIPALS OF TRAINING COLLEGES.

AUCKLAND.

The Auckland Training College was open for three terms—(1) 5th March to 11th May; (2) 4th June to 11th August; (3) 3rd September to 8th December. The following table shows the number of students in attendance :—

		Men.				Women.					Grand Total.
		Division A.	Division B.	Under Clause 15.	Total.	Division A.	Division B.	Division D.	Under Clause 15.	Total.	
Second-year students	..	14	..	..	14	35	2	..	..	37	51
First-year students	..	11	1	1	13	56	2	3	1	62	75
Total	..	25	1	1	27	91	4	3	1	99	126
Left during year	..	15	..	..	15	1	..	3	..	3	18
Number at end of year	..	10	1	1	12	90	4	..	1	95	107
Second-year students leaving at end of 1917	..	3	..	..	3	34	2	..	..	36	39
First-year students leaving at end of 1917	..	..	..	1	1	9	..	..	1	10	11
Remaining in College for 1918	..	7	1	..	8	47	2	..	..	49	57

N.B.—There were no students attending under Division C.

Of the twenty-two men who entered College in March, 1916, only three (all medically unfit for military service) remained to the end of 1917. During the year fifteen students left for camp. Since war began 158 students and ex-students have joined the New Zealand Expeditionary Force; of these thirty-one have been wounded and twenty killed. The Principal and three members of the staff also joined the Forces; of these one has been wounded and one killed.

As in previous years, the plan of College work provided an alternation in such a way that while during the first half-term the first-year students are studying, attending lectures, &c., in College, the second-year students are at work in the Normal School observing and practising methods of teaching. At the end of the half-term the position was reversed, the first-year students then taking their turn in the school. The same plan was carried out in the second term, but in the third term an alternation of weeks instead of half-terms was arranged, so that all might have equal opportunities of preparing for examinations.

Twelve associated teachers of classes in external schools helped in the practical training of students who were allotted to their classes in these schools. On the whole this plan for increasing the facilities for practical training as far as possible under ordinary conditions has been very satisfactory. It seems evident that with increasing numbers in the College we shall need to extend this system more and more.

To ensure that the observation and practice of teaching should be as helpful as possible to the students model lessons were given regularly throughout the year by the Acting-Principal, the headmaster, and the kindergarten mistress. These followed the method lessons and discussions on the various school subjects, so that the closest union should exist between the theory and the practice. Free discussion and criticism of methods, which have always characterized the College, have proved stimulating, and led to a good spirit in the practical work. A wish not only to use good methods but also to apply them practically and effectively has been evident. The results should be far-reaching.

On the study side the College has provided the usual courses required by the regulations, and other desirable ones such as voice-production and life-saving. Dr. Macdonald also gave a short course of medical lectures. Those students who attempted a University degree course as well as the ordinary Training College work had an exceedingly busy year, and applied themselves with admirable diligence—probably with considerable success. It is confidently expected that two have qualified for the M.A. degree, and a number of others for a section of the B.A. The work of other students attending certain courses of University lectures as required for the Training College course was not in all cases satisfactory, though in one or two subjects good work was done. I have reason to hope that a much better result will be attained in the coming year.

I regret to state that several students suffered from temporary breakdowns to health during the year. In at least two cases these could be attributed to overwork. Apart from some five or six cases the health has, however, been good in spite of trying conditions. Owing to the University lectures having to be attended during evenings the College day is generally a long one, and meals tend to be scrappy and irregular. As in previous years, great emphasis was placed on physical fitness throughout the year, and every encouragement was given to students to keep themselves well. There can be no doubt of the beneficial effect of the College sport on the physical and mental well-being of the majority of the students.

The work of the various departments of the Normal School has been carried on vigorously by the acting-headmaster and staff, who have been untiring in their efforts on behalf of pupils and students. In spite of all the difficulties particularly besetting a practising school, the Normal School maintains its popularity in an unusual degree, many pupils being unable to find admission to its full classes.

On the 5th June the special class for backward children was opened in the modern building provided for the purpose in Myers Park by the Hon. Arthur Myers, who had spared no expense in providing the finest accommodation. The building is so constructed as to give practically open-air conditions. The class contains twelve boys and ten girls, all ten years of age or younger. Two of the boys when found to be mental defectives and consequently unsuitable for this type of school were withdrawn; two others left because the distance from their homes was too great, and one left to attend a boarding-school. All the others are making very satisfactory progress under the thorough individual attention of their capable and enthusiastic teacher, Miss M. Bayliss. The parents have been very appreciative of the careful training their children receive. The work goes on so brightly that it is difficult to realize that this is a class of backward children, most of whom were specially recommended for admission by headmasters of neighbouring schools.

Following the custom of previous years, visits of observation were paid by the students to such places as Mount Eden, Judges' Bay, the Museum, the Art Gallery, and the *Herald* Printing-works.

With the year 1917 will always be associated the death of our Principal, Second Lieutenant H. A. E. Milnes, who fell on the 4th October while leading the A Company of the 3rd Auckland Battalion, 4th Brigade, in the great attack on the Passchendaele Ridge. The sad news reached College by cable on the 12th October, and cast a heavy gloom over all. As a mark of respect College and school were closed until the following Tuesday, and a memorial service was held in St. Paul's Church on the 31st October. Mr. Milnes has left behind him a memory that will not easily fade. He was beloved to an unusual degree by those among whom he worked, and few have felt his loss so keenly as the members of his staff and the students he trained. With an esteem as strong as this affection, we learned to admire him as a man wholly enthusiastic in his professional work, combining a strength of purpose in attaining his aims with a remarkable kindness and generosity towards those around him. His mission seemed to be the bringing of the greatest degree of happiness possible to those with and for whom he worked. By precept and example he unceasingly urged his students to bring sunshine

into their work. I believe that his happy, healthy influence will have far-reaching results in the primary schools of our province, and the lives of many will be better and brighter from the fact that this large-hearted Englishman spent eleven years in New Zealand. All who knew Mr. Milnes well will realize how much the College has gained from having as its head a man of such exceptionally fine character; how much it has lost through his death. It may be truly said of him that both in living and dying he gave his best to his adopted country.

## WELLINGTON.

*Statistics.* The first session opened on the 27th February, and the last closed on the 12th December. The year began with a roll of 120 students; 4 left and 6 enlisted during the session, thus leaving 110 at the end of the year. Of the total of 120, 56 (4 men and 52 women) were seniors, and 64 (10 men and 54 women) were juniors. There were 114 in Division A, 5 in Division B, and 1 in Division C. Of the 114 "A" students, 44 had been pupil-teachers and 70 probationers.

*Course of Training.* The course of study as prescribed by regulations was arranged as follows: Principles and history of education (senior class), hygiene, child-study, and nature-study, the Principal; method, the headmaster; physiography, agriculture, and geography, Mr. E. K. Lomas, M.A., M.Sc.; kindergarten method, Miss Maitland; domestic science and needlework, Miss L. Wilson, B.Sc.; music, Mr. R. Parker; handwork, Mr. Howe; drawing, &c., Mr. Vivian Smith (of the Technical College staff); physical training, Mr. Lomas and Miss Hetherington, M.A. In addition to this prescribed course Miss Hetherington gave special courses in English literature, history, phonetics, and the history of education, and Dr. Patterson one in first aid.

The attendance at University classes was as follows: Latin, 29; French, 15; German, 1; English, 44; psychology, &c., 32; education, 60; history, 7; economics, 1; biology, 35; mathematics, 13; geology, 1; physics, 2; chemistry, 3.

The terms-examination results from these classes were as follows: 26 students kept first-year terms, 24 students kept second-year terms, 7 students kept third-year terms; 35 students gained first-class passes, 90 students gained second-class passes, and 137 students gained third-class passes.

From these figures it will be seen that about 15 per cent. of our students are seriously working for a degree, and of these only two are specializing for the science degree. If that number of science graduates is too small (personally I think it is), further exemptions than those now allowed by the Training College regulations must be granted to approved students. Secondary-school conditions are still such that too many of our brighter students are practically compelled to take a purely literary course, and as a result it is extremely difficult to find sufficient teachers for the district-high-school work where a good knowledge of science is essential.

Fifty-six students completed their course of training in December, and the joint results of the external examinations and our Training College recommendations are as follows: "D" certificate, 1; "D" and partial "C" certificate, 19; "C" certificate, 34; "B" certificate, 2: total, 56.

As in previous years, the bulk of the serious teaching practice was placed in the student's second year (approximately two-thirds).

Early in the year six associated teachers were appointed (under Regulation 4 (2)), and each of the senior students spent a fortnight with one of those teachers. The results were so successful that we hope to be able to extend the practice.

*The War.* The war has exacted a toll this year of fifteen wounded and six killed in action (names are published in Appendix B to E.—1). The question of soldier students being enabled to satisfactorily complete their training after the war is probably the most pressing problem of the hour for us, and I would ask your Board to consider it as soon as possible.

During February the usual school for uncertificated teachers was held at the College.

## CHRISTCHURCH.

(EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF ACTING-PRINCIPAL.)

*The Principal.*—Mr. Foster's sudden and severe illness towards the end of the College year, followed by a slow convalescence, made extended leave a necessity. The Board relieved him from duty for six months, and it is hoped that at the end of that period he may be able to resume his work in the Training College.

At the beginning of 1917 fifty-four students were admitted, and these, with the fifty-six senior students who returned to complete their second year of training, made a total roll of 110. During the year this number was reduced. Of the twenty-one men students, four seniors and three juniors enlisted for active service. Two women students were allowed to withdraw early in the year, and one was absent on account of a long and severe illness. The total number in attendance at the end of the year was then 100. Among those entering the Training College were two who had served with early Expeditionary Forces on Gallipoli and had been discharged on account of wounds. In 1917 forty-four students were admitted under Division A. For too large a proportion of this group was it found necessary to provide instruction in subjects that would enable them to complete the "D" certificate. Six were admitted with the lower leaving certificate as a qualification, and of these, three students had five subjects, one had eight, one had eleven, and one had four groups to pass before

obtaining a "D" certificate. Among the twenty-seven who entered on the Matriculation qualification, one student had to pass in five subjects, two in six subjects, one in nine subjects, one in ten subjects, and one in eleven subjects in order to gain a "D" certificate. Assistance for these small divisions of students while attending the Training College absorbs a large share of the attention of the staff, whose energies could be better employed over a much wider field.

The work of the students in their professional training has, in general, followed the lines indicated in last year's report. Practice in teaching, observation of methods in the class-rooms, demonstration lessons by members of the staff before large sections of the students, discussions of the principles of teaching after special lessons, and a period in each of the model schools, gives in broad outline the plan adopted in training for the actual work of teaching. With the release of several rooms in the Normal School, consequent on the Board's removal to new offices, it is proposed to give students in their second year more continuous and more responsible control of drafts from the standard classes.

A course of lectures by Dr. Eleanor Baker on school and personal hygiene was given to the senior students, who also attended the medical examination of the children of the Normal School. These lectures, followed by expert demonstrations, should be of the greatest value.

A course of physical instruction was taken throughout the year by the students. This probably helped to maintain the high standard of health, although other factors may have played an equally important part. The activities of a Ramblers Club and the excursions of the physiography class for field-work, necessitating frequent walks on the hills, probably contributed in no small measure to the physical welfare of the students.

DUNEDIN.

*Members.*—There went out at the close of last year fifty-eight second-year students (viz., twelve men and forty-six women) and three one-year students. Of these there gained certificates as follows: Thirty-six gained a full "C"; eleven gained a "C" less one subject, and in three cases two subjects; five gained "D"; two gained "D" less one subject. Three qualified for "B" in three subjects by passing first section of B.A. Examination; one qualified for "B" in four subjects by passing first section of B.A. Examination; five qualified for "B" in two subjects by passing the Proficiency Examination of the New Zealand University. There entered this year sixty-one viz., fourteen men and forty-seven women. During the year two left sick, and three men of the new entrants went into camp. There are now belonging fifty-two second-year students (viz., three men and forty-nine women) and fifty-six first-year students (viz., ten men and forty-six women): total, 108.

Classes taken and distribution of work were as follows during the year:—

Nature of Class.	First-year Students.	Second-year Students.	Hours per Week.
<i>College.</i>			
Method .. .. .	61	58	7 and 3
Psychology .. .. .	56	..	1
Education .. .. .	15	43	5
Physical drill .. .. .	61	58	2
Vocal music .. .. .	59	53	2 and 1
Elocution .. .. .	55	..	1
Drawing .. .. .	61	58	3 and 1
Hygiene .. .. .	50	57	2 and 2
Physical measurements .. .. .	9	..	1
Agriculture .. .. .	29	17	2 and 3
Home science .. .. .	30	39	3 and 4
Nature-study .. .. .	54	..	1
Handwork .. .. .	61	58	2 and 1
Woodwork .. .. .	11	..	2
Needlework .. .. .	6	..	1
Kindergarten .. .. .	..	49	1
<i>University.</i>			
English .. .. .	45	16	3 or 4 and 5
Latin .. .. .	11	6	5 and 4
French .. .. .	10	7	5 and 4
Education .. .. .	15	43	5
Domestic science II .. .. .	..	39	4
Mental science .. .. .	1	1	5
Physics .. .. .	1	..	7
Chemistry .. .. .	1	..	7
Mathematics .. .. .	4	2	4
Economics .. .. .	3	25	3
History .. .. .	5	12	3

University results for the year (class results only to hand as yet): Seven firsts, ninety-one seconds, 135 thirds—an improvement on last year.

*Medical Inspection.*—The annual course of lectures was not given to the students this year by Dr. McCahon. The senior students did the usual practical work of assisting the doctor in the Normal School medical inspection of scholars. The corrective classes for physically defective children have been regularly held throughout the year.

Teaching practice has been carried on throughout the year in the Normal School and in six other schools under twelve associated teachers. Each senior student aims to spend one month continuous observation and practice in each standard, and also one month in a model school, and at least (in case of women) three weeks in a kindergarten class. All observation and practice is continuous for a month at a time, using four mornings a week and three afternoons each alternate week. It will be seen that a rather absurd position obtains—viz., that the majority of the students do seven-eighths of their practice with large classes, whereas most of them go out to teach country schools. This could only be obviated by establishing another normal school, making each room a model country school instead of an ordinary class-room.

The war has affected us greatly. Only thirteen men were left at the close of the year. Practically all fit students who have gone out since the war started are at the front. Of those who have gone straight from College to the front without teaching, five have lost their lives. The year has been rather gloomy, as most of the students have lost either relatives or friends.

On the whole, the work of the College has given me great satisfaction this year. The students have been interested in their work, and the staff have done their very best to further the welfare of the institution.

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## APPENDIX E.

## PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND TEACHERS.

LIST of the PUBLIC SCHOOLS in the several EDUCATION DISTRICTS, with the Average Attendance, Grade of School, and Names, Positions, Classification, Grading, and Salaries of the Teachers, as in December, 1917.

The names of teachers absent on military service are given in E.-1 (Report of the Education Department).

NOTE 1.—The schools are placed in alphabetical order, the grade for 1917 being shown in column 2.

NOTE 2.—The average attendance of half-time schools is shown for each school as well as for the group—viz., Awakino (25) and Mokau (19); similarly the attendance of main and side schools, and of the primary and secondary departments of district high schools, is shown separately for each school or department.

NOTE 3.—In column (5), "Position," "H" means head of school; "S," sole teacher; "A," assistant; "Pt," pupil-teacher; "Pr," probationer; and "D," assistant in secondary department of a district high school. In the case of normal schools "N" means assistant; "N (S)," teacher of model school; "N (D)," assistant in secondary department. Teachers on leave of absence (excepting those on military service) are shown, the teachers who are relieving them being indicated by "Sub."

NOTE 4.—A residence is either provided for the sole or head teacher, or house allowance is paid according to the following scale: Grades I and II, £20 per annum; Grade III, £30 per annum; Grade IV, £40 per annum; Grades V, VI, and VII, £50 per annum.

NOTE 5.—Headmasters of district high schools (other than normal district high school) receive £30 per annum in addition to salary shown in column (8).

## AUCKLAND.

Schools.			Teachers.				
Name.	Grade, 1917.	Average Attendance, 1917.	Name.	Position.	Classification.	Grading.	Rate of Salary, Dec., 1917.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Ahuroa Nos. 1 (9) and 2 (9) ..	1	18	Wiesner, Rose B. ..	S	C	91	£ 160
Aka Aka .. ..	3A	49	Hoey, Reuben L. ..	H	C	61	225
Albany .. ..	3A	41	Snell, Amelia A. ..	A	..	..	126
Albertland North (9) and Hoteo North (20)	2	29	Potter, Ethel M. ..	H	C	51	220
Alexandra .. ..	3B	83	Boscawen, Kathleen E. (Mrs.) ..	A	..	..	146
Alfriston .. ..	3A	38	McClune, Joseph S. ..	S	D	76	200
Amiona .. ..	1	10	Brown, Isabella M. K. (Mrs.) ..	H	C	50	240
Amodeo Bay .. ..	0	9	Mackenzie, Florence E. A. ..	A	..	..	110
Aorua .. ..	3A	60	Brown, Zoe A. ..	A	..	..	110
Aranga .. ..	2	18	Hill, Lydia M. ..	H	E	56	200
Arapae .. ..	1	13	Cranch, Bertha M. ..	A	..	..	126
Araparara (9) and Mangakura (12)	2	21	Thompson, Roy D. ..	S	..	..	110
Arapohue .. ..	3A	50	Strongman, Vivienne M. ..	S	..	..	110
Ararimu (9) and Paparimu (11) ..	1	20	Woods, Archibald H. ..	H	C	64	240
Ararua .. ..	3A	30	Cobbald, Ellen E. L. ..	A	..	..	126
Aratapu District High School—Primary (111), secondary (36)	4A	147	Gregory, Ernest D. ..	S	..	..	135
Aratoro .. ..	1	21	Humberstone, Gladys R. ..	S	..	..	135
Ardmore .. ..	3A	41	Colegrave, Charles H. ..	S	..	..	189
Aria .. ..	2	21	Lawton, Herbert W. ..	H	C	66	220
Avoca .. ..	2	30	Kidd, Ivy B. ..	A	C	90	140
Avondale (474) and side school (29)	7A	503	Fecht, Albert E. ..	S	..	..	171
			Browne, George T. M. ..	H	D	76	200
			Warin, Hilda I. ..	A	..	..	117
			Crabbe, Norman J. ..	H	B	52	260
			Heywood, Edith M. ..	A	D	77	170
			Simms, Eliza G. ..	A	..	..	110
			Ellison, Gertrude ..	Pr1	..	..	55
			Gavoy, Annie L. ..	D	C	51	..
			Ross, Nellie, B.A. ..	D	B	76	..
			McLauchlan, Marion F. ..	S	E	..	110
			Wright, John ..	H	D	70	220
			Smith, Hazel ..	A	..	..	126
			Steggall, William ..	S	..	..	126
			Dale, William S. J. ..	S	..	..	135
			Darrow, Harry A. ..	H	B	10	430
			Shepherd, Arthur J. ..	A	C	38	330
			Newton, Edith M. ..	A	D	46	250
			Gough, James T. ..	A	C	47	250
			Ingram, Dorothea R. ..	A	E	63	210
			Waddell, William H. ..	A	C	53	220
			Small, Annie T. ..	A	E	68	170
			Mansfield, Winifred M. ..	A	C	90	140
			Astley, Gladys C. ..	A	C	84	120
			Frood, Florence I. ..	Pt3	..	..	65
			Keary, Katherine M. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Morey, Doris M. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Nash, Elizabeth C. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Abel, Doris E. ..	Pr1	..	..	30

LIST OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS, THE STAFF, ETC.—*continued.*AUCKLAND—*continued.*

Schools.			Teachers.					
Name.	Grade, 1917.	Average Attendance, 1917.	Name.	Position.	Classification.	Grading.	Rate of Salary, Dec., 1917.	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	
Awakanae .. ..	1	6	Eccleston, Isabella .. ..	S	..	..	£ 36	
Awakeri .. ..	1	21	Johnson, Jessie M. .. ..	S	..	..	110	
Awanui .. ..	3A	80	Abercrombie, Harry B. .. ..	H	..	..	189	
			Hirst, Kate .. ..	A	..	..	117	
Awaroa (8) and Matira (9) ..	2	17	Regan, Michael D. .. ..	S	E	91	220	
Awitu Central .. ..	2	22	Matthews, Hilda M. (Mrs.) ..	S	..	..	144	
Awitu No. 2 .. ..	1	12	Barton, Margaret C. .. ..	S	C	..	110	
Batley .. ..	1	13	Armstrong, Edith C. .. ..	S	..	..	110	
Bayfield .. ..	7C	667	Bowden, Alfred N. .. ..	H	C	12	430	
			Turbott, Thomas .. ..	A	C	50	310	
			Thompson, Frances E. .. ..	A	D	42	250	
			Hayson, Bertrand W. .. ..	A	C	45	270	
			Jones, Ruth B. .. ..	A	C	56	210	
			Mahon, Eileen A. .. ..	A	C	61	190	
			Cole, Adelaide A. M. .. ..	A	D	69	180	
			Macdonald, Edith D. .. ..	A	..	..	110	
			Barker, Sara (Mrs.) .. ..	A	E	83	160	
			Quinn, Annie .. ..	A	D	99	120	
			Smith, Lincoln J. R. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	65	
			Douglas, Caroline H. A. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	65	
			Coulthard, Marjorie .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55	
			Simpson, Ida E. M. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	65	
			Fricke, Hilda E. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55	
			Ross, Constance .. ..	Pt1	..	..	55	
			Bell, Caroline M. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	35	
Belmont .. ..	4B	189	Harrison, Rupert .. ..	H	B	33	280	
			Benton, Arthur .. ..	A	C	68	200	
			Chapman, Ellen N. I. M. ..	A	E	68	170	
			Vialoux, Kate V. .. ..	A	D	76	130	
			Newcombe, Leila M. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	65	
			Brown, Kenneth S. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	30	
Beresford Street .. ..	7C	625	Gatenby, William J., B.A., LL.B.	H	B	37	420	
			Moor, William J. .. ..	A	D	49	320	
			McIlhone, Mary J. .. ..	A	E	53	250	
			McGreal, Michael .. ..	A	C	58	270	
			Forsyth, Caroline C. (Mrs.) ..	A	D	49	230	
			Gillibrand, Emma .. ..	A	D	55	210	
			Davison, Mary E. .. ..	A	D	63	180	
			Hattaway, Martha .. ..	A	D	88	130	
			Patterson, Lavinia C. .. ..	A	C	88	120	
			Simpson, Dorothy M. H. ..	A	C	96	120	
			Finlayson, Mary .. ..	Pt4	..	..	65	
			McGinley, Ruby V. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55	
			McLennon, Violet M. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55	
			Veale, Doris M. F. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55	
			McAnley, Isabel A. .. ..	Pt2	..	..	45	
			Naylor, Frances E. .. ..	Pt1	..	..	55	
			Drever, Donald D. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	55	
Bickerstaffe .. ..	2	19	Watts, Eliza A. (Mrs.) .. ..	S	..	..	126	
Birkdale .. ..	3B	91	Brook, Julian .. ..	H	D	53	250	
			McCowan, Aileen .. ..	A	D	93	130	
			Rose, Amy E. .. ..	A	C	89	120	
Bombay .. ..	3A	89	Laing, Archibald M. .. ..	H	C	59	220	
			Wootten, Jessie C. .. ..	A	D	85	140	
			Glasgow, Rhoda B. .. ..	A	..	..	110	
			Gauntlett, Eileen L. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	60	
			Thomas, Edward J. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	30	
Bream Tail (6) and Waipu Cove (19)	2	25	Connell, William J. .. ..	S	E	69	210	
Brigham's Creek .. ..	2	32	Taylor, Minnie I. .. ..	S	C	70	165	
Broadwood .. ..	2	2	Sweet, Charles .. ..	S	..	..	135	
Brookby .. ..	2	16	Carter, Jessie (Mrs.) .. ..	S	..	..	110	
Brynavon (7) and Whareora (11) ..	1	18	Smith, Dorothy H. .. ..	S	..	..	126	
Brynderwyn .. ..	2	23	Wright, Wilfred T. H. .. ..	S	..	..	135	
Buckland .. ..	3A	73	Wily, Harry H. D. .. ..	H	D	49	240	
			Shaw, Alice E. (Mrs.) .. ..	A	C	91	160	
Cabbage Bay .. ..	3A	39	Moore, Daniel V. .. ..	H	C	68	220	
			Shiress, Hilda V. .. ..	A	..	..	110	
Cambridge District High School— Primary (312), secondary (21)	5B	333	Campbell, Robert .. ..	H	C	28	340	
			Mohr, Edwyna E. .. ..	A	C	84	180	
			Brenkley, Annie .. ..	A	C	77	170	
			McPherson, Delia H. .. ..	A	C	79	170	
			Williams, Florence A. .. ..	A	C	..	130	
			Webb, Marjorie .. ..	A	C	88	140	
			Callaway, Ronald P. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55	
			McKenzie, Mary M. .. ..	Pt1	..	..	55	
			Bertelsen, Jessie C. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	30	
			Meredith, Charles .. ..	D	C	55	..	

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Cambridge West .. ..	3A	86	Blow, Harold I. ..	H	D	59	£ 250
			Dougherty, Elizabeth P. ..	A	..	..	126
			Mead, Marie J. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
Cape Colville (6) and Moeheu (5) ..	1	11	Rose, Herbert G. ..	S	..	..	126
Churchill .. ..	1	17	Hyde, Albert W. ..	S	..	..	110
Clevedon .. ..	3A	72	Crispe, Colin R. R. ..	H	C	55	220
			Murray, Amy V. E. ..	A	..	..	126
Cook's Bay .. ..	0	8	Fraser, Christina ..	S	..	..	64
Coromandel District High School—	4B	175	Elliot, James ..	H	C	47	270
Primary (154), econdary (21)			Jamieson, Robert E. ..	A	D	63	200
			Shanks, Laura R. (Mrs.) ..	A	D	87	180
			Howell, Rita F. ..	Pt2	..	..	60
			Scott, Janet ..	Pr1	..	..	30
			Marshall, Stella M. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
			McLean, Catherine I. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
			Hurdsfield, Edgar C. ..	D	..	..	..
Dacre's (14) and Tawharanui (18) ..	2	32	Redwood, Horace S. ..	S	..	..	198
Dairy Flat (16) and Fernilea (9) ..	2	25	Ross, Alice G. (Mrs.) ..	S	D	81	210
Dargaville .. ..	5A	255	Lloyd, William ..	H	D	24	330
			Turner, Margaret W. ..	A	C	75	190
			Casey, Agnes W. ..	A	D	94	150
			Broom, Lavinia E. ..	A	D	79	150
			Clifford, Eliza C. (Mrs.) ..	A	..	..	130
			Warmington, Verley R. ..	Pt3	..	..	65
			Woods, Gladys M. ..	Pt2	..	..	60
			Ashby, Clarice E. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
Devonport .. ..	7F	797	Armstrong, James ..	H	D	10	430
			Chappell, William, B.A. ..	A	B	45	310
			Grant, Jane D., B.A. ..	A	B	44	250
			Perkins, Edward ..	A	C	48	270
			Pratt, Edward ..	A	C	63	230
			Wildman, Eliza J. (Mrs.) ..	A	E	58	210
			Robertson, Evelyn M. ..	A	E	70	180
			Connell, Margaret E. I. ..	A	D	86	120
			Haszard, Miriam K. ..	A	D	91	120
			Fenton, Alice ..	A	C	90	120
			Worthington, Frances D. ..	A	D	85	120
			Whiting, Dorothy H. ..	A	C	90	120
			Brown, Winifred E. (Mrs.) ..	A	D	81	140
			York, Evan P. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Clarke, Ruth E. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Ellicott, Gertrude T. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Hollis, Eileen ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Horne, Dorothy A. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Armitage, Gwendolen A. ..	Pt2	..	..	45
			White, Jocelyn P. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
			Naylor, Alice W. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
Dome Valley .. ..	3A	36	Murphy, Clarence J. ..	H	C	64	200
			Corbett, Emily ..	A	..	..	110
Drury .. ..	3A	58	McNaughton, James D. ..	H	D	49	240
			Smythe, Madeline E. C. ..	A	D	91	140
			Bycroft, Zealia M. ..	Pr1	..	..	55
East Tamaki .. ..	3A	46	Allen, Frederick N. ..	H	C	68	210
			Moore, Irene B. ..	A	C	93	140
Edendale .. ..	7C	653	Semadeni, Casper A. ..	H	C	15	430
			Rowe, Adrian M. ..	A	C	51	330
			Millington, Ellen ..	A	B	51	250
			Stubbs, George H. ..	A	B	59	270
			Mahon, Rose M. ..	A	D	50	210
			Kelly, Roy D. ..	A	C	59	240
			Newick, Florence (Mrs.) ..	A	D	76	170
			Foley, Veronica M. ..	A	D	85	140
			Harrison, Emily ..	A	D	78	140
			Barnes, Adina L. (Mrs.) ..	A	D	77	140
			Walsh, Mary ..	Pt4	..	..	65
			Lee, Gerald T. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Drummond, William G. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Seates, Winifred A. ..	Pt2	..	..	45
			Meiklejohn, Nora ..	Pt2	..	..	45
			Richards, Minnie M. M. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
			McLeod, Kathleen J. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
Ellerslie .. ..	5D	407	Wooler, Joseph ..	H	C	19	340
			Moon, Mark H. ..	A	D	50	270
			Astley, Ellen ..	A	E	48	210
			Stables, Florence R. (Mrs.) ..	A	D	67	210
			Phipps, Doris D. ..	A	C	82	140

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(1)	(2)	(3)		(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Ellerslie— <i>continued</i>	..	..	..	Webber, Elsie E.	A	C	83	£ 140
				Hamley, Gladys A. C.	A	D	89	120
				Hill, Beryl M.	Pt4	..	..	65
				Hoyle, Millicent H.	Pt3	..	..	55
				McCarroll, Sarah	Pt3	..	..	55
				Stancliffe, John H.	Pt1	..	..	55
				Jones, Cyril E.	Pr2	..	..	35
				Gray, Dorothy H.	Pr1	..	..	60
				Nutt, Juanita L.	Pr1	..	..	30
Elstow	3A	31		Jenkins, James	S	D	65	220
Epsom	7A	553		Isemonger, Thomas	H	D	14	430
				Crawford, Hugh W.	A	C	35	330
				Carnachan, Blanche E.	A	E	48	240
				Squire, Donald S. B.	A	C	50	270
				Shroff, Maud A.	A	C	53	210
				Fordyce, Johannah C.	A	C	59	210
				Skelley, Mary E. C.	A	C	88	160
				Rankin, Elsie E.	A	C	82	130
				Adams, Edward L.	Pt4	..	..	65
				Hyland, Eileen M.	Pt4	..	..	55
				Bates, Violet W.	Pt3	..	..	55
				Kennedy, Annie R.	Pt2	..	..	45
				Grange, Gladys H.	Pt1	..	..	35
Eureka	3A	51		Cooke, Violet M.	H	E	72	210
Fairburn's Road	1	17		Given, Isabella O. G.	A	C	92	140
Fernilea (half-time). See under Dairy Flat.				Carse, Harry	S	D	92	150
Flat Bush	3A	28		Tidmarsh, Henry H. C.	S	D	72	220
Flaxmill	1	10		Rayner, Lily C. (Mrs.), B.A.	S	B	87	120
Frankton	4c	282		Matthews, George H.	H	C	31	310
				Silvester, Vera	A	C	77	150
				Seddon, Dorothy M.	A	C	65	170
				Blackett, Isabella H.	A	C	73	140
				Hawkins, Winifred I.	A	D	93	120
				Chell, Louisa E.	Pt3	..	..	55
				Robertson, Clara K.	Pt2	..	..	60
				Carr, Frederic H.	Pr2	..	..	60
				Jess, William C. M.	Pr1	..	..	60
				Fletcher, Elizabeth	Pr1	..	..	55
Glenbervie	1	22		Pole, Cecile F. (Mrs.)	S	..	..	110
Glenbrook	3A	47		Cooke, Jessie B.	H	E	64	200
				Wood, Myrtle R.	A	D	101	120
Glenfield	3A	67		Gelling, William M.	H	C	58	250
				Gilbert, Constance E. (Mrs.)	A	D	71	160
				Howlett, Edna	Pr2	..	..	35
Glen Massey	3A	56		Cooper, Hubert J.	H	C	65	220
				Westfield, Margaret J.	A	B	96	140
Glen Murray (13) and Opuatia (20)	2	33		Vallance, Leslie M.	S	..	..	234
Goodwood	3A	44		Piggot, Ellen M.	H	C	75	210
				Macredie, Muriel A.	A	C	93	130
Gordon	2	15		Grigg, Albert E.	S	E	85	140
Gordonton	3A	62		Gledhill, Eunice A.	H	E	60	220
				Thompson, Charlotte E. L. M.	A	..	..	126
Grafton	7c	623		Scott, Augustus N.	H	B	9	430
				Ramsay, James B.	A	B	25	320
				Egan, Mary F.	A	E	50	250
				Holloway, Evelyn M.	A	E	50	230
				Holloway, Annie E.	A	D	51	210
				Robinson, Florence K.	A	D	57	210
				Campbell, Annie E. (Mrs.)	A	E	66	180
				Sykes, Elsie B.	A	D	96	130
				Campbell, Maggie (Mrs.)	A	D	91	140
				Bell, Ivy E.	A	C	95	120
				McMillan, Flora E. G.	Pt3	..	..	65
				Carr, Doris E.	Pt3	..	..	55
				Bell, Elizabeth V.	Pt3	..	..	55
				Wayte, Thomas E.	Pt3	..	..	55
				Officer, Dorothy	Pt2	..	..	45
				Mitchell, Mary	Pt2	..	..	45
				Jarvie, Doris E.	Pr2	..	..	60
				Ryan, Sarah J.	Pr1	..	..	55
Graham's Fern..	3A	31		Lambert, Beryl M.	S	..	..	126
Great Barrier (7) and Katherine Bay (17)	2	24		Paddison, Alice M. (Mrs.)	S	E	..	200

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Greenhithe (12) and Long Bay (16)	2	28	Brett, Reginald E.	S	C	73	£ 220
Greerton .. .. .	3A	37	Le Cocq, Walter A.	H	D	68	225
			Spence, Vera R.	A	D	97	140
Grey Lynn .. .. .	7D	676	Campbell, John (iii)	H	C	11	430
			Boden, William J.	A	C	36	320
			Shroff, Kate S. M.	A	C	39	250
			Harden, Cecil J.	A	C	53	240
			Fuller, Mary M.	A	D	48	210
			Gillibrand, Winifred	A	E	65	210
			Oliver, Mabel L.	A	C	87	150
			Eslick, Violet L.	A	D	86	140
			Cardno, Isabella A.	A	C	97	120
			Young, Edith M.	A	..	..	110
			Dormant, Mildred A.	A	D	81	120
			Fell, David W.	Pt3	..	..	65
			Parkinson, Emily D.	Pt3	..	..	55
			Clark, Winifred M.	Pt3	..	..	55
			Brown, Leslie O. M.	Pt2	..	..	60
			Hill, Minnie E. L.	Pt2	..	..	60
			Gallagher, Phyllis E.	Pt2	..	..	45
			Clark, Ada M.	Pr2	..	..	35
			Cox, Cyril J.	Pr2	..	..	35
			Atkinson, Florence E.	Pr1	..	..	30
Gumtown (11) and Whenuakite (9)	2	20	Mealand, Henry A.	S	..	..	180
Hakaru (15) and Tara Road (21) ..	2	36	Bongard, Emily	S	D	61	220
Hamilton East .. .. .	6A	459	Stevens, Percy E.	H	C	30	370
			Tooman, Francis	A	C	50	280
			Roche, Emily	A	D	52	210
			Graham, Jane A.	A	D	65	210
			Fergusson, Alethea	A	D	75	160
			Barton, Lucy F. K.	A	C	82	140
			Milnes, Esther M.	A	..	..	117
			Henderson, Veda	Pt4	..	..	65
			Smith, Ruihi B.	Pt3	..	..	65
			Chadwick, Muriel	Pt3	..	..	55
			Restell, Frances G.	Pt2	..	..	45
			McMiken, Edith M.	Pr1	..	..	35
Hamilton West .. .. .	7C	661	Worsley, William H.	H	D	17	430
			Day, Arthur E.	A	C	40	330
			Nixon, Amelia M.	A	D	44	250
			Fenwick, Herbert	A	B	57	270
			Fawcett, Elizabeth M.	A	C	59	200
			Shanahan, Margaret A.	A	C	55	190
			Clark, Ada	A	C	71	180
			Wilks, Doris E.	A	C	80	140
			Burbush, Nellie M.	A	C	93	120
			Sutton, Margaret B.	A	C	101	120
			Rochfort, Nora A.	Pt4	..	..	65
			Wilson, Doris R. M.	Pt4	..	..	55
			Chadwick, Isobel L.	Pt3	..	..	55
			Keat, Pearl	Pt2	..	..	55
			Cumming, Laura C.	Pt2	..	..	45
			Cameron, Gertrude M. A.	Pt1	..	..	35
			Raley, Marion N.	Pr1	..	..	55
Hangatiki .. .. .	2	38	Wilson, Alice K.	H	C	..	170
			Fletcher, Maria M.	A	D	98	120
Harrisville .. .. .	3A	76	Hill, Alfred E.	H	D	65	235
			Bell, Nora A.	A	C	82	140
Hautapu .. .. .	3A	53	Edmiston, Jessie H.	H	E	57	210
			Bellingham, Winifred M.	A	..	..	117
Helena Bay .. .. .	1	16	Foote, Winnifred L.	S	..	..	110
Helensville .. .. .	4C	201	Hill, Arthur J.	H	C	30	300
			Wilson, Alice	A	D	..	200
			Phillips, Lucy	A	C	..	150
			Short, Violet	A	..	..	126
			Ward, Sylvia B.	A	C	91	120
			Burgess, Maude M.	Pt2	..	..	60
			Wilkins, Winifred A.	Pr2	..	..	60
Henderson .. .. .	4B	180	Innes, Joseph L.	H	C	43	280
			McChesney, Hugh H.	A	C	74	200
			Casey, Clara E.	A	E	68	170
			Smith, Violet M.	A	D	88	140
			Rogers, Marion R.	Pt4	..	..	55
Henderson Valley .. .. .	2	13	Evans, Evelyn B.	S	..	..	135
Herekino .. .. .	3A	40	Walsh, John	H	C	65	210
			Walsh, Ada F. (Mrs.)	A	..	..	110

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Hikuaia (17) and Puketūi (9)	2	26	Stanton, William T.	S	..	..	£ 180
Hikurangi .. ..	4B	185	Rust, Alexander M.	H	D	66	295
			Baird, James L. . .	A	..	..	135
			Terry, Elizabeth S.	A	C	78	180
			McKenzie, Edith E.	A	C	..	130
			Oldfield, George B.	Pt1	..	..	55
Hikutaia .. ..	3A	54	Walters, Ernest J.	H	D	64	240
			Beamish, Mabel. . .	A	..	..	126
Hinuera .. ..	2	38	Chitty, Adelaide M. (Mrs.)	S	D	..	140
Hinuera Valley .. ..	2	26	Casley, Ethel I. . .	S	..	..	126
Hobsonville .. ..	3A	56	Johnson, Joseph B.	H	C	56	240
			Carley, Hilda B. . .	A	..	..	126
Honikiwi .. ..	1	22	Slattery, Margaret	S	..	..	126
Hora Hora .. ..	4B	184	Higginson, Frank	H	C	43	300
			Sones, Louisa E. (Mrs.)	A	D	63	190
			Pegler, Amy B. A.	A	..	..	144
			Bedlington, Viva	A	D	87	140
			Martin, Irene M.	Pt2	..	..	60
			McKenzie, Margery M.	Pr2	..	..	35
			Foote, Heene M.	Pr1	..	..	60
Hora Hora Rapids .. ..	0	7	Hogwood, Ethel M.	S	..	..	56
Horehore .. ..	2	25	Fletcher, Joseph E.	S	..	..	126
Horotiu .. ..	3A	72	Wood, Ernest A.	H	C	56	210
			Osborne, Dora M. W. (Mrs.)	A	D	93	150
Horsham Downs .. ..	1	21	Boswell, Stella E.	S	D	97	140
Hoteo North (half-time). See Albertland North							
Houhora .. ..	3A	30	Mabbutt, Arthur	S	..	..	126
Houto (17) and Parakao (22)	2	39	Brown, Alfred A.	S	..	..	180
Howick .. ..	3A	42	Judkins, Alfred J. T.	H	C	58	240
			Barker, Meta	A	D	86	140
Huarau .. ..	3A	38	Morrish, William S.	H	..	..	180
			Hames, Alice I. . .	A	C	97	140
Huia .. ..	1	9	Wright, Doris B. O.	S	..	..	110
Hukatere .. ..	2	27	Wright, Amy I. . .	S	..	..	135
Hukerenui South .. ..	3A	61	Gray, Daniel	H	C	63	230
			Neary, Stephanie A.	A	..	..	110
Huntly .. ..	5B	308	Braithwaite, James H.	H	C	24	330
			Garland, Frank W.	A	C	47	270
			Palmer, Gertrude	A	E	74	210
			Cussen, Eily B. . .	A	D	74	150
			Conway, Thelma A.	A	..	..	110
			Fegan, Hannah	A	C	90	130
			McGuire, Gertrude E.	Pt4	..	..	65
			Herd, Katie R. . .	Pt3	..	..	65
Hunua .. ..	2	36	Hillam, Ernest B.	S	..	..	135
Jordan (11) and Pa (21) . .	2	32	Campbell, Josephine	S	C	85	200
Kaeaea (20) and Rira (18)	2	38	Duckworth, Thomas P.	S	..	..	189
Kaco .. ..	3A	73	Rodgers, Thomas	H	D	52	240
			O'Donnell, Hanorah	A	D	91	140
Kaharoa (6) and Oturoa (16)	2	22	Burgess, Charles M.	S	..	..	180
Kaiawa (11) and Miranda (8)	1	19	Findlay, Sylvia	S	C	66	140
Kaihere .. ..	2	41	Whitwell, Thomas H.	H	Lic.	..	133
			Jeffery, Alice M.	A	D	102	120
Kaihu .. ..	3B	82	McIntosh, Gordon	H	B	57	250
			Fraser, Lucy S. M.	A	D	80	140
			Laing, Cecil J. F.	A	..	..	110
Kaikohe .. ..	3A	52	Church, George P.	H	C	66	220
			Greenwood, Ivy M.	A	..	..	110
Kaimai .. ..	1	16	Finch, Charles A.	S	..	..	110
Kaimamaku .. ..	1	18	Barker, Dorothy B.	S	..	..	126
Kaipara Flats .. ..	2	33	Manson, Janette C.	S	D	68	170
Kaitaia .. ..	3A	65	Gilbert, Stephen L.	H	..	..	180
			Thorne, Bessie E. B.	A	D	102	140
Kaitangiweka .. ..	2	34	Cathro, William	S	..	..	126
Kaiwaka .. ..	2	23	Meiklejohn, Lemuel S. A.	S	D	84	190
Kakapuka .. ..	2	29	McIntosh, Ivy M.	S	..	..	126
Kamo .. ..	3B	96	Teesdale, Jacob T.	H	C	45	250
			Campbell, Willa E.	A	D	86	140
			Morgan, Elizabeth E.	A	D	101	120
			McPhee, Margaret	Pr1	..	..	35
Kara (11) and Kokopu (19)	2	30	Izod, Lionel	S	E	81	230
Karaka .. ..	2	31	Hewlett, Mary E.	S	C	95	150
Karamu .. ..	2	19	Baigent, Harold R.	S	C	84	165

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Karangahake (191) and side school (36)	5A	227	Lewins, William, B.Sc. ..	H	B	43	£ 320
			Tuthill, Mary H. ..	A	C	84	190
			Coombe, Jessie W. ..	A	D	53	210
			Nutsford, Enid ..	A	C	96	150
			Gibb, Christina C. ..	A	..	..	126
			Andersen, Nora A. C. ..	A	..	..	110
			Gwilliam, Cyril J. ..	Pt2	..	..	45
Kare Kare .. ..	1	8	King, Phyllis M. ..	S	..	..	110
Kariaotahi .. ..	3A	43	Tisdall, Estelle A. ..	H	D	60	210
			Durrieu, Pauline ..	A	..	..	117
Katherine Bay (half-time). See under Great Barrier.							
Katikati No. 1 .. ..	1	16	Scott, Olive A. C. ..	S	..	..	117
Katikati No. 2 .. ..	2	36	Airey, Hubert B. ..	S	..	..	135
Katikati No. 3 .. ..	2	22	Crickett, Nellie ..	S	C	89	160
Katui .. ..	2	23	Jonathan, Arthur G. S. ..	S	..	..	126
Kauaeranga Valley .. ..	1	17	Adams, Jessie E. ..	S	..	..	117
Kaukapakapa .. ..	3A	52	Koller, Frederick R. ..	H	C	53	235
			Waddell, Myra B. ..	A	D	95	140
Kaurihohore .. ..	2	18	McCaskill, Margaret de L. ..	S	D	89	170
Kauroa .. ..	2	13	Galvan, Dora S. ..	S	..	..	110
Kawa .. ..	1	12	Clarke, Mona K. M. ..	S	..	..	110
Kawakawa .. ..	3A	59	Read, Thomas ..	H	D	50	220
			Foster, Clara E. ..	A	..	..	126
Kawhia .. ..	3A	50	Armstrong, William T. ..	H	C	60	220
			Kilgour, Muriel A. ..	A	D	94	130
Kennedy Bay .. ..	2	27	Prouting, Annie (Mrs.) ..	S	..	..	126
Kerepehi .. ..	2	26	Salisbury, Josiah ..	S	..	..	171
Kereta (14) and Tapu (22)	3A	36	Twist, Joseph ..	S	D	71	270
Kerikeri .. ..	2	16	Carso, Muriel D. ..	S	..	..	135
Kerikeri Inlet .. ..	1	13	Hall, William A. ..	S	..	..	110
Kihikihi .. ..	3A	64	Perry, Arthur M. ..	H	D	40	240
			Maunder, Nina M. (Mrs.) ..	A	..	..	146
Kimihia .. ..	3A	26	Browne, Lilian M. ..	S	D	66	220
Kinohaku No. 1 .. ..	1	16	Aimer, Edmond B. ..	S	..	..	110
Kinohaku No. 2 .. ..	2	32	Chalmers, Charles C. ..	S	..	..	144
Kiokio .. ..	3A	56	Gilbert, Elizabeth A. J. ..	H	E	..	200
			Claridge, Leslie C. ..	A	C	97	120
Kirikopuni .. ..	2	17	Bartle, Grace ..	S	..	..	126
Kiripaka .. ..	3A	53	Haeusler, Rudolph H. ..	H	D	79	210
			McGregor, Georgina ..	A	..	..	126
Kiwitahi .. ..	1	15	Bell, Mary ..	S	..	..	135
Kohanga .. ..	2	11	Baston, Eva ..	S	..	..	110
Kohekohe .. ..	2	23	McSporran, Robert, B.A. ..	S	B	81	160
Kohukohu .. ..	3	121	Philips, Henry W. C. ..	H	D	65	270
			Chapman, Gladys B. ..	A	..	..	110
			Spender, Elizabeth (Mrs.) ..	A	Lic.	..	143½
Kokopu (half-time). See under Kara.							
Komakorau .. ..	2	27	Millett, Ivy ..	S	..	..	120
Komata .. ..	2	18	Dixon, Hilda ..	S	..	..	110
Komata North .. ..	2	32	Hockin, Florence M. (Mrs.) ..	S	D	..	140
Komata South .. ..	2	24	Turney, Isobel F. ..	S	..	..	126
Komiti .. ..	2	21	Bryce, Howard M. ..	S	..	..	126
Kopu .. ..	3A	68	Rennick, James W. ..	H	D	50	250
			Hooper, Margaret F. L. (Mrs.) ..	A	Lic.	..	153
Kopuarahi .. ..	2	27	Vincent, Louisa ..	S	E	..	150
Kopuku .. ..	1	12	Smith, Harry E. ..	S	..	..	126
Korakonui .. ..	2	26	Jennings, Annie M. A. ..	S	C	97	140
Koromatua .. ..	2	23	Clarke, Mary ..	S	..	..	144
Koutu .. ..	2	20	Tills, Harry H. H. ..	S	Lic.	..	133
Kuaotunu .. ..	3A	34	Nimmo, William ..	S	..	..	189
Kutarere .. ..	3A	33	Rouse, George ..	S	Lic.	..	209
Lichfield .. ..	1	16	Sullivan, Bertha J. ..	S	D	98	120
Limestone Island .. ..	2	18	Ingerson, William L. ..	S	D	92	150
Lindum Grange .. ..	1	9	Snee, Agnes E. C. ..	S	..	..	117
Lochnorrie (20) and Wainui (19) ..	3A	39	Pascoc, Lucy (Mrs.) ..	S	D	66	260
Long Bay (half-time). See under Greenhithe.							
Mahurangi Heads West (10) and Pohuehue (10)	2	20	Lowenberg, Emilie A. ..	S	C	85	200
Maihihi .. ..	3A	38	McPherson, Daniel ..	S	..	..	126
Mairoa (16) and Waitanguru (21) ..	3A	37	McCambridge, Hugh ..	S	D	61	280
Makarau (15) and Tahekeroa (17) ..	2	32	Kay, James ..	S	C	79	220
Maketu .. ..	3A	36	Naylor, Harriet M. (Mrs.) ..	H	D	60	210
			Garbolino, Margaret A. ..	A	..	..	110

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Mamaku .. .. .	3B	118	Webster, Harold E. ..	H	B	50	£ 250
			Hanken, Hilda A. (Mrs.) ..	A	D	..	140
			Tobin, Blanche K. L. ..	A	C	108	120
			Gillibrand, Kathleen ..	Pr2	..	..	60
Manawahe .. .. .	1	21	Dalzell, Katherine R. (Mrs.) ..	S	..	..	110
Manawaru .. .. .	3A	82	Keaney, John J. ..	H	C	53	240
			Knight, Daisy A. ..	A	D	..	140
			Keaney, Annie ..	S	E	61	190
Mangaiti .. .. .	2	7					
Mangakura (half-time). See under							
Araparara.							
Mangaokewa Road .. .. .	1	10	Humbley, Florence E. ..	S	..	..	117
Mangapai .. .. .	3A	39	Byles, Frank R. ..	H	D	63	220
			McLeod, Margaret M. ..	A	..	..	126
			McGrath, Francis ..	H	C	53	220
Mangapehi .. .. .	3A	69	Murphy, Lucy M. ..	A	..	..	117
			Hewitt, Dorothy O. ..	S	D	78	160
Mangapiko .. .. .	2	29	Porter, Amy M. ..	S	C	108	200
Mangarata (9) and Paradise (11) ..	2	20	Buxton, Alice M. ..	S	..	..	110
Mangateka .. .. .	2	18	Cooper, Charles W. ..	S	D	62	190
Mangatete .. .. .	2	38	Musgrove, Frederick A. ..	S	C	77	210
Mangatu (16) and Tutamoe (8) ..	2	24	Hickson, Walter ..	H	D	49	220
Mangawai Beach .. .. .	3A	42	McLennan, Jane A. (Mrs.) ..	A	E	99	160
			Clifford, Kathleen ..	S	..	..	110
Mangawhero .. .. .	1	19	Burrell, Robert ..	H	D	44	220
Mangere .. .. .	3A	55	Campbell, Mary C. (Mrs.) ..	A	C	85	160
			Jaffrey, Henry C. ..	H	C	38	250
Mangere Bridge .. .. .	3B	98	Bayne, Eleanor M. G. ..	A	C	96	120
			Smith, Stella I. ..	A	..	..	110
			Muir, Elizabeth F. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
			Farnell, Wilfred J. ..	H	B	70	200
			Gibson, Amy ..	A	C	..	120
Mangonui .. .. .	3A	43					
Man-o'-War Bay (half-time). See							
under Waiheke Central.							
Manukau Heads .. .. .	1	18	Wright, Janet S. (Mrs.) ..	S	E	80	150
Manurewa .. .. .	4B	184	McNaughton, David W. ..	H	C	37	270
			Anderson, Nellie L. (Mrs.) ..	A	D	..	150
			Stewart, Mary A. ..	A	D	64	160
			Cooper, Lucy ..	A	C	82	140
			Blennerhassett, Raymond ..	Pt4	..	..	65
			Bacon, Gladys M. (Mrs.) ..	S	D	75	210
Mapiu .. .. .	3A	31	James, Roy A. ..	S	..	..	180
Maraetai Nos. 1 (15) and 2 (9) ..	2	24	Black, William ..	S	..	..	126
Maramarua .. .. .	2	17	Syme, Margaret F. ..	S	C	95	140
Mareretu .. .. .	2	23	Williamson, William ..	S	..	..	126
Marlow (7) and Ruapekapeka	1	18					
West (11)							
Maromaku .. .. .	3A	32	Hart, Ernest ..	S	C	62	220
Maropiu .. .. .	2	33	Jones, Stanley C. ..	S	C	77	170
Marsden Point .. .. .	1	9	McLeod, Robina ..	S	..	..	110
Marua .. .. .	3A	32	Carter, Emily (Mrs.) ..	S	D	71	220
Mata .. .. .	1	20	Biggs, Margaret W. ..	S	..	..	110
Matahuru Nos. 1 (15) and 2 (18) ..	2	33	Pendergrast, Arthur S. ..	S	D	78	200
Mataitai .. .. .	2	21	Craig, Bella ..	S	D	98	110
Matakana .. .. .	3A	53	De Montalk, Ethel J. (Mrs.) ..	H	D	55	220
			McLean, Mary F. E. ..	A	D	95	140
			McGee, Helen ..	H	E	55	210
Matakohe .. .. .	3A	39	Stuart, Elizabeth A. ..	A	C	..	120
			Hyde, Louisa R. (Mrs.) ..	S	..	..	110
Matakohe No. 2 .. .. .	1	8	Malcolm, George H. ..	H	..	..	234
Matamata .. .. .	4A	151	Crawshaw, Emma H. ..	A	C	79	150
			Munro, Ruth ..	A	D	..	130
			McGuire, Mary A. ..	Pt4	..	..	65
			Robinson, Ernest T. ..	H	C	54	230
Matangi .. .. .	3A	89	Earl, Emily C. ..	A	C	..	120
			Craig William H. ..	S	Lic.	..	150
Matapouri (11) and Tutukaka (12)	2	23	Blennerhassett, Annie M. ..	S	D	78	150
Mati .. .. .	2	23					
Matira (half-time). See under							
Awaroa.							
Mauku .. .. .	3A	61	Gutry, George A. ..	H	D	59	240
			Kenny, Kathleen E. B. ..	A	..	..	126
			Nobbs, Laughlin J. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
			Lamb, William O. ..	H	C	42	240
Maungakaramea .. .. .	3A	64	Parkes, Margaret D. B. ..	A	D	90	140
			Goss, Esther M. (Mrs.) ..	H	D	67	230
Maungatapere .. .. .	3A	59	Barker, Lilyan G. ..	A	D	97	117
			Atkins, Harry ..	H	D	68	210
Maungatautari .. .. .	3A	38	O'Neill, Daisy C. ..	A	C	95	110
			Stevenson, Arthur O. ..	S	..	..	110
Maungatautari No. 2 .. .. .	1	19	Bretherton, Joseph E. ..	H	..	..	198
Maungatawhiri Valley .. .. .	3A	44	Moyes, Ethel B. A. ..	A	D	95	130



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Maungaturoto .. .. .	3A	57	Collins, William .. ..	H	D	63	£ 240
			Evans, Edith L. .. ..	A	..	..	110
Maungawhau .. .. .	7D	712	Ohlson, Frederick J. .. ..	H	C	7	420
			Edgerley, William W. .. ..	A	C	37	320
			Eastgate, Florence T. .. ..	A	C	48	240
			Broun, James S. .. ..	A	C	49	260
			Wells, Florence M. .. ..	A	D	44	200
			Bannister, Harold .. ..	A	D	61	240
			Duffus, Elizabeth P. .. ..	A	E	66	160
			Clark, Dinah .. ..	A	C	72	130
			Lang, Mary C. .. ..	A	C	92	120
			Wharfe, Annie E. .. ..	A	D	88	120
			Onions, Hilda G. .. ..	A	D	97	120
			Wilson, Ralph C. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	65
			Baylis, Beryl E. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Whitton, Dorothy A. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Pulman, Katherine E. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	65
			McFarland, Isabel D. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Carter, Gladys R. .. ..	Pt2	..	..	45
			James, Agnes M. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
			Evans, Louisa R. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	55
Maunu .. .. .	3A	46	Barton, Robert .. ..	H	C	60	220
			McLeod, Nezzie I. .. ..	A	..	..	110
Meadowbank .. .. .	4A	182	Warn, John M. .. ..	H	C	17	270
			Ince, Eleanor W. .. ..	A	D	70	160
			Walker, Hilda M. .. ..	A	D	74	150
			Ponsford, Mary E. .. ..	A	D	62	120
			Fraser, Mina .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Craig, Catherine .. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
Mercer .. .. .	3B	88	Edwards, Charles T. .. ..	H	D	47	245
			Fairgray, Jessie M. .. ..	A	..	..	110
			Treacy, Gwendoline D. A. .. ..	A	..	..	110
			Walsh, Bertha C. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
Mercury Bay .. .. .	3B	104	Dean, William F. .. ..	H	C	45	250
			Jamieson, Rubina G. .. ..	A	..	..	110
			Brownlee, Flora .. ..	A	..	..	110
Miranda (half-time). See under Kaiawa.							
Moehau (half-time). See under Cape Colville.							
Mokai .. .. .	3A	43	Jones, Thomas A. .. ..	A	D	..	200
			Coulter, Agnes M. .. ..	A	..	..	110
Mokauiti .. .. .	3A	38	Smith, Albert H. M. .. ..	H	Lic.	..	199½
			Davidson, Rose J. .. ..	A	..	..	117
Monavale .. .. .	1	18	Kelso, Archibald .. ..	S	..	..	110
Morrinsville .. .. .	4C	260	Campbell, Donald R. F. .. ..	H	C	35	290
			Harper, Mary M. .. ..	A	D	51	200
			Sceats, Ethel F. A. .. ..	A	D	77	150
			Maiden, Janet I. (Mrs.) .. ..	A	..	..	126
			Fraser, Lucinda (Mrs.) .. ..	A	D	85	140
			Sheeran, William E. .. ..	Pt2	..	..	60
Motatau .. .. .	2	34	O'Sullivan, Laura .. ..	S	..	..	126
Motukaraka .. .. .	3A	41	Downard, Henry J. F. .. ..	H	C	60	250
			Douglas, Gertrude A. .. ..	A	..	..	126
Motumaocho .. .. .	2	46	Carrick, Margaret C. .. ..	H	C	82	150
			O'Brien, Emily E. .. ..	A	..	..	110
Motutara (12) and Muriwai (14) ..	2	26	Rudall, John H. .. ..	S	C	69	220
Moumoukai .. .. .	1	12	Armour, Marion A. .. ..	S	..	..	126
Mount Albert .. .. .	7D	687	Whitaker, Joseph R. .. ..	H	D	10	430
			Barber, George .. ..	A	C	39	320
			de Montalk, Emily L. .. ..	A	D	42	250
			Hintz, Alfred A. S. .. ..	A	D	55	260
			Conway, Mabel E. .. ..	A	D	53	210
			Douglas, Effie .. ..	A	D	66	190
			Worthington, Minna L. .. ..	A	D	79	130
			Smith, Gertrude I. .. ..	A	D	64	170
			Carmichael, Margaret H. .. ..	A	D	..	110
			Fooks, Alice C. .. ..	A	C	93	120
			Forrest, Grace I. .. ..	A	D	99	120
			Langham, Rita .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Robins, Stella .. ..	Pt3	..	..	65
			Bennett, Faith .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Jones, Elsie G. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Astley, Katrina W. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Miller, Lydia A. .. ..	Pt1	..	..	35
			McNaughton, Henry L. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
			Wakerley, Isabel I. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
			Mabbett, Una .. ..	Pr1	..	..	35

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Mount Eden .. .. .	7F	861	Hill, William W. .. .. .	H	D	10	£ 430	
			Kenny, Arthur A. .. .. .	A	B	36	330	
			Robinson, Elizabeth A. .. .. .	A	C	44	250	
			Stone, Alfred E. .. .. .	A	C	52	260	
			Rohan, Mary E. . . . .	A	D	83	150	
			Russell, Magdalen L. .. .. .	A	C	47	210	
			Daniels, Caroline G. .. .. .	A	E	63	180	
			Pirrit, Ruth .. .. .	A	C	86	140	
			Massey, Edith F. .. .. .	A	C	86	120	
			Stevens, Mary E. .. .. .	A	C	93	120	
			Seddon, Gertrude S. M. .. .. .	A	C	95	110	
			Olberg, Olive G. .. .. .	A	..	..	110	
			Barr, Evelyn J. . . . .	A	D	90	120	
			Grant, Jessie M. .. .. .	A	D	90	120	
			Halls, Winifred E. .. .. .	A	D	100	120	
			Bell, Janie P. . . . .	Pt4	..	..	55	
			Macgregor, Winifred I. .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	55	
			Hansen, Eileen M. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55	
			Freeman, Lila M. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55	
			Paterson, Frances D. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55	
			Maxwell, Jean L. .. .. .	Pt1	..	..	35	
			Lamb, Winifred E. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	60	
			Gatland, Mary .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	60	
			Copeland, Dorothy I. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	55	
			Gatland, Sara .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	55	
Mount Maunganui .. .. .	2	38	McLoughlin, Elizabeth M. .. .. .	S	C	83	140	
Mount Roskill .. .. .	5A	263	Paterson, Robert H. .. .. .	H	C	17	340	
			King, Agnes L. . . . .	A	D	67	190	
			Worrall, Edith I. .. .. .	A	C	83	150	
			Anderson, Isabella C. .. .. .	A	C	72	170	
			Bagnall, Alice M. G. .. .. .	A	C	86	140	
			Mason, Edna M. .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	55	
			Rohan, Edith G. .. .. .	Pt2	..	..	45	
			Marston, Rose .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	55	
Mullet Point .. .. .	2	21	Algie, Annie (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	E	79	140	
Muriwai (half time). See under Motutara.								
Napier Street, Auckland .. .. .	7C	615	Carter, Charles M. .. .. .	H	D	12	430	
			Purdie, Edmund C. .. .. .	A	D	22	330	
			Arey, Alice M. .. .. .	A	E	43	250	
			Menzies, Albert G. .. .. .	A	C	49	270	
			Griffiths, Joann (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	E	..	190	
			Stubbs, Margaret M. .. .. .	A	D	57	210	
			Tills, Ethel E. .. .. .	A	E	65	180	
			Earle, Jane M. .. .. .	A	D	79	130	
			Sherlock, Fanny .. .. .	A	D	94	120	
			Krause, Yetta (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	Lic.	..	134	
			Wily, Iris .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	65	
			Molloy, Alice M. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	65	
			Kelly, Elizabeth .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	65	
			French, Cecil R. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55	
			Marshall, Lizzie. . . . .	Pt2	..	..	45	
			Trotter, Margaret I. .. .. .	Pt1	..	..	55	
			Flavell, Lucy D. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	60	
Naumai .. .. .	3A	47	Sale, Gilbert .. .. .	H	C	76	200½	
			MacLean, Mary A. C. .. .. .	A	Lic.	..	123	
Nelson Street, Auckland .. .. .	7A	475	Trayes, Alfred E. .. .. .	H	D	13	430	
			Cliffe, Albert S. . . . .	A	C	43	330	
			Wilson, Janet .. .. .	A	D	40	250	
			Coltman, Archibald R. .. .. .	A	C	63	270	
			Shearer, Florence .. .. .	A	D	60	200	
			Hughes, Wilfred L. .. .. .	A	C	60	240	
			Gilmore, Nellie .. .. .	A	D	67	160	
			Harbutt, Eliza M. (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	Lic.	..	153	
			Moore, Margaret L. .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	65	
			Jameson, Winifred A. .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	65	
			Jackson, Winifred M. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	65	
			Taylor, Norman H. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55	
			Farrow, Rosa K. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	60	
			Drever, Christina K. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	60	
			Le Petit, Eric N. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	55	
Netherton .. .. .	3A	66	Rice, Thomas D. .. .. .	H	D	60	250	
			Dobson, Charlotte M. .. .. .	A	D	101	120	

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
New Lynn .. .. .	4c	253	Ellis, Howard J. S. .. .. .	H	D	24	£ 340
			Holton, Claud .. .. .	A	D	57	230
			Wilson, Mary J. K. .. .. .	A	C	66	170
			McGregor, Margaret M. (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	E	88	160
			Melisaac, Catharine M. .. .. .	A	D	89	140
			Paltridge, Muriel T. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55
			Foster, Alice M. .. .. .	Pt1	..	..	35
Newmarket .. .. .	6B	453	Walker, William R. C., B.A. .. .. .	H	B	13	390
			Tooman, George .. .. .	A	D	57	280
			Sinclair, Ellen E. .. .. .	A	A	42	210
			Gilbert, John K. W. .. .. .	A	C	68	240
			Goldsworthy, Clara G. .. .. .	A	E	77	150
			Tracy, Ada R. .. .. .	A	D	87	160
			Lowrie, Annie W. .. .. .	A	D	81	140
			Lamont, Isabella M. .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	65
			Coleman, Frederick W. .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	55
			Sinclair, Irene M. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	65
			Edgcumbe, Erma S. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55
			Chalmers, Elizabeth M. .. .. .	Pt1	..	..	55
			Scully, Eileen .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	55
Newstead .. .. .	3A	38	Mackay, Mary C. .. .. .	H	D	71	200
			Johnston, Agnes B. .. .. .	A	..	..	110
Newton East .. .. .	7G	819	Metge, Daniel D. .. .. .	H	D	10	430
			Bell, Alexander (ii) .. .. .	A	C	46	320
			Wilson, Estelle R. .. .. .	A	E	46	250
			Webster, Robert S. .. .. .	A	C	49	270
			Simpson, Euphemia .. .. .	A	C	42	210
			Waddingham, Florence M. .. .. .	A	C	60	190
			Shaw, Ada (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	..	..	164
			Day, Florence M. .. .. .	A	E	..	120
			O'Callaghan, Esther M. .. .. .	A	C	94	120
			Firth, Ellen (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	Lic.	..	134
			Johnston, Janet .. .. .	A	C	97	120
			Phipps, Dora M. .. .. .	A	D	101	110
			Howard, Vera L. .. .. .	A	D	98	120
			Murray, Alice E. (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	C	89	140
			Downey, Joseph C. .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	55
			Searle, Constance M. .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	55
			Adams, Cecil E. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55
			Wilcock, Myrtle M. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55
			Strong, Nora R. .. .. .	Pt2	..	..	60
			McKay, Lily M. J. .. .. .	Pt2	..	..	60
			Pennalligon, Hazel B. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	35
Newton West .. .. .	7E	718	Webber, Alfred S. .. .. .	H	C	7	430
			Hook, Percy J. .. .. .	A	C	36	330
			Bayly, Jessie J. .. .. .	A	D	49	250
			Darby, Edward J. .. .. .	A	D	50	260
			Windust, Patience A. (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	C	62	210
			Barr, Muriel L. .. .. .	A	D	52	210
			Simpson, Mary J. M. (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	E	77	200
			Clark, Margaret .. .. .	A	D	83	140
			Clark, Bellmar A. .. .. .	A	D	100	120
			Murray, Kathleen B. .. .. .	A	C	92	120
			Hodkinson, Sarah .. .. .	A	D	93	120
			Fenton, Mattie .. .. .	A	C	82	120
			Coulam, Allan G. .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	55
			Dukeson, Elsie E. M. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	65
			Taylor, Hazel E. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55
			Donald, Raymond R. .. .. .	Pt2	..	..	45
			Simpson, Bernice M. .. .. .	Pt2	..	..	45
			Jeffs, Gladys E. .. .. .	Pt1	..	..	35
			Kelly, Sarah R. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	35
			Little, Thelma M. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	35
			Beaney, Olive M. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	30
Ngahape (16) and Tokanui (18) .. .. .	2	34	O'Brien, Daniel .. .. .	S	..	..	225
Ngapuke .. .. .	2	26	Hayward, William P. .. .. .	S	..	..	126
Ngararatunua .. .. .	3A	42	Laing, Arthur E. .. .. .	H	C	61	235
			Williams, Ada M. .. .. .	A	..	..	110
Ngarua .. .. .	2	25	Tucker, Francis A. .. .. .	S	..	..	126
Ngaruawahia .. .. .	4c	243	Colhoun, John S. .. .. .	H	C	30	310
			Kay, Alice (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	Lic.	..	180
			Murphy, Ellen (i) .. .. .	A	D	67	170
			Kimber, Ella F. .. .. .	A	D	86	140
			Baxter, Beatrice I. .. .. .	A	C	94	110
			Ghezzi, Evelyn M. .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	65
			Paterson, Vera I. L. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	35

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Ngataki .. .. .	2	15	Berridge, Reginald S. .. ..	S	..	..	£ 110
Ngatea .. .. .	3A	42	Rust, Douglas S. .. ..	S	D	75	190
Ngongotaha .. .. .	3A	54	Foggin, Arthur H. .. ..	H	D	66	210
			Hewitt, Alfreda .. ..	A	..	..	117
Ngunguru .. .. .	2	24	White, Margaret A. .. ..	S	D	101	140
Ngutunui .. .. .	1	17	Stein, Ethel M. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Normal District High School and five model schools (at Training College)—Normal primary (386); Model schools—Type (i), rural (30); type (ii) junior P.-S2 (27); type (iii), secondary (21); type (iv), special classes (20); type (v), junior kindergarten (average not reckoned: children under 5 years of age)]	6B	484	Murdoch, Albert .. ..	H	C	29	475
			Binsted, Henry .. ..	N	C	50	350
			Newman, Margaret .. ..	N	D	30	310
			Green, Samuel .. ..	N	C	57	320
			Kennedy, Agnes .. ..	N	D	44	280
			Brew, Frederick C. .. ..	N	B	51	250
			Stretton, Clarice .. ..	N	D	58	230
			Foster, Mabel K. .. ..	N	D	69	210
			Hare, Ada E. H. .. ..	N	D	72	210
			McLean, Linda (Mrs.) .. ..	N	C	64	210
			Lord, George H. .. ..	N(S)	C	51	320
			Anderson, Millicent C. M. .. ..	N	D	61	210
			Shrewsbury, Elsie, M.A. .. ..	N(D)	A	22	..
			Bayliss, Margaretta A. .. ..	N	C	58	250
			Statham, Isabella M. .. ..	N	C	62	210
Northcote (534) and side school (82)	7C	616	Dunlop, David W. .. ..	H	C	11	410
			Corbett, Robert J. .. ..	A	C	44	310
			Flatt, Caroline J. .. ..	A	E	49	250
			Merrington, Alfred R. .. ..	A	B	50	250
			Turnbull, Katherine A. .. ..	A	D	59	210
			Newbegin, Martha A. .. ..	A	E	62	210
			Ross, Gertrude E. .. ..	A	C	72	150
			Fraser, Ethel M. .. ..	A	C	77	140
			Harvey, Freida M. (Mrs.) .. ..	A	D	84	130
			Watson, Florence (Mrs.) .. ..	A	Lic.	..	134
			Carter, Annie .. ..	A	E	93	120
			Whitten, Iris R. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	65
			Entwistle, William H. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			McRae, Jessie G. .. ..	Pt2	..	..	60
			Kayes, Arthur H. .. ..	Pt2	..	..	45
			Jacks, Alice W. .. ..	Pt1	..	..	35
			Chappell, Enid M. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	35
Ohaeawai .. .. .	2	30	Gillespie, Hilda W. .. ..	S	D	67	180
Ohauti .. .. .	1	16	Charles, Robert .. ..	S	D	..	110
Ohaupo .. .. .	3B	101	Reynolds, Arthur E. .. ..	H	C	45	225
			Gledstane, Helen .. ..	A	D	83	140
			McDuff, Kathleen E. Y. .. ..	A	..	..	110
			Rouch, Frank C. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
Ohinewai .. .. .	3A	42	Baston, Florence I. .. ..	H	C	57	210
			Moor, Daisy E. .. ..	A	..	..	117
Okahu Nos. 1 (8) and 2 (6)	2	14	Macrae, Janet C. .. ..	S	..	..	126
Okaihau .. .. .	2	28	Reece, Arthur G. .. ..	S	Lic.	..	152
Okaihau No. 2 (8) and Utakura Valley (16)	2	24	Smith, Coralie F. .. ..	S	C	74	200
Okarewa .. .. .	1	21	Sergeant, Cecil C. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Okauia .. .. .	3A	37	Fogerty, Thomas .. ..	H	D	75	220
			Prescott, Emily R. .. ..	A	..	..	110
Okupu (9) and Tryphena (8)	1	17	Surman, Walter T. .. ..	S	..	..	135
Omaha, Little .. .. .	1	13	Knowles, Isabella (Mrs.) .. ..	S	..	..	110
Omahine .. .. .	3A	52	Sinclair, Jessie A. M. .. ..	H	..	..	189
			McNally, Margaret J. L. .. ..	A	..	..	110
Omana .. .. .	1	15	Turner, Josephine C. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Omanawa (5) and Omanawa Falls (24)	2	29	Scott, Nellie .. ..	S	Lic.	..	150
Omapere .. .. .	3A	22	Dive, May .. ..	S	..	..	126
Omokoroa .. .. .	2	27	Butcher, Elizabeth G. .. ..	S	..	..	153
Onehunga .. .. .	7D	705	McIntosh, William N. .. ..	H	D	18	440
			Robb, James .. ..	A	D	49	320
			Bull, Effie S. .. ..	A	D	50	240
			Blakey, Frank E., B.A. .. ..	A	B	47	270
			Robb, Helen .. ..	A	D	56	210
			Stemson, Elizabeth (Mrs.) .. ..	A	D	53	220
			Bower, Jessie .. ..	A	E	64	180
			Bower, Eva .. ..	A	D	71	140
			Fraser, Anne B. .. ..	A	C	69	140
			Pileher, Doris .. ..	A	D	87	120
			Ross, Hazel E. .. ..	A	D	93	120
			Taylor, Dorothy M. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Green, Dorothy C. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	65

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Onchungu— <i>continued</i>	..	..	Backhurst, Annie	Pt3	..	..	£ 55
			Mynott, Isabella	Pt3	..	..	55
			Griffin, Esther R.	Pt2	..	..	60
			McArthur, Kathleen J. D.	Pt2	..	..	45
			Goulstone, Gertrude D.	Pr1	..	..	30
Onerahi	3A	62	Ormiston, Edward N.	H	D	49	220
			Niccol, Kathleen A.	A	..	..	117
Onewhero	3A	70	Fox, Norman S.	H	C	60	225
			Jones, Frederica K.	A	..	..	117
Oniao	1	7	King, Muriel	S	..	..	110
Oparau	2	24	Morine, Katie (Mrs.)	S	..	..	139½
Opotiki	4B	229	Wilson, Henry B.	H	C	45	300
			Pirrit, Bella	A	C	72	150
			Burton, Dorothy M.	A	D	..	120
			Stephenson, Alice M.	A	..	..	110
			Benner, Amy R.	A	..	..	110
			Stephenson, Edna M.	Pt2	..	..	45
			Francis, Agnes M. J.	Pr1	..	..	35
Opouriao North	3A	88	Rogers, Cornelius J.	H	C	47	240
			Lau, Chrissie	A	..	..	126
Opouriao South	3A	45	Walker, William	H	C	64	200
			Peake, Lucy K.	A	..	..	117
Opua	2	37	Brooke, Gertrude M. (Mrs.)	S	..	..	110
Opuatia (half-time). See under Glen Murray.							
Opuawhanga (19) and Otonga (23)	3A	42	Worsley, George A.	S	D	58	280
Oputeke	1	10	Alder, Henry E.	S	..	..	110
Oratia	2	31	Joyce, May F.	S	D	75	160
Orere	0	3	Ashby, Gladys	S	..	..	48
Orini	3A	39	Jones, Ernest G., B.A., .sc.	A	B	..	200
			Paltridge, Mary E.	A	..	..	117
Oropi	3A	26	McLean, Neil	S	D	0	210
Oruaiti (13) and Upper Oruaiti (8)	1	21	Bremner, Alex R.	S	..	..	126
Oruru	2	25	Berry, Lavinia M. (Mrs.)	S	E	69	190
Ostend (5) and Te Huruhi (6)	1	11	Martin, Richard J.	S	..	..	126
Otahuhu	6A	457	Hall, Alfred J. C.	H	C	7	370
			Cadd, Edward W. B.	A	C	50	260
			Scmerville, Frances A.	A	E	52	210
			Muir, Margaret M.	A	D	66	110
			Packridge, Margaret I.	A	D	84	150
			McArthur, Jessie E.	A	C	82	140
			Jones, Florence M. D.	A	..	..	117
			Corbett, Julia	A	D	102	120
			Atkinson, Grace R. J.	Pt3	..	..	55
			O'Neill, Mary J.	Pt2	..	..	60
			Terrill, Kathleen M. I.	Pr1	..	..	30
Otaika	3A	38	Devin, Annie M.	H	E	..	200
			Walter, Mary K.	A	..	..	117
Otaika Valley	1	15	Frost, Ida V. D'E.	S	D	92	140
Otamarakau	1	13	Sadler, Hester M.	S	..	..	117
Otara	2	20	Lees, Eliza A. (Mrs.)	S	D	87	150
Otara East (20) and Tirohanga (11)	2	31	White, Nellie	S	..	..	198
Otaua	3A	59	Selby, Johnson	H	D	60	240
			Kensington, Florence C. B.	A	..	..	126
Otewa	3A	51	Kennedy, Aileen J. (Mrs.)	H	D	72	235
			Linehan, Eileen M.	A	..	..	110
Otonga (half-time). See under Opuawhanga.							
Otoroa	1	14	Dolphin, David E.	S	..	..	153
Otorohanga	4A	146	Hall, William H. V.	H	D	74	280
			Hall, Margaret H. (Mrs.)	A	E	91	160
			Bushnell, Ida A.	A	D	101	130
			Henry, Margaret H.	Pt2	..	..	60
Otumoetai	3A	30	Cooney, Hugh O.	S	C	66	220
Oturoa (half-time). See under Kaharoa.							
Oue	1	16	Weiss, William L.	S	..	..	126
Owhiwa (9) and Taraunui (18)	2	27	Beasley, Charles J.	S	D	89	200
Pa (half-time). See under Jordan.							
Paemako (27) and Wairiri Falls (19)	3A	46	Funké, Ernest E.	S	D	79	260
Paengaroa	3A	57	Badger, Holly H. H.	H	D	66	210
			Daines, Annie E.	A	..	..	117
			Lemon, Susan M.	Pr1	..	..	30
Paerata Ridge	1	9	Raine, Daisy M.	S	D	..	110

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Paeroa District High School—Primary (349), secondary (20)	5c	369	Hamilton, Robert J., B.A., B.Sc. ..	H	A	21	£ 350
			Rendall, Alfred G. ..	A	D	74	250
			Shaw, Minnie ..	A	E	50	210
			Gibson, Elizabeth McK. ..	A	E	56	190
			Gregory, Ella L. ..	A	Lic.	..	114
			Robson, Ida A. ..	A	..	..	110
			Pardington, Annie ..	A	C	96	110
			Corbett, Dorothy ..	Pt4	..	..	65
			Fitzgerald, Mary K. ..	Pt3	..	..	65
			Adlam, Norma B. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
			Walls, Janet ..	Pr1	..	..	30
			Tregenna, Dorothy F. ..	D	..	..	..
Paiaka .. ..	2	24	Foy, James H. ..	S	..	..	162
Pakanāe .. ..	2	32	Maloney, Mary K. ..	S	..	..	110
Pakaraka .. ..	2	26	Snell, Harold G. ..	S	..	..	126
Pakaru .. ..	2	27	Lambert, Constance M. (Mrs.) ..	S	C	..	140
Pakautukua (7) and Port Charles (9)	1	16	Jackson, Flossina H. ..	S	..	..	135
Pakeho .. ..	1	18	Clark, Gladys I. ..	S	C	90	140
Pakiri .. ..	1	18	Frean, Alice ..	S	..	..	110
Pakotai .. ..	2	21	Buckle, Donald ..	S	..	..	135
Pakuranga .. ..	3A	46	Jameson, Frank ..	H	C	5	240
			Muir, Minnie ..	A	E	73	140
Panmure .. ..	3B	86	Cahill, William J. ..	H	D	50	240
			Walker, Ethel M. ..	A	D	96	140
			Dacey, Kathleen G. ..	A	..	..	110
Papakura .. ..	4c	245	Elliott, Joseph E. ..	H	C	32	310
			Bull, Evelyn F. ..	A	C	80	190
			Westwood, Millicent M. ..	A	C	83	170
			Anderson, Mary ..	A	C	84	140
			Hardy, Leila M. ..	A	C	92	120
			Torkington, Alma W. M. ..	Pt2	..	..	60
			Hunt, Percy R. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
Papamoa No. 1 .. ..	2	29	Young, Mary I. ..	S	..	..	126
Paparata .. ..	2	24	Booth, Frederick ..	S	E	..	190
Paparimu (half-time). See under Ararimu.							
Paparoa .. ..	3A	52	Stephenson, Edward W. ..	H	C	50	240
			Lloyd, Adelina F. ..	A	..	..	126
Papatoetoe .. ..	4B	208	Andrew, Henry P. ..	H	C	30	300
			Allison, David A. B. ..	A	C	71	200
			Grant, Annie J. ..	A	D	71	170
			Greville, Alice ..	A	D	79	140
			Walsh, Cecil J. ..	Pt2	..	..	60
			Harré, Mabel ..	Pr2	..	..	35
			Chamberlain, Ivan R. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
Paponga .. ..	1	11	Aitken, Ann A. (Mrs.) ..	S	..	..	110
Paradise (half-time). See under Mangarata							
Paraheka (17) and Rotopotaka (13)	2	30	Dunn, Reginald M. ..	S	..	..	180
Parakao (half-time). See under Houto.							
Paranui (11) and Taipa (5) ..	1	16	Maugham, Frank ..	S	..	..	126
Parenga .. ..	1	11	Pender, Lauchlan ..	S	..	..	110
Parkhurst .. ..	2	28	Johnson, Phyllis M. ..	S	..	..	144
Parnell .. ..	7c	635	Murphy, Francis ..	H	C	11	430
			Hare, Frederick W. ..	A	C	33	330
			Astley, Hannah ..	A	D	49	250
			Hutton, Robert G. ..	A	C	46	270
			Birss, Agatha G. (Mrs.) ..	A	D	55	220
			Johnston, Susanna ..	A	D	60	210
			Cardno, Elizabeth ..	A	E	66	180
			Andrews, Margaret S. ..	A	C	85	120
			McMillan, Georgina H. ..	A	C	101	120
			Black, Charlotte M. ..	A	D	97	120
			Hodge, Robert P. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Markey, Aileen M. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Blackwell, Frederick G. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Wright, Ellen I. ..	Pt2	..	..	60
			Clarke, Muriel H. ..	Pt2	..	..	45
			Copeland, Adah S. ..	Pt2	..	..	45
			Wells, Kathleen E. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
			Gentles, Mavis P. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
Parua Bay Nos 1 (25) and 2 (31) ..	3A	56	Wight, George F. ..	S	C	56	280
Paterangi .. ..	3A	44	Bates, Agnes J. (Mrs.) ..	H	D	49	230
			Hearn, Matilda L. S. ..	A	..	..	126
Patetonga .. ..	3A	40	Newhook, Clara F. ..	H	C	..	200
			Gordon, Iris M. ..	A	..	..	110

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Patumahoe .. .. .	3A	70	Graham, James (ii) .. ..	H	C	57	£ 240
Peria .. .. .	3A	47	Pattinson, Eliza R. .. ..	A	..	..	126
Piha (11) and Whatipu (8) ..	2	19	Harrison, Robert J. .. ..	H	..	..	207
Piopio .. .. .	3A	69	McKay, Nellie .. .. .	A	..	..	126
Pipiroa .. .. .	3A	21	Macmillan, Lilian M. E. D. B. ..	S	D	89	200
Pohuehue (half-time). See under Mahurangi Heads West.			Dawson, Ethel .. .. .	H	D	58	200
Point Chevalier .. .. .	5D	378	Humberstone, Kate .. ..	A	..	..	126
			Large, George E. .. ..	S	B	65	210
			McInness, Donald .. ..	H	..	17	340
			Kelly, John (ii) .. ..	A	D	56	270
			Fawcett, Frances H. .. ..	A	E	57	200
			Marsdon, Annie M. (Mrs.) ..	A	E	65	220
			Lepine, Inez E. .. ..	A	C	87	140
			Stephenson, Marianne A. ..	A	C	75	140
			Lang, Charlotte M. .. ..	A	C	87	120
			Alexander, Annie S. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Blight, Wesley .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55
			Paltridge, Lola L. B. .. ..	Pt2	..	..	45
			Lang, Muriel I. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
			Mabbett, Harold C. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
Pokapu .. .. .	1	18	Hutchings, Mary K. .. ..	S	..	..	117
Pokeno .. .. .	3A	59	Lippiatt, George, M.A. .. ..	H	A	40	240
			McEwan, Mary G. .. ..	A	D	102	140
Pollock .. .. .	2	25	Ryan, Elizabeth M. .. ..	S	Lic.	..	180½
Ponga .. .. .	1	11	Scott, Mary .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Pongakaw .. .. .	1	21	Lind, Jenny D. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Ponsonby .. .. .	7E	715	Dickinson, James C. .. ..	H	D	10	430
			Wooler, Harold J. .. ..	A	C	34	330
			Ingall, Eva K. M. .. ..	A	D	44	250
			McPherson, Donald A. .. ..	A	C	49	250
			Moore, Margaret R. (Mrs.) ..	A	C	63	190
			Pollock, Daisy W. (Mrs.) ..	A	D	..	190
			Ramson, May .. .. .	A	D	54	200
			Vellenoweth, Jessie .. ..	A	C	58	160
			Jackson, Beryl A. .. ..	A	B	71	130
			Officer, Dorcas E. (Mrs.) ..	A	E	92	140
			Lochhead, Helen P. .. ..	A	C	95	110
			Crawford, Violet (Mrs.) ..	A	C	88	120
			Darroch, Bertha H. .. ..	A	..	..	110
			Mason, Irene E. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Curtis, Marie R. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			McKinlay, William .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Thorpe, Ewart W. G. .. ..	Pt2	..	..	45
			Lovatt, Allan G. .. ..	Pt2	..	..	45
			Naylor, Evelyn B. .. ..	Pt1	..	..	55
			Boag, Mabel G. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
Port Albert .. .. .	3A	45	Smith, George H. .. ..	H	C	46	240
			Simpson, Eva G. .. ..	A	..	..	110
Port Charles (half-time). See under Pakautukua.							
Pouto .. .. .	1	16	Nairn, Robert R. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Puahue .. .. .	2	22	Hay, Barbara .. .. .	S	..	..	126
Puhoi .. .. .	3A	62	Parry, Ida J. (Mrs.) .. ..	S	C	83	160
Pukekapia .. .. .	1	9	Petty, Elsie R. .. ..	S	..	..	42
Pukekaroro .. .. .	1	9	Armstrong, Joseph .. ..	S	..	..	110
Pukekohe District High School - Primary (299), secondary (62)	5B	361	Flavell, Dennis R. .. ..	H	D	55	340
			Day, Frederick C. .. ..	A	C	78	250
			Hamlin, Alethea S. O. .. ..	A	E	65	180
			Rogers, Johanna .. .. .	A	D	76	160
			Hewlett, Edith M. .. ..	A	C	82	140
			Rogers, Ellen M. .. ..	A	..	..	110
			Cathcart, Mary K. .. ..	Pt2	..	..	60
			McNally, Susannah .. ..	Pt2	..	..	60
			Neal, Grace C. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
			Avery, Alice E. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	35
			Freeman, Mabel E., M.A. ..	D	A	63	..
			Heward, Gladys H., M.A. ..	D	B	..	..
Pukekohe East .. .. .	3A	42	Meiklejohn, James T., M.A. ..	H	B	56	230
			Earle, Ivy D. .. ..	A	C	92	130
Pukemiro Collieries .. .. .	3A	43	Graham, Patrick .. ..	H	..	..	180
			Campbell, Gladys O. .. ..	A	C	..	120
Pukerimu .. .. .	3A	37	Murray, William H. .. ..	H	C	67	210
			Dougherty, Florence M. ..	A	..	..	110
Puketahi .. .. .	1	26	Edgar, John T. .. ..	S	D	86	140
Puketapu .. .. .	0	5	Smith, Amy .. .. .	S	..	..	40

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	
Puketotara .. .. .	0	10	Yeats, Alice G. .. .. .	S	..	..	£ 110	
Puketui (half - time). See under Hikuai.								
Puketurua .. .. .	2	28	Peters, Valaporua A. .. .. .	S	..	..	144	
Punakitere .. .. .	2	21	Glass, George K. .. .. .	S	..	..	135	
Puni .. .. .	3A	55	Johns, William F. .. .. .	H	D	57	240	
			Chalmers, Helen M. .. .. .	A	..	..	126	
Purerua .. .. .	1	10	Plaw, Hazel F. .. .. .	S	..	..	110	
Puriri .. .. .	3B	82	Upton, Frederick G. .. .. .	H	D	56	225	
			Hunt, Sarah A. .. .. .	A	C	90	140	
			Dunlop, Mabel S. .. .. .	A	..	..	110	
			Comer, Valetta F. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	60	
			Weasa, Alma E. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	60	
Purua .. .. .	1	14	Owen, Owen P. .. .. .	S	..	..	110	
Putake (9) and Waitomo Caves (6)	1	15	Paterson, John H. .. .. .	S	..	..	126	
Putaruru .. .. .	3A	61	Roberts, William P. .. .. .	H	C	46	240	
			Tomalin, Beatrice A. .. .. .	A	..	..	126	
Raglan .. .. .	3A	50	Moore, William R. .. .. .	H	D	69	200	
			Trimmer, Edna H. K. .. .. .	A	..	..	110	
Ramarama .. .. .	3A	48	Trimmer, John H. .. .. .	H	E	53	240	
			Reynolds, Emma I. .. .. .	A	D	82	140	
			Allen, May E. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	35	
Rangiahua (22) and Upper Waihou (21)	3A	43	Attwood, Frederick C. .. .. .	S	B	46	270	
Rangiaohia .. .. .	2	30	Smith, Gordon .. .. .	S	..	..	144	
Rangiatea .. .. .	2	22	Harper, Ellen M. .. .. .	S	C	97	140	
Rangiriri .. .. .	1	22	Angove, Lilly M. (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	..	..	126	
Raupo .. .. .	3A	42	Hawkes, Emma .. .. .	H	D	64	200	
			Switzer, Hazel E. .. .. .	A	..	..	110	
Rawene .. .. .	3A	64	Shaw, Norman F. .. .. .	H	C	71	220	
			Clark, Rose A. A. .. .. .	A	..	..	126	
			King, Mary W. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	60	
Rawhia .. .. .	2	18	Darrock, George M. .. .. .	S	..	..	135	
Red Hill .. .. .	1	19	Wylie, Thomas .. .. .	S	..	..	110	
Rehia .. .. .	2	22	Downs, Elva M. .. .. .	S	..	..	126	
Remuera .. .. .	7D	654	Munro, Colin R. .. .. .	H	C	7	430	
			Taylor, George H. .. .. .	A	C	34	330	
			Hawkins, Elizabeth F. .. .. .	A	E	43	250	
			Herbert, Mary E. .. .. .	A	D	45	230	
			McIndoe, Ethel M. (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	..	..	170	
			Davis, Ethel W. B. .. .. .	A	D	54	210	
			Crawshaw, Richard G. .. .. .	A	C	71	200	
			Benge, Lorna R. .. .. .	A	D	82	140	
			Dupree, Margaret (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	D	84	140	
			Hale, Dorothy B. .. .. .	A	C	87	120	
			MacLennan, Effie W. .. .. .	A	C	95	120	
			Green, Ivy D. M. .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	65	
			Clark, Alice E. C. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55	
			Clarke, Hilda A. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55	
			Niccol, Augusta V. S. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55	
			Moloughney, Phoebe M. .. .. .	Pt2	..	..	60	
			Chadwick, Margaret S. 3 .. .. .	Pt2	..	..	45	
			Forde, Winifred E. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	35	
			Scherer, Arnold F. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	35	
			Foster, Mario R. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	30	
Rewa Rewa .. .. .	1	12	Cowern, Phoebe A. .. .. .	S	..	..	117	
Richmond Road .. .. .	7E	721	Wells, Tom U., B.A. .. .. .	H	B	4	430	
			Carnachan, Robert .. .. .	A	C	34	330	
			McGibbon, Helen M. S. .. .. .	A	D	40	250	
			Smith, William H. (i) .. .. .	A	C	51	270	
			Currie, Kathleen A. M. .. .. .	A	C	70	190	
			Eastgate, Mildred M. 4 .. .. .	A	C	50	210	
			Duffin, Annie (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	E	74	150	
			Crellin, Muriel L. .. .. .	A	C	73	130	
			Campbell, Mary B. .. .. .	A	C	79	120	
			McSporran, Grace G. .. .. .	A	D	97	120	
			England, Alice (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	..	..	130	
			Worrall, Winifred M. .. .. .	A	D	..	120	
			Hosking, Ethel J. .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	55	
			Matheson, Mona .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	55	
			Evans, William H. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55	
			Meiklejohn, Charlotte E. .. .. .	Pt2	..	..	55	
			Pooley, Fredrick H. .. .. .	Pt2	..	..	45	
			Naylor, Ivy J. .. .. .	Pt1	..	..	55	
			Prendergast, Nora 5 E. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	35	
			Cooper, Hazel M. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	30	
			Niccol, Ysabel A. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	30	

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Richmond West .. ..	4B	203	Vuglar, James .. ..	H	C	29	£ 310
			Bryant, Catherine A. .. ..	A	E	74	170
			Donovan, Mary E. .. ..	A	D	76	150
			Lee, Alice F. .. ..	A	D	84	140
			Theet, Petrina M. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Cox, Lucy M. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	55
Rira (half-time). See under Kaeaea.							
Riverhead .. ..	3A	46	Masson, William .. ..	H	C	51	240
			Yeo, Doris W. .. ..	A	..	..	126
Riverslea .. ..	2	20	Johnston, George .. ..	S	..	..	110
Rotoiti Nos. 1 (4) and 2 (5) ..	1	9	McGettigan, Una .. ..	S	..	..	110
Rotokakahi (11) and Salt Springs (10)	2	21	Maxwell, Mabel D. .. ..	S	D	101	200
Rotokauri .. ..	2	23	Lowe, Jessie L. .. ..	S	D	..	180
Rotopotaka (half-time). See under Paraheka.							
Rotorangi .. ..	2	33	Clark, Charles W. .. ..	S	D	78	190
Rotoroa Island .. ..	1	9	Carson, Victoria .. ..	S	..	..	110
Rotorua District High School—Primary (322), secondary (19)	5C	341	Tanner, Thomas B. .. ..	H	D	29	330
			Floyd, Alfred B. .. ..	A	C	53	260
			Allen, Harriette M. .. ..	A	E	58	210
			McDonogh, Aimee M. .. ..	A	E	62	210
			Burton, Ella .. ..	A	C	89	140
			Bridle, Mary (Mrs.) .. ..	A	D	86	140
			Ross, Margaret .. ..	Pt4	..	..	65
			Halkett, Dorothy J. A. M. ..	Pt1	..	..	35
			Worker, Rupert V. D. .. ..	D	..	..	..
Rototuna .. ..	3A	48	Totman, Leonard W. .. ..	H	C	60	220
			Wharfe, Clara J. .. ..	A	D	88	140
Ruakaka .. ..	2	26	Murdoch, Alfred J. .. ..	S	D	73	190
Ruakuri .. ..	2	26	Benjamin, Margaret (Mrs.) ..	S	D	86	140
Ruapekapeka (half-time). See under Marlow.							
Ruapuke .. ..	1	15	Garmonsway, Margaret A. (Mrs.) ..	S	..	..	110
Ruatangata East .. ..	1	18	Ogden, Mary .. ..	S	..	..	110
Ruatangata West .. ..	2	22	Yates, Margaret R. (Mrs.) ..	S	D	..	140
Ruawai .. ..	3A	49	McKinley, John E. .. ..	H	..	..	189
			Brown, Martha E. (Mrs.) ..	A	D	..	140
Rukuhia .. ..	2	28	Smith, Jessie R. .. ..	S	C	77	140
Russell .. ..	3A	67	Johnson, Robert N. .. ..	H	D	68	220
			Williams, Laura M. (Mrs.) ..	A	D	89	150
			Wood, Mary R. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
St. Heliers .. ..	4A	151	Brown, Daniel C. .. ..	H	C	40	280
			Holder, Marion C. .. ..	A	E	71	160
			Glasgow, Ellen E. .. ..	A	D	89	140
			Forde, Dorothy .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
Salt Springs (half-time). See under Rotokakahi.							
Silverdale .. ..	3A	49	Johns, William E. .. ..	H	E	59	225
			Parry, Lilian E. .. ..	A	D	100	120
Springdale .. ..	3A	56	Law, George H. B. .. ..	H	..	..	189
			Reaks, Jean P. .. ..	A	..	..	117
Stanley Bay .. ..	5A	261	Wilson, George (i) .. ..	H	C	32	330
			Finch, Thomas .. ..	A	D	52	240
			Findlay, Mary M. .. ..	A	E	60	180
			Longdill, Kate W. .. ..	A	D	68	160
			Bass, Elsa G. .. ..	A	C	90	140
			Matheson, Roy C. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	65
			Way, Dorothy A. .. ..	Pt2	..	..	45
			Cleary, Doris H. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
Swanson .. ..	3A	53	Fraser, Jessie A. .. ..	H	E	..	220
			Barriball, Letitia L. .. ..	A	C	89	140
			Cocks, Olive G. .. ..	S	D	..	140
Tahaia .. ..	2	20					
Tahekeroa (half-time). See under Makarau.							
Tahuna .. ..	2	21	Reaks, Henry J. .. ..	S	E	75	180
Taikawhanga .. ..	1	8	Crallan, Ida .. ..	S	..	..	80
Taipa (half-time). See under Parauui.							
Tairua .. ..	2	23	Gracio, Thomas .. ..	S	..	..	135
Taita .. ..	1	20	Webb, Mary J. (Mrs.) .. ..	S	..	..	110
Takahue .. ..	2	28	Weber, Daisy W. G. .. ..	S	D	..	140
Takapuna .. ..	5A	276	Brown, Francis H. 3 .. ..	H	C	17	330
			Gasparich, Joseph G. .. ..	A	C	66	190
			Tidd, Emily E. .. ..	A	E	67	170
			Litten, Alice I. .. ..	A	C	71	170
			Harty, Ruth .. ..	A	C	82	140

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Takapuna—continued	..	..	Turney, Margaret T. G.	Pt2	..	..	£ 45	
			Morton, Hubert H. F.	Pt2	..	..	45	
			Allen, John	Pr2	..	..	35	
			Leggat, James	Pr1	..	..	30	
Takiri	1	9	Foote, Thurza I.	S	..	..	110	
Tamahere	3A	41	Rigby, Eliza A. (Mrs.)	H	E	61	210	
			Latimer, Constance M.	A	D	..	130	
Tangaihi	1	14	Cleary, Henrietta	S	..	..	110	
Tangiteroria	3A	36	Mullins, Francis J.	S	D	71	250	
Tangitu	2	26	Newman, Leslie	S	..	..	110	
Tangoao	1	12	Hill, Mavis	S	..	..	110	
Tangowahine	2	26	Ballance, Alfred C.	S	E	..	150	
Tangowahine Valley	1	7	McMillan, Christina M.	S	..	..	110	
Taotaoroa No. 1	2	31	Jack, Janet R.	S	..	..	135	
Tapapa	2	21	Delaney, Clara	S	..	..	110	
Tapu (half-time). See under Kereta.								
Tapuhi	2	40	Claringbull, James F.	H	..	..	153	
			Drever, Dorothy M.	A	..	..	110	
Tara Road (half-time). See under Hakaru								
Taraunui (half-time). See under Owhiwa.								
Taringamutu	3A	39	Winter, Nathaniel A., B.A.	H	B	49	210	
			McPherson, Willa	A	Lic.	..	133	
Tatarariki	2	21	Jeffs, Maud C. A.	S	D	82	150	
Tauhei No. 1	1	11	Corkery, May W. (Mrs.)	S	..	..	110	
Tauhei No. 2	2	30	Walker, Carl F.	S	..	..	171	
Tauhoa	2	27	Bird, Agnes G. (Mrs.)	S	D	79	190	
Taumarunui	5A	263	Davidson, George A.	H	D	45	340	
			Sadler, Nora	A	D	87	190	
			Louch, Isabella	A	C	73	175	
			Weasa, Vera	A	D	99	150	
			Cameron, Annie M.	A	..	..	126	
			Robertson, Gladys M.	Pt2	..	..	60	
			Findlay, Caroline J.	Pt1	..	..	55	
Taupaki	3A	51	Usher, Agnes	H	E	64	220	
			French, Winnifred M.	A	C	95	140	
Taupiri	3B	104	Joll, William A.	H	B	44	250	
			Houghton, Eva M.	A	C	94	120	
			Clark, Eunice P. E.	A	C	97	110	
Taupo	3A	24	Mangham, Kathleen A.	S	C	98	150	
Tauranga District High School—	5D	393	Law, Norman H. S.	H	C	12	340	
Primary (355), secondary (38)			Wills, George H. A.	A	C	58	250	
			Barton, Mary V.	A	D	67	210	
			Daines, Susan R.	A	C	68	210	
			Blonquist, Henrietta V.	A	C	84	140	
			Adams, Hilda B.	A	..	..	110	
			Goodyear, Frances M.	A	Lic.	..	114	
			Butcher, Dorothy B.	Pt2	..	..	45	
			Tanner, Clara	Pt2	..	..	45	
			Spence, Maggie	Pr2	..	..	35	
			Walker, Edmee L.	Pr2	..	..	35	
			Taylor, Fanny J., B.A.	D	B	53	..	
			Connell, John W.	D	C	75	..	
Tauraroa	1	19	Turner, Mary C.	S	..	..	110	
Tautari	3A	35	Gall, Elizabeth A. (Mrs.)	S	E	69	210	
Tawharanui (half-time). See under Dacre's.								
Tawhare	3A	40	Wilson, Evelyn	H	E	51	230	
			Pickering, Ida	A	C	88	140	
Te Akau	2	20	King, Rowland T. M.	S	..	..	126	
Te Aroha	5A	260	Burton, Alfred F.	H	D	41	360	
			Staples, Jane A. (Mrs.)	A	E	66	210	
			Bond, Ethel E.	A	D	67	170	
			Boswell, Mary M.	A	C	88	160	
			Forrest, Hilda A.	A	D	93	140	
			Wilson, Anne M.	Pt4	..	..	65	
			Davies, Alma B. C.	Pt2	..	..	45	
			Hamlyn, Roy W.	Pr2	..	..	60	
Te Aroha West	3A	59	Black, Bertha, B.A.	H	B	49	220	
			Watson, Margaret J.	A	D	100	130	
Te Atatu	2	24	Shepherd, Frank M.	S	Lic.	..	152	
Te Awamutu	4C	230	MacLaurin, Kenneth C.	H	B	31	280	
			Teasdale, William O.	A	C	63	220	
			Dawson, Marion G. F. (Mrs.)	A	D	67	190	
			Campbell, Norma	A	C	97	130	
			Bluck, Ethel M. (Mrs.)	A	E	93	120	
			Wilson, Queenie E.	Pt4	..	..	55	

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Te Hihi .. .. .	1	9	Hunter, Constance C. B. ..	S	..	..	£ 117
Te Hoe .. .. .	2	25	Masters, Alice M. (Mrs.) ..	S	D	75	175
Te Huruhi (half-time). See under Ostend							
Te Kopuru .. .. .	4B	163	Bullen, Frederick R. S. ..	H	C	44	260
			McMillan, Norman M. ..	A	D	79	200
			Terry, Annie S. ..	A	C	74	170
			Widdup, Florence G. ..	A	C	95	130
			McLeod, Ada ..	Pt4	..	..	55
Te Kowhai .. .. .	3B	87	Gillespie, William R. ..	H	C	52	240
			Blackett, Florence M. ..	A	C	75	140
			Russell, Hilda ..	A	..	..	110
Te Kuiti District High School—Primary (424), secondary (34)	6A	458	Power, Edward A. ..	H	D	37	370
			Grey, Alan Stuart ..	A	D	..	260
			Bell, Muriel F. ..	A	C	66	210
			Barry, Catherine E. ..	A	E	57	200
			Goodyear, Catherine A. ..	A	D	81	150
			Carr, Madge S. ..	A	..	..	110
			Daldy, Sarah M. ..	A	..	..	110
			McClure, Emma V. J. ..	A	C	..	110
			Civil, Elizabeth G. ..	Pt2	..	..	60
			Morris, Marjorie F. ..	Pt1	..	..	55
			Woulfe, Doris ..	Pr2	..	..	60
			Wilton, Elizabeth I., B.A. ..	D	B	..	..
			Hames, Clarice E. ..	D	..	..	..
Te Mapara .. .. .	2	32	Claw, Donald R. ..	S	..	..	135
Te Mata .. .. .	3A	49	Leech, Joshua S. ..	H	C	69	230
			McKenzie, Sarah M. ..	A	..	..	126
Te Matai .. .. .	1	21	Billing, Vida C. ..	S	C	91	150
Te Mawhai .. .. .	2	48	Wilson, Hilda K. (Mrs.) ..	H	E	69	160
			Daldy, Phoebe E. ..	A	..	..	126
Te Pahi Nos. 1 (18) and 2 (25) ..	3A	43	Cupit, John S. ..	S	..	..	243
Te Pahu .. .. .	3A	28	O'Donoghue, Marguerita A. ..	S	D	89	200
Te Papapa .. .. .	5B	333	Heward, Humphrey ..	H	D	44	320
			Stanton, John A. ..	A	C	71	250
			Hawkins, Margaret A. (Mrs.) ..	A	D	60	175
			Foster, Olive C. ..	A	D	85	150
			Ferguson, Evelyn M. C. ..	A	D	80	140
			McElwain, Myrtle ..	A	C	78	140
			Preston, Edgar G. ..	Pt3	..	..	65
			Newland, Mary K. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
Te Pu. . . . .	1	19	Cussen, Mary ..	S	..	..	110
Te Pua .. .. .	3A	37	Hewitt, Florence N. ..	H	E	57	220
			Frood, Nida ..	A	..	..	126
Te Puke .. .. .	4A	136	Bishoprick, Charles ..	H	C	45	260
			Allcock, Ellen ..	A	..	..	135
			Hill, Laura B. C. ..	A	..	..	117
			Mather, Marjorie ..	Pt1	..	..	55
Te Puke No. 2 .. .. .	2	33	Maxwell, Stella E. ..	S	C	94	140
Te Puna .. .. .	2	17	Collis, William F. ..	S	C	69	190
Te Rahu .. .. .	2	28	Hamilton, Josephine ..	S	E	68	170
Te Ranga .. .. .	2	20	Furse, Peter ..	S	..	..	126
Te Rapa .. .. .	3A	38	Fielder, Elizabeth M. ..	H	E	67	220
			White, Miriam S. E. ..	A	D	100	130
Te Rauamoia .. .. .	1	16	Honoré, Rudolph C. ..	S	D	88	150
Te Rau Mauku .. .. .	1	14	Goldthorpe, Hilda (Mrs.) ..	S	Lic.	..	123½
Te Rerenga (11) and Whangapoua (12)	2	23	Dunning, Alice M. C. ..	S	..	..	180
Te Rore (10) and Te Tahī (11) ..	1	21	Pound, Oscar ..	S	..	..	135
Te Uku .. .. .	2	21	Peart, Catherine L. ..	S	C	88	150
Te Whetu .. .. .	1	10	Jowsey, Frank ..	S	..	..	117
Thames Central .. .. .	6B	484	Newton, William H. ..	H	C	19	390
			Ferguson, Samuel H. ..	A	C	36	300
			Smith, Sylvia G. ..	A	E	49	215
			Boswell, Charles W. ..	A	C	58	240
			Wishart, Alice E. ..	A	C	69	180
			Newton, Elsie P. ..	A	C	76	170
			Maxted, Cecilia G. (Mrs.) ..	A	Lic.	..	162½
			McLeod, Mary M. ..	A	D	93	120
			Gavin, Mary I. ..	Pt4	..	..	65
			Fallon, Minnie J. ..	Pt4	..	..	65
			Renshaw, Violet ..	Pt3	..	..	65
			Davies, William E. B. ..	Pt2	..	..	60
			Johnston, Ida I. . .	Pr1	..	..	35
Thames North .. .. .	3A	66	Russell, David ..	H	C	49	250
			Heard, Vera R. . .	A	..	..	110

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Thames South .. .. .	5B	313	Wernham, William J. ..	H	B	13	£ 390
			Hammond, Thomas W. G. H. ..	A	D	36	300
			Ashman, Eva M. ..	A	E	48	210
			Needham, Irene C. (Mrs.) ..	A	C	75	220
			Daldy, Helen J. ..	A	..	..	126
			Taylor, Elizabeth M. ..	A	C	83	140
			Sykes, Doris E. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Jones, Eveleen M. ..	Pt2	..	..	60
			White, Thelma ..	Pr2	..	..	35
			Bateman, Emma ..	Pr1	..	..	35
Thornton .. .. .	1	15	Fyers, Christina (Mrs.) ..	S	D	90	140
Ti Point .. .. .	2	28	Campbell, Mary H. ..	S	..	..	126
Ti Rangi .. .. .	1	10	Shiress, Alice H. ..	S	..	..	110
Tirau .. .. .	3A	47	Tomlinson, Esther A. (Mrs.) ..	H	D	54	240
			Moore, Minnie ..	A	C	95	140
			Roberts, Gladys M. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
			Bishop, George ..	S	..	..	110
Tairoa .. .. .	1	13					
Tirohanga (half-time). See under Otara East.							
Titirangi .. .. .	1	17	Pope, Ray ..	S	..	..	110
Titoki (22) and Wharekohe (14) ..	3A	36	McElroy, John ..	S	E	71	270
Toa Toa .. .. .	0	8	Nicholson, Ruby E. ..	S	..	..	110
Tokanui (half - time). See under Ngahape.							
Tokatoka .. .. .	2	37	Hirtzel, Clace E. (Mrs.) ..	S	E	..	140
			Puxley, Pearl L. ..	A	..	..	110
Tokoroa .. .. .	1	17	Scally, Thomas R. ..	S	..	..	110
Tomarata .. .. .	2	22	White, Susan ..	A	D	..	140
Totara .. .. .	3A	41	Gordon, Forbes B. ..	H	C	68	250
			Mitchell, Alexandrina B. ..	A	..	..	126
Tryphena (half-time). See under Okupu.							
Tuakau .. .. .	3A	82	Graham, William G. ..	H	C	46	240
			Frost, Florence H. ..	A	C	87	140
Tuhikaramea .. .. .	2	21	Bruford, Frederick C. ..	S	..	..	110
Turanga-o-moana .. .. .	2	29	Kane, Jane ..	S	D	91	180
Turua .. .. .	3A	81	Brownlee, James L. ..	H	D	68	240
			Brownlee, Mary F. (Mrs.) ..	A	E	96	130
Tutamoe (half-time). See under Mangatu.							
Tutekehua .. .. .	2	12	Hollinger, Winifred L. M. (Mrs.) ..	S	..	..	110
Tutukaka (half-time). See under Matapouri.							
Upper Oruaiti (half - time). See under Oruaiti.							
Upper Waihou (half - time). See under Rangiahua.							
Upper Waiwera .. .. .	2	27	Ford, Barbara ..	S	D	62	190
Utakura Valley (half - time). See under Okaihau No. 2.							
Victoria Valley .. .. .	3A	58	Hutchinson, Walter H. ..	H	..	..	180
			Walker, Mary E. ..	A	..	..	110
Waharoa .. .. .	3A	51	Wade, Catherine (Mrs.) ..	H	D	60	210
			Clark, Amy I. (Mrs.) ..	A	..	..	137
Waiau .. .. .	1	16	Maloney, Hilda A. ..	S	D	78	150
Waiharara .. .. .	3A	44	Schutt, Annie ..	H	..	..	189
			McLennan, Florence E. ..	A	..	..	110
			Ansley, Arthur F. T. ..	S	D	74	280
Waiheke Central (20) and Man-o'-War Bay (11)	3A	31					
Waihi District High School—Primary (361), secondary (62)	6B	423	Wilson, Charles (ii) ..	H	C	16	390
			Green, Bertram M. ..	A	C	39	300
			Roberts, Laura A. ..	A	E	52	210
			Wylie, Ada E. ..	A	C	65	200
			Hume, Jeane H. ..	A	E	63	180
			Haslett, Esther B. (Mrs.) ..	A	Lic.	..	181½
			De Renzy, Janet L. ..	A	..	..	110
			Roberts, Beatrice M. ..	Pt3	..	..	65
			Corbett, Sarah E. ..	Pt1	..	..	35
			Collecutt, Beatrice A. ..	Pt1	..	..	35
			McDonnell, Ellen E. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
			Sibley, Henry C. ..	Pr1	..	..	35
			Kennedy, Eileen M. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
			McRae, James D. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
			Ellicott, Kenneth W. B. ..	D.	..	..	..
			Holmden, Dorothy, M.A. ..	D.	A	69	..

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Waihi East .. .. .	5A	243	Dean, James .. .. .	H	C	29	£ 340
			Pendergrast, Harold E. .. .	A	C	63	230
			Murphy, Emma S. (Mrs.) .. .	A	Lic.	..	181½
			Clark, Ethel M. .. .	A	..	..	153
			Webb, Ruth W. .. .	A	C	94	120
			Noble, Kathleen .. .	Pt3	..	..	55
			Sleep, Lilian R. .. .	Pt2	..	..	45
			Truscott, Reginald J. .. .	Pr1	..	..	30
Waihi Plains .. .. .	2	32	Lynch, Peter J. .. .	S	..	..	135
Waihi South .. .. .	5A	254	Gibson, Henry T. (ii) .. .	H	C	25	340
			Morgan, Alexander H. .. .	A	D	..	200
			Daldy, Rhoda C. .. .	A	D	78	150
			De Renzy, Elizabeth .. .	A	D	79	150
			Sullivan, Winifred C. .. .	A	..	..	126
			Morrison, Margaret A. .. .	Pt3	..	..	65
			Dixon, Agnes M. .. .	Pt2	..	..	60
			Carnachan, Myrtle E. .. .	Pr1	..	..	35
			Gardiner, Ruby .. .	Pr1	..	..	55
Waihongi .. .. .	1	10	Marsh, Daisy V. .. .	S	..	..	80
Waihopo .. .. .	3A	53	Thompson, Frederick C. .. .	H	..	..	180
			Herbert, Laura A. F.† .. .	A	..	..	110
Waihou .. .. .	3B	99	Hamilton, Gordon K. .. .	H	C	49	240
			Roberts, Hazel N. .. .	A	D	90	140
			Rogers, Amy C. .. .	A	..	..	110
			Hight, Linda F. .. .	Pr1	..	..	60
Waikiekie East (20) and Waikiekie West (30)	3A	50	Walker, Theodore H. A. .. .	S	C	52	280
Waikino .. .. .	4B	173	Reid, Robert T. .. .	H	C	41	270
			McKenzie, Clifton H. .. .	A	D	82	180
			Macken, Ella .. .	A	C	82	150
			Pirrit, Dorothy .. .	A	D	103	120
			Capper, Dulcie L. .. .	Pt2	..	..	60
Waikokowai .. .. .	2	16	Keane, Percy T. .. .	S	..	..	110
Waikoukou .. .. .	1	10	Stewart, Georgina F. .. .	S	..	..	117
Waikumete .. .. .	3B	106	Hosking, George F. C. .. .	H	C	41	240
			Lee, Evelyn K. .. .	A	D	98	120
			Nairn, Euphemia E. .. .	A	..	..	110
Waima .. .. .	1	9	Williams, Virginia S. (Mrs.) .. .	S	..	..	110
Waimai (8) and Waingaro (9)	1	17	Clark, George B. .. .	S	..	..	126
Waimamaku Valley .. .	2	38	Dunn, Sarah (Mrs.) .. .	S	..	..	153
Waimana .. .. .	3A	45	Willis, Francis T. .. .	H	D	51	220
			Eldridge, Anna A. .. .	A	..	..	117
Waimana Sawmill .. .	1	16	Gledstanes, Helen L. .. .	S	..	..	110
Waimate .. .. .	3A	56	May, William J. .. .	H	D	60	235
			Wallace, Edith G. .. .	A	D	101	120
Waimate Island .. .	0	7	McNeil, Catherine M. .. .	S	..	..	56
Waingakau .. .. .	1	8	Leith, Frederick E. .. .	S	..	..	117
Waingarara .. .. .	0	8	McCowan, Marguerite (Mrs.) .. .	S	..	..	56
Waingaro (half-time). See under Waimai.							
Wainui (half - time). See under Lochnorrie.							
Waiomio .. .. .	1	25	Colhoun, James A. .. .	S	D	..	120
Waiomou .. .. .	2	32	Battersby, Florence A. .. .	S	D	78	150
Waiorongomai .. .. .	2	21	Davies, Florence A. .. .	S	C	94	140
Waiotahi Valley .. .. .	2	29	Gaukrodger, Florence M. (Mrs.) .. .	S	C	81	190
Waiotehue .. .. .	1	9	Mason, Agnes .. .	S	..	..	110
Waiotemarama (17) and Weka-weka (21)	3A	38	Hill, Horace R. .. .	S	..	..	234
Waipapa .. .. .	1	11	Sherman, Magdalene E. .. .	S	..	..	117
Waipari (20) and Wharepuhunga (16)	2	36	Worthington, Herbert .. .	S	..	..	189
Waipipi .. .. .	3A	63	Harris, Samuel .. .	H	D	68	220
			Kelland, Louisa M. .. .	A	..	..	110
Waipu Cave .. .. .	1	12	Barton, Hilda T. .. .	S	..	..	110
Waipu Central .. .. .	3A	54	Mackay, Edward H. .. .	H	C	78	210
			Underwood, Emily M. .. .	A	..	..	110
			Strawbridge, George H. .. .	Pr2	..	..	60
Waipu Cove (half-time). See under Bream Tail.							
Waipu North .. .. .	2	27	Stewart, Albert .. .	S	..	..	135
Waipu Upper .. .. .	3A	36	McKay, Donald A. .. .	S	E	67	210
Waipuna .. .. .	3A	48	Telfer, Violet M. .. .	H	C	79	200
			Millar, Marion E. .. .	A	..	..	117
Wairanga .. .. .	2	29	Ridling, Ellen C. .. .	S	..	..	126
Wairangi Farm .. .. .	2	31	Stevenson, Jane E. B. .. .	S	..	..	144
Wairere .. .. .	2	19	Forrester, Mabel I. .. .	S	C	94	140

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Wairiri Falls (half-time). See under Paemako.							£
Wairoa South .. .. .	2	23	Allen, John B., M.A. .. ..	S	B	87	190
Waitakaruru .. .. .	1	21	Boles, Annettie V. M. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Waitangi .. .. .	2	25	Udy, Annie .. .. .	S	E	84	160
Waitanguru (half-time). See under Mairoa.							
Waitekauri .. .. .	2	21	Robinson, George .. .. .	S	..	..	171
Waitetuna .. .. .	2	18	Webster, Sydney J. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Waitoa .. .. .	3A	62	Maclean, Charles (i) .. ..	H	D	62	235
			Warren, Sarah A. .. ..	A	..	..	110
Waitomo Caves (half-time). See under Putake.							
Waituhi .. .. .	3A	38	Cope, Arthur B. H. .. ..	H	D	7	210
			Cope, Ida M. (Mrs.) .. ..	A	..	..	117
Waiuku .. .. .	4B	179	Harris, Richard J. .. ..	H	C	38	280
			Lake, Lulu A. .. ..	A	C	74	170
			McLean, Elizabeth M. R. ..	A	D	70	150
			Mitchell, Catherine .. ..	A	..	..	110
			Scott, Edith H. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	65
Waiwera .. .. .	1	10	Ridsdale, May .. ..	S	..	..	110
Waiwhiu .. .. .	1	12	Blair, Thomas M. R. .. ..	S	..	..	126
Walton .. .. .	3A	54	Insull, Herbert W. .. ..	H	D	67	250
			Grigg, Hilda M. .. ..	A	C	97	140
Wardville .. .. .	1	18	Lawry, Norah E. .. ..	S	C	77	140
Warkworth .. .. .	4B	163	Cox, William L. .. ..	H	B	30	280
			McCarroll, Sarah A. .. ..	A	..	..	144
			Goldsworthy, Elizabeth M. ..	A	D	62	180
			Barkley, Mabel .. ..	A	D	88	140
			Anderson, Beda A. .. ..	Pt	..	..	60
Wayby .. .. .	1	13	Torr, Ivy J. .. ..	S	D	84	140
Wekaweka (half-time). See under Waitemarama.							
Wellsford .. .. .	3A	44	Smith, Charles H. .. ..	S	C	89	200
			Shaw, Sarah G. .. ..	A	..	..	117
Weymouth .. .. .	1	20	Broadgate, Ruby E. .. ..	S	..	..	126
Whakamarama .. .. .	2	25	Ferguson, William (ii) .. ..	S	Lic.	..	152
Whakapara .. .. .	3A	45	Hawson, Oscar M. .. ..	H	..	..	180
			MacDonald, Elsie L. .. ..	A	..	..	126
Whakatane .. .. .	4B	209	Snell, Edgar F. .. ..	H	C	37	280
			Joyce, Amie E. .. ..	A	E	80	70
			Mills, Alice G. (Mrs.) .. ..	A	D	81	180
			Feist, Emma J. (Mrs.) .. ..	A	D	92	160
			Burnett, Archibald F. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	65
Whananaki .. .. .	3A	42	Stuart, Claude G. .. ..	H	D	70	260
			Cleary, Mary A. .. ..	A	..	..	110
Whangae .. .. .	1	12	Price, Ada .. ..	S	..	..	117
Whangaparaoa .. .. .	1	18	Cowan, Agnes W. .. ..	S	D	85	140
Whangaparapara .. .. .	1	12	Lamond, James A. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Whangapoua (half-time). See under Te Rerenga.							
Whangarata .. .. .	3A	30	Rapson, George W. .. ..	S	C	61	240
Whangarei .. .. .	6B	477	Macgregor, Alexander .. ..	H	C	11	390
			Harris, Norman R. .. ..	A	C	45	300
			Hardwicke, Eva V. .. ..	A	E	48	210
			Phillips, Irene M. C. .. ..	A	C	96	150
			Mitchell, Maggie .. ..	A	C	72	150
			McKinnon, Margaret J. W. ..	A	C	76	170
			Stirling, Linda M. .. ..	A	D	89	140
			Ormiston, Florence V. .. ..	A	C	8	120
			Macken, Ian B. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Simpson, Doris E. K. C. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	65
			Horn, Daisy M. D. .. ..	Pt2	..	..	45
			Edmonds, Albert S. .. ..	Pt1	..	..	55
			Bradney, Isabell M. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
			Simpson, Stella M. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
			Hiscook, Bertha M. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
Whangarei Heads .. .. .	3A	42	Hendry, George M. .. ..	H	D	65	220
			Jagger, Kathleen E. .. ..	A	..	..	126
Whangaripo .. .. .	1	8	Stow, Amy E. (Mrs.) .. ..	S	..	..	110
Whangaroa North .. .. .	1	31	Dillon, Edward L. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Wharehine .. .. .	1	18	Hooper, Lucy J. E. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Wharekohe (half-time). See under Titoki.							
Whareora (half-time). See under Brynavoron.							

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Wharepoa .. .. .	3A	73	Boswell, James .. ..	H	C	52	£ 230
Wharepuhunga (half-time). See under Waipari.			Cowley, Olive M. .. ..	A	D	99	120
Whatawhata .. .. .	3A	65	Sutton, James .. .. .	H	C	44	235
Whatipu (half-time). See under Piha.			Dixon, Elsie A. .. ..	A	D	96	130
Whawharua .. .. .	0	22	Smith, Elizabet A. E. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Whenuakite (half-time). See under Guntown.							
Whitford No. 1 .. .. .	3A	41	Braithwaite, Frederick C. .. ..	H	C	61	220
			Berryman, Adeline L. .. ..	A	D	102	140
Whitford No. 2 .. .. .	1	18	Currie, Zena M. .. ..	..	..	..	117
Woodhill .. .. .	3A	58	Catran, James G. .. ..	H	D	47	240
			Trounson, Ida M. .. ..	A	C	100	130
Young's Point .. .. .	1	13	Taaffe, Rita E. .. ..	S	..	..	126
Total .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	232416½

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Ackland	..	..	1	18	Linn, Charlotte E. (Mrs.)..	S	..	126
Ahiti	..	..	1	15	Fenton, Marjorie M.	S	..	110
Albert	..	..	1	12	Corney, Clarice M.	S	..	110
Ararata	..	..	1	23	Liggins, William	S	..	110
Astwood	..	..	0	5	Stockwell, Mary C. (Mrs.)	S	..	40
Auroa	..	..	3A	86	Larcombe, Albert F.	H	C	71
					Nisbet, Cora M.	A	..	126
Awakino	..	..	1	17	Drader, Helena E.	S	..	234
Awatuna	..	..	3A	30	Cowles, Sarah Alice	S	D	66
Bell Block	..	..	3A	70	Meston, Jane M.	H	C	45
					Kirton, Muriel	A	D	101
					Earp, Ivy	Pr1	..	60
Boxley	..	..	0	3	Calvert, Margaret C. (Mrs.)	S	..	32
Bird	..	..	3A	41	Berry, Amy M.	H	D	53
					Giddy, Alice M.	A	..	126
Cardiff	..	..	3A	44	Bichenno, William C.	H	D	80
					Belcher, Ethel I.	A	..	126
Carrington	..	..	3A	34	Turner, Edgar	S	Lic.	..
Central (560) and Vogelstown side school (42)			7C	602	McIlroy, Robert L., B.A.	H	B	49
					Bullians, Andrew	A	D	48
					Martin, Gertrude E. (Mrs.)	A	E	50
					Day, Norman D.	A	C	66
					Dempsey, Hectorine E.	A	D	66
					Henderson, Beattie M.	A	D	61
					Jemison, Jane W.	A	D	86
					Firth, Frances A. (Mrs.)	A	E	96
					Anthony, Agnes K.	A	D	103
					O'Rorke, Mary E.	A	D	88
					Wilkes, Amy M. (Mrs.)	A	..	130
					Warren, Alix	Pt4	..	55
					George, Alice M.	Pt4	..	55
					Campbell, Kathleen M.	Pt3	..	55
					White, Edna R.	Pr1	..	35
					Campbell, Eileen M.	Pr1	..	35
Denbigh	..	..	2	16	Cowan, Jessie (Mrs.) (ii)	S	..	148½
Douglas	..	..	3A	52	Westrup, Agnes C. I.	H	C	76
					Cameron, Ida	A	D	91
Dudley	..	..	1	14	Peach, Ada W.	S	..	110
Durham	..	..	3A	28	Smith, Kate E.	S	E	52
Egmont Village	..	..	3A	52	Auld, James A.	H	C	57
					Jones, Ivy	A	..	121½

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Eltham District High School— Primary (292), secondary (8)	5B	300	Thomas, Taliesin .. ..	H	C	30	£ 360
			Jarratt, Herbert .. ..	A	C	71	250
			Jenkinson, Margaret B. ..	A	E	66	210
			McCormick, Susan J. .. ..	A	D	105	140
			Kelleher, Annie E. .. ..	A	..	..	110
			Parrott, Laura M. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Reid, Christina .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Cumberworth, Nancy N. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
			Baker, Dorothy D. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
			Granville, Ursula M. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
			Wilson, Margaret K. .. ..	D	Lic.	..	..
Finnerty .. ..	2	33	Rowntree, Ethel .. ..	S	D	80	150
Fitzroy .. ..	4A	175	Johnson, Oscar .. ..	H	D	45	290
			Andrews, Elsie E. .. ..	A	D	74	170
			Tolme, Mary F. .. ..	A	D	96	140
			Lawn, Doris A. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	65
			Leech, Ethel F. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
Frankley (99) and Weston side school (38)	4A	137	Winfield, Thomas B. .. ..	H	C	60	260
			Hare, Minnie K. .. ..	A	C	94	150
			Moore, Norah D. .. ..	A	..	..	110
			Denvers, Kathleen .. ..	A	D	..	120
			Eason, Rosa .. ..	A	..	..	110
Fraser Road .. ..	2	30	Poole, May H. (Mrs.) ..	S	..	..	126
Hawera District High School and side school—Hawera primary (636), Hawera secondary (30), side school (47)	7D	713	Strack, Conrad A. .. ..	H	D	26	430
			Nairn, John R. .. ..	A	D	59	330
			Lanyon, Harriet B. .. ..	A	D	50	250
			Henderson, Douglas D. ..	A	C	80	270
			Slattery, Julia C. .. ..	A	E	54	200
			Barkley, Ethel I. M. M. ..	A	E	72	200
			Bourke, Mary .. ..	A	D	75	160
			Ellis, Maud (Mrs.) .. ..	A	Lic.	..	153
			Anderson, Barbara (Mrs.)	A	D	94	140
			Strack, Uriti M. .. ..	A	D	93	120
			Sartori, Ellen .. ..	A	..	..	110
			Mander, Clara A. .. ..	A	C	..	110
			Eggers, Charlotte I. (Mrs.)	A	..	..	130
			Foy, Edna Q. .. ..	A	..	..	110
			Sheat, William A. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Surgenor, Ruby .. ..	Pt1	..	..	55
			Robertson, Katherine G. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
			Scott, Amy S. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
			Hosking, Jane (Mrs.) .. ..	D	C	91	..
Hapurua (11) and Waitewhena (5)	1	16	Barnett, Annie M. .. ..	S	..	..	126
Hillsborough .. ..	3A	43	McCarthy, Catherine M. ..	H	D	55	240
			Brown, Alice .. ..	A	..	..	126
Huiakama .. ..	3A	46	Lamplough, Marrion (Mrs.)	H	Lic.	..	199½
			Simpson, Thelma .. ..	A	..	..	110
Huirangi .. ..	3A	36	Mead, Beatrix .. ..	H	C	60	220
			Branley, Etta .. ..	A	..	..	126
Huiroa .. ..	3A	52	Bocock, James H. .. ..	H	E	60	240
			Moir, May .. ..	A	..	..	126
			Evans, Veda M. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
Hurford .. ..	2	30	Tobin, Kathleen .. ..	S	D	77	160
Hurimoana .. ..	2	29	Jones, Albert H. .. ..	S	..	..	135
Ihaia .. ..	1	12	Huse, Albert A. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Inglewood .. ..	5A	267	Evans, Dafydd P. .. ..	S	C	22	330
			Wagstaff, Wilfred L. .. ..	A	C	68	240
			Riordan, Margaret A. .. ..	A	D	66	170
			Foster, Ivy A. .. ..	A	D	80	180
			Tarry, Mabel E. H. .. ..	A	C	94	140
			Allen, Catherine .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Bayly, Madge .. ..	Pt3	..	..	65
Kahui .. ..	1	9	Jones, Millicent .. ..	S	..	..	110
Kaimata .. ..	3A	67	Cameron, Sarah (Mrs.) ..	H	E	53	210
			Parli, Elsie N. .. ..	A	..	..	117
			Parli, Maggie .. ..	Pr1	..	..	55
Kaimiro .. ..	3A	37	Whittaker, Mabel (Mrs.) ..	H	C	71	220
			Gibson, Elsie E. (Mrs.) ..	A	D	85	160
Kaponga .. ..	4A	130	Lyall, George A. .. ..	H	D	38	280
			Lock, Gertrude J. .. ..	A	E	82	170
			Leo, Dora K. .. ..	A	..	..	126
			Farquhar, Elizabeth F. ..	Pt2	..	..	60

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	
Kapuni .. .. .	3A	72	Honoré, Abraham T. .. .. .	H	C	67	£ 220	
Kent .. .. .	1	16	Henderson, Doris .. .. .	A	..	..	126	
Kina .. .. .	1	17	McCarthy, Annie .. .. .	S	..	..	110	
Kiore .. .. .	1	11	McKenzie, Catherine (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	..	..	110	
Kohurutahi .. .. .	1	9	Hill, Rita B. .. .. .	S	..	..	110	
Korito .. .. .	2	25	McCartie, Frances (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	..	..	126	
Koru .. .. .	2	22	Brown, Doris .. .. .	S	..	..	126	
Lepperton .. .. .	3A	52	Barber, James H. .. .. .	S	..	..	126	
Lincoln Road .. .. .	2	36	Brown, William A. .. .. .	H	C	47	240	
Mahirakau .. .. .	2	17	Mouat, Grace B. .. .. .	A	..	..	117	
Mahoe .. .. .	3A	54	McIntyre, Mary (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	D	71	165	
Mahoenui .. .. .	2	21	Hamerton, Annis E. .. .. .	S	E	94	140	
Makahu .. .. .	2	17	Cumberworth, Frederick J. .. .. .	H	D	59	240	
Makaka .. .. .	1	16	Greville, Lilian .. .. .	A	..	..	126	
Manaia .. .. .	4A	157	Ransbottom, Harry V. .. .. .	S	..	..	135	
			McHardie, Laurie A. .. .. .	S	..	..	144	
			Williams, Edith M. .. .. .	S	..	..	117	
			Hewlett, Henry C., B.A. .. .. .	H	A	36	280	
			McEwen, Alethea H. A. .. .. .	A	E	90	170	
			Hilles, Agneta M. .. .. .	A	..	..	126	
			Coyne, Mary .. .. .	Pt2	..	..	60	
Mangahume .. .. .	2	24	Rowland, Cicily M. .. .. .	S	..	..	126	
Mangamingi .. .. .	2	21	Woodley, Ernest G. .. .. .	S	..	..	135	
Mangaotaki .. .. .	1	16	Symonds, Mary L. (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	E	83	140	
Mangatoki .. .. .	3B	87	Curteis, William A. .. .. .	H	C	62	250	
			McGregor, Charlotte .. .. .	A	..	..	117	
			Mead, Dorothy M. .. .. .	A	..	..	110	
Mangorei, Lower .. .. .	1	12	Mills, Allan .. .. .	S	..	..	110	
Mangorei, Upper .. .. .	1	18	White, Lily K. .. .. .	S	..	..	110	
Marakopa .. .. .	1	12	White, Marie H. .. .. .	S	..	..	110	
Marco .. .. .	3A	38	Gleeson, Alice R. .. .. .	H	D	68	200	
			Hodder, Mary E. .. .. .	A	..	..	126	
Mata .. .. .	2	16	Aston, Aubrey E. .. .. .	S	C	94	150	
Matapu .. .. .	3A	49	Laird, Emma P. .. .. .	H	E	67	220	
			Simmons, Olive L. .. .. .	A	D	93	140	
Matau .. .. .	1	14	Ammon, Samuel A. .. .. .	S	..	..	110	
Matiero .. .. .	3A	54	Bichenor, Leonard .. .. .	H	E	64	210	
			Tiplady, Effie .. .. .	A	..	..	117	
Meromero .. .. .	2	26	Palmer, Arthur F. .. .. .	S	D	88	190	
Midhirst .. .. .	3B	101	Mail, James W. .. .. .	H	C	54	280	
			Finnerty, Lilla .. .. .	A	D	93	170	
			Hall, Helen M. .. .. .	A	D	105	140	
			Mountford, Ida .. .. .	Sub.	..	..	[110]	
			Hall, John C. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	35	
Mimi .. .. .	2	23	Nolan, Josephine .. .. .	S	..	..	135	
Mokau .. .. .	1	21	Woodruffe, Laura .. .. .	S	..	..	126	
			Barnes, Alice M. .. .. .	Sub.	..	..	[126]	
Mokau River .. .. .	0	4	Randell, Ida .. .. .	S	..	..	32	
Mokoia .. .. .	3A	50	Jones, John W. T. .. .. .	H	D	66	220	
			Robinson, Doris E. .. .. .	A	..	..	110	
Mount Messenger .. .. .	1	16	Murray, Annie .. .. .	S	..	..	110	
Muskers .. .. .	1	14	Murray, Philomena M. .. .. .	S	..	..	110	
Newall .. .. .	2	30	Cassie, Jane .. .. .	S	..	..	153	
Ngacero .. .. .	3B	95	Sims, Arthur V. . . . .	H	C	46	250	
			Mills, Sarah A. .. .. .	A	E	81	140	
			Taylor, Ida .. .. .	A	D	104	120	
			Rogers, Maurice N. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	35	
Nihoniho .. .. .	2	19	Olsen, Incawa O. .. .. .	S	..	..	126	
Norfolk .. .. .	3A	48	Thomas, Richard E. .. .. .	H	C	43	240	
			Simpson, Dorothy E. .. .. .	A	..	..	126	
			Leech, Eileen D. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	60	
Normanby .. .. .	4A	107	Mitchell, George W. .. .. .	H	C	46	285	
			Peach, Elizabeth (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	D	80	190	
			Burgess, Emily M. .. .. .	A	C	89	140	
Oakura .. .. .	2	26	Pearson, Adeline (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	..	..	135	
Oaonui .. .. .	3A	69	Evetts, Eli C. .. .. .	H	D	49	220	
			Fleming, Margaret C. .. .. .	A	..	..	126	
Oeo .. .. .	2	28	Barkla, Beatrice M. .. .. .	S	..	..	126	
Ohangai .. .. .	3A	61	Sangster, Mary (Mrs.) .. .. .	H	E	70	210	
			Murphy, Elizabeth M. .. .. .	A	..	..	117	
Ohura .. .. .	3A	49	Askew, Laura L. (Mrs.) .. .. .	H	D	76	210	
			Willis, Violet O. .. .. .	A	..	..	117	
Okahukura .. .. .	2	38	Woods, Eileen I. .. .. .	S	..	..	135	

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Okaiawa .. .. .	3B	94	Innes, Thomas .. .. .	H	C	54	£ 250
			Surman, Ethel .. .. .	A	..	..	126
			Morse, D'Arcy E. S. .. .. .	A	..	..	110
Okato .. .. .	3A	79	Larsen, Christian R. .. .. .	H	C	66	235
			McGregor, Eva .. .. .	A	D	85	140
Okau .. .. .	2	25	Chapman, Ada V. .. .. .	S	D	..	135
Okoke .. .. .	1	11	Forster, Doris .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Omata .. .. .	3A	68	Meyenberg, Arthur M. .. .. .	H	C	60	240
			Wells, Alice .. .. .	A	..	..	126
			Warren, Ellen .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	35
Ongaruo .. .. .	3A	37	Langdon, Arthur .. .. .	H	C	55	235
			Blake, Margaret .. .. .	A	..	..	117
Opunake .. .. .	3B	90	Hickey, Stella .. .. .	H	C	55	210
			Fleming, Elizabeth .. .. .	A	..	..	117
			Lewis, Ellinor M. .. .. .	A	..	..	110
Otakeho .. .. .	3B	112	Baillie, James .. .. .	H	E	57	220
			Keppel, Mary .. .. .	A	..	..	110
			Thomson, Marie .. .. .	A	..	..	110
Otangiwai .. .. .	3A	38	Read, Annie E. (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	D	58	210
Otunui .. .. .	1	13	Bayly, Clarice .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Paraketu Valley .. .. .	1	11	Cole, Charlotte B. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Pehu .. .. .	0	4	Larsen, Clara S. (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	..	..	40
Pembroke .. .. .	2	27	Boyle, Thomas .. .. .	S	D	79	190
Pihama .. .. .	3A	49	Mason, Frederick W. .. .. .	H	E	63	240
			Stitt, Annie B. .. .. .	A	C	93	140
			Taylor, Kate L. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Piko .. .. .	1	14	Smith, Maurice J. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Pitone .. .. .	2	25	Blair, Margaret .. .. .	S	..	..	126
Pohokura .. .. .	1	15	Cartwright, Mary G. (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	D	101	150
Pukearuru .. .. .	2	26	King, Kathleen L. .. .. .	S	..	..	126
Pukeho .. .. .	2	40	Coleman, Grace L. .. .. .	S	D	94	150
Pukengahu .. .. .	3A	38	McKay, Annie I. .. .. .	H	E	71	200
Pungarehu .. .. .	2	30	Rawlinson, Gwendoline .. .. .	A	D	105	140
			Evans, Mabel A. (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	..	..	126
Puniho .. .. .	2	21	Moir, Elsie .. .. .	S	..	..	126
Puniwhakau .. .. .	1	13	Blewman, Mary .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Purangi .. .. .	2	17	Breen, Mary H. .. .. .	S	..	..	144
Radnor .. .. .	3A	69	Harrison, Jessie I. (Mrs.) .. .. .	H	D	55	230
Rahotu .. .. .	3A	41	Mason, Dorothy C. .. .. .	A	..	..	110
			Wilson, Oney E. (Mrs.) .. .. .	H	D	47	230
			Franklyn, Violet M. .. .. .	A	..	..	126
Raupuha .. .. .	3A	37	Jensen, Violet (Mrs.) .. .. .	H	D	66	220
			Nutting, Helen B. .. .. .	A	..	..	110
Rawhitiroa .. .. .	2	39	McNeill, Rose W. (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	D	91	160
Rerekapa .. .. .	0	3	Hutchins, Mary E. (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	..	..	24
Riverlea .. .. .	3A	47	Ewart, Edmond Oscar .. .. .	H	D	73	220
			Cameron, Emma J. .. .. .	A	..	..	126
Rotokare .. .. .	2	25	McKinnon, Empress .. .. .	S	..	..	126
Rowan .. .. .	2	29	James, Margaret E. .. .. .	S	..	..	126
Stanley .. .. .	3A	58	Lilley, Helen .. .. .	H	E	56	240
			Guppy, Annie E. .. .. .	A	..	..	126
			Gibson, Laura J. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	60
Stratford District High School— Primary (535), secondary (138)	7D	673	Tyrer, Florence A. R. .. .. .	H	D	12	430
			Thomas, Joseph W. .. .. .	A	C	42	330
			Dyson, Stanley W. .. .. .	A	..	..	249½
			Hogg, Susan .. .. .	A	E	47	250
			Papps, Mary M. .. .. .	A	C	46	210
			Pearce, Elsie M. .. .. .	A	C	56	210
			Lineham, John T. .. .. .	A	C	..	160
			Clemow, Annie L. .. .. .	A	C	89	140
			Chamberlain, Doris A. .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	55
			Sanderson, Muriel O. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55
			Scott, Lily S. .. .. .	Pt2	..	..	60
			Fitzgerald, Anastasia G. .. .. .	Pt1	..	..	35
			Ford, Celia M. .. .. .	Pt1	..	..	55
			McLean, Janet F. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	55
			Mundy, Richard S. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	55
			Bowler, Frederick, B.A. .. .. .	D	Lic.	..	..
			Sage, Constance M., M.A. .. .. .	D	A	..	..
			Colquhoun, Mary H. .. .. .	D	B	78	..
			Lovell-Smith, Constance I. B.A. .. .. .	D	B	75	..
			Terry, Mary C. .. .. .	D	..	..	..
Tahora .. .. .	3A	33	Winthrop, Alice E. (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	D	67	200
Tarata .. .. .	3A	37	Eggleton, Francis J. .. .. .	H	..	..	189
			Press, Alice E. .. .. .	A	..	..	110

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Tariki .. ..	3A	62	Eason, Harry Albert .. ..	H	D	55	£ 250
			Thompson, Geraldine .. ..	A	..	..	126
			Stephenson, Charles H. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
Tarurutangi .. ..	2	30	Craig, Isabella .. ..	S	..	..	126
Tataraimaka .. ..	3A	45	Moss, Elizabeth M. (Mrs.) .. ..	H	E	67	220
			Gibson, Hilda .. ..	A	..	..	126
Tatu .. ..	1	13	Blandford, Phoebe .. ..	S	..	..	110
Te Kiri .. ..	3A	44	Edwards, Isabel .. ..	H	D	59	220
			Death, Maida .. ..	A	..	..	110
Te Roti .. ..	3A	37	Hansen, Mary .. ..	H	D	76	210
			Tate, Minnie .. ..	A	..	..	117
Te Wakarae .. ..	1	14	Barnett, C. L. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Tikorangi .. ..	3A	58	West, Isaac M. .. ..	H	C	57	240
			Williams, Gladys E. .. ..	A	..	..	110
Tokaora .. ..	2	32	Francis, George T. .. ..	S	D	89	150
Tokirima Road .. ..	2	25	Appleby, Eric J. .. ..	S	..	..	135
Toko .. ..	3B	103	Allan, Orlanno L. .. ..	H	C	53	250
			Allen, Belle .. ..	A	..	..	117
			Spence, Lilian M. .. ..	A	..	..	110
			Thompson, Margaret A. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	60
Tongaporutu .. ..	1	14	Reeve, Marjory .. ..	S	..	..	110
Tongarakau .. ..	0	2	Moss, F. M. .. ..	S	..	..	16
Tuna .. ..	3A	29	Matheson, Peter .. ..	S	D	66	220
Turoto Road (7) and Turoto Road South (5)	1	12	Christensen, Sidney G. .. ..	S	..	..	126
Tututawa .. ..	2	21	White, Newport S. .. ..	S	..	..	126
Urenui .. ..	3A	69	Pope, George H. .. ..	H	D	67	250
			Dempster, Mary J. .. ..	A	..	..	117
Uruti .. ..	2	25	Clark, Elsie M. .. ..	S	D	73	190
Vogeltown (side school). See under Central.							
Waiau .. ..	1	18	Steele, Cora E. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Waihi .. ..	3A	67	Mills, Stanley M. .. ..	H	C	57	225
			Gilliver, Dorothy .. ..	A	..	..	117
Waiongonga .. ..	1	21	Worm, Louise F. .. ..	S	..	..	135
Waiongona .. ..	2	23	Arthur, Edith A. .. ..	S	C	76	140
Waitaanga .. ..	1	12	Whitton, J. E. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Waitara .. ..	5B	292	Wyllie, Samuel .. ..	H	C	21	340
			Butler, Fenton .. ..	A	D	81	250
			Prentice, Marion F. .. ..	A	D	100	150
			Evans, Edna A. .. ..	A	C	90	150
			Doile, Gladys H. .. ..	A	D	88	140
			Harrison, Mary E. .. ..	A	..	..	110
			Graham, Janet T. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	65
			Chapman, Winifred Bertha .. ..	Pt3	..	..	65
			Knight, Marion .. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
Waitewhena (half-time). See under Hapurua.							
Waitui .. ..	2	28	Bunyan, Isabel .. ..	S	..	..	162
Warea .. ..	3A	40	Barak, Mary C. (Mrs.) .. ..	H	C	53	235
			Tobin, Margaret M. .. ..	A	..	..	126
West End .. ..	6A	453	Dowling, Mary (Mrs.) .. ..	H	C	8	390
			Bary, Edward .. ..	A	C	50	300
			Mynot*, Laura E. .. ..	A	E	48	210
			Howarth, Oswald J. .. ..	A	C	61	240
			O'Brien, Florence .. ..	A	D	68	170
			Bullard, Margaret S. .. ..	A	D	108	140
			Anthony, Ida M. .. ..	A	D	99	140
			Hirst, Irene M. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Mouat, Marjorie A. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			O'Brien, Ida .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Jemison, Katherine E. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	65
			Miles, Ida M. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
			Hodder, Ivy G. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	60
Westtown (side school). See under Frankley.							
Whakamara .. ..	2	2	Anthony, Annie (Mrs.) .. ..	S	..	..	144
Whangamomona .. ..	3A	44	Taylor, Thomas .. ..	H	Lie.	..	199½
			Palmer, Bertha M. .. ..	A	..	..	110
York .. ..	3A	34	Balsom, Ivy A. E. (Mrs.) .. ..	S	D	77	200
Total .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	47331

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Name.	Grade, 1917.	Average Attendance, 1917.	Name.	Position.	Classification.	Grading.	Rate of Salary, Dec., 1917.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
							£
Alton .. .. .	3A	58	Murray, Norman H. .. ..	H	C	61	210
			Williams, Margaret A. .. ..	A	D	94	140
Apiti .. .. .	3B	96	Hills, Charles C. .. ..	H	C	50	240
			Duncan, Emily L. .. ..	A	..	..	110
			McCarthy, Helena P. .. ..	A	..	..	110
Aramoho .. .. .	4B	206	Law, James K. .. ..	H	C	41	310
			Bates, Cyril P. .. ..	A	B	64	210
			Pitcher, Susan M. E. .. ..	A	D	77	150
			Cavell, Marion C. .. ..	A	D	91	130
			Gordon, Ronald K. .. ..	Pt2	..	..	60
			Laing, Laura .. ..	Pr1	..	..	55
Aratika .. .. .	1	17	Wilson, Katie E. .. ..	S	..	..	117
Ashhurst .. .. .	4A	135	Robson, John T. .. ..	H	C	38	280
			Piercy, Florence M. S. .. ..	A	E	75	170
			Hartley, Maria .. ..	A	..	..	110
			Shaw, Edith R. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
			Port, Catherine H. .. ..	Pt1	..	..	35
Awahou .. .. .	2	23	Pemberton, Leila E. I., B.A. .. ..	S	B	77	150
Awahou South .. .. .	1	11	Kelling, Florence A. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Awahuri .. .. .	3A	54	Bousfield, Arthur M. .. ..	H	D	58	220
			Fletcher, Lily H. .. ..	A	..	..	117
Bainesse .. .. .	2	36	Grant, Florence S. .. ..	S	Lic.	..	133
Beaconsfield .. .. .	2	25	Cooke, George P. .. ..	S	D	86	150
Bluff Road .. .. .	1	11	Seeker, Eileen M. .. ..	S	Lic.	..	114
Brunswick .. .. .	2	37	Williams, Agnes M. T. .. ..	S	D	70	170
Bull's District High School—Pri- mary (121), secondary (15)	4A	136	Gray, Joseph H. .. ..	H	D	35	300
			Henderson, Aileen M. .. ..	A	D	85	160
			Walsh, Mary (ii) .. ..	A	..	..	126
			Button, Mildred I. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	55
Bunnythorpe .. .. .	3B	113	Jamieson, Catherine (i), B.A. .. ..	D	B	68	..
			Espinier, George H. .. ..	H	C	43	270
			Argyle, Doris W. .. ..	A	D	79	160
			Row, Annie G. (Mrs.) .. ..	A	E	..	140
			Young, Isabella .. ..	A	..	..	117
			Fabrin, Ruth C. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
Burnside .. .. .	1	9	Steele, Elsie M. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Campbell Street (Palmerston North)	7C	656	Watson, Francis E. .. ..	H	D	25	430
			Warden, Charles H. .. ..	A	D	44	330
			Moore, Mary A. .. ..	A	D	49	230
			Browning, Claude A. .. ..	A	D	57	260
			Short, Martha C. (Mrs.) .. ..	A	C	71	230
			Ewing, Ellen .. ..	A	E	64	200
			Kuhtze, Miriam.. ..	A	D	86	180
			Kerslake, Ida M. .. ..	A	D	92	140
			Bradley, Julia M. .. ..	A	D	89	140
			Pigott, Emily L. .. ..	A	C	91	120
			Grant, Kathleen .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Park, Eileen N. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Vernon, Thomas R. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Shortall, Thomas N. .. ..	Pt2	..	..	60
			Desmond, Florence M. .. ..	Pt2	..	..	60
			Heley, Marion W. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
			Matthews, Varna M. .. ..	Pt1	..	..	55
Carnarvon .. .. .	3A	55	McCarthy, Adelaide .. ..	H	D	61	210
			Carter, Rosa E. .. ..	A	..	..	110
Castlecliff .. .. .	4A	162	Smith, William (ii) .. ..	H	D	48	280
			Gebbie, Margaret E. .. ..	A	C	74	170
			Huston, Grace L. .. ..	A	..	..	126
			Britton, William L. S. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
Cheltenham .. .. .	3A	56	McEwen, Malcolm R. .. ..	H	C	57	240
			Burnett, Esthor E. .. ..	A	..	..	110
Clydesdale .. .. .	2	35	O'Donnell, Ada R. .. ..	S	..	..	135
Coal Creek .. .. .	1	13	Moor, Dora E. .. ..	S	..	..	126
College Street (Palmerston North)..	6B	508	Low, David W. .. ..	H	B	19	390
			Bates, Frederic A., M.A. .. ..	A	A	36	300
			Mowbray, Lucy O. .. ..	A	C	64	220
			Govan, Frances .. ..	A	D	64	210
			Wilson, Arthur L. C. .. ..	A	D	78	180
			Staitte, Florence M. .. ..	A	E	90	160
			King, Johannah .. ..	A	D	81	150
			Bowler, Margaret .. ..	A	C	95	120
			Sollitt, Florence G. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Seifert, Vida I. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			McNab, Wallace R. .. ..	Pt2	..	..	60
			Gawith, Elsie M. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	35
			Rickard, Margaret E. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	60

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Colyton .. .. .	3A	38	Tregurtha, Edward .. ..	H	D	79	£ 200
Crofton (83) and side school (46)	4A	129	Atkinson, Norah .. ..	A	..	..	117
			Swinbourn, William A. .. ..	H	C	36	270
			Fergusson, Catherine I. .. ..	A	D	101	110
			Finlayson, Barbara A. .. ..	A	..	..	110
			Keir, Charlotte H. .. ..	A	Lic.	..	152
			Piercy, Ruby E. .. ..	A	D	96	130
Denlair .. .. .	1	12	Lourie, Archibald .. ..	S	..	..	110
Dunolly .. .. .	2	37	Perry, Florence E. .. ..	S	..	..	144
Durie Hill .. .. .	3B	112	Nairn, James .. ..	H	C	46	250
			Molloy, Ellen C. .. ..	A	..	..	126
			Flavell, Lucy .. ..	A	D	98	120
			McLean, Dorothy E. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
Feilding District High School— Primary (410), secondary (62)	6B	472	Richardson, Henry H., B.A. .. ..	H	B	12	390
			Lightbourne, Reuben C. D. .. ..	A	C	47	280
			Shortall, Mary R. .. ..	A	E	56	220
			Taylor, David .. ..	A	C	69	220
			Ross, Adelaide W. .. ..	A	D	85	170
			Crabb, Janet L. .. ..	A	D	80	170
			Mahoney, Mabel A. .. ..	A	D	87	140
			James, Stephen C. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Tolley, Francis H. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Bailey, Phoebe J. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Pussell, Muriel C. .. ..	Pt2	..	..	60
			Syme, Roderick .. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
			Ayers, Edith M. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	60
			Wyatt, Gladys M. .. ..	D	C	59	..
			Dons, Emilie H. .. ..	D	C	98	..
			Hampton, Lilly W. .. ..	D	D	97	..
Fitzherbert East .. .. .	3A	38	Maclean, Annie H. .. ..	H	C	60	210
Foxton .. .. .	5C	334	Murray, Elizabeth H. .. ..	A	E	66	140
			Jackson, Percy G. .. ..	H	C	21	360
			Gabites, Herbert F. .. ..	A	C	59	270
			Moxham, Ruth M. .. ..	A	B	68	200
			Woodruffe, Ida .. ..	A	C	82	190
			Price, Catherine E. .. ..	A	..	..	126
			McAuliffe, Ethel M. .. ..	A	D	94	140
			Rockel, Hasel .. ..	A	..	..	110
			McMurray, Phyllis M. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Rawson, Mary .. ..	Pt2	..	..	60
Glen Oroua .. .. .	3A	45	Coombes, Archie J., B.A. .. ..	H	B	..	200
Glen Warlock .. .. .	0	3	Perrett, Annie E. .. ..	A	..	..	126
Gonville .. .. .	6A	476	Edney, Alice R. . . . .	S	..	..	24
			Bowater, Charles H. T. .. ..	H	D	30	370
			Williams, William P. .. ..	A	C	54	280
			Tuffin, Margaret S. .. ..	A	D	60	210
			Wood, Horace W. .. ..	A	C	74	230
			Griffiths, Williamina .. ..	A	D	75	150
			Bain, Agnes S. .. ..	A	C	92	140
			McLean, Frances M. (Mrs.) .. ..	A	C	84	150
			Read, Bessie A. .. ..	A	D	..	110
			Curham, Barbara W. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Bowater, Hildred W. .. ..	Pt2	..	..	45
			Stewart, Gwenda .. ..	Pt2	..	..	60
			Fifer, May M. .. ..	Pt2	..	..	45
			Rice, Aroha P. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
Greatford .. .. .	1	18	Smith, Rose I. (Mrs.) .. ..	S	D	..	110
Halcombe .. .. .	3B	98	Stansell, William F. .. ..	H	C	46	250
			Durie, Margaret J. .. ..	A	D	100	120
			Perrin, Norah E. .. ..	A	..	..	110
			Orr, Adrienne M. .. ..	S	Lic.	..	133
Hihitahi .. .. .	2	19	Woolford, Florence .. ..	S	..	..	126
Hikimutu .. .. .	2	32	Deroles, Violet .. ..	S	..	..	110
Hinau .. .. .	1	9	Rich, Geraldine V. .. ..	S	..	..	32
Hiwi .. .. .	0	5	Meads, Rachael M. .. ..	S	D	91	140
Hiwinui .. .. .	2	27	Butler, Sydney T. .. ..	H	D	69	210
Horopito .. .. .	3A	52	Butler, Jessie (Mrs.) .. ..	A	D	..	120
			Robbins, Thorley .. ..	S	..	..	135
Hukapapa .. .. .	2	26	Ironmonger, Edwin L. .. ..	H	D	26	300
Hunterville District High School— Primary (121), secondary (12)	4A	133	Ray, Lydia M. .. ..	A	D	78	170
			Dement, Unice I. G. .. ..	A	C	101	130
			Clayton, Ruth L. G., B.A. .. ..	D	B	..	..
Hurleyville .. .. .	3A	37	Small, Gilbert J. .. ..	S	D	65	225
Kaheke .. .. .	1	16	Purnell, Edith A. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Kai Iwi .. .. .	3A	49	Mackay, Duncan H. .. ..	H	D	53	240
			Martin, Agnes M. .. ..	A	D	91	140

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Kairanga .. .. .	3A	58	Martin, Donald .. .. .	H	E	67	£ 240
Kaitieke .. .. .	1	15	Lancaster, Alice .. .. .	A	D	..	130
Kaitoke .. .. .	3A	55	Phillips, Catherine R. .. .. .	S	..	..	126
Kakahi .. .. .	4A	123	Whalley, George E. .. .. .	H	C	54	240
			Chapman, Edith F. .. .. .	A	D	108	130
			Overton, George E. .. .. .	H	C	39	260
			Moyle, Elizabeth (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	C	85	190
			Cheek, Eva .. .. .	A	..	..	110
			Lotter, Maria L. .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	£55
Kakaramea .. .. .	3A	54	Rogers, Edward H. .. .. .	H	C	58	240
			Beamish, Marion G. .. .. .	A	D	88	140
Kakariki .. .. .	2	17	Doran, Faith .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Kakatahi .. .. .	1	12	Foster, Stephen P. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Karewarewa .. .. .	1	12	Thompson, Linda O. .. .. .	S	D	94	140
Kaukatea .. .. .	1	15	Pennefather, Umita C. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Kawautahi Road .. .. .	1	10	Russell, Dulcie N. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Kawhatau .. .. .	2	25	Horneman, Agnes (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	E	72	190
Keith Street Infants (Wanganui) ..	5A	247	O'Brien, Lucy M. .. .. .	H	E	33	280
			Sampson, Eileen N., M.A. .. .. .	A	B	55	210
			Clemance, Alice E. .. .. .	A	C	74	170
			Bell Winifred H. .. .. .	A	C	96	140
			Dabinett, Stolla E. .. .. .	A	C	97	120
			Ridge, Elsie E. .. .. .	Pt1	..	..	60
Kelvin Grove .. .. .	3A	49	Walters, Edward H. .. .. .	H	C	55	240
			Burley, Renee M. A. .. .. .	A	D	96	140
Kimbolton .. .. .	3B	98	Anderson, Roy .. .. .	H	C	46	240
			King, Gwendoline .. .. .	A	..	..	110
			Morris, Geraldine I. .. .. .	A	..	..	110
Kiwitea .. .. .	3A	49	Bartlett, Alice G. .. .. .	H	C	46	240
			Haase, Emily M. .. .. .	A	..	..	110
Koeke .. .. .	1	14	Haase, Agnes M. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Kohi .. .. .	1	18	Williams, Alice L. (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Lacy's Landing (13) and Retaruke (6)	1	19	Lacy, Mabel .. .. .	S	..	..	135
Linton .. .. .	3A	82	Murdoch, James M. .. .. .	H	C	59	240
			Gills, Evelyn H. .. .. .	A	D	88	140
			Ahern, Mary .. .. .	A	..	..	110
Livingstone .. .. .	1	9	Collins, Mary A. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Long-acre Valley .. .. .	1	15	Small, Sydney B. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Longburn .. .. .	3B	94	Broad, Rowland P. .. .. .	H	C	50	220
			Sorrensen, Lillian I. .. .. .	A	C	85	140
			Buchanan, Elsie K. G. .. .. .	A	C	..	110
Lytton Street (Feilding) ..	5A	288	Stewart, Harry C. .. .. .	H	D	39	340
			Lange, Ernest H. E. .. .. .	A	D	79	210
			Walton, Margaret C. .. .. .	A	D	76	180
			Thompson, Lydia C. .. .. .	A	C	74	170
			Mountfort, Jane M. .. .. .	A	D	91	140
			Ray, Olive M. .. .. .	A	D	..	120
			Fowles, Alice T. .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	55
			Banks, Maggie C. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	65
Main South Road .. .. .	1	6	Finey, Margaret .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Makohine Valley .. .. .	1	11	King, Norman R. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Makino Road .. .. .	3A	33	Belton, Joseph .. .. .	S	C	56	220
Makohau .. .. .	0	6	Perry, Margaret M. .. .. .	S	..	..	48
Makotuku .. .. .	2	36	McCann, Thomas .. .. .	S	..	..	153
Mangaeturoa .. .. .	1	11	Walter, Dorothy (ii) .. .. .	S	..	..	117
Mangamahu .. .. .	1	9	Scott, Flora J. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Mangaonoho .. .. .	2	32	Fitzgerald, Ashley J. .. .. .	S	D	83	150
Mangara .. .. .	1	16	Brown, Catherine L. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Mangarimu .. .. .	1	19	Weeks, Charlotte B. (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	D	..	110
Mangatiti Landing .. .. .	0	2	Low, Maud (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	..	..	16
Mangaweka .. .. .	3B	101	Adams, William .. .. .	H	D	29	270
			Edwards, Annie .. .. .	A	D	94	130
			McCormick, Ellen K. .. .. .	A	..	..	110
Mangawhio .. .. .	1	9	O'Brien, Grace .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Mangoihe .. .. .	1	12	Montgomery, Wilhelmina E. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Manunui .. .. .	4C	209	Wilson, William C. .. .. .	H	C	48	290
			Nickle, Gladys M. (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	C	68	210
			Hill, Eleanor .. .. .	A	D	96	160
			Walker, Grace .. .. .	A	..	..	110
			Gordon, Sarah (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	..	..	130
			Bond, May .. .. .	Pt1	..	..	55
Manutahi .. .. .	2	37	Brereton, Maud A. (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	Lic.	..	133
Marohema (half time). See under Taumatatahi.							

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Marton District High School— Primary (272), secondary (25)	5B	297	Ryder, Robert B., B.A. ..	H	B	11	£ 355
			Burgess, William H. ..	A	C	61	260
			McDonald, Alison ..	A	E	56	210
			Cartwright, Elizabeth J. ..	A	C	79	160
			Milligan, Maud ..	A	D	91	140
			Hull, Eva ..	A	C	94	140
			Wilson, Helen M. B. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Boyd, Doris ..	Pt4	..	..	65
			Giles, Mary I. ..	Pr1	..	..	35
			Thomas, William W., B.A. ..	D	B	66	..
			Christie, Elizabeth ..	S	E	87	150
			Carr, Mabel (Mrs.) ..	S	E	79	200
			Ritchie, Thomas R. ..	H	D	68	230
			Hodgson, Inez ..	A	..	..	117
Matarawa .. ..	1	18	Johnson, Harold ..	S	..	..	110
Mataroa .. ..	3A	36	Hamilton, Harry ..	S	..	..	126
Maxwell .. ..	3A	48	Astbury, Henry E. ..	H	C	50	250
Moawhango .. ..	1	19	Jones, Annie I. ..	A	D	89	130
Momohaki .. ..	2	13	Marshall, Christina A. ..	A	..	..	110
Mosston .. ..	3B	85	Warner, Doris K. ..	S	..	..	110
Moturoa .. ..	1	12	Howie, Evelyn C. ..	S	..	..	126
Mount Richard's Road ..	1	10	Turnbull, Frances K. (Mrs.) ..	S	D	..	150
Mount View .. ..	2	28	Galland, James ..	H	C	56	240
Moutoa .. ..	3A	47	Guylee, Marjorie ..	A	D	92	140
Newbury .. ..	3A	67	Howie, Elizabeth A. (Mrs.) ..	H	E	66	230
Ngaturi .. ..	1	11	McMurray, Jessie ..	A	..	..	110
Ngawaka .. ..	1	21	Barham, William J. ..	S	..	..	110
Ngutuwera .. ..	1	17	Percy, Harry C. ..	S	..	..	126
Ohakea .. ..	3A	55	Matthews, Elizabeth ..	S	D	74	150
Ohakune .. ..	5B	326	Gabites, Frederick G. ..	H	C	54	240
			Bailey, Mary M. ..	A	D	83	140
			Furrie, Leonard J. ..	H	C	28	330
			Marshall, James E. ..	A	C	61	250
			Kelly, Lucy ..	A	C	70	175
			Dunne, Mary E. (Mrs.), B.A. ..	A	B	71	190
			Barns, Violet E. (Mrs.) ..	A	..	..	146
			Nicol, Ethel V. ..	A	D	97	140
			Herd, Mabel L. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Dodds, Marcella W. ..	Pt2	..	..	60
			Hansen, Christine E. ..	Pr1	..	..	60
Ohingaiti .. ..	3A	69	Mowbray, Edith ..	H	E	72	225
Ohutu .. ..	1	14	Heise, Mary T. ..	A	..	..	126
Okioia .. ..	3A	33	Macfadzean, James ..	S	..	..	126
Opaku .. ..	2	25	Berry, Laxton G. ..	S	D	81	200
Orangimea .. ..	0	6	Davey, Olive ..	S	..	..	126
Orautoha .. ..	2	21	Lethbridge, Rose ..	S	..	..	56
Ore Ore .. ..	1	11	Beard, Catherine ..	S	..	..	126
Oroua Downs .. ..	3A	64	McPhee, Ivy ..	S	..	..	110
			Liggins, Charles W. ..	H	C	52	210
			McKenzie, Florence C. ..	A	..	..	126
Otairi .. ..	1	15	Weatherall, Louisa C. (Mrs.) ..	S	..	..	110
Owhakura .. ..	2	24	Jones, Harry ..	S	..	..	135
Owhango .. ..	4A	151	Masefield, John ..	H	B	41	280
			Mead, Mary G. ..	A	C	80	170
			Erickson, Julia E. ..	A	Lic.	..	133
			Wither, James A. ..	Pt4	..	..	65
Pakihikura .. ..	1	19	Morecraft, Muriel I. ..	S	C	80	140
Parawanui .. ..	3A	35	Lock, Albert D. ..	S	D	78	200
Patea District High School— Primary (161), secondary (12)	4B	173	Hird, William E., M.A. ..	H	B	28	290
			Lavery, Catherine ..	A	D	..	150
			Hare, Edith L. ..	A	C	84	150
			White, Dorothy A. ..	Pt3	..	..	65
			Bradley, Elizabeth M. ..	Pr1	..	..	55
			Morse, Myrtle W. A. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
			Lehndorf, Chloe R., B.A. ..	D	B	91	..
Pipiriki .. ..	1	5	Richardson, Maggie ..	S	..	..	110
Piriaka .. ..	3A	44	Burns, Andrew S. ..	H	D	81	200
			Cameron, Nora ..	A	..	..	110
Pohangina .. ..	3A	43	Eggers, Mabel (Mrs.) ..	H	C	66	200
			Wildbore, Ruby M. ..	A	D	104	130
Pohonui .. ..	1	13	Campbell, Elsie ..	S	..	..	110
Pokako .. ..	1	12	Porteous, Agnes M. ..	S	..	..	110
Porewa .. ..	1	9	Thomas, Emily F. ..	S	..	..	126
Potaka Road .. ..	1	13	Simpson, Joan ..	S	..	..	110

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
							£
Poukiore .. .. .	1	9	Gair, Marie .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Pukekaha .. .. .	1	12	Harré, William K. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Pukeokahu .. .. .	1	19	Platt, Thomas E. .. .. .	S	..	..	135
Pukeroa .. .. .	1	11	Clark, Sybil .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Queen's Park Wanganui (308) and St. John's Hill (side school) (38)	5B	346	Payne, Henry M. .. .. .	H	C	11	360
			Marshall, George H. .. .. .	A	C	57	270
			Ross, Jane W. M. .. .. .	A	C	74	180
			Horneman, Flora M. .. .. .	A	D	73	160
			Box, Lucy E. .. .. .	A	D	104	140
			Andrew, Hazel J. .. .. .	A	C	87	140
			Woon, Una G. .. .. .	A	..	..	110
			Mitchell, Mona C. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	65
			Sewell, Mary U. .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	55
Raetihi .. .. .	3B	143	Haydon, Thomas B. .. .. .	H	C	45	240
			Day, Esther M. .. .. .	A	C	81	140
			Payne, Amy S. .. .. .	A	B	95	120
			May, Lucy J. .. .. .	Pt2	..	..	60
Rangataua .. .. .	4A	111	Warburton, Abel .. .. .	H	B	..	260
			Sexton, Christina (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	C	77	190
			Keane, Margaret V. .. .. .	A	..	..	117
Rangiotu .. .. .	3A	60	Walker, Louis J. .. .. .	H	D	64	220
			Jamieson, Catherine (ii) .. .. .	A	D	95	130
Rangiwahia .. .. .	3A	47	Clench, Thomas F. J. .. .. .	H	D	76	200
			Anderson, Caroline G. .. .. .	A	D	89	140
Rata .. .. .	3A	52	Browning, Joseph .. .. .	H	C	48	235
			Hart, Bessy A. .. .. .	A	D	85	140
Rata-iti .. .. .	1	9	Purnell, Mary E. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Raukura .. .. .	2	17	McColl, Anne C. .. .. .	S	E	79	170
Raumai .. .. .	2	17	Smith, Gerald D. .. .. .	S	..	..	198
Raurimu .. .. .	3A	62	Harré, John .. .. .	H	D	..	200
			Kennedy, Grace .. .. .	A	..	..	126
Retaruke (half-time). See under Lacy's Landing.							
Rewa .. .. .	2	26	Price, Grace W. .. .. .	S	..	..	126
Riariaki .. .. .	0	3	Kennedy, Lydia E. (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	..	..	24
Rongoiti .. .. .	1	15	Cordingley, Catherine .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Rongotea .. .. .	3B	124	Kime, Percy, M.A. .. .. .	H	A	41	285
			Little, Maud E. .. .. .	A	D	89	130
			Tuck, Alice (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	..	..	130
			Dent, William .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Ruahine .. .. .	1	21					
St. John's Hill (side school). See under Queen's Park.							
Sanson .. .. .	3A	81	Ratliff, Alfred J. .. .. .	H	C	68	210
			Smith, Helen R. (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	D	86	140
Silverhope .. .. .	3A	38	Edwards, Ernest .. .. .	H	E	70	210
			Day, Hannah H. .. .. .	A	..	..	117
South Makirikiri .. .. .	3A	38	Cook, Olivia M. .. .. .	H	C	72	230
			Scott, Agnes A. .. .. .	A	D	..	140
Spur Road .. .. .	1	10	Craven, Geraldine E. (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Stanway .. .. .	2	30	Sage, Alfred .. .. .	S	..	..	126
Stony Creek .. .. .	3A	57	McConnachie, Charles, M.A. .. .. .	H	B	51	240
			Collingwood, Edith E. H. .. .. .	A	D	92	140
Table Flat .. .. .	1	16	Davies, Olive .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Taihapa District High School and Winiata (side school)—Taihape primary (303), secondary (21); Winiata (side school) (15)	5D	339	Thurston, James F. .. .. .	H	C	19	380
			Train, Arthur D. N. .. .. .	A	C	63	290
			McDonnell, Bedelia M. .. .. .	A	E	56	210
			Watts, Amy E. .. .. .	A	C	59	200
			Gordon, Jane Y. .. .. .	A	D	78	180
			Hesketh, Sydney (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	..	..	146
			McPhee, Jeannie .. .. .	A	..	..	110
			Brodrick, Nina B. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	65
			Wapp, Maude A. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55
			Phillips, Christina M. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	55
			Hall, Percy H. .. .. .	D	D	..	..
Taikorea .. .. .	3A	30	Lyne, Christopher J., B.A. .. .. .	S	B	60	230
Tangiwai .. .. .	1	9	McDougall, Elizabeth .. .. .	S	..	..	117
Taonui .. .. .	3A	48	Kendall, Gertrude (Mrs.) .. .. .	H	E	62	210
			Footo, Violette .. .. .	A	..	..	126
Taoroa .. .. .	1	11	Haydon, Aileen (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Taoroa Road .. .. .	1	17	Pees, Katherine S. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Tauakira .. .. .	0	6	Urry, Frances R. .. .. .	S	..	..	56
Taumata .. .. .	0	7	Richard, Ethel .. .. .	S	..	..	56
Taumatatahi (9) and Marohema (8)	1	17	Potter, Elizabeth M. .. .. .	S	..	..	126

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Te Arakura .. .. .	3A	52	Bailey, Wenonah .. .. .	H	C	64	£ 210
Te Awa .. .. .	0	5	Wilson, Adelaide .. .. .	A	..	..	126
Te Pou .. .. .	1	14	Caldwell, Mary A. .. .. .	S	..	..	40
Tei Rena .. .. .	1	13	Shaw, Esther L. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Terrace End (Palmerston North) ..	6B	557	Glasgow, Mary (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	..	..	110
			Fairbrother, Thomas F. .. .. .	H	D	31	390
			Thompson, Alfred W. .. .. .	A	C	46	300
			O'Donnell, Mary E. .. .. .	A	E	64	210
			Chapman, Jessie M. .. .. .	A	D	61	210
			Billens, Kathleen .. .. .	A	D	82	170
			Andrew, Sarah T. .. .. .	A	C	68	160
			Oliver, Selina R., B.A. .. .. .	A	A	81	150
			Gowdy, Vivienne .. .. .	A	C	89	120
			Minogue, Ann .. .. .	A	D	96	120
			Tierney, John P. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	65
			Mackie, Ellen H. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	65
			Cowen, Magdalena .. .. .	Pt1	..	..	55
			Buchanan, Beni L. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	35
			Porteous, Grace T. R. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	30
Tiakitahuna .. .. .	2	31	Dahl, Alice M. (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	..	..	126
Tiriraukawa .. .. .	1	10	Managh, Annie .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Tiritea .. .. .	3A	43	Merrie, Thomas .. .. .	H	D	83	200
			Abraham, Beatrice M. .. .. .	A	D	88	140
Tokorangi .. .. .	2	33	Burgess, Christine .. .. .	S	C	82	160
Torere .. .. .	3A	51	Goldsbury, Montague .. .. .	H	D	65	230
			Stevens, Flora A. .. .. .	A	..	..	110
Tunakotekote .. .. .	1	16	Audley, Ernest H. .. .. .	S	..	..	117
Turakina .. .. .	3A	64	Thurston, Daniel P. .. .. .	H	B	44	245
			Beamish, Olive M. .. .. .	A	..	..	126
Turangarere .. .. .	3A	63	Fenton, Henry C. .. .. .	H	C	68	220
			Dodds, Annie H. .. .. .	A	..	..	110
Umumuri .. .. .	3B	80	Goldsbury, Hugh .. .. .	H	D	90	200
			Day, Agnes H. .. .. .	A	D	96	140
			Gormly, Winifred A. .. .. .	A	..	..	110
Umutoi .. .. .	2	21	Sunaway, Edith H. .. .. .	S	E	84	190
Upokongaro .. .. .	3A	42	McCosh, Samuel D. .. .. .	H	E	61	220
			McCormick, Mary J. J. .. .. .	A	D	94	140
Upper Kawhatau .. .. .	1	12	Deighton, Emily S. .. .. .	S	..	..	135
Upper Retaruke .. .. .	0	7	Papps, Mildred F. (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	D	94	56
Upper Tutaenui .. .. .	3A	36	Parkinson, Johan J. (Mrs.) .. .. .	H	E	58	240
			Parkinson, Doris I. J. .. .. .	A	..	..	126
Utiku .. .. .	3B	79	Lewis, Percy G. .. .. .	H	C	52	235
			Donovan, Constance M. .. .. .	A	..	..	110
Utuwai .. .. .	2	23	Hall, Amy H. .. .. .	S	..	..	126
Valley Road .. .. .	2	33	Morris, Iris .. .. .	S	..	..	126
Victoria Avenue (Wanganui) ..	6B	509	Aitken, James, B.A. .. .. .	H	B	19	400
			McKenzie, Thomas D. O. .. .. .	A	B	40	290
			Gordon, Maria M. .. .. .	A	D	61	210
			McNeil, Elizabeth A. .. .. .	A	E	71	210
			Siddells, Ethel M. .. .. .	A	D	81	175
			Loudon, Mary .. .. .	A	E	74	160
			Spurdle, Anna M. (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	E	91	160
			Bell, Ethel M. W., B.A. .. .. .	A	B	92	120
			Howie, Bessie Y. .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	65
			Blanc, Olivia J. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	65
			Barnett, Eileen M. J. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55
			Hussey, Harriette E. S. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55
			Campion, Marjorie R. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	60
Waiata .. .. .	2	18	Perrin, Clarence W. .. .. .	S	..	..	126
Waipuru .. .. .	2	21	Gibb, Annie H. .. .. .	S	C	87	140
Waitohi .. .. .	2	18	Powle, Una W. .. .. .	S	E	73	180
Waitotara .. .. .	3A	41	Matthews, Howard .. .. .	H	D	65	240
			Tarrant, Katherine L. .. .. .	A	..	..	110
Waituna West .. .. .	2	36	Sandford, Eliza M. A. (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	E	74	140
Wangaehu .. .. .	2	26	McIntyre, Phyllis .. .. .	S	..	..	126
Wanganui Central Infants' ..	5A	241	Blennerhasset, Emily .. .. .	H	C	44	260
			Clemance, Winifred M. .. .. .	A	C	55	190
			Gage, Bessie .. .. .	A	D	71	150
			Hall-Jones, Harriet .. .. .	A	D	85	140
			Dabinett, Ethelinda .. .. .	A	C	94	140
			Smith, Valerie I. .. .. .	Pt2	..	..	45
			Swan, Winifred .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	35
			McKenzie, Isabella M. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	30
			Allomes, Mary I. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	30

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Wanganui East .. ..	5D	403	Andrew, William J., M.A. . .	H	B	35	£ 350
			Jannings, Frederick C. . .	A	C	60	270
			Carson, Annie M. . .	A	D	61	210
			Miller, Margaret . .	A	D	51	210
			Haase, Margaret J. . .	A	C	84	140
			Cavell, Elizabeth B. . .	A	C	87	140
			Giblin, Vera D. . .	A	D	99	120
			Sampson, Gwendoline W. . .	Pt3	..	..	55
			Cornwall, Kathleen E. M. . .	Pt2	..	..	60
			Field, Charlotte M. . .	Pt2	..	..	45
			Whcal, Edith B. . .	Pr2	..	..	35
Warrengeat .. ..	3A	51	Harper, Arthur S. . .	H	D	55	220
			Clemance, Phyllis S. . .	A	C	86	130
Watershed Road .. ..	0	7	Palmer, Floselle . .	S	..	..	64
Waverley .. ..	4A	149	Banks, James . .	H	D	39	300
			Cleary, Ethel M. . .	A	D	80	170
			McCarthy, Ita . .	A	C	..	120
			Oliver, Cecil R. . .	Pt4	..	..	65
			Banks, Gertrude I. P. . .	Pr1	..	..	35
West End (Palmerston North) ..	5A	272	Buchler, Arthur O. . .	H	C	26	330
			Campbell, Fernly C. . .	A	C	55	240
			Grant, Frances J., B.A. . .	A	B	73	170
			Grant, Christina F. . .	A	D	87	160
			Weston, Christina J. . .	A	D	91	130
			Gill, Wilfred H. . .	Pt3	..	..	65
			Martensen, Cathinka D. . .	Pt2	..	..	45
			Bowden, Thelma I. . .	Pr1	..	..	35
Western Rangitikei .. ..	2	26	Bartlett, Dulcie G. . .	S	..	..	126
Westmere .. ..	3A	74	Williams, Henty M. (Mrs.) . .	H	D	58	240
			McCulloch, Margaret M. . .	A	C	89	140
			Haydon, Christopher . .	S	..	..	110
			Binns, Leonard F. . .	Sub.	..	..	[110]
Whaka Road .. ..	1	13	Cheyne, Jemima . .	H	E	48	240
Whenuakura .. ..	3A	50	Knight, Winifred E. . .	A	..	..	110
Winiata (side school). See under Taihape.							
Woodlands .. ..	1	15	Horner, Marjorie E. . .	S	..	..	110
Total .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	69,803

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Argyll East .. ..	1	12	Barclay, Mabel (Mrs.) . .	S	Lic.	..	..	133
Ashley-Clinton .. ..	2	26	Rennie, Jessie G. . .	S	C	87	..	140
Awariki .. ..	1	18	Donaldson, Dorcas A. . .	S	D	111	..	140
Clifton .. ..	0	3	Piggott, Ethel (Mrs.) . .	S	..	..	..	24
Clive .. ..	4A	150	Cullen, Arthur R. . .	H	C	36	..	280
			Burns, Evelyn H. M. . .	A	D	69	..	180
			Tuehy, Norah . .	A	D	79	..	150
			Higgins, Margaret F. . .	Pt3	..	..	..	65
			Rathie, Margaret L. E. . .	Pr2	..	..	..	35
Dannevirke North .. ..	5B	309	Bagley, Benjamin . .	H	C	28	..	330
			Roe, William B. . .	A	C	67	..	270
			Hooper, John E. . .	A	C	77	..	200
			McPherson, Jeannie C. . .	A	C	75	..	170
			Walsh, Elizabeth A. . .	A	D	86	..	140
			Webb, Vera V. . .	A	..	..	..	110
			Gordon, Gladys . .	Pt4	..	..	..	55
			Blows, Ruby I. . .	Pt3	..	..	..	55
			Bargh, Mavis C. . .	Pr2	..	..	..	60
Dannevirke South .. ..	5B	295	Harvey, George . .	H	D	37	..	360
			Kibblewhite, Bruce M., B.A. . .	A	A	58	..	270
			Glanville, Emily H. . .	A	D	52	..	210
			Robertson, Isabella M. . .	A	D	56	..	210
			Brewer, Ella M. . .	A	C	80	..	140
			Carston, Henry F. . .	A	..	..	..	110
			French, Cecil B. . .	Pt3	..	..	..	65
			Goodwin, Hester M. . .	Pt3	..	..	..	55
			Lavery, Mary . .	Pr1	..	..	..	55

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
							£
Elsthorpe .. ..	3A	36	Phillips, Henry V. .. ..	H	C	68	210
			Jull, Emelin L. .. ..	A	D	..	130
Fernhill .. ..	3A	44	Dugleby, Ethel G. .. ..	H	E	48	220
			Frude, Anna D. .. ..	A	D	95	120
Frasertown .. ..	3B	86	Brown, Clara J. (Mrs.) .. ..	H	E	62	200
			Corry, Alice E. .. ..	A	..	..	110
			Forsyth, Louisa H. .. ..	A	..	..	110
Gisborne .. ..	7E	727	Rowley, Francis J., B.A. .. ..	H	B	9	430
			Plank, Louis J. .. ..	A	D	51	310
			Morgan, Louisa .. ..	A	C	45	240
			McCartney, Elizabeth J. M. .. ..	A	D	81	200
			Lake, Alexander .. ..	A	C	61	230
			Turnbull, Elizabeth .. ..	A	E	62	210
			Faram, Edith H. .. ..	A	E	72	180
			Adams, Florence K. .. ..	A	E	79	140
			Black, Grace .. ..	A	D	82	120
			Trowell, Elizabeth (Mrs.) .. ..	A	..	..	110
			Barlow, Margaret (Mrs.) .. ..	A	E	106	140
			Mortleman, Mary I. .. ..	A	D	101	120
			Price, Mary .. ..	A	..	..	110
			Anderson, Leon ra .. ..	A	..	..	110
			McLeod, Thelma .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Scott, Mary G. G. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Allen, Eileen D. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
Gisborne East .. ..	5A	248	McLeod, John (iv) .. ..	H	C	28	320
			Fawbert, Emma L. .. ..	A	E	58	210
			Pottinger, William C. .. ..	A	D	80	170
			Oxenham, Mary A. .. ..	A	Lic.	..	142½
			Vigers, Doris N. .. ..	A	D	..	120
			Robb, Mildred A. E. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Mathews, Annie F. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
Gisborne North .. ..	5C	362	Cole, Robert .. ..	H	D	31	340
			Bark, John A. .. ..	A	C	51	250
			Farrington, Kathleen (Mrs.) .. ..	A	D	65	230
			Strong, Edward A. .. ..	A	C	85	210
			McCashion, Alice F. .. ..	A	D	95	120
			Thompson, Bertha H. .. ..	A	D	76	140
			Scott, Emily G. .. ..	A	C	103	120
			Ross, Ida .. ..	A	..	..	110
			Powell, Ivy L. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
Gisborne West .. ..	5C	328	Faram, Frank C. .. ..	H	C	28	340
			Parsons, Vivian .. ..	A	C	73	260
			Cook, Jessie .. ..	A	D	56	190
			Taylor, Florence T. .. ..	A	D	78	190
			Oxenham, Esther .. ..	A	D	99	130
			Strong, Marion E. .. ..	A	D	101	130
			Nicol, Mildred W. .. ..	A	..	..	110
			Redmond, Kathleen H. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	65
			Faram, Mona .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Kay, Jossie H. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
Greenmeadows (side school). See under Taradale.							
Hastings District High School—Primary (702), secondary (65)	7E	767	Pegler, Leonard F., B.A. .. ..	H	B	13	430
			Sefton, Percy J. .. ..	A	D	46	320
			Cumming, Maragret .. ..	A	D	52	250
			Austin, Leslie G. .. ..	A	C	68	230
			Cornes, Henry A. .. ..	A	C	67	230
			Patterson, Edward J. D. .. ..	A	C	80	210
			Tucker, Edith C. M. .. ..	A	D	72	160
			Epps, Fanny Alice .. ..	A	D	88	140
			Dagg, Olive .. ..	A	D	91	120
			McEwan, Edith C. .. ..	A	D	90	120
			Rich, Florence V. .. ..	A	D	96	120
			Curran, James A. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	65
			McIntyre, Madge .. ..	Pt4	..	..	65
			Stubbs, Anne A. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	65
			Bullen, Alfred W. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Sinclair, Edna G. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Bullen, Melinda E. .. ..	Pt2	..	..	45
			Maney, Cora A. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
			Bright, Marjorie .. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
			Hodgson, Ruth J. .. ..	D	B	47	..
			Smith, William H. (ii) .. ..	D	C	80	..
			Anderson, Nellie W. .. ..	D	C	73	..

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Hastings North .. ..	5D	352	Chaplin, Wilfred T. ..	H	B	31	£ 340
			Gray, Georgina .. ..	A	D	58	230
			Gray, Maggie I. .. ..	A	E	52	210
			Whyte, Daisy E. (Mrs.) ..	A	D	68	190
			Sinclair, Bertha M. .. ..	A	C	87	140
			Dunning, Nellie M. .. ..	A	C	90	130
			Brittain, Edith D. .. ..	A	Lic.	..	110
			Retemeyer, Dorothy .. ..	A	D	99	120
			Cameron, Margaret A. ..	Pt3	..	..	65
			McCormick, Adelia R. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
			Pugh, Eileen M. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	55
Hastings West .. ..	4C	249	Sinclair, George K. .. ..	H	C	23	330
			Whibley, John C. .. ..	A	C	76	230
			Gorman, Annie .. ..	A	C	69	170
			Wellwood, Susan K. .. ..	A	E	71	160
			Wolstenholme, Elfrida M. ..	A	D	100	130
			Joll, Sydney G. A. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Warner, Grace .. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
Hatuma .. ..	3A	40	Murphy, William J. .. ..	A	C	61	230
			Williams, Margaret .. ..	A	C	86	120
Havelock North .. ..	4B	201	Marshall, John .. ..	H	C	37	310
			Craighead, Helen .. ..	A	D	76	160
			Smith, Ellen C. .. ..	A	C	71	160
			Lund, Anna S. M. .. ..	A	D	91	140
			Castle, Victoria M. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			King, Margaret A. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
Herbertville .. ..	1	10	Primrose, Isabella E. C. (Mrs.) ..	S	D	105	135
Hereaunga .. ..	1	17	McCall, Gracie M. (Mrs.) ..	S	D	85	140
Hinuera .. ..	1	17	Moore, Elizabeth .. ..	S	D	69	175
Hopelands .. ..	2	22	Bastings, Alma I. .. ..	S	C	102	150
Thungia .. ..	0	5	Brammall, Grace K. .. ..	S	..	..	40
Kaitaratahi .. ..	3A	56	Matheson, Dorothy E. (Mrs.) ..	H	D	64	200
			Gallagher, Ellen .. ..	A	C	105	120
Kanakania .. ..	0	7	Smart, Jane W. O. .. ..	S	..	..	48
Kereru .. ..	1	20	Hansen, Ingeborg M. .. ..	S	D	..	110
Kiritaki .. ..	2	28	Fletcher, Rose L. (Mrs.) ..	S	..	..	148½
Keranga .. ..	0	9	Harding, Muriel G. .. ..	S	..	..	64
Kumeroa .. ..	2	32	Paton, Evelyn M. .. ..	S	D	81	150
Maharahara West .. ..	1	16	McDonald, Elizabeth .. ..	S	D	94	140
Makaraka .. ..	3A	90	Kay, John .. ..	H	D	57	240
			Darton, Louisa J. (Mrs.) ..	A	D	76	160
			Beckett, Eva E. .. ..	A	..	..	110
Makaretu .. ..	2	22	Limbrick, Rhoda N. .. ..	S	..	..	126
Makaretu South .. ..	1	12	Pringle, Gertrude M. .. ..	S	C	110	110
Makauri .. ..	3B	103	Long, Edgar R. .. ..	H	C	67	240
			Brooking, Lilian .. ..	A	D	75	140
			Baty, Christina .. ..	A	..	..	110
			Carter, Margaret W. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
Makotuku .. ..	3B	81	Benson, Herbert N. .. ..	H	C	44	250
			Soundy, Carrie A. .. ..	A	E	80	140
			Avery, Winifred M. .. ..	A	..	..	110
Mangatahi .. ..	1	9	Ross, Iris .. ..	S	..	..	110
Mangatorotere .. ..	3A	64	Balfour, Margaret A. .. ..	H	D	49	240
			Malloy, Carita M. .. ..	A	D	88	140
Mangatoro .. ..	1	10	Kerr, Arthur .. ..	S	..	..	117
Maraekakaho .. ..	2	19	Mountfort, Dorothy L. N. (Mrs.) ..	S	D	102	120
Muraetotara .. ..	1	22	McLennan, Edith E. (Mrs.) ..	S	E	..	110
Maraekeke .. ..	2	25	Moore, Lily C. .. ..	S	D	87	160
Marumaru .. ..	1	21	McKenzie, Jeane R. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Matahiwi .. ..	3A	40	Wilson, Marion .. ..	H	C	75	210
			McClure, Lorna C. .. ..	A	..	..	117
Matamau .. ..	3A	84	Brown, Jonathan .. ..	H	C	53	240
			Prichard, Doris .. ..	A	C	94	130
Matawai .. ..	3B	78	Webster, Edward .. ..	H	Lic.	..	199½
			Greenslade, Mary G. .. ..	A	D	77	130
Meeanee .. ..	3A	63	Nielson, Albert .. ..	H	D	62	220
			Atkin, Annie .. ..	A	..	94	140
			Wakely, Bessie D. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
Mohaka .. ..	3A	64	Higgins, Florence J. .. ..	H	D	61	210
			Butler, Gwen M. A. .. ..	A	..	..	110
Mokairau .. ..	0	6	Briggin, Dorothy .. ..	S	..	..	48
Morere .. ..	1	14	Steers, Ellen H. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Motea .. ..	1	18	May, Eleanor R. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Motu .. ..	2	36	Magill, Mary .. ..	S	D	89	160

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	
Motuhora .. ..	3A	49	McKenzie, Kenneth .. ..	H	C	64	£ 220	
Murewai .. ..	2	28	Goddard, Dorothy .. ..	A	D	..	110	
Napier .. ..	7C	607	Johnston, Margaret A. (Mrs.) ..	S	D	62	210	
			Hislop, James .. ..	H	C	12	430	
			Garry, Francis A. .. ..	A	C	39	330	
			Barnett, Annie H. .. ..	A	D	54	250	
			Pearce, Charles W. .. ..	A	D	59	250	
			Pickering, Esther E. .. ..	A	E	71	190	
			Palmer, Mary .. ..	A	E	57	210	
			McVay, Ella M. .. ..	A	E	68	180	
			Hannay, Amelia W. .. ..	A	C	85	140	
			Earl, Charlotte M. .. ..	A	C	87	120	
			Pedersen, Anna D. .. ..	A	D	94	120	
			Murphy, Eugene R. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55	
			Bedingfield, Lillian .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55	
			Finnis, Muriel A. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55	
			King, Kathleen M. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	65	
			Jordan, Winifred M. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	35	
Napier North .. ..	4A	121	Daly, John T. .. ..	H	C	56	260	
			Puffett, Annie L. .. ..	A	D	79	160	
			Traynor, Jean W. .. ..	A	D	94	140	
Napier Port .. ..	5A	255	Bissell, Edward (ii) .. ..	H	C	31	330	
			Rainbow, Winifred G. (Mrs.) ..	A	B	66	210	
			King, Catherine .. ..	A	D	68	170	
			Harris, Rose E. (Mrs.) .. ..	A	E	75	170	
			Forne, Kate .. ..	A	D	89	140	
			Widerstrom, Ilma A. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55	
			Priestley, Marie L. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55	
			O'Donnell, Maurice C. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	55	
Napier South .. ..	5C	370	Martin, William G. .. ..	H	C	25	360	
			Driller, William J. .. ..	A	D	61	270	
			Riley, Emma J. . . .	A	D	47	210	
			Mitchell, Georgina M. .. ..	A	D	61	210	
			Christy, Agnes C. M. .. ..	A	E	81	140	
			Hoggins, Mary F. .. ..	A	C	82	140	
			Burness, Jane M. .. ..	A	D	77	120	
			Anderson, Annie M. L. .. ..	A	D	94	120	
			King, Clara R. .. ..	Pt2	..	..	60	
			Jordan, Annie L. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	30	
Napier West .. ..	6A	425	Hudson, Edward V. .. ..	H	B	21	370	
			Wilnot, David H. .. ..	A	C	53	280	
			Martin, Ethel E. .. ..	A	D	50	200	
			McAllister, Elizabeth R. .. ..	A	C	66	200	
			Miller, Lillie R. (Mrs.) .. ..	A	D	82	170	
			Shepherd, Jane .. ..	A	D	89	130	
			Williamson, Annie P. .. ..	A	D	101	130	
			Dalzell, Flora .. ..	A	C	93	120	
			Halliwell, Isabella E. C. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	65	
			Grogg, Lucy A. W. .. ..	Pt2	..	..	45	
			Priestley, Doris A. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	30	
Ngamoko .. ..	2	32	Ellery, Henry V. .. ..	S	..	..	126	
Ngapaeruru .. ..	1	12	Harris, Elsie J. .. ..	S	..	..	110	
Ngatapa .. ..	3A	50	McKee, Alice .. ..	H	..	..	180	
			de Greenlaw, Cora (Mrs.) ..	A	D	91	140	
Ngatarawa .. ..	2	22	Fletcher, Lucy .. ..	S	D	95	140	
Norsewood .. ..	4B	163	Splight, Hubert .. ..	H	C	41	270	
			Brewer, Elsie H. T. .. ..	A	C	91	150	
			Caughley, Rachel .. ..	A	D	80	150	
			McAllister, Flora I. S. .. ..	A	C	89	140	
			Harding, Lena A. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	65	
Nuhaka .. ..	2	26	Fletcher, Florence E. .. ..	S	E	99	140	
Omakere .. ..	2	24	Smith, Ida M. .. ..	S	..	..	126	
Ongaonga .. ..	3B	81	Selby, Bertha G. .. ..	H	C	44	235	
			Smith, Mabel E. .. ..	A	D	80	160	
			Gray, Elsie .. ..	A	..	..	110	
Opapa .. ..	3A	34	Baldwin, Ilma M. .. ..	S	D	75	200	
Opoutama .. ..	2	21	Armstrong, Richard E. .. ..	S	E	98	190	
Ormond .. ..	3B	87	Pole, Leonard E. .. ..	H	D	56	240	
			Harper, Norah .. ..	A	D	88	140	
			Pedersen, Ruth J. .. ..	A	C	105	120	
Ormondville .. ..	3A	56	Renton, William (ii), B.A. . .	H	B	51	250	
			Priestley, Dorothy F. .. ..	A	..	..	110	
Otane .. ..	3B	106	Cartwright, James .. ..	H	C	61	250	
			Hiddlestone, Bernice G. .. ..	A	C	94	140	
			McRae, Mary A. .. ..	A	..	..	110	

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Otoko .. .. .	2	27	Shaw, Norman H. .. ..	S	E	72	£ 190
Pakipaki .. .. .	3A	37	Humphrey, Ernest J. .. ..	H	D	64	230
			Morrison, Annie B. .. ..	Sub.	..	..	[180]
			Benton, Cora C. . . . .	A	D	87	130
Pakowhai .. .. .	3A	51	Piper, George M. .. ..	H	D	72	220
			Ingleton, Elsie .. ..	A	D	..	130
Papatawa .. .. .	2	43	O'Donnell, William F. .. ..	H	Lic.	..	180½
			O'Donnell, Winifred .. ..	A	..	..	110
Patangata .. .. .	1	11	Harper, Elsie M. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Patoka .. .. .	2	19	Bayly, Gwladys. . . . .	S	C	82	140
Patutahi .. .. .	4A	124	Woodward, John C. .. ..	H	E	49	290
			Sadler, Dorothy .. ..	A	D	86	150
			Enting, Gretchen H. .. ..	A	..	..	110
			Vaughan, Mary .. ..	Pt3	..	..	65
Pehiri. . . . .	1	9	Mackay, Vera D. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Petane .. .. .	3A	73	Cockerill, William M. .. ..	H	D	62	230
			Webb, Elizabeth M. .. ..	A	..	..	110
Porangahau .. .. .	3A	45	Kemp, Stanley M. .. ..	H	C	60	235
			Hansard, Ethel A. (Mrs.) .. ..	A	..	..	130
Port Awanui .. .. .	1	12	Shanahan, Margaret (Mrs.) .. ..	S	..	..	110
Pouawa .. .. .	0	8	Brosnahan, Nellie E. .. ..	S	..	..	64
Puha .. .. .	3A	43	Hooper, Eva M. E. .. ..	H	C	54	225
			Martin, Magdalene J. F. (Mrs.) .. ..	A	D	..	130
Pukahu .. .. .	3A	39	Florance, Robert H. .. ..	H	C	63	220
			Secker, Phyllis Elvy .. ..	A	D	99	140
Puketapu .. .. .	3A	34	Jenkins, Alfred E. .. ..	H	D	71	210
			Clarke, Dorothy M. .. ..	A	..	..	117
Puketitiri .. .. .	1	21	Ward, Alfreda .. ..	S	..	..	110
Putorino .. .. .	1	14	O'Callaghan, Agnes J. C. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Rakauroa .. .. .	2	18	Mangan, Hugh H. .. ..	S	..	..	126
Raumati .. .. .	2	34	Jonason, Walter W. .. ..	S	D	91	150
Rissington .. .. .	1	18	Tuohy, Catherine .. ..	S	..	..	121½
Ruaroa .. .. .	2	36	Bell, Ruth A. .. ..	S	D	83	140
Ruataniwha .. .. .	2	42	McLellan, Grace Y. .. ..	H	D	61	190
			Campbell, Mary .. ..	A	..	..	110
Sherenden .. .. .	1	20	Lean, Gladys M. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Tahora .. .. .	0	4	Tribe, Gladys H. .. ..	S	..	..	24
Takapau .. .. .	3B	137	Caughley, James .. ..	H	C	45	250
			Enting, Selma A. E. .. ..	A	D	84	120
			Bloor, Mary .. ..	A	..	..	110
			Lawther, Grace K. .. ..	Pt1	..	..	35
Tangitere .. .. .	1	13	Torr, Dorothy .. ..	S	..	..	110
Tangoio .. .. .	0	5	Howson, Laura E. .. ..	S	..	..	32
Taradale (236) and Greenmeadows side school (46)	5B	282	Williamson, John (ii), B.A. .. ..	H	B	32	340
			Engelbretsen, John A. .. ..	A	B	64	250
			Coward, Alice M. .. ..	A	D	85	170
			Shugar, Carrie M. .. ..	A	D	93	140
			Chadwick, Eleanor .. ..	A	..	..	126
			Hough, Elizabeth (Mrs.) .. ..	Sub.	..	..	[110]
			Wilson, Louisa N. .. ..	A	D	98	130
			Price, Fanny .. ..	A	..	..	110
			Le Bas, Adeline E. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	65
Tarewa .. .. .	0	7	Agnew, Ethel M. .. ..	S	..	..	56
Te Arai .. .. .	4A	103	Param, Frederick T. .. ..	H	E	42	280
			Lowman, Elizabeth E. .. ..	A	D	88	160
			Priestley, Amelia .. ..	A	..	..	110
Te Hauke .. .. .	2	26	Meyer, Frances I. .. ..	S	C	69	190
Te Hua .. .. .	0	3	Hale, Janet .. ..	S	..	..	24
Te Karaka .. .. .	3B	100	Davidson, William (ii) .. ..	H	C	52	250
			Powell, Mabel H. .. ..	A	D	101	120
			Moloney, Margaret .. ..	A	..	..	110
Te Pohue .. .. .	1	18	Northe, Gwendolen .. ..	S	..	..	110
Te Puia Springs .. .. .	1	10	Ainsworth, Lilian A. J. .. ..	S	D	101	135
Te Rehunga .. .. .	3B	68	Coventry, Harry .. ..	H	D	57	240
			Greene, Margaret O. .. ..	A	D	99	120
Te Uri .. .. .	1	14	Ries, Maren B. L. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Tikokino .. .. .	3B	73	Eves, Charles A. .. ..	H	C	55	250
			Newland, Edwin J. .. ..	Sub.	D	..	[240]
			Bloor, Eunice .. ..	A	..	..	110
Tiniroto .. .. .	1	12	Walshe, Mary V. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Tipapakuku .. .. .	3A	64	Quigley, Sydney H. McG. .. ..	H	C	44	250
			McClure, Vida E. A. .. ..	A	D	78	140
Ti-tree Point .. .. .	1	12	Thomson, Kathleen .. ..	S	..	..	110

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Tokomaru Bay.. ..	3B	86	Parlane, Andrew .. ..	H	D	59	£ 240
			Dobbyn, Josephine .. ..	A	D	..	120
			Angus, Mary E. (Mrs.) .. ..	A	..	..	110
Tolaga Bay .. ..	3B	129	Miller, James (i) .. ..	H	E	54	250
			Murphy, Fanny M. .. ..	A	D	105	130
			Ellis, Lizzie G. S. .. ..	A	..	..	110
			Lincoln, Emma .. ..	Pt1	..	..	35
Tutira .. ..	1	12	Monaghan, Lucy M. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Twyford .. ..	3A	58	White, Janet A. .. ..	H	D	66	200
			Bain, Ida W. .. ..	A	D	96	140
Umutaoroa .. ..	2	23	Warner, Margaret (Mrs.) .. ..	S	D	84	170
Viewfield .. ..	1	13	Hammond, Rose .. ..	S	..	..	110
Wacengaahika .. ..	3A	57	Grigor, Janet P. .. ..	H	B	46	230
			Baird, Ellen M. .. ..	A	..	..	110
Waihau .. ..	0	3	Jeffares, Maud .. ..	S	..	..	24
Waikare .. ..	0	7	Bancroft, Gladys E. M. .. ..	S	..	..	40
Waikohu .. ..	1	16	Kennolly, Mary M. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Waimata Valley .. ..	0	11	Ray, Sydney P. .. ..	S	..	..	64
Waingake .. ..	1	15	Gasson, Myra M. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Waiomoko .. ..	0	6	Farrell, Eileen E. L. N. .. ..	S	..	..	48
Waipawa District High School— Primary (232), secondary (53)	5B	285	Smith, William (iii), B.A. .. ..	H	B	23	330
			Marsh, Louise M. .. ..	A	E	64	230
			Bradbury, Annie E. .. ..	A	D	74	170
			McKenzie, Janet C. McK. .. ..	A	C	81	150
			Milburn, Olive W. .. ..	A	C	91	130
			Smith, Eileen F. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Kerr, Evelyn C. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
			Keane, Jeremiah .. ..	D	C	54	..
			Livingstone, Fanny R., M.A. .. ..	D	B	72	..
Waipiro Bay .. ..	3A	54	Ellis, Harold L. .. ..	H	D	60	250
			Mead, Helen M. .. ..	A	..	..	110
Waipukurau .. ..	5B	312	Curd, Frank B. .. ..	H	B	24	340
			Menzies, David .. ..	A	C	69	270
			Smith, Jane (i) .. ..	A	C	86	150
			Noble, Annie C. .. ..	A	C	79	160
			Barrie, Thurza I. .. ..	A	C	91	130
			Judd, Rosina E. .. ..	A	D	101	120
			Milburn, Robert H. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	65
			Hartley, Doras P. .. ..	Pt2	..	..	45
			Olsen, Dorothy S. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
Wairoa .. ..	5A	251	Bowie, John, B.A. .. ..	H	B	30	340
			Rhodes, Lily (Mrs.) .. ..	A	..	..	171
			Brann, Grace L. .. ..	A	D	63	175
			Donnelly, Sarah .. ..	A	D	80	170
			Wilson, Annie .. ..	A	..	..	110
			McKenzie, Eva D. .. ..	A	..	..	110
			Neilson, Verna M. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
Waitio .. ..	0	5	Rice, Jessie .. ..	S	..	..	40
Wakarara .. ..	1	21	Pimley, Gertrude .. ..	S	..	..	110
Wallingford .. ..	1	17	Fell, Leslie .. ..	S	..	..	126
Wanstead .. ..	1	11	McNutt, Amelia .. ..	S	..	..	110
Weber .. ..	3A	42	Patrick, James E. .. ..	H	C	65	220
			Snadden, Honora E. (Mrs.) .. ..	A	..	..	110
Whakarau .. ..	1	9	MacKinnon, Laura M. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Wharekopae .. ..	0	11	Oldridge, Ida F. .. ..	S	..	..	117
Whatatutu .. ..	2	37	Hardy, Florence F. .. ..	S	C	90	140
Whetukura .. ..	2	32	Webber, Jane .. ..	S	D	68	150
Wigan .. ..	1	11	Mackintosh, Kate M. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Wimbledon .. ..	1	9	Greenshields, Eva (Mrs.) .. ..	S	..	..	117
Woodlands .. ..	3A	52	Stanton, Harold E. .. ..	H	D	61	210
			Woodley, Myrtle I. .. ..	A	..	..	110
Woodville District High School— Primary (328), secondary (24)	5C	352	Stevenson, Andrew .. ..	H	C	9	350
			Lawn, George .. ..	A	C	62	270
			Sheen, Lois H. .. ..	A	C	59	210
			Milne, Christina T. .. ..	A	C	69	190
			Stevenson, Helen .. ..	A	D	89	140
			Ingletton, Anastasia .. ..	A	..	..	110
			Dallas, Catherine H. .. ..	A	Lic.	..	110
			Gillespie, Greta G. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Macfarlane, Margaret R. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	65
			Travers, Ellen .. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
			Tooman, Elizabeth, B.A. .. ..	D	B	62	..
Total .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	57612½

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Akitio .. .. .	0	9	Nairn, Ellen .. .. .	S	..	..	£ 110
Alfredton .. .. .	2	18	Taylor, Francis H. .. .. .	S	Lic.	..	152
Ballance .. .. .	2	37	Ross, Hilda, B.A. .. .. .	S	B	90	140
Belvedere .. .. .	3A	49	Stout, Robert .. .. .	H	D	55	235
			Sellar, Margaret M. .. .. .	A	..	..	117
Berhampore (Wellington) .. .. .	6B	501	Bennett, Francis .. .. .	H	D	16	390
			Miller, Henry .. .. .	A	D	41	280
			Hurley, Irene N. .. .. .	A	C	50	210
			McLandress, Isabella, M.A. .. .. .	S	B	60	200
			Sparrow, Eva T., B.A. .. .. .	A	A	72	160
			Scott, Margaret C. .. .. .	A	D	75	150
			Ziman, Rachel L. L., B.A. .. .. .	A	B	70	140
			Gooder, Hazel N. .. .. .	A	D	93	120
			Cameron, Lilly I. .. .. .	A	C	89	110
			O'Meara, Eileen J. .. .. .	A	B	98	120
			Hind, Helen M. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	35
			Griffiths, Amy C. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	35
Bideford .. .. .	2	23	Kidd, Wilfred .. .. .	S	..	..	126
Black Rock .. .. .	0	6	McMahon, Olive .. .. .	S	..	..	40
Blenheim (489) and Redwoodtown side school (46)	7A	535	Low, Benjamin H., B.A., B.Sc. .. .. .	H	B	13	430
			Wedde, Albert A. .. .. .	A	D	44	330
			Brown, Mary M. .. .. .	A	D	44	250
			Wanden, Elizabeth W. .. .. .	A	E	64	250
			Wilkinson, Mary (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	E	60	210
			Gibson, Francis .. .. .	A	..	..	189
			Hilliard, Kathleen .. .. .	A	C	81	170
			Storey, Elsie E. .. .. .	A	..	..	126
			Brewer, Gertrude F. .. .. .	A	C	83	120
			Hilliard, Josephine .. .. .	A	C	93	120
			Rothwell, Leah E. .. .. .	A	C	98	120
			Murphy, Bernadette M. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55
			Jennings, Adelaide C. M. .. .. .	Pt2	..	..	60
			Cresswell, Phyllis M. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	35
			Stratford, Clarence F. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	60
Blind River .. .. .	0	7	Mallitte, Constance .. .. .	S	..	..	40
Branch Point .. .. .	0	5	Wemyss, Phyliss .. .. .	S	..	..	32
Brancott .. .. .	0	2	Burton, Barbara .. .. .	S	..	..	16
Brooklyn .. .. .	7C	677	Hopkirk, John B. .. .. .	H	C	15	430
			Hempleman, Frederick A. .. .. .	A	D	44	310
			Fitchett, Jessie H. .. .. .	A	C	50	250
			Thompson, Annie L. .. .. .	A	C	60	250
			Manning, William A. .. .. .	A	D	51	220
			Williams, Enid .. .. .	A	D	70	210
			Cook, Ada M. .. .. .	A	D	78	175
			Steedman, Mary M. J. .. .. .	A	D	91	140
			Look, Bertha R. (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	D	86	160
			Andrew, Florence E. .. .. .	A	C	95	120
			Ensor, Dorothy E. .. .. .	A	D	105	120
			McVicar, Flora A. .. .. .	A	D	105	120
			Pringle, Eileen M. .. .. .	A	C	98	110
			Willis, Ivy E. .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	55
			Howe, Clement W. P. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55
Bulwer .. .. .	0	7	Drew, Irene V. H. .. .. .	S	..	..	56
Canvastown .. .. .	3A	52	Dickinson, William E. .. .. .	H	C	81	200
			Wadsworth, Bertha E. .. .. .	A	D	73	140
Carluke .. .. .	3A	42	Reader, Guy H. .. .. .	H	C	64	220
			King, Isabel .. .. .	A	..	..	117
Carrington .. .. .	1	23	Duley, Edith D. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Carterton District High School—Primary (254), secondary (43)	5C	297	Cowles, Jabez A., B.A. .. .. .	H	B	20	340
			Baskiville, Walter C. L. .. .. .	A	D	65	240
			Broadbent, Mary A. .. .. .	A	D	53	210
			Braithwaite, Lilian B. .. .. .	A	E	60	210
			Armstrong, Mary C. .. .. .	A	C	92	140
			Diamond, Mary J. .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	65
			Osborne, Alice M. .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	55
			Aitchison, Elsie S. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	60
			Peters, Christina C. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	30
			Wilson, Marion K., M.A. .. .. .	D	A	45	..
			Haddrell, Olive V., M.A. .. .. .	D	B	64	..
Castlepoint .. .. .	1	16	Ahradsen, Gertrude M. (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	D	90	120
Clareville .. .. .	3A	54	Beechey, James M. .. .. .	H	D	50	250
			Moncrieff, Janet .. .. .	A	E	81	140

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Clyde Quay (Wellington) ..	7D	685	Foster, William H. L., M.A. ..	H	B	4	£ 440
			Mason, Francis A. ..	A	D	49	310
			Lea, Sarah E. B. ..	A	C	57	230
			Kane, Thomas ..	A	B	55	260
			Robinson, Alice ..	A	E	62	210
			Howden, Ada L. ..	A	D	69	190
			Park, Jean G. ..	A	D	82	160
			Godfrey, Grace L. ..	A	D	83	130
			Robertson, Hilma E. (Mrs.), B.A. ..	A	B	87	120
			Hunt, Winifred M. ..	A	D	96	120
			Crabb, Lillian L. ..	A	C	100	120
			Withers, Rose A. ..	A	C	96	120
			Trott, Jessie S. M. ..	A	D	99	120
			O'Connor, Eileen J. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Capper, Ethel F. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Wilson, Ella C. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
			Sutherland, Lillian J. ..	Pr1	..	..	35
			Williams, Christina ..	Pr1	..	..	30
Coniston .. ..	1	8	Hamilton, Jean A. ..	S	..	..	110
Coonoor .. ..	0	7	Milligan, Mabel M. ..	S	..	..	110
Cross Creek .. ..	3A	36	Blake, Charles M. ..	H	Lic.	..	199½
			Reyling, Kathleen R. ..	A	C	90	130
Dalefield .. ..	3A	42	Nightingale, Henry J., M.A. ..	H	A	47	230
			Hall, Lily E. ..	A	D	93	140
Deep Creek .. ..	3A	47	O'Sullivan, Agnes E. ..	H	C	65	200
			Burton, Catherine G. ..	A	..	..	110
Dillons Point .. ..	1	13	Clouston, Constance E. ..	S	..	..	110
Dreyer's Rock .. ..	1	12	Sprague, Hettie ..	S	..	..	110
Dyer .. ..	2	34	Robinson, Alice M. ..	S	..	..	144
Eastern Hutt .. ..	5B	304	McBain, Alexander ..	H	D	27	340
			Olson, Walter H. ..	A	D	59	250
			Meager, Ellen A. ..	A	D	73	180
			Crawford, Ruby M. ..	A	C	87	150
			Hurrell, Doris ..	A	C	96	130
			Lea, Norah ..	A	C	94	130
			Donkin, Catherine J. ..	A	D	103	120
			Yates, Otho H. E. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
Eketahuna District High School—	4B	161	Dempsey, Walter N. ..	H	D	40	290
Primary (137), secondary (24)			Skelley, Harriett M. ..	A	C	73	170
			Toohill, Maria H. ..	A	..	..	144
			Marenzi, Zara M. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Westlake, Amy E. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
			Lazarus, Frances ..	D	C	57	..
Eli Bay .. ..	1	9	Stratford, Mildred N. ..	S	..	..	117
Endeavour Inlet .. ..	1	9	Mead, Doris ..	S	..	..	110
Epuni .. ..	3A	72	Davidson, James ..	H	D	60	250
			Thompson, Laura E. ..	A	C	89	140
Fabian's Valley .. ..	0	5	Bonser, Ellen M. (Mrs.) ..	S	D	81	140
Fairhall .. ..	2	21	Smart, Lily M. (Mrs.) ..	S	E	62	160
Featherston .. ..	4B	206	Everton, Frederick C. ..	H	C	46	300
			Simons, Rose E. ..	A	D	83	150
			Banks, Catherine M. (Mrs.) ..	A	D	86	180
			Kilmartin, Kate ..	A	..	..	126
			Muir, Oswald ..	Pt2	..	..	60
			Welch, Doris E. ..	Pr1	..	..	55
Fernridge .. ..	3B	99	Combs, Frank L., M.A. ..	H	A	49	220
			Flood, Gertrude ..	A	D	73	130
			McKenzie, Ivy V. ..	A	D	102	120
Fitzroy Bay .. ..	0	4	Turner, Jessie M. M. (Mrs.) ..	S	..	..	32
Flat Creek .. ..	2	25	King, Geoffrey J. ..	S	B	82	150
Four-fathom Bay .. ..	0	5	Jermyn, Marjorie ..	S	..	..	40
French Pass .. ..	1	14	Moore, Bertha H. ..	S	..	..	117
Gladstone .. ..	3A	39	Miller, Olga J. (Mrs.) ..	H	D	63	200
			Torr, Eva ..	A	D	98	120
Grassmere .. ..	1	16	Hilliard, Madelene ..	S	..	..	110
Greytown District High School and	5A	243	Davies, William C. ..	H	D	22	320
side school—Greytown primary			Romans, Louisa A. H. ..	A	D	86	190
(216), Greytown secondary (12),			Davis, Amy G. ..	A	E	73	180
side school (15)			Armstrong, Doris G. ..	A	C	84	150
			Freeman, Annie E. ..	A	..	..	117
			Simpson, Ada E. D. ..	A	D	..	120
			McCracken, Coila C. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Tully, Stella F. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
			Junker, Fritzena E. D. ..	D	B	..	..

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							£
Grovetown .. .. .	3B	69	Hill, Hollis J. .. ..	H	C	58	250
Hakahaka .. .. .	0	1	Ladley, Ada B. E. .. ..	A	C	73	140
Hamua .. .. .	3A	43	Daken, Mary E. (Mrs.) .. ..	S	..	..	16
Hastwell .. .. .	3A	36	Barnett, John .. ..	H	D	57	220
			Fouhy, Alice (Mrs.) .. ..	A	C	77	160
			Harrison, Jane M. (Mrs.) .. ..	H	E	64	210
			Barnes, Emily J. (Mrs.) .. ..	A	Lic.	..	153
Hataitai (side school). See under Rosenneath.							
Havelock .. .. .	3A	81	Barrowclough, Alfred E., M.A., B.C.E.	H	A	38	235
			O'Connor, Teresa M. .. ..	A	..	..	126
Havelock Suburban .. .. .	1	16	Arthur, Marewa M. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Hilliersden .. .. .	1	18	Mason, Eva .. ..	S	..	..	117
Hinemoa .. .. .	1	7	Cleghorn, Bessie E. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Horoeke .. .. .	1	18	Weitzel, Henrietta M. .. ..	S	D	96	135
Hukanui .. .. .	3A	43	Anderson, Wigo .. ..	H	E	56	240
			Eastwood, Emma G. .. ..	A	D	94	120
Hutt District High School—Pri- mary (485), secondary (27)	6B	512	Burns, Andrew N., M.A. .. ..	H	A	4	430
			Robertson, David .. ..	A	C	41	280
			Williams, Ethel (i), B.A. .. ..	A	B	54	250
			Meager, Clara .. ..	A	E	68	250
			Melody, William J. .. ..	A	C	62	230
			McLeod, David, M.A., B.Sc. .. ..	A	B	69	210
			Young, Mabel F. .. ..	A	D	83	170
			McKay, Sophia A. F. C. .. ..	A	C	99	120
			Ongley, Esther E. .. ..	A	..	..	110
			Adams, Joseph W. T. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Burns, Verna M. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Bedingfield, Esther B. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
			McCaw, Agnes C. A. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
			Myers, Phoebe, B.A. .. ..	D	B	47	..
Ihuraa Valley .. .. .	2	25	Curtis, Vera I. .. ..	S	..	..	126
Island Bay .. .. .	5D	430	Thwaites, John E., M.A. .. ..	H	B	33	320
			Prichard, Herbert D. .. ..	A	C	49	270
			Acheson, Catherine E. A. .. ..	A	C	52	220
			Dempsey, Kate .. ..	A	C	54	210
			Mallabarr, Sophia .. ..	A	D	88	130
			McCarrison, Ellen .. ..	A	C	97	120
			Mackay, Emma A. (Mrs.) .. ..	A	C	87	110
			Rhodes, Percy H. .. ..	A	..	..	110
			Clifford, David .. ..	Pt1	..	..	55
			Hind, Queenie M. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
			Ivory, Alice E. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
Johnsonville(229) and side school (22)	5A	251	Bethune, Finlay .. ..	H	D	24	340
			Grant, Colin C. .. ..	A	B	72	200
			Evans, Ada H. .. ..	A	E	74	180
			Baker, Sybil E. .. ..	A	D	61	170
			Stansell, Florence E. .. ..	A	..	..	135
			White, Angusina .. ..	A	D	83	140
			Whitwell, Rebecca L. .. ..	A	D	101	120
			Hagan, Catherine M. .. ..	Pt1	..	..	55
			Pattle, Edna M. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
Jordan .. .. .	0	7	Clunies-Ross, I. C. .. ..	S	..	..	48
Judgeford .. .. .	1	11	Balding, Laura (Mrs.) .. ..	S	D	81	140
Kahautara .. .. .	2	31	Bodell, Florence A. .. ..	S	D	72	150
Kaiparoro .. .. .	2	28	Carson, Frederick G. .. ..	S	..	..	157½
Kaitara .. .. .	2	23	Bewley, Daisy R. (Mrs.) .. ..	S	D	71	150
Kaitawa .. .. .	2	22	Shand, Florence J. .. ..	S	Lic.	..	133
Kaitoke .. .. .	1	12	Rains, Catherine M. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Kaituna (Marlborough) .. .. .	1	18	Murphy, Christine .. ..	S	..	..	135
Kaituna .. .. .	2	31	Kelleher, Caroline H. .. ..	S	D	62	180
Kaiwairai .. .. .	3A	46	Williams, John F. .. ..	H	C	56	220
			Tankersley, Iris .. ..	A	C	97	120
Kaiwarra .. .. .	3B	100	Pope, Robert J. .. ..	H	D	50	250
			Dalrymple, Amelia A. (Mrs.) .. ..	A	E	76	160
			Arthur, May .. ..	A	D	95	120
Kakapou Bay .. .. .	0	4	Guard, Rachel .. ..	S	..	..	48
Kakarik .. .. .	2	23	Gallop, Eliza E. .. ..	S	..	..	126
Karap * .. .. .	1	19	O'Donnell, Nora B. .. ..	S	D	102	140
Karor .. .. .	5A	263	McKenzie, Alexander (i) .. ..	H	C	23	320
			Edwards, Dorothy L. W. .. ..	A	D	69	190
			Cooper, Ethel R. .. ..	A	D	72	150
			Pindor, Constance M. .. ..	A	C	92	150
			Caigou, Melba F. .. ..	A	C	93	120
			Richmond, Marietta D. .. ..	A	C	100	110
			Aplin, Grace M. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	60

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Kekerangu .. .. .	1	12	Paine, Ivy .. .. .	S	..	..	£ 110
Khandallah .. .. .	3B	104	Jenkins, David H. .. .. .	H	D	78	250
			Haggett, Doris E. .. .. .	A	C	89	130
			Fairbrother, Doris .. .. .	A	D	..	110
Kilbirnie .. .. .	5C	346	Worboys, Joseph H. .. .. .	H	C	25	360
			Feltham, Edgar C. .. .. .	A	C	64	270
			Benzoni, Frances E. S. .. .. .	A	D	60	190
			Gore, Mary E. .. .. .	A	D	94	190
			Finlayson, Catherine H. .. .. .	A	C	84	140
			Chatwin, Fanny M. .. .. .	A	C	86	140
			White, Ella D. .. .. .	A	C	96	120
			Parkinson, Winifred E. .. .. .	Pt2	..	..	45
			Gray, Ethel M. .. .. .	Pt1	..	..	55
			Matthews, Erica M. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	35
Kohiku .. .. .	0	7	Hamilton, Irene .. .. .	S	..	..	[ 56
Kohinui .. .. .	2	15	Welsh, Margaret M. (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	D	80	150
Konini .. .. .	3A	62	Britland, Walter .. .. .	H	D	50	240
			Warren, Minnow F. I. .. .. .	A	E	86	140
Kopuaranga .. .. .	2	31	Campbell, Kathleen .. .. .	S	C	58	220
Koputaroa (71) and side school (23)	3A	94	Forsyth, Donald, E. .. .. .	H	C	54	225
			Winge, Aziyadee .. .. .	A	..	..	110
			Andrews, Honoria L. .. .. .	A	..	..	110
Korokoro North .. .. .	3A	53	Fellingham, Marjory U. .. .. .	H	E	69	200
			Rose, Florence .. .. .	A	D	99	140
Koromiko .. .. .	2	28	Howard, Kate A. (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	D	50	210
Korora .. .. .	1	15	Batt, Charles A. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Lansdowne .. .. .	5A	289	Drummond, Robert .. .. .	H	D	21	340
			Gordon, Charles S. .. .. .	A	C	67	200
			Thorpe, Caroline E. (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	Lic.	..	180½
			Haggett, Gladys E. E. .. .. .	A	D	63	180
			Atkinson, Mary E. .. .. .	A	D	86	170
			Wiesner, Hermine L. .. .. .	S	D	90	120
			Madeley, Ethel M. .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	55
			Langdon, Gladys K. .. .. .	Pt1	..	..	55
			Anderson, Ida E. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	30
Leefield .. .. .	0	2	Atkinson, May O. .. .. .	S	..	..	16
Levin District High School—	7A	567	McIntyre, James .. .. .	H	D	28	420
Primary (524), secondary (43)			Harding, Albert J. .. .. .	A	C	37	320
			Hitchcock, Mary L. .. .. .	A	C	57	240
			Connor, James .. .. .	A	C	60	260
			Jones, Howard J. .. .. .	A	D	71	220
			Smith, Sarah E. (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	D	63	220
			Bartholomew, Maxwell S. (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	C	81	200
			Beckett, Shirley .. .. .	A	C	96	120
			Adkin, Ethel M., B.A. .. .. .	A	B	..	110
			Malcolm, Marjorie .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55
			Muir, May I. .. .. .	Pt2	..	..	45
			Palmer, Alice A. .. .. .	Pt1	..	..	55
			Rockel, Cecil F. . . . .	D	B	66	..
			Cathie, Winifred A., M.A. . . . .	D	A	68	..
Linkwater .. .. .	2	23	Heffer, Dorothy G. .. .. .	S	D	85	160
Longbush .. .. .	2	23	Green, Marion (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	D	83	140
Makairo .. .. .	1	14	Thompson, James E. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Makomako .. .. .	2	20	Gibbes, Eva (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	..	..	126
Makara .. .. .	1	11	Smith, John A. (ii) .. .. .	S	D	73	150
Makerua .. .. .	2	29	Eggleton, Ada L. .. .. .	S	D	80	180
Makuri .. .. .	2	25	Parsons, May A. .. .. .	S	D	95	140
Manakau .. .. .	3B	83	Mickle, Paul A. D. .. .. .	H	C	52	240
			Mickle, Eulalie (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	..	..	110
			Greig, Agnes M. . . . .	A	..	..	110
Manaroa .. .. .	0	4	Godsiff, Natalie L. (Mrs.) . . . . .	S	..	..	32
Mangahao .. .. .	0	10	Procter, Ida D. T. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Mangamahoe .. .. .	1	13	Howell, Annie M. (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	E	..	110
Mangamaire .. .. .	2	15	Clifford, Olive I. .. .. .	S	D	96	140
Mangaono .. .. .	1	17	Packer, Hilda .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Mangapakeha .. .. .	0	6	Schofield, Edith A. .. .. .	S	..	..	48
Mangarama .. .. .	2	21	Tew, Winifred E. H. .. .. .	S	D	61	160
Mangaroa .. .. .	2	25	Gunn, Elizabeth M. .. .. .	S	D	73	160
Mangatainoka .. .. .	3B	94	Thompson, Frederick G. .. .. .	H	C	54	240
			Hughan, Jessie (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	E	77	160
			Cade, Katherine .. .. .	A	..	..	110
Manuhara .. .. .	1	13	Souness, Grace N. .. .. .	S	..	..	117
Mara .. .. .	1	8	Moloney, John .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Marama .. .. .	1	14	Greig, Arthur G. .. .. .	S	C	77	190

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	
Maranui .. .. .	7A	593	Blake, Alexander C. .. .. .	H	B	12	£ 410	
			Arcus, Laurence H. .. .. .	A	D	54	310	
			Roberts, Florence G., B.A. ..	A	B	49	230	
			Gaze, Frederick J. .. .. .	A	C	65	250	
			Webb, Hilda M. . . . .	A	C	69	190	
			Hind, Florence M. .. .. .	A	B	67	190	
			Hargreaves, Lizzie .. .. .	A	D	78	150	
			Smylie, Wilhelmina .. .. .	A	D	99	130	
			Gilpin, Ann S. . . . .	A	D	98	120	
			Gibb, Muriel B. . . . .	A	..	..	110	
			McDonald, Jane C. .. .. .	A	C	..	110	
			Nutsford, Hazel. . . . .	Pt4	..	..	55	
			Beggs, Vera E. R. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55	
			Nielsen, Engelhardt R. B. ..	Pr2	..	..	60	
			Blake, Norma R. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	35	
Marathon .. .. .	1	11	Woodhouse, Ivy G. .. .. .	S	..	..	117	
Marina .. .. .	1	18	Martin, Rachel (i) .. .. .	S	..	..	110	
Marlboroughtown .. .. .	3A	72	O'Connor, Maurice J. .. ..	H	C	48	230	
			Cheek, Dorothy M. .. .. .	A	C	90	130	
			Mills, Eileen M. . . . .	Pr2	..	..	35	
Marshlands .. .. .	2	27	Jones, Sarah J. (Mrs.) .. ..	S	D	55	180	
Martinborough .. .. .	4B	203	Edie, John K. . . . .	H	B	35	290	
			Ralph, George H. .. .. .	A	C	84	200	
			Clarke, Mary A. C. .. .. .	A	C	78	160	
			Hall, Ethel B. . . . .	A	..	..	117	
			Nicol, Dorothy I. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55	
Masterton District High School and side school—Primary (638), secondary (85), side school (162)	7G	885	Jackson, William H. .. .. .	H	D	11	430	
			Leslie, David E. .. .. .	A	C	32	330	
			Finlayson, Janet A. .. .. .	A	C	45	240	
			Goldsman, George J. .. .. .	A	B	54	270	
			Wilkinson, Isabella A. (Mrs.) ..	A	D	63	210	
			Munro, Isabella (ii) .. .. .	A	D	61	210	
			McGregor, Lois .. .. .	A	D	73	180	
			York, Mary .. .. .	A	Lic.	..	133	
			Hogg, Felicitas M. F. .. .. .	A	D	92	120	
			Elliott, Evelyn M. .. .. .	A	C	90	120	
			Atkinson, Agnes A. .. .. .	A	D	96	120	
			Sellar, Jeanie E. .. .. .	A	C	99	120	
			Sutherland, Olive R., M.A. ..	A	A	87	120	
			Jackson, Dorothea E. .. .. .	A	C	87	120	
			Murray, Mary E. E., B.A. . . .	A	B	93	120	
			McLennan, Annie M. .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	65	
			Perry, Lucy M. . . . .	Pt2	..	..	60	
			Tait, Catherine L. .. .. .	Pt1	..	..	55	
			Stoddart, Annie F. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	60	
			Collier, Fanny I. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	55	
			Bee, John G., M.A. .. .. .	D	A	48	..	
			Brown, Alexandra M., B.A. ..	D	D	66	..	
			McKenzie, Mary B., M.A. . . .	D	A	81	..	
Matahiwi .. .. .	2	17	Freeman, Jessie A. .. .. .	S	D	73	180	
Matarawa .. .. .	2	28	McGregor, Grace E. .. .. .	S	D	71	150	
Mauriceville .. .. .	3A	36	Harrison, Ada .. .. .	H	E	72	200	
			Grierson, Ethel F. .. .. .	A	..	..	110	
Mauriceville West .. .. .	2	37	Engstrom, Ellen M. (Mrs.) ..	S	Lic.	..	133	
Mikimiki .. .. .	2	24	Woodley, Rosanna (Mrs.) ..	S	E	78	150	
Miramar side school. See Worser Bay.								
Mitchelltown side school. See under Te Aro.								
Mount Cook Boys' (Wellington) ..	5C	349	Bary, Charles .. .. .	H	D	24	360	
			Blake, Bertie N. T., M.A. ..	A	A	47	270	
			Cook, Eleanor N. .. .. .	A	D	60	210	
			Messenger, Ernestina R. G. ..	A	C	70	160	
			Magill, Maggie E. .. .. .	A	D	92	140	
			Jones, Sarah G. (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	D	80	160	
			Gamage, Jessie (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	D	85	120	
			Munro, Martha C. .. .. .	A	D	98	120	
Mount Cook Girls' (Wellington) ..	5B	287	Piggford, Mary H. .. .. .	H	D	32	270	
			Dale, Annabella S., B.A. ..	A	B	69	190	
			Stevens, Winifred L. .. .. .	A	D	76	160	
			Ryan, Beatrice S. .. .. .	A	C	80	150	
			Chatwin, Georgina B. .. .. .	A	C	87	130	
			Raikes, Helen M. .. .. .	A	C	94	110	
			Harries, Eunice A. K. .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	65	
			Hampton, Doris V. M. .. .. .	Pt2	..	..	60	
			Josephs, Jessie .. .. .	Pt2	..	..	60	
			Dorgan, Beatrice .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	35	

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Mount Cook Infants' (Wellington)	5c	325	Watson, Phoebe .. ..	H	E	47	£ 290
			Wallace, Ellen .. ..	A	D	65	210
			Howden, Jessie E. ..	A	D	76	170
			Cross, Alice M. .. ..	A	D	66	180
			Feist, Hannah E. ..	A	C	85	140
			Sievwright, Mary H., B.A.	A	B	88	120
			Marsden, Vera (Mrs.) ..	A	D	97	120
			Hammond, Gladys M., B.A.	A	B	93	120
Muhunoa East .. ..	1	15	Arcus, Ellen J. (Mrs.) ..	S <sup>1</sup>	E	85	120
Muritai .. ..	3B	151	Sanson, Herbert .. ..	H	D	56	240
			Cooke, Alice B. .. ..	A	D	73	130
			Roughton, Edna G. V. ..	A	D	105	120
			Owen, Christina O. ..	Pt2	..	..	60
Newman .. ..	3A	37	Best, Thornton R. ..	H	D	60	225
			Evans, Winifred E. ..	A	..	..	117
Newtown (Wellington) ..	7F	787	Parkinson, Henry A., M.A.	H	B	7	440
			Burns, John C., M.A. ..	A	B	37	330
			Dowdeswell, Adelaide A. ..	A	D	45	250
			Ward, Edward H. .. ..	A	D	60	270
			Hayes, Amy L. .. ..	A	D	60	200
			Bisset, Elizabeth A. ..	A	D	73	190
			Youngson, Mary G. ..	A	D	87	150
			Martin, Edith .. ..	A	D	92	120
			Kerr, Kate F. .. ..	A	B	82	120
			Neumann, Monica M. ..	A	B	88	120
			Morgan, Kathleen .. ..	A	D	83	120
			McManus, Mary E. ..	A	..	..	110
			Carrick, Margaret A. ..	A	C	95	120
			Bird, Grace E. .. ..	A	C	96	110
			Wilson, Constance M. ..	Pt4	..	..	65
			Bryne, Norman A. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	65
			Hall, Walter J. .. ..	Pt2	..	..	45
			Hislop, Isabella .. ..	Pt1	..	..	55
			Beckley, Gladys Eleanor ..	Pr1	..	..	30
Ngaio .. ..	4A	138	Clark, William Henry ..	H	D	42	270
			Whitcombe, Minnie A. ..	A	D	72	160
			McGowan, Mary .. ..	A	B	87	140
			Kennedy, William R. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Willcock, Lilian A. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
Ngaturi .. ..	1	14	Wallis, William A. ..	S	..	..	135
Nikau .. ..	1	10	White, Minnie J. .. ..	S	..	..	135
Nireaha .. ..	3A	71	Hall, Henry G. .. ..	H	C	56	210
			Morrison, Margaret ..	A	..	..	117
			Martin, Nora P. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
Nopera Bay .. ..	1	18	Scott, Helen .. ..	S	..	..	126
Normal District High School and four model schools (at Training College), and Kelburn Infants' side school—Normal primary (318); Model schools—Type (i), rural (28); type (ii), junior P-S 2 (39); type (iii), secondary (20); type (v), Junior Kindergarten (average not reckoned), children under 5 years of age; Kelburn Infants' side school (184)	7B	589	Webb, James C., B.A. ..	H	B	7	475
			Kidson, George R. .. ..	N	B	34	360
			Maitland, Winifred G. ..	N	..	..	310
			Hall, Alice L. .. ..	N	D	43	310
			Hitchcock, Maria .. ..	N	D	42	280
			Anderson, Bonafacius ..	N	C	48	280
			Taylor, Grace A. (Mrs.), B.A.	N	B	60	250
			Fallows, Mary R. E. ..	N	D	70	210
			Thornton, Marion G. ..	N	C	64	210
			Garnham, Grace .. ..	N	C	69	210
			Little, Isabel D. B. ..	N	C	67	200
			Hursthouse, Dorothea ..	N	..	..	190
			Hunter, Dorothy (Mrs.) ..	N	..	..	240
			Tamblyn, Joseph, M.A. ..	N(S)	B	30	330
			Sinclair, Mary A., B.A. ..	N(D)	B	33	..
			Armitage, Rose E. .. ..	N	D	69	210
Normandale .. ..	2	21	Aitchison, Evelyn R. ..	S	D	85	140
Northland .. ..	4B	175	Polson, Donald .. ..	H	C	41	280
			Mackellar, Jeanie L. ..	A	D	71	180
			Morcom, Annie E. .. ..	A	C	87	150
			Johnston, Janet S. .. ..	A	C	94	120
			Johnston, William D. ..	Pt2	..	..	45
			McKay, Doris J. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
Nydia Bay .. ..	1	11	Trischler, Eleanor .. ..	S	..	..	110
Ocean Bay .. ..	3A	45	Eager, Edward F., M.A. ..	H	B	52	250
			Crump, Aloha .. ..	A	..	..	126
Ohana .. ..	0	3	Kassy, G. .. ..	S	..	..	24
Ohariu .. ..	3A	52	Dallaston, Charles W. ..	H	C	53	235
			Best, Sarah E. .. ..	A	D	98	130

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hau .. .. .	3B	93	Henderson, George M., B.A.	H	B	49	£ 250
			Hayes, Ellen V. . . . .	A	C	77	140
			Campbell, Mary L. . . . .	A	D	..	120
Okaramio .. .. .	2	27	Coward, Adelina M. . . . .	S	C	75	150
Omaka .. .. .	1	13	Healy, Annie . . . . .	S	..	..	126
Onamalutu .. .. .	1	15	Martyn, Annie P. . . . .	S	..	..	110
Onauku .. .. .	1	10	Watson, Jessie (Mrs.) . . . . .	S	..	..	117
Opaki .. .. .	2	22	Marryatt, Florence M. . . . .	S	D	69	190
Opouri Valley .. .. .	1	9	Watson, Henry .. . . .	S	..	..	110
Otaki .. .. .	4B	167	Smith, William B. . . . .	H	D	32	300
			Gray, Catherine .. . . .	A	C	70	175
			Cumpsty, Charles E. . . . .	A	..	..	155
			Miller, Edith P. . . . .	A	D	94	140
			Waghorn, Reginald J. . . . .	Pt1	..	..	55
Otaki (Marlborough) .. .. .	0	5	Morrison, Mary .. . . .	S	..	..	40
Paekakariki .. .. .	3A	50	Cooper, Henry Thomas . . . . .	H	D	59	220
			Campbell, Jessie . . . . .	A	..	..	117
Pahautanui .. .. .	3A	35	Pinhey, Ellen G. . . . .	H	C	60	220
			Power, Mary Evelyn . . . . .	A	D	91	140
Pahiatua District High School— Primary (20), secondary (36)	4C	245	Chatwin, George W. . . . .	H	C	18	320
			Scott, William W. . . . .	A	E	68	240
			Ritchie, Annie M. . . . .	A	C	69	175
			Pattle, Kate A. . . . .	A	D	81	160
			Hewat, Margaret F. . . . .	A	D	97	130
			Reader, Ella R. . . . .	Pt3	..	..	65
			McCardle, Doris M. . . . .	Pr2	..	..	35
			Ball, Elizabeth .. . . .	Pr1	..	..	30
			Reese, Marion, B.A. (ii) . . . . .	D	B	57	..
			McHardie, Winifred E., B.A. . . . .	D	B	65	..
Paraparaumu .. .. .	3A	78	Vaughan, Frederick T. . . . .	H	D	56	240
			Neumann, Alice M. . . . .	A	D	86	140
Parkvale .. .. .	3A	57	Brockett, Frederick C. . . . .	H	C	62	230
			Stephens, Ethel I. . . . .	A	D	93	140
Patuki .. .. .	0	4	Woodhouse, Christina E. . . . .	S	..	..	40
Pelorus Bridge .. .. .	2	23	Mapp, Elsie M. . . . .	S	..	..	135
Petone District High School— Primary (701), secondary (55)	7E	756	Haslam, Charles N., B.A. . . . .	H	B	18	410
			King, Eustace, M.A., B.Sc. . . . .	A	B	38	330
			Slater, Jemima .. . . .	A	D	45	250
			Stanton, Elizabeth A. . . . .	A	D	58	230
			Suisted, Florence M. A. . . . .	A	D	..	190
			Thomson, Isabel S. M. . . . .	A	C	74	190
			Udy, Linda A. . . . .	A	C	70	150
			Hitchings, Gladys M. N. . . . .	A	C	96	120
			Blacker, Henrietta . . . . .	A	C	95	120
			Scott, Isabelle .. . . .	A	D	..	120
			Kydd, Maude .. . . .	A	..	..	110
			Castle, Constance W. M. . . . .	A	..	..	110
			Hughes, Maggie .. . . .	A	..	..	110
			Dyer, Grace A. . . . .	Pt3	..	..	55
			Bird, Arthur E. . . . .	Pt3	..	..	55
			Hunter, Eileen M. . . . .	Pr2	..	..	35
			Matthews, Dulcie E. . . . .	Pr1	..	..	30
			Udy, Sylvia V. . . . .	Pr1	..	..	30
			Lynskey, James H., B.A. . . . .	D	B	41	..
			Braddock, Catherine C., M.A. . . . .	D	A	88	..
Petone West (299) and side school (131)	6A	430	Bedingfield, Douglas S., B.A. . . . .	H	B	15	370
			Stephens, James T. O. . . . .	A	B	52	280
			Carter, Elsie (i) .. . . .	A	C	57	210
			Ogg, James, B.A. . . . .	A	B	62	210
			Stanton, Alice J. . . . .	A	C	69	150
			Haldane, Minnie . . . . .	A	D	89	140
			D'Emden, Amy I. . . . .	A	D	100	140
			Hare, Janet C., B.A. . . . .	A	B	98	110
			Davis, Annie E. . . . .	A	D	105	120
			Morris, Isabel N. C. . . . .	Pt4	..	..	55
			Ogg, Amy A. . . . .	Pt1	..	..	35
			Bird, Alfred W. . . . .	Pr1	..	..	30
Picton .. .. .	4A	163	Robinson, Herbert J. . . . .	H	D	37	310
			Macalister, Ria .. . . .	A	D	74	180
			Macalister, Itta .. . . .	A	C	74	170
			Harris, Margaret M. . . . .	A	C	84	130
			Wilkinson, Archibald W. . . . .	Pt2	..	..	60

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							£
Pinohia .. .. .	0	5	Cave, E. .. .. .	S	..	..	48
Pirinoa .. .. .	2	26	Preece, (Olive) W. .. .. .	S	..	..	135
Plimmerton .. .. .	3A	49	Iorns, (Olive) E. .. .. .	H	C	63	200
			Bland, Elsie M. .. .. .	A	B	86	120
Ponatahi .. .. .	2	17	Hurren, Mary P. .. .. .	S	D	70	160
Pongaroa .. .. .	3A	60	Gregory, Frederick W. .. .. .	H	D	78	240
			Isles, Flora M. .. .. .	A	D	101	140
Pori .. .. .	0	7	Gregory, K. .. .. .	S	..	..	64
Porirua .. .. .	3B	99	Bennett, William D. .. .. .	H	C	52	240
			Taylor, Lillias O. .. .. .	A	D	71	140
			Waters, Annie A. B. .. .. .	A	D	105	120
Poroporo .. .. .	1	14	Scott, Maragret M. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Portage .. .. .	0	6	Burton, Margaret M. .. .. .	S	..	..	48
Port Gore .. .. .	0	5	Clode, William H. .. .. .	S	..	..	40
Pukehinau .. .. .	2	28	Dagg, Evaline E. .. .. .	S	D	79	150
Puketea Bay .. .. .	1	8	Lehrke, Veronica .. .. .	S	..	..	117
Puketoi .. .. .	2	18	Leighton, Mary J. (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	E	78	190
Putara .. .. .	1	16	Clarke, Marie A. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Rakaunui .. .. .	2	17	Tregurtha, Richard H. .. .. .	S	..	..	126
Rangitumau .. .. .	2	15	Bartlett, Constance .. .. .	S	B	82	140
Rapaura .. .. .	3A	36	Oldham, Hedley .. .. .	H	D	48	240
			Williams, Beatrice M. K. .. .. .	A	..	..	126
Redwoodtown (side school). See under Blenheim.							
Reikiorangi .. .. .	2	32	Rockel, Felix E. S. .. .. .	S	D	70	220
Renwick .. .. .	3A	75	Haughey, James .. .. .	H	D	47	240
			Nevison, Isabella .. .. .	A	D	96	140
Resolution Bay .. .. .	0	8	Woodhouse, K. .. .. .	S	..	..	56
Riverlands .. .. .	3A	33	Chapman, Florence M. .. .. .	S	C	63	210
Rocks .. .. .	0	3	Dalziel, Agnes .. .. .	S	..	..	24
Ronga Valley .. .. .	1	15	Woulfe, Kathleen .. .. .	S	..	..	126
Rongokokako .. .. .	3A	41	Warwick, Robert S. .. .. .	H	C	71	220
			Wallis, Minnie F. .. .. .	A	C	..	120
Rongomai .. .. .	2	22	Thomson, Beatrice M. A. (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	..	..	144
Roseneath (155) and Hataitai side school (124)	5A	289	Darroch, Robert .. .. .	H	D	29	320
			Davidson, Jessie L. .. .. .	A	D	63	210
			Bird, Florence R. .. .. .	A	E	76	170
			Tasker, Kate L. .. .. .	A	B	77	150
			Cumberworth, Dorothy M. .. .. .	A	C	94	130
			Hobday, Elsie P. .. .. .	A	D	..	120
			McColl, Rita .. .. .	A	..	..	110
			Mutter, Nell D. A. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	35
			Emerson, Elsie M. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	30
Ruawhata .. .. .	2	22	Frayne, Lenora J., B.A. .. .. .	S	B	71	160
St. Lawrence .. .. .	0	7	Clark, Muriel M. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Saratoga Bay .. .. .	1	9	McKinlay, May .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Saunders Road .. .. .	1	16	Harnett, Helen M. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Scarborough .. .. .	3A	58	Bringans, John .. .. .	H	C	48	240
			Burge, Agnes H. .. .. .	A	D	83	140
Seatoun (side school). See under Worsley Bay.							
Scarborough Run .. .. .	0	3	Braddock, Ella M. .. .. .	S	..	..	24
Sea View .. .. .	1	11	Snowdon, E. M. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Seddon .. .. .	3A	59	Best, Frank D. .. .. .	H	D	59	225
			Young, Esther .. .. .	A	..	..	126
Shannon .. .. .	5A	286	Voysey, William .. .. .	H	D	31	330
			Tremewan, Maurice A. .. .. .	A	C	73	190
			Harvey, Charlotte T. .. .. .	A	C	77	170
			Daniell, Myra D. .. .. .	A	B	95	150
			Hardy, Minnie .. .. .	A	D	..	120
			Kempton, Aileen E. .. .. .	Pt2	..	..	60
			Dillon, Kathleen F. .. .. .	Pt2	..	..	60
South Featherston .. .. .	3A	75	Fieldhouse, Joseph H. .. .. .	H	C	55	220
South Wellington .. .. .	7B	730	Burbush, Margaret A. .. .. .	A	D	87	140
			Thomas, Joseph .. .. .	H	C	12	410
			Ballachey, Ernest H., B.A. .. .. .	A	B	35	310
			Petrie, Flora .. .. .	A	D	45	250
			Cooper, Emily M. .. .. .	A	D	50	230
			Kean, Euphemia R. .. .. .	A	D	83	190
			Jackson, Patrick M. .. .. .	A	C	70	240
			Davies, Annie .. .. .	A	Lic.	..	171

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Tinui .. .. .	2	27	Sutton, Henry .. ..	S	D	68	£ 190
Tira Ora .. ..	0	5	Black, Mary A. (Mrs.) ..	S	..	..	40
Tokomaru .. ..	3B	123	Webb, James S. .. ..	H	C	47	250
			Tuely, Catherine B. ..	A	D	75	140
			Straiton, Mary G. ..	A	..	..	110
			Harvey, Barbara H. ..	Pr1	..	..	55
Tuamarina .. ..	3A	60	Fisher, Horace R. ..	H	D	48	250
			Campbell, Frances ..	A	C	84	140
Ugbrooke .. ..	0	10	O'Sullivan, Mary G. ..	SJ	..	..	110
Upper Hutt .. ..	5B	325	Connell, Frederick W. ..	H	D	40	340
			Bowie, William S. ..	A	C	60	250
			Paul, Ellen .. ..	A	E	72	180
			Brown, Winifred E. ..	A	D	75	170
			Boyd, Kate R. .. ..	A	D	97	130
			Duggan, Evelyn E. ..	A	C	83	140
			Thompson, Clarice V. ..	A	D	..	120
			Blair, Robina R. R. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
			Brown, Jean D. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
Upton Downs .. ..	0	3	Simpson, Lily P. .. ..	S	..	..	32
Wadestown (85), and side (99) ..	4B	184	Joplin, Charles R. ..	H	D	41	295
			Battersby, Margaret N. ..	A	D	73	175
			Evans, Eurfryn .. ..	A	B	84	150
			Fellingham, Rebecca ..	A	E	88	140
			Garrey, Agnes .. ..	D	C	95	120
			Tebbs, Alice C. .. ..	A	D	..	110
			Woodhouse, Alice F. M. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
Waihakeke .. ..	3A	36	Matthews, Laura .. ..	H	D	50	220
			Robinson, Lillie I. F. ..	A	D	98	140
Waihoanga .. ..	2	23	Edmed, Mildred C. ..	S	C	79	140
Waihoki .. ..	0	7	O'Leary, Cornelius N. ..	S	..	..	48
Waikakaho .. ..	0	3	Gibson, Olive .. ..	S	..	..	24
Waikanae .. ..	3A	56	Rodgers, John .. ..	H	C	58	240
			Hurrell, Elsie .. ..	A	D	94	140
Waikawa Bay .. ..	0	4	Paine, Ethel M. .. ..	S	..	..	40
Waikawa Pa .. ..	2	22	Timms, William .. ..	S	..	..	126
Waingawa .. ..	2	21	Barclay, Mary .. ..	S	..	..	126
Wainuiomata .. ..	2	27	Oswin, Mabel E., B.A. ..	S	B	60	190
Waione .. ..	2	21	Russell, William E. ..	S	D	..	150
Wairau Bar .. ..	1	9	Guard, Daisy .. ..	S	..	..	110
Wairau Pa .. ..	1	13	Gibson, Irene .. ..	S	..	..	110
Wairau Valley .. ..	2	23	Brooks, Gordon .. ..	S	..	..	153
Waireka .. ..	0	5	Smith, Margaret .. ..	S	..	..	30
Wairongomai .. ..	1	11	Strong, Florence M. ..	S	..	..	110
Waitaria .. ..	1	11	Bolton, Madge .. ..	S	..	..	110
Wallaceville .. ..	2	18	Johnson, Edith M. ..	S	D	79	160
Wantwood .. ..	1	9	Murray, Margaret P. (Mrs.)	S	C	46	130
Ward .. ..	3A	61	Wallace, Elizabeth A. ..	H	C	49	230
			Gould, Margaret C. ..	A	..	..	117
Waterfalls (Marlborough) ..	1	9	O'Leary, Kathleen .. ..	S	..	..	121½
Waterfalls .. ..	1	9	Monkhouse, Grace J. ..	S	..	..	110
Whakataki .. ..	1	10	Port, Sarah E. (Mrs.) ..	S	E	89	130
Wharanui .. ..	2	12	Bruce, Doris .. ..	S	..	..	110
Wharau .. ..	1	11	Woodhams, Nelson ..	S	..	..	110
Whareama .. ..	3A	39	Turner, Mary E. (Mrs.) ..	H	D	59	210
			Gibbs, Catherine M. ..	A	..	..	126
Whareatea Bay .. ..	1	10	Burton, Patrick .. ..	S	..	..	110
Wharehunga .. ..	0	2	Greensill, Margaret E. J. ..	S	..	..	16
Whiteman's Valley .. ..	1	18	Baskett, Georgina C. (Mrs.)	S	E	..	110
Woodbank .. ..	1	19	Taylor, Frances E. ..	S	D	..	110
Worser Bay (250), Seatoun side school (54), Miramar side school (37)	5C	341	Rowntree, William W. ..	H	C	30	320
			Brown, William B., B.A. ..	A	B	62	250
			McFarlane, Olive V. ..	A	D	77	175
			Duff, Minnie .. ..	A	C	82	150
			Pettigrew, Robina .. ..	A	C	97	120
			Webb, Alice H. .. ..	A	C	84	130
			Gilpin, Martha E. ..	A	..	..	110
			Smith, Kathleen G. ..	A	C	..	110
			Brown, Hilda A. (Mrs.) ..	A	D	..	110
Total .. ..	..	..					107662

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Addison's Flat .. ..	1	11	Ash, Frederick E. ..	S	..	..	£ 130½
Anatimo .. ..	0	4	Sigley, Z. ..	S	..	..	32
Appleby .. ..	2	35	Smith, Frances H. ..	S	D	8	190
Arapito .. ..	1	16	Allen, Blanche I. (Mrs.) ..	S	D	84	180
Bainham .. ..	3A	40	Bond, Elson W. ..	H	D	74	220
Birchfield .. ..	2	24	Fabian, M. ..	A	..	..	110
Black's Point .. ..	3B	92	Doyle, Maud ..	S	D	100	140
			Ching, Harold L. ..	H	C	91	210
			Rivers, Mary A. ..	A	D	98	140
			Noble, Ethel ..	A	..	..	110
			Rivers, Ethel M. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
Blackwater, Upper .. ..	2	21	O'Donnell, Honora ..	S	D	85	150
Brightwater (53) and River Terrace side school (26)	3A	79	Bryant, William H. ..	H	B	57	240
			Turner, Zilla L. ..	A	D	104	140
			Palmer, Ella M. ..	A	..	..	110
Brooklyn .. ..	3B	100	Trevella, Arthur ..	H	D	53	240
			Thruston, Mary D. ..	A	..	..	110
			Gibens, Teresa ..	A	..	..	110
Brook Street, Nelson (side school). See under Nelson Boys'.							
Burnett's Face .. ..	3B	73	Rogers, Marmaduke ..	H	C	71	235
			Willis, I. V. ..	Pt2	..	..	60
			Mears, Margaret ..	Pt1	..	..	55
Cape Foulwind .. ..	3A	41	Kelpe, Caroline ..	H	C	59	240
			Mears, Eleanor ..	A	..	..	110
Caplestone .. ..	2	23	Dunn, Ellen ..	S	Lie.	..	142½
Charleston .. ..	1	18	Chamberlin, Elizabeth ..	S	D	..	140
Churchill .. ..	1	14	Nalder, Amy I. ..	S	..	..	126
Clifton Terrace .. ..	2	26	Burnside, Margaret ..	S	C	77	160
Collingwood .. ..	3A	34	Easdale, Mildred J. N. ..	S	C	77	210
Cronadun .. ..	3A	36	Gibbs, Betsey A. H. ..	H	D	75	225
			McNamara, Annie ..	A	..	..	110
Dall's Creek (side school). See under Rockville.							
Denniston .. ..	4A	152	Hiddleston, John F. C. ..	H	C	47	280
			Seddon, Alice (Mrs.) ..	A	..	..	153
			Kerr, Catherine ..	A	C	97	120
			Moffitt, Clarice ..	Pt2	..	..	60
			Smith, May L. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
Dovedale .. ..	2	22	Woods, Edith M. ..	S	C	94	140
Fairdown .. ..	1	13	Bell, Myrtle A. M. ..	S	C	95	140
Fern Flat .. ..	1	14	Fittall, J. ..	S	..	..	110
Ferntown .. ..	1	16	Dean, Agnes E. ..	S	..	..	110
Foxhill .. ..	3A	51	Baigent, Louis O. ..	H	D	51	230
			Win, Ida B. ..	A	..	..	110
Glenhope .. ..	1	19	Shone, Eva E. ..	S	D	89	140
Glenroy .. ..	1	..	Thompson, Mabel H. ..	S	..	..	110
Globe Hill .. ..	2	36	Morris, Stuart F. ..	S	..	..	126
Gordon .. ..	1	7	Sloan, L. C. ..	S	..	..	110
Granity (136) and Hector side school (34)	4B	170	Douglas, Arthur ..	H	C	29	300
			Satchell, Winifred A. ..	A	D	81	170
			Bettjemann, Alma ..	A	D	106	150
			McCormack, Mary ..	A	..	..	110
			Dowgray, Flora ..	Pt2	..	..	45
			Tregurtha, Grace R. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
			Goodwin, I. (Mrs.) ..	S	..	..	110
Hamama .. ..	1	14					
Hampden Street, Nelson (side school). See under Nelson Girls'.							
Happy Valley .. ..	2	22	Snook, Ada J. ..	S	E	70	190
Haven Road, Nelson. See under Nelson Girls'.							
Hector (side school). See under Granity.							
Hillside .. ..	1	15	McNab, Madge A. ..	S	..	..	110
Hinekaka .. ..	0	6	Hayes, Margaret ..	S	..	..	56
Hope .. ..	3A	52	Snadden, George ..	H	C	64	220
			Salmond, Jessie ..	A	E	81	140
Inangahua Junction .. ..	1	18	Hindmarsh, Irene I. ..	S	C	..	110
Inangahua Landing .. ..	2	16	McDowell, Frank M. ..	S	..	..	110
Kaituna .. ..	2	24	Bastin, Ida E. ..	S	D	73	160
Karamea (84) and Oparara side school (10)	3A	14	Gilmor, Edward J. ..	H	C	58	240
			Connor, Elizabeth A. (Mrs)	..	E	9½	130
			McNabb, R. L. ..	A	..	..	110
Kiwi .. ..	2	19	Tunncliffe, Norris H. ..	S	Lie.	..	161½
Koroke .. ..	1	10	McKay, Ethel G. ..	S	..	..	117
Korere .. ..	2	30	Smalley, Percy ..	S	..	..	126

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Little Grey .. ..	2	42	O'Leary, Ellen M. ..	H	D	81	£ 100
Little Wanganui .. ..	1	17	Power, Alice M. ..	A	..	..	110
Longford .. ..	1	15	Barkley, Dorothy ..	S	..	..	110
Long Plain .. ..	1	18	Ryan, Maude E. ..	S	..	..	117
Lycell .. ..	0	6	Strack, Fritz A. ..	S	..	..	110
McLaren's Bay .. ..	0	4	Sherlock, A. ..	S	..	..	48
Mahana .. ..	1	12	Ferguson, Eleanor F. ..	S	..	..	32
Mangarakau .. ..	1	7	Dolamore, Emma J. ..	S	..	..	110
Mangle's Valley (half time). See under Tutaki.			Forno, Elizabeth ..	S	..	..	110
Mapua .. ..	1	16	Huffam, Runa F. B. ..	S	..	..	110
Marahau .. ..	1	16	Allan, Jane ..	S	..	..	110
Matai Valley .. ..	0	7	Brewerton, Annie E. ..	S	..	..	121½
Matariki .. ..	1	11	Ryan, Mary ..	S	..	..	110
Millerton .. ..	4A	152	Hutton, James, M.A., LL.B. ..	H	B	49	280
			Emms, Hilda ..	A	D	81	160
			McDonald, Jessie I. ..	A	..	..	117
			McMaster, Gladys M. ..	Pt1	..	..	55
			Wilkinson, Dan ..	Pr1	..	..	55
Motueka District High School and Whakarewa side school—Motueka primary (187), Motueka secondary (24), and Whakarewa side school (40)	5A	251	Griffin, Thomas, J., B.A. ..	H	B	9	340
			Turner, Fanny M. ..	A	C	71	190
			Robertson, Catherine M. ..	A	C	86	150
			Hagen, Nora M. ..	A	D	104	150
			Fowler, Alma G. ..	A	Lic.	..	123½
			Raikes, Margaret W. ..	A	D	103	120
			Duncan, Floris J. ..	Pt2	..	..	60
			Silcock, Harold F. S. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
			Moffatt, Joyce H. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
			Aitken, Janet W., M.A. ..	D	..	..	..
M tūpīto .. ..	2	13	Malloy, Mahala M. ..	S	D	78	140
Motupipi .. ..	3A	54	Manson, Lydia M. (Mrs.) ..	H	E	63	240
			Robertson, Margaret ..	A	..	..	126
Moutere, Lower .. ..	3A	60	Horner, Hugh H. ..	H	C	58	235
			Jordan, Fanny S. ..	A	D	90	140
Moutere, Upper .. ..	3A	10	Fair, George O. ..	H	C	54	240
			Baigent, Ellinor R. ..	A	..	..	117
Murchison .. ..	3A	69	Bolton, Pamela E. ..	H	E	59	220
			Gibbs, Alice W. ..	A	D	101	140
Nelson Boys' (266), Brook Street side school (116), and Tasman Street side school (178)	7A	560	Gibbs, Frederick G., M.A. ..	H	A	1	420
			Irwin, Robert ..	A	C	46	300
			Veysey, John T. ..	A	E	57	270
			Hughes, Margaret ..	A	C	53	210
			Inwood, Keith ..	A	..	..	173
			Kitching, Mary E. ..	A	E	69	180
			Kidson, Kitty Esther (Mrs.) ..	A	B	58	200
			Baird, Agnes R. ..	A	B	77	140
			Karsten, Rona P. ..	A	B	83	120
			Peart, Elvira S. ..	A	D	99	120
			White, Olive J. M. ..	A	B	..	110
			Pitt, Dorothy W. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Coleman, Aroha G. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Field, Evered L. ..	Pt2	..	..	60
			Bush, Queenie ..	Pt2	..	..	45
			Tait, John M. ..	Pt1	..	..	55
			Cheel, Eveline A. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
			Harford, Hilda J. ..	Pr1	..	..	60
			Buchan, George G. ..	Pr1	..	..	55
Nelson Girls' (229), Hampden Street side school (174), and Haven Road side school (196)	7B	599	Knapp, Frederic V. ..	H	B	7	390
			Farnie, Violet C., M.A. ..	A	A	55	250
			Johnson, Amy F. ..	A	B	61	210
			Gilbert, Esther E. ..	A	D	58	170
			Wright, Julia C. ..	A	C	66	160
			Wright, Gwendoline F. ..	A	E	85	140
			Baigent, Beatrice L. M. ..	A	C	82	120
			Cameron, Sarah ..	A	D	76	120
			Moore, Doris ..	A	C	88	120
			Redgrave, Katherine G. ..	A	D	108	120
			Worley, Winnifred G. ..	A	D	94	120
			White, Rose A., B.A. ..	A	B	100	120
			Shircliff, Kate W. ..	A	D	86	110
			Miller, Florence M. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Cropp, May E. ..	Pt3	..	..	65
			Parke, Kathleen E. ..	Pt2	..	..	60
			Cropp, Daisy E. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
			Papps, Ruth F. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
			Fittall, Helen McR. ..	Pr2	..	..	35

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Neudorf .. ..	3A	39	Wills, Edgar J. ..	H	D	89	£ 180
Ngatimoti .. ..	3A	44	Ferbrache, Evelyn A. ..	A	D	96	140
Onckaka .. ..	0	5	Silcock, Harold S. ..	H	D	90	200
Oparara (side school). See under Karamca.			Pounall, Frances N. O'H. (Mrs.) ..	A	D	..	120
Orinoco .. ..	1	11	Scadden, Maria (Mrs.) ..	S	..	..	40
Owen Junction .. ..	1	17	Raikos, Alice O. ..	S	D	96	140
Pakawha .. ..	1	16	Simpson, Arthur B. ..	S	..	..	110
Pariwhakaho .. ..	1	7	Fowler, Ila E. ..	S	..	..	110
Pigcon Valley .. ..	1	13	Lewis, Nora C. ..	S	..	..	110
Pokororo .. ..	2	20	Randerson, Esther ..	S	..	..	117
Progress .. ..	1	17	Clougher, A. P. ..	S	..	..	135
Puponga .. ..	3A	44	Walsh, Elizabeth M. ..	S	D	76	190
Ranzau .. ..	3A	47	Mills, Eva B. ..	H	D	104	200
Redwood's Valley .. ..	0	6	Gooding, May ..	A	..	..	110
Reefton District High School—Primary (262), secondary (24)	5A	286	Sanders, Herbert B. S. ..	H	D	53	240
			Hill, Mabel H. ..	A	D	94	140
			Campbell, Flora L. I. ..	S	..	..	56
			Rumbold, William A. ..	H	C	15	340
			McNicoll, David A. ..	A	D	..	190
			Garth, Isabelle O. ..	A	E	86	170
			Moore, Euphemia J. ..	A	E	74	170
			Scarlett, Margaret L. ..	A	D	92	140
			Montgomerie, Alice J. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Penney, Baden C. ..	Pt2	..	..	60
			Panckhurst, Nellie ..	Pr2	..	..	35
			Tudehope, Marion D. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
Richmond .. ..	4B	193	Hopkirk, Susan M., B.A. ..	D	B	79	..
			Boyce, Charles G. M. ..	H	B	34	290
			Hill, Ethel I. ..	A	D	80	170
			Hornor, Lilian ..	A	D	92	150
			Davies, Hilda V. ..	A	D	100	140
			Fittall, Margaret ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Fugle, Matilda B. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
River Terrace (side school). See under Brightwater.							
Riwaka .. ..	3B	98	Street, Samuel W. ..	H	C	52	250
			Boundy, Constance M. ..	A	Lic.	..	133
			Manson, Lola M. ..	A	..	..	110
Rockville (43), and Dall's Creek side school (12)	3A	55	Hood, Marion C. ..	H	C	54	210
			White, Effie P. ..	A	..	..	126
Rocky River .. ..	1	14	Allan, Gladys R. ..	A	..	..	110
Rotokohu .. ..	1	13	Small, Leila G. ..	S	..	..	126
Seddonville .. ..	3A	51	Levestam, Wilhelmina Z. ..	S	..	..	110
			Bryan, Elizabeth E. ..	H	D	86	210
			Thorn, Edith H. ..	A	..	..	110
Sergeant's Hill .. ..	2	20	Slowey, Theresa M. ..	S	C	68	150
Sherry River .. ..	1	16	Wratt, Chrissina E. ..	S	..	..	110
Six Mile .. ..	1	9	Ryan, Teresa A. ..	S	..	..	110
Spring Grove .. ..	3A	50	Poolo, William E. ..	H	C	55	240
			Wills, Emily J. N. ..	A	..	..	110
Stanley Brook .. ..	1	23	Tuckey, Amy E. ..	S	Lic.	..	133
Stockton .. ..	1	9	Mumm, Mary ..	S	..	..	126
Stoke .. ..	3B	88	Harrison, Robert ..	H	C	51	240
			Cooke, Gertrude M. ..	A	C	92	130
			Emms, Olive M. ..	A	..	..	110
Summerlea .. ..	2	15	Torley, Mary ..	S	..	..	110
Tadmor .. ..	2	31	Chipperfield, Emily (Mrs.) ..	S	D	66	190
Tahuna .. ..	3B	90	Hall, William A. ..	H	B	50	235
			Dement, Ida V. ..	A	D	93	120
			Crowe, Hanorah ..	A	Lic.	..	114
Takaka Central .. ..	2	33	Page, May ..	S	E	69	190
Takaka East .. ..	2	21	Ching, Leonard, C. ..	S	..	..	126
Takaka Lower District High School—Primary (93), secondary (19)	3B	112	Boyes, William H. ..	H	D	34	270
			Craig, Georgina M. ..	A	D	..	120
			McFarlane, Esther ..	A	..	..	110
			Grooby, Constance M. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
			Ainsworth, Emma F., B.A. ..	D	B	64	..
Takaka Upper .. ..	2	20	Hunter, Charlotte ..	S	..	..	126
Tapawera .. ..	3A	37	Collins, Blanche E. ..	H	..	..	180
			Bishop, Agnes ..	A	C	100	140
Tarakohe .. ..	3A	38	Gapper, Bernard R. ..	H	E	79	240
			McLaren, Eileen ..	A	..	..	117
Tasman .. ..	2	27	Power, Catherine F. ..	S	C	78	160
Tasman Street, Nelson (side school). See under Nelson Boys'.							

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Te Arowhenua .. ..	0	4	Denton, Nora F. .. ..	S	..	..	£ 32
Tui .. ..	1	21	White, Ivy .. ..	S	..	..	117
Tutaki (10) and Mangles Valley (5)	1	15	Ross, Evelyn C. . . .	S	..	..	126
Umere .. ..	1	14	Dove, Sylvia E. A. . .	S	..	..	110
Uruwhenua .. ..	1	9	Campbell, Pearle (Mrs.)	S	..	..	110
Wai-iti .. ..	3A	29	Rowley, Gladys M. . .	S	D	89	150
Waimangaroa .. ..	3A	57	Hayes, Frank S. . . .	H	..	..	189
			Doyle, Nora .. ..	A	..	..	126
Waimea West .. ..	2	23	Symes, Adelaide L. . .	S	D	94	170
Wairangi .. ..	0	3	Freeman, Hilda .. ..	S	..	..	24
Waitahu .. ..	1	12	McCarthy, Margaret ..	S	Lic.	..	133
Waitaiawa .. ..	0	4	Simpson, Ellen .. ..	S	..	..	40
Wai-uta .. ..	3A	62	Laird, Annie .. ..	H	D	63	200
			O'Donnell, Agnes .. ..	A	..	..	126
Wakefield, Lower .. ..	3B	124	Coleman, Bernard F. P. .	H	B	55	220
			Bird, Kate B. . . .	A	E	83	140
			Morrison, Catherine A. .	A	E	79	120
			Arnold, Laura .. ..	Pr1	..	..	60
Wangapeka .. ..	0	3	Chandler, Dorothy A. . .	S	..	..	24
Westport District High School—	7D	674	Harkness, James H., B.A.	H	B	5	430
Primary (609), secondary (65)			Wilkinson, Henry F., B.A.	A	B	53	310
			Brown, Robert .. ..	A	C	61	260
			Martin, Annie .. ..	A	E	82	250
			Marris, Amelia .. ..	A	D	51	210
			Hill, Jessie A. .. ..	A	C	66	210
			Conway, Edith .. ..	A	C	75	170
			McKay, May .. ..	A	D	89	140
			Findlay, Elspeth A. . .	A	D	91	120
			Bayfield, Georgina M. D'O.	A	Lic.	..	114
			Powell-Parsons, Mary ..	Pt3	..	..	65
			Lassen, Caroline A. . .	Pt3	..	..	55
			Sadler, David .. ..	Pt2	..	..	60
			Corby, Maggie H. .. ..	Pt2	..	..	60
			Aitken, Dorothea M. . .	Pt1	..	..	35
			Kaye, Miriam A. .. ..	Pt1	..	..	35
			Skinner, Mollie T. . . .	Pr2	..	..	60
			Dale, Margaret J., M.A. .	D	B	68	..
			Hurley, Elizabeth (Mrs.)	D	D	..	..
Whakarewa (side school). See under Motueka.							
Whangamoa (5) and Whangamoa Beach (3)	1	8	Holmes, Ralph K. .. ..	S	D	110	140
Whangarae .. ..	1	8	Ford, Leslie .. ..	S	..	..	110
Wills' Road .. ..	1	14	Woodman, Kathleen E. . .	S	..	..	110
Woodstock .. ..	0	7	Dickson, Margaret M. . .	S	..	..	48
Total .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	34429½

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Adair .. ..	1	12	Moyle, Mary A., B.A. .. ..	S	B	77	150
Addington .. ..	7C	636	Seay, William Nixon .. ..	H	D	18	430
			Kennedy, Hans .. ..	A	C	45	330
			Shircliffe, Mary S. .. ..	A	E	48	250
			Maxwell, Robert W. D. .. ..	A	C	54	240
			Beck, Elizabeth .. ..	A	D	57	210
			Bowden, Bessie E. .. ..	A	D	61	210
			Wills, Arnold L. .. ..	A	C	77	180
			Hulston, Clara A. M. .. ..	A	C	90	140
			Morgan, Gladys R. .. ..	A	C	91	120
			Burn, Elizabeth R. .. ..	A	C	96	120
			Stackhouse, Vera M. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	65
			Seay, Margaret J. A. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Shrimpton, Kenneth G. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Watt, Margaret R. M. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	65
			Webster, Pamela T. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Heinzmann, Margaret .. ..	Pt3	..	..	65
			Sinclair, Elsie A. P. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	60

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Ahaura .. .. .	2	22	Hargreaves, Alice M. ..	S	D	78	180
Akaroa District High School—	3B	112	Hall, Charles .. ..	H	C	37	310
Primary (93), secondary (19)			Morrison, Isabella .. ..	A	B	71	170
			McIntosh, Annie M. .. ..	A	D	112	120
			Brown, Daisy .. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
			Garton, Wilfred W., M.A. ..	D	A	43	..
Albury .. .. .	3A	57	Lindsay, Alexander .. ..	H	D	51	250
			Baker, Rata W. .. ..	A	D	97	140
Alford Forest .. .. .	2	30	Treacy, Hilda I. .. ..	S	D	95	150
Allandale .. .. .	1	19	Copland, Helen S. .. ..	S	..	..	135
Allenton (side school). See under Ashburton.							
Amberley .. .. .	3A	83	Jackson, Joseph .. ..	H	C	53	240
			Stanton, Edith E. F. .. ..	A	E	95	140
Anama .. .. .	2	29	Robinson, Dorothy K. .. ..	S	..	..	126
Annat .. .. .	3A	46	Hancox, George G., M.A. ..	H	A	..	250
			McDowell, Mary .. ..	A	..	..	117
Arahura Road .. .. .	3A	42	Henderson, Margaret E. A. ..	H	C	69	220
			Henderson, Margaret .. ..	A	..	..	126
Aranui .. .. .	3A	59	Harband, Beatrice M. .. ..	H	D	60	220
			Donnoll, Agnes .. ..	A	C	99	140
Arthur's Pass .. .. .	3A	33	Lucas, Herbert N. .. ..	S	..	..	180
Arundel .. .. .	1	16	Devereux, Evelyn M. .. ..	S	C	100	110
Ashburton Main (391) and Allenton (side school) (139)	7A	530	Schneider, George, B.A. .. ..	H	B	8	410
			Allard, Charles W. .. ..	A	B	47	310
			Menzies, Catherine .. ..	A	C	52	230
			Treaise, Mabel .. ..	A	D	48	230
			Holloway, Arthur R. .. ..	A	..	..	170
			Rapley, Ivy M. A. .. ..	A	C	61	190
			Makeig, Grace H. .. ..	A	D	70	160
			Borthwick, Phoebe F. .. ..	A	C	96	130
			Hayes, Edith M. .. ..	A	C	93	120
			Stuart, Kate A. .. ..	A	D	103	120
			Kerr, Florence M. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Elston, Eileen E. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			McMeekan, Lillian E. A. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	65
			McCallum, Agnes M. .. ..	Pt2	..	..	45
			Percy, Edna M. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
			Johnson, Ethel M. A. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
			Martin, Reta E. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	60
Ashburton Forks .. .. .	1	18	Sloan, Mary .. ..	S	..	..	126
Ashley .. .. .	3A	51	Chambers, Edwin S. .. ..	H	Lic.	..	209
			Buckley, Maud A. A. .. ..	A	C	89	140
Ashley Gorge .. .. .	2	24	Kerr, Catherine A. (Mrs.) ..	S	D	58	180
Ashton .. .. .	2	28	le Fleming, Jeanette (Lady) ..	S	D	60	210
Ashwick Flat .. .. .	1	12	Symes, Grace M. (Mrs.) .. ..	S	D	106	120
Ataahua .. .. .	1	16	Tod, Winifred J. .. ..	S	..	..	126
Awatuna .. .. .	0	6	Hogan, Mary .. ..	S	..	..	48
Aylesbury .. .. .	2	29	Bradley, Elizabeth (Mrs.) ..	S	D	72	165
Balaurn .. .. .	3A	31	Wilson, Elizabeth (Mrs.) ..	S	E	77	190
Barrhill .. .. .	2	16	McIlwraith, Fanny A. (Mrs.) ..	S	D	85	160
Barry's Bay .. .. .	1	21	Broadhurst, Phyllis A. .. ..	S	D	93	120
Barrytown .. .. .	1	12	Ryall, Jane .. ..	S	Lic.	..	133
Beckenham .. .. .	4C	219	Maxwell, Alfred C. .. ..	H	C	31	310
			Budden, Amy H. .. ..	A	D	68	175
			Gourlay, Henry W. .. ..	A	..	..	150
			Foster, Sylvia M. .. ..	A	C	82	140
			Buckhurst, Irene M. .. ..	A	C	84	120
			Andrews, Phyllis I. C. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Blackett, Aileen M. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	55
Belfast (111) and side school (78) ..	4C	189	Polson, John G., M.A. .. ..	H	A	24	270
			Ritchie, Eliza J. .. ..	A	C	57	220
			Cook, Alice J. .. ..	A	E	69	180
			McLeod, Catherine N. .. ..	A	C	101	130
			Webb, Adelaide I. .. ..	A	C	100	120
			Moore, Hazel M. M. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
Belfield .. .. .	1	16	Allan, Evaline H. F. (Mrs.) ..	S	C	..	110
Big River .. .. .	0	5	Dudley, Emily .. ..	S	..	..	40
Birdling's Flat .. .. .	1	12	Banks, Annie E. .. ..	S	..	..	117
Blackball .. .. .	4C	193	Wickes, Arthur J. .. ..	H	C	32	310
			Wilson, Maud E. .. ..	A	D	57	210
			Dempsey, Agnes .. ..	A	D	85	170
			Stubbs, Edith A. .. ..	A	D	..	120
			Glasson, Elizabeth A. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Kelly, Annie E. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	55

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Blaketown (side school). See under Grey-mouth District High School.							£
Bligh's Road (side school). See under Papanui.							
Bluecliffs .. .. .	2	19	Kane, Agnes E. .. .. .	S	..	..	126
Bluespur .. .. .	1	12	Millner, Evelyn L. M. .. .. .	S	D	93	135
Boddytown .. .. .	1	13	Newland, Susan .. .. .	S	..	..	135
Broadfield .. .. .	2	29	Eagan, Victoria H. W. .. .. .	S	C	61	190
Bromley .. .. .	3B	94	Pole, Thomas L. P. .. .. .	H	D	48	240
			Gilmour, Lily .. .. .	A	D	83	140
			Willis, Margaret J. .. .. .	A	C	98	120
Brookside .. .. .	3A	36	Stirling, William .. .. .	S	D	69	200
Broomfield .. .. .	2	28	Townsend, Ethel M. .. .. .	S	E	60	180
Bruce Bay .. .. .	1	10	Bannister, John W. .. .. .	S	..	..	126
Burnham .. .. .	2	28	Wright, Emily H. A. .. .. .	S	D	83	190
Burwood .. .. .	4A	110	Davidson, George .. .. .	H	D	42	290
			Kent, Florence E. .. .. .	A	C	74	170
			Livingstone, Ethel M. .. .. .	A	..	..	126
			Storey, Ernestine I. L. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	60
Bushside .. .. .	1	15	Wornall, Martha (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	D	100	140
Callaghan's .. .. .	1	11	Reedy, Irene A. (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	..	..	126
Cannington .. .. .	1	19	Bennett, Edith M. .. .. .	S	D	111	110
Carew .. .. .	1	20	Smith, Annabella P. .. .. .	S	D	80	150
Carleton .. .. .	3A	28	Sloane, William J. .. .. .	S	D	57	200
Cashmere .. .. .	3B	123	Stout, William A. .. .. .	H	C	44	250
			Newnham, Eliza (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	D	45	160
			Suckling, Gertrude A. .. .. .	A	D	88	120
			Alabaster, Annie B. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	35
Cave .. .. .	2	33	Foster, Kate M. .. .. .	S	D	77	150
Chamberlain .. .. .	2	27	Fifield, Amy E. .. .. .	S	C	71	140
Charing Cross .. .. .	1	13	Liddy, Ann M. .. .. .	S	..	..	121½
Chertsey .. .. .	3A	41	Liversedge, Edith M. .. .. .	H	D	48	220
			Long, Mary (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	D	..	120
Chorlton .. .. .	1	17	Lynskey, Winifred A. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Christchurch East (617) and South Belt (side school) (111)	7F	728	Penlington, Benjamin .. .. .	H	C	43	410
			Gillanders, James .. .. .	A	D	51	310
			Chaplin, Emily A., B.A. .. .. .	A	B	45	250
			Kennedy, John S. .. .. .	A	C	67	250
			Thompson, Ethel (i) .. .. .	A	D	57	210
			Gilmour, Ruth .. .. .	A	D	45	210
			Arnold, Clarence B. .. .. .	A	B	90	160
			Watson, Mary H. C. .. .. .	A	D	91	140
			Alley, Gwendowlen L. .. .. .	A	C	..	110
			Prince, Dorothy I. .. .. .	A	C	106	110
			Parsonson, Florence M. .. .. .	A	D	99	120
			Parsonson, Dorothy G. .. .. .	A	..	..	110
			Macdonald, Mary .. .. .	A	C	91	120
			Andrews, Agnes C. .. .. .	A	C	83	120
			More, Christina A. .. .. .	A	C	90	120
			Keys-Wells, Elizabeth K. .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	65
			Graham, Violet R. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55
			Alexander, Madge B. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55
			Mann, Walter A. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55
			McKenzie, Gordon M. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	60
Chrstchurch East Infants .. .. .	5B	314	Menzies, Annie J. .. .. .	H	C	35	300
			Wauchop, Elizabeth L. .. .. .	A	D	56	210
			Callaghan, Margaret M. .. .. .	A	D	64	180
			Webster, Elizabeth .. .. .	A	D	71	170
			French, Olive A. .. .. .	A	C	87	140
			Struthers, Elizabeth B. .. .. .	A	C	90	120
			Clough, Gladys K. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	65
			Brewins, Kate E. .. .. .	Pt2	..	..	45
Christchurch West District High School—Primary (641), secondary (252)	7I	893	Waller, Francis D., B.A. .. .. .	H	B	8	420
			Menzies, Peter, B.A. .. .. .	A	B	47	310
			Menzies, Jean B. .. .. .	A	D	48	250
			Hunnibell, Arthur .. .. .	A	D	62	270
			Smith, Mabel .. .. .	A	C	52	210
			Gamble, Victor J. .. .. .	A	C	66	210
			Hardey, Mary I., B.A. .. .. .	A	B	60	150
			Sutherland, Ruby A. E. A. .. .. .	A	C	96	120
			Kininmonth, Flora E. .. .. .	A	C	91	120
			Satchell, Ruth H. .. .. .	A	D	96	120

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Christchurch West District High School— <i>continued.</i>	..	..	Cowley, Hilda M. ..	A	D	108	£ 110
			Spratt, Robina A. ..	A	C	104	110
			Parson, Edna E. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Denny, Laurence R. R. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Lund, Dorothy ..	Pr2	..	..	55
			Grigg, Annette R. ..	Pr1	..	..	35
			Clark, Sidney A., B.A. ..	D	B	38	..
			Mayne, Arthur J., M.A. ..	D	B	54	..
			Finlayson, Annie C., M.A. ..	D	A	54	..
			Kemphorne, Gladys E. ..	D	C	91	..
			Marriott, Gladys E., B.A. ..	D	B	74	..
			Mayne, Helga M. ..	D	C	66	..
			Vallance, Nellie M. ..	D	C	75	..
Clandeboyne .. ..	3A	83	Goodall, Alexander ..	H	C	51	240
			Goodeve, Mabel C. ..	A	D	109	130
Claremont .. ..	3A	39	Black, Flora L. (Mrs.) ..	H	D	47	240
			Beck, Constance A. ..	A	D	99	140
Clarkville .. ..	3A	45	Berg, Frederick R. N. ..	H	C	60	210
			Roscoe, Helen K. ..	A	C	96	130
Cobden .. ..	4C	210	Barrett, Henry R. ..	H	D	52	290
			O'Brien, Agnes C. S. R. ..	A	D	70	190
			Dunn, Olive ..	A	D	96	150
			Wylie, Alicia ..	A	..	..	126
			Greaney, Teresa ..	A	C	103	120
			McKnight, Elizabeth ..	Pt2	..	..	45
			Lilburn, Minnie ..	Pr1	..	..	55
Cook's River .. ..	0	3	Williams, Elizabeth ..	S	..	..	24
Cooper's Creek .. ..	2	29	Webb, Florence L. (Mrs.) ..	S	E	83	160
Courtenay .. ..	1	9	Dobson, Beatrice H. ..	S	C	84	130
Cricklewood .. ..	1	9	Wylie, Elma K. (Mrs.) ..	S	..	..	110
Culverden .. ..	3A	41	Scott, Frank J. L. ..	H	D	86	220
			Moyna, Emily A. M. ..	A	C	99	140
Cust .. ..	3B	86	Reynolds, Jacob H. ..	H	E	60	210
			Treacy, Ioline ..	A	C	92	140
			Fraser, Alice S. ..	A	..	..	110
			McDowell, Jessie F. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
Darfield District High School— Primary (32), secondary (10)	3A	42	Ellis, Leonard R. ..	H	E	59	220
			Mellwraith, Helen E. M. ..	D	C	..	..
Dobson .. ..	3A	25	Crowley, Annie M. J. ..	S	D	58	240
Domett .. ..	2	23	Wells, Arthur P. K. ..	S	C	77	190
Dorie .. ..	1	21	Ritchie, Annie ..	S	..	..	110
Douglas .. ..	2	27	Malling, Francesca E. ..	S	D	77	210
Doyleston .. ..	3A	66	Rainey, Robert J. ..	H	D	70	210
			Nimmo, Mary ..	A	C	103	140
Dromore .. ..	2	16	Jeffries, Laura ..	S	E	69	160
Dunganville (4), Marsden (7)	1	11	Donnellan, Mary ..	S	..	..	126
Dunsandel .. ..	3A	65	Smith, Frederick (i) ..	H	B	48	240
			Douds, Maria ..	A	E	94	140
Duvauchelle's Bay .. ..	3A	46	Laycock, Irene L. ..	H	B	76	150
			Ferguson, Isabel O. ..	A	C	103	120
Ealing .. ..	2	18	Knox, Eliza ..	S	C	69	160
Eiffelton .. ..	2	22	Manson, Nedby M. ..	S	D	..	140
Elgin .. ..	1	14	Donald, Eliza N. (Mrs.) ..	S	D	66	150
Ellesmere .. ..	2	29	Doubleday, William H. ..	S	..	..	126
Elmwood .. ..	7C	614	Sinclair, John R. ..	H	C	12	430
			Ormandy, Guy N. ..	A	C	49	310
			Smith, Sarah E. ..	A	E	49	250
			Barrell, Arthur F., M.A. ..	A	A	54	270
			Hodgson, Mabel E. ..	A	D	61	210
			Willmer, William C. ..	A	Lic.	..	150
			Saunders, Ann ..	A	D	69	170
			Gibson, Inez R. ..	A	D	..	150
			Rout, Blanche C. ..	A	C	94	140
			McCullough, Dorothy L. ..	A	C	91	120
			Tindall, Gertrude (Mrs.) ..	A	D	109	140
			Calvert, Nellie (Mrs.) ..	A	C	93	140
			Cresswell, Marjory I. ..	Pt4	..	..	65
			Petrie, Arthur ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Edgar, Cuthbert ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Worden, Evangeline ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Bell, Myrtle E. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
Esk Valley .. ..	1	19	Seyb, Louisa ..	S	C	70	150
Eyreton .. ..	2	22	Ladbroke, Charlotte J. ..	S	D	67	190
Eyreton West .. ..	3A	40	Opie, Ronald ..	H	D	65	210
			Horrell, Elizabeth D. H. ..	A	..	..	126

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Fairlie .. .. .	4A	162	Piper, Frank .. .. .	H	D	37	£ 270
			Anderson, Agnes .. .. .	PA	D	74	160
			Corcoran, Catherine A. M. .. .. .	A	C	104	120
			Andrews, Vera A. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55
			Isitt, Mary K. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	60
Fairton .. .. .	3A	62	Bannerman, Herbert D. .. .. .	H	B	69	240
			Brown, Mary I. E. .. .. .	PA	D	111	130
			Saunders, Lillian K. .. .. .	A	..	..	110
Fairview .. .. .	3A	39	Robertson, Harriet M. .. .. .	H	C	53	220
			Berry, Sarah S. L. .. .. .	A	D	99	140
Fendalton .. .. .	4B	162	Irvine, Thomas, M.A. .. .. .	H	A	34	230
			Anderson, Rosaline .. .. .	A	D	79	170
			Arnott, Lillian F. .. .. .	A	C	88	150
			Dearsley, Rosina L. .. .. .	A	C	104	120
			McLean, Annie A. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55
			Smith, Arthur G. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	55
Fernside .. .. .	3A	57	Pavitt, Norman W. .. .. .	H	D	50	230
			Banks, Alma E. .. .. .	A	C	99	130
Flemington .. .. .	1	15	Falconer, Elizabeth A. .. .. .	S	Lic.	..	142½
Four Peaks .. .. .	1	7	Tizard, Annie T. .. .. .	S	..	..	117
French Farm .. .. .	1	12	Lovell-Smith, Doris E. .. .. .	S	C	92	120
Fyvie .. .. .	1	7	Grieve, Alice I. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Gapes Valley .. .. .	2	26	Thompson, Sarah J. .. .. .	S	..	..	135
Gebbie's Valley .. .. .	1	27	Dingwall, Elizabeth (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	D	72	170
Geraldine District High School— Primary (212), secondary (25)	5A	237	Bain, Andrew, B.A. .. .. .	H	B	9	340
			Hughes, Alice M. .. .. .	A	C	54	220
			Steele, Elizabeth .. .. .	A	D	80	150
			Kennedy, Margaret (i) .. .. .	A	C	69	160
			Goulding, Sarah .. .. .	A	C	96	140
			Binion-Cooper, Benjamin W. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	65
			Jones, Jessie A. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	55
			Farnie, Dorothy C., M.A. .. .. .	D	B	59	..
Glenavy .. .. .	2	26	Renton, William (i) .. .. .	S	D	65	180
Glen-iti .. .. .	3A	33	Ziesler, Freja L. .. .. .	S	D	87	190
Glen Kowhai .. .. .	1	11	Prideaux, Lucy H. .. .. .	S	D	95	140
Glenroy .. .. .	2	19	Jones, Mabel A., B.A. .. .. .	S	..	..	126
Glentunnel .. .. .	3B	98	Silcock, Frederick A. .. .. .	H	C	56	240
			Sloane, Jessie S. M. .. .. .	A	..	..	110
			Barlow, Jessie B. .. .. .	A	..	..	110
Goldsborough .. .. .	1	13	Jones, Cecilia M. .. .. .	S	..	..	117
Governor's Bay .. .. .	1	17	Hurley, Bridget .. .. .	S	C	107	110
Gray's Corner .. .. .	1	14	Kearton, Ralph T. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Greendale .. .. .	3A	41	Cooke, Montague P. .. .. .	H	C	..	200
			Ingley, Mary (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	E	96	160
Greenpark .. .. .	3A	48	Whitelaw, George .. .. .	H	C	56	240
			Collins, Margaret .. .. .	A	..	..	117
Greenstreet .. .. .	1	17	Barton, Mary E. .. .. .	S	D	74	165
Greta Valley .. .. .	2	22	Hoffman, Ethel A. .. .. .	S	D	83	150
Greymouth District High School— Primary (460), secondary (58); Blaketown (side school), (97)	7B	615	Adams, Allan A. .. .. .	H	D	26	430
			Wilson, James F. .. .. .	A	C	39	310
			Skoglund, Wilhelmina C. .. .. .	A	D	51	250
			Dunn, Minnie .. .. .	A	C	77	250
			Moore, Ellen .. .. .	A	D	68	210
			Robinson, Barbara J. .. .. .	A	D	63	210
			Williams, Louisa .. .. .	A	Lic.	..	161½
			Allan, Ivy B. .. .. .	A	D	97	140
			Keddell, Catherine G. .. .. .	A	..	..	126
			Bignell, Rose .. .. .	A	..	..	110
			Waterhouse, Kathleen E. .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	65
			Armstrong, Elizabeth .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55
			Cornwall, Annie E. P. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55
			Tindale, Grace .. .. .	Pt2	..	..	45
			Kemphorne, Claris D. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	35
			Whitmore, Elizabeth F. (Mrs.), B.A. .. .. .	D	B	61	..
			Struthers, Susan B. .. .. .	D	B	86	..
Hakataramea .. .. .	2	21	Cochrane, Isabella .. .. .	S	D	..	140
Hakataramea Valley .. .. .	2	29	O'Connor, Catherine .. .. .	S	D	89	160
Halkett .. .. .	2	25	Hooker, Elsie .. .. .	S	C	89	150
Halswell .. .. .	3A	53	Guiney, Samuel P. .. .. .	H	D	57	240
			Guiney, Margaret A. (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	E	80	140
Hampstead .. .. .	5C	337	Borthwick, James B. .. .. .	H	C	40	360
			Chapman, Henry J. .. .. .	A	D	54	270
			Fawcett, Lucy .. .. .	A	D	63	200
			Watson, John (ii) .. .. .	A	C	..	210
			Kershaw, Lucy D. .. .. .	A	C	96	140

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Hampstead—continued. . .	..	..	Rydings, Evelina E. . .	A	C	99	£ 140	
			Black, Winnifred J. & B. . .	A	C	100	120	
			Beaumont, Irene M. . .	Pt4	..	..	55	
			Cowan, Thelma M. . .	Pt4	..	..	55	
			Frost, Eileen M. . .	Pr2	..	..	35	
Hanmer Plains. . .	2	38	Dare, Constance H. . .	S	C	68	150	
Hannaton . . .	3A	34	Dick, David . . .	S	D	70	225	
Hapuku} . . .	2	28	Mozley, Mary E. (Mrs.) . .	S	E	..	140	
Harewood . . .	4A	115	Twose, R. J. H. . .	H	D	47	280	
			Lockwood, Mabel F. . .	A	C	66	170	
			McArthur, Sarah A. W. . .	A	C	96	120	
			Dennehy, Mary K. M. . .	Pt2	..	..	60	
			Stewart, Sybil I. E. . .	Pr2	..	..	60	
Hatter's . . .	3A	43	Smeaton, Lucy E. (Mrs.) . .	H	E	72	210	
			Donnellan, Norah . . .	A	..	..	126	
Hazelburn . . .	2	26	Waugh, Agnes (Mrs.) . .	S	D	72	190	
Heathcote Valley . . .	4A	130	Gates, Thomas A. (ii) . .	H	C	37	280	
			Jamieson, Isabella M. . .	A	D	71	170	
			Wenmoth, Ellen E. . .	A	C	88	140	
			Johnston, Grace L. . .	Pt4	..	..	65	
			Wilson, Amy G. . .	Pr2	..	..	60	
Highbank . . .	3A	59	Campbell, John (iv) . .	H	D	66	240	
			Kennedy, Irene M. . .	A	D	..	120	
Hilton . . .	3A	55	Morris, Gerald . . .	H	D	57	230	
			Miller, Josephine J. . .	A	C	..	120	
Hinds. . .	3A	68	Cook, John . . .	H	D	55	250	
			Hayes, Mary . . .	A	C	90	140	
Hokitika District High School— Primary (282), secondary (55)	5c	337	de Berry, Leonard F., M.A. .	H	B	13	355	
			Ward, Esther . . .	A	D	48	250	
			Wilson, Mary E. . .	A	D	58	190	
			Goudie, Elizabeth M. . .	A	D	61	210	
			Wallace, Isabella E. . .	A	D	86	140	
			Dale, Margaret (Mrs.) . .	A	E	98	150	
			Aitken, Grace M. . .	Pt4	..	..	55	
			Osmers, Doris M. . .	Pt4	..	..	65	
			Seebeck, Albert . . .	Pr2	..	..	60	
			Willetts, Marjorie . . .	Pr2	..	..	35	
			Williams, Henry . . .	D	C	43	..	
			Casey, Ellen C., M.A. . .	D	B	80	..	
Homebush . . .	2	21	Sloan, Emily . . .	S	E	77	170	
Hook . . .	3A	42	Ford, Margaret . . .	H	D	55	220	
			Stevenson, Elizabeth McD. .	A	E	112	140	
Hook Bush . . .	1	9	McPherson, Catherine . .	S	..	..	126	
Hornby . . .	4c	206	Bowbyes, Alfred C. . .	H	C	32	295	
			Kininmonth, Helen M. . .	A	C	71	170	
			Gilling, Clarence D. . .	A	C	84	210	
			Davidson, Alice M. (Mrs.) .	A	E	91	160	
			Clark, Rita . . .	A	C	96	120	
			Montgomery, Alma . . .	Pt4	..	..	55	
			Rowe, Eva M. . .	Pr2	..	..	60	
Hororata . . .	3A	68	Scott, Peter . . .	H	C	61	220	
			Cain, Olive F. . .	A	C	92	140	
Horsley Downs . . .	2	30	Davidson, May . . .	S	D	59	210	
Humphrey's . . .	3A	33	Simpson, Sophia J. . .	H	..	..	180	
			Bruce, Mary . . .	A	..	..	90	
Hundalee . . .	1	12	Haine, Sidney G. . .	S	..	..	126	
Hunter . . .	2	38	Steel, Ann . . .	S	D	75	170	
Hurunui . . .	1	11	Dierce, Ethel R. V. . .	S	D	95	130	
Ikawai . . .	2	24	Thompson, Agnes . . .	S	D	68	160	
Inchbonnie . . .	1	13	Larkin, Ellen . . .	S	..	..	110	
Inter Wanganui . . .	1	23	Patrick, Anna . . .	S	..	..	135	
Irwell . . .	3A	40	Roscoe, Sophia F. . .	H	C	106	140	
			Simpson, Matilda . . .	A	C	99	130	
Jack's Mill . . .	1	17	Hogan, Catherine B. . .	S	C	64	140	
Jackson . . .	1	10	Leamy, Eileen M. . .	S	..	..	110	
Kaiapoi District High School— Primary (369), secondary (17)	5d	386	Douds, Thomas . . .	H	B	12	390	
			Pavitt, Marie A. . .	A	D	49	210	
			Reeves, William H. . .	A	C	60	280	
			Lynskey, Agnes A. . .	A	D	80	190	
			Smith, Emma F. . .	A	C	..	130	
			Foster, Eileen M. . .	A	C	93	140	
			Fuldseth, Kathleen M. B. .	A	D	105	120	
			O'Donnell, Annie M. . .	Pt4	..	..	65	
			Stark, Jessie . . .	Pt3	..	..	55	
			Braisher, Doris E. T. . .	Pt2	..	..	45	
			Atkinson, Mary B. . .	Pr2	..	..	60	
			Grace, Eleanor A. . .	D	C	68	..	

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Kaiapoi Island .. ..	1	16	Shilton, Emma .. ..	S	Lic.	..	£ 133
Kaikoura Suburban .. ..	3A	65	Sherrard, William .. ..	H	C	60	250
Kaikoura Town District High School—Primary (85), secondary (13)	3B	98	Yates, Frances E. .. ..	A	D	96	130
			Wilson, Henry L. .. ..	H	B	39	250
			McLauchlan, Mabel J. R. .. ..	A	D	88	140
			Stevenson, Margaret S. .. ..	A	C	99	120
			McSwigan, Mary M. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
			Reynolds, Mary C., M.A. .. ..	D	B	77	..
Kakahu Bush .. ..	2	18	Knight, Mary (ii) (Mrs.) .. ..	S	D	96	150
Kanieri .. ..	3A	49	Potts, Mary J. .. ..	H	D	49	240
			Manson, Elizabeth T. W. (Mrs.) .. ..	A	Lic.	..	143½
Kapua .. ..	2	28	Treacy, Kathleen .. ..	S	D	87	210
Killinchy .. ..	3A	49	Warnock, Selina M. .. ..	H	B	43	240
			Morland, Mildred G. .. ..	A	..	..	126
Kimberley .. ..	2	29	Rogers, Lilly A. C. .. ..	S	C	70	150
Kingsdown .. ..	3A	36	Stewart, Robert .. ..	S	B	63	240
Kirikiri .. ..	2	23	Dynes, Arabella .. ..	S	D	57	190
Kirwee .. ..	2	28	Sloan, Caroline .. ..	S	E	79	170
Kisselton .. ..	1	11	Paine, Marian L. .. ..	S	C	..	110
Kohika .. ..	1	13	Beck, Florence M. .. ..	S	D	..	110
Koiterangi .. ..	2	18	Wylie, Janet M. .. ..	S	..	..	126
Kokatahi Lower .. ..	2	29	McKinnon, Maud .. ..	S	E	81	180
Kokatahi Upper .. ..	1	9	Kelly, Eva J. (Mrs.) .. ..	S	E	93	130
Kokiri .. ..	2	23	Dixon, Dorothy S. .. ..	S	D	65	190
Kotuku .. ..	1	15	Blair, Norah .. ..	S	Lic.	..	133
Kowai Bush .. ..	2	21	Walker, Dorothy .. ..	S	C	69	150
Kukupu .. ..	0	8	Kissel, Elizabeth .. ..	S	..	..	48
Kumara .. ..	3B	88	Seebeck, Albert H. .. ..	H	D	36	270
			Bell, Mary J. .. ..	A	D	70	150
			Evenden, Frances P. .. ..	A	D	110	120
			Benyon, Mildred A. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	35
Kumara Junction .. ..	1	13	Wallace, Elizabeth M. .. ..	S	..	..	135
Ladbrooks .. ..	3A	43	Rundle, Frederick T. .. ..	H	D	57	230
			White, Edith E. .. ..	A	D	99	140
La Fontaine .. ..	2	21	Donovan, Ellen J. .. ..	S	..	..	126
Lake Kanieri .. ..	0	4	Simpson, Lilian .. ..	S	..	..	32
Lakeside .. ..	2	41	Garrison, Christina I. .. ..	H	C	72	160
			Shearer, Helena .. ..	A	..	..	110
Lauriston .. ..	3A	56	Comer, Edith R. .. ..	H	D	59	225
			Kenna, Mona R. .. ..	A	E	93	140
Le Bon's Bay .. ..	3A	36	Bruce, Robert (i) .. ..	H	E	56	240
			Gudsoll, Dora A. .. ..	A	..	..	126
Leeston .. ..	3A	76	Green, Arthur W. V. .. ..	H	D	66	220
			Parkin, Alice M. .. ..	A	D	82	140
			O'Connor, Margaret H. G. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	55
Leithfield .. ..	3A	34	Wild, Cyril T., M.A. .. ..	S	B	63	220
Lincoln District High School—Primary (77), secondary (13)	3B	90	Cookson, Arthur .. ..	H	D	42	250
			Lowe, Bertha E. .. ..	A	..	..	126
			McGill, Martha A. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	55
			Osborn, Mabel E., B.A. .. ..	D	B	59	..
Linwood .. ..	7C	655	Evans, Francis T. .. ..	H	B	5	430
			Shirlaw, David McF., M.A. .. ..	A	A	38	330
			Wills, Mabel S. M. J. .. ..	A	D	46	250
			Rochfort, Henry, M.A. .. ..	A	A	76	230
			Cradock, Mary A. .. ..	A	D	56	210
			Taylor, Mabel V. .. ..	A	C	60	210
			Wauchop, Margaret S. .. ..	A	D	73	170
			Fitch, Gladys .. ..	A	C	91	140
			Spencer, Myrtle J. (Mrs.) .. ..	A	D	95	140
			Mayne, Myra J. (Mrs.) .. ..	A	D	92	120
			Erikson, Mildred (Mrs.) .. ..	A	D	88	140
			Clague, Robert M. K. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Laishley, Dorothy .. ..	Pt4	..	..	65
			Haberfield, Dulcie M. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Mansell, Joan N. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	65
			Warner, Dorothy G. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
Lismore .. ..	2	36	Foster, Heath D. .. ..	S	C	82	150
Little Akaloa .. ..	1	21	Phillpott, Sarah A. .. ..	S	C	78	165
Little River .. ..	3A	53	Gillman, Herbert A. W., B.A. .. ..	H	B	51	240
			Wade, Eliza R. .. ..	A	C	95	140
Loburn .. ..	3A	50	Warner, Frederick S. H. .. ..	H	C	53	220
			Dawson, Ada (Mrs.) .. ..	A	E	84	140
Loburn North .. ..	2	30	Campbell, William M. .. ..	S	..	..	135
Longbeach .. ..	2	23	Holmes, George .. ..	S	..	..	135
Lowcliffe .. ..	2	31	McIver, Sarah .. ..	S	..	..	162

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
							£
Lyalldale .. .. .	2	22	Ferguson, Catherine A. W. ..	S	E	85	150
Lyndhurst .. .. .	3A	42	Hight, Maud L. ..	H	D	54	230
			Fitzgerald, Kathleen M. ..	A	C	96	130
Lyndon .. .. .	1	11	Duncan, Flora ..	S	..	..	110
Lynnford .. .. .	2	21	Kearon, Anna M. ..	S	D	79	140
Lynton Downs .. ..	1	11	Beattie, Isabella S. ..	S	..	..	126
Lyttelton District High School—	6B	443	Just, Emile U. ..	H	D	12	400
Primary (422), secondary (21)			Blank, Albert R. ..	A	C	43	300
			Hughes, Annie ..	A	..	..	130
			Owen, Llewellyn ..	A	E	..	210
			Colgan, Gertrude M. (Mrs.) ..	A	D	73	180
			Lloyd, Ada C. ..	A	C	73	170
			Munro, Lois W. ..	A	C	..	120
			Dowd, Patrick J. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Bennett, Aimie E. ..	Pt4	..	..	65
			Sneddon, Jessie R. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Symonds, Rita T. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Blain, Thomas, B.A. ..	D	B	53	..
Lyttelton Heads .. ..	0	5	Ryan, Eliza ..	S	..	..	40
Lyttelton West .. ..	4B	173	Allison, Herbert H. ..	H	C	37	300
			Handley, Agnes E. ..	A	D	79	150
			Fraser, Helen M. ..	A	C	80	150
			Dwyer, Eveline G. ..	A	D	91	140
			Miller, Ivy M. ..	Pt3	..	..	65
			Lilly, Alice I. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
MacKenzie .. .. .	3B	91	Fletcher, Thomas A. ..	H	C	56	220
			Wilkinson, Caroline M. (Mrs.) ..	A	D	84	160
			James, Annie E. (Mrs.) ..	A	D	98	140
Mahitahi .. .. .	0	7	Condon, Alice ..	S	..	..	48
Makikihi .. .. .	3A	32	Marlow, Thomas ..	S	D	77	200
Mananui .. .. .	1	10	Forsyth, Sarah A. ..	S	..	..	110
Marsden (half-time). See under							
Dunganville							
Marshall .. .. .	3B	125	Voss, Johann ..	H	C	52	240
			McBratney, Minnie ..	A	E	86	140
			Maxwell, Dorothy ..	A	D	99	120
			Scannell, Agnes ..	Pr1	..	..	55
Mason's Flat .. .. .	2	30	Hewett, Olive M. ..	S	C	72	170
Mayfield .. .. .	3A	63	Withell, Charles W. ..	H	D	53	240
			Patrick, Hannah M. M. ..	A	E	99	140
Mead .. .. .	2	27	Hayes, Mahala L. ..	S	C	62	190
Medbury .. .. .	2	15	Barrell, Beatrice A. ..	S	C	109	110
Methven .. .. .	4A	123	Irwin, Major G. ..	H	B	40	260
			Wills, Mary ..	A	D	72	150
			Bell, Mary I. ..	A	C	111	120
			O'Connor, William ..	Pt3	..	..	65
			Percy, Mary C. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
Mikonui .. .. .	1	9	Anderson, Phyllis ..	S	..	..	110
Milford .. .. .	3A	58	Todd, David T. ..	H	D	61	225
			Cartwright, Arletta ..	A	..	..	126
Moana .. .. .	1	14	Kelly, Norah E. ..	S	D	81	150
Monavale .. .. .	2	22	Tizard, Florence L. ..	S	..	..	135
Moonlight .. .. .	0	5	Chilton, Florrie ..	S	..	..	36
Morven .. .. .	3B	71	Smart, Alice R. ..	H	C	73	200
			Alexander, Anne E. ..	A	D	95	120
Motukarara .. .. .	2	23	Sheard, Fanny ..	S	C	69	190
Mount Grey Downs .. ..	2	25	Baird, John H. ..	S	..	..	140
Mount Somers .. .. .	3A	50	Sheldon, James C. ..	H	E	71	235
			Bowden, Ethel E. ..	A	..	..	117
New Brighton (421) and North New	6A	469	Bishop, George W. ..	H	D	34	380
Brighton (side school) (48)			Boyce, William J. ..	A	D	47	290
			Ormandy, Dora B. ..	A	E	55	210
			Belshaw, Horace ..	A	..	..	150
			Ansley, Annie ..	A	D	79	180
			Curtis, Olive I. ..	A	C	92	140
			Hounsell, Mary Beatrice ..	A	C	91	120
			Walker, Hilda ..	A	D	81	120
			Hunt, Olive E. ..	A	C	97	120
			Cooke, Ivy E. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Hill, Doris R. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Archey, Marjorie S. ..	Pr1	..	..	55
			Hodgson, Mildred E. (Mrs.) ..	A	C	85	160
Newland .. .. .	1	15	Hamilton, Emma G. ..	S	..	..	110

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Ngahere .. .. .	3A	51	Owens, Edith .. .. .	H	E	64	£ 240
Normal District High and four model schools (at Training College)—Normal primary (373); Model schools—Type (i), rural (28); type (ii), junior P.-S.2 (23); type (iii), secondary (42); type (iv), junior kindergarten (average not reckoned, children under five years of age)	6A	466	McLaughlin, Catherine .. .. .	A	D	..	140
			Aschman, Christopher T. .. .. .	H	C	7	475
			Pearson, Robert S. .. .. .	N	D	42	340
			Inkpen, Agnes F. R. .. .. .	N	D	37	310
			Wagstaff, Jessie W. (Mrs.) .. .. .	N	D	48	330
			Mottram, Francis J. .. .. .	N	B	60	280
			Cutler, Roland H. .. .. .	N	C	52	280
			Grand, Ellen .. .. .	N	D	57	270
			Jameson, Esther D. .. .. .	N	D	66	210
			Patrick, Cherrie L. .. .. .	N	D	65	210
			Irwin, Samuel J. .. .. .	N(S)	C	36	310
			Snowball, Laura E. .. .. .	N	C	63	190
			Irwin, James, B.A. .. .. .	N(D)	B	30	..
			Williams, Florence W. A., B.A. .. .. .	N(D)	B	60	..
			Schmidt, Helene G. .. .. .	N	C	76	210
North New Brighton (side school). See under New Brighton.							
Ohoka .. .. .	3A	54	Gilling, George .. .. .	H	D	56	250
Okain's Bay .. .. .	3A	45	Haden, Helena I. .. .. .	A	..	..	133
			Stagpoole, Thomas .. .. .	H	C	57	200
Okarito .. .. .	0	6	Price, Marjorie M. .. .. .	A	C	104	120
			Donovan, Eva K. .. .. .	S	..	..	64
			Sweeney, Annie .. .. .	S	..	..	32
			Turner, Lillian .. .. .	S	D	..	110
			Cuttance, Alice .. .. .	S	..	..	110
			Joll, Alice F. M. .. .. .	S	..	..	117
			Savill, Harriet (Mrs.) .. .. .	H	D	50	225
			Ryan, Margaret W. (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	E	101	130
			Colee, Walter C., M.A. .. .. .	H	A	15	350
			Morgan, Richard W. .. .. .	A	C	60	270
Opawa .. .. .	5c	338	Banks, Charlotte M. .. .. .	A	D	58	210
			Pitt, Alfred W. .. .. .	A	C	69	220
			Tulloch, Elizabeth .. .. .	A	D	83	140
			Large, Elsie A. .. .. .	A	C	85	140
			Burn, Ethel R. .. .. .	A	C	103	110
			Owen, Gwendolen G. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55
			Napier, Helen E. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55
			Thomson, Jane V. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	35
			Mulvaney, Annie .. .. .	S	C	89	140
			Sullivan, Samuel H. .. .. .	H	C	53	210
Orari .. .. .	3A	72	Malling, Christina .. .. .	A	C	103	130
			Scrimshaw, Esme M. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	60
			Mellroy, Annie L. .. .. .	S	D	54	190
			Shaw, Joseph W. .. .. .	S	C	81	190
			Townsend, Edith M. .. .. .	S	E	78	160
			McAulay, Lucy (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	..	..	110
			Moyle, Muriel .. .. .	S	D	..	110
			Fossey, Walter T. .. .. .	H	D	..	200
			Stevenson, Rose H. .. .. .	A	..	..	126
			Horne, Agnes M. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	55
Ouruhia .. .. .	3A	40	Dickie, William .. .. .	H	C	56	210
			Walker, Clara R. .. .. .	A	B	95	130
			Orr, Charlotte E. .. .. .	S	E	100	140
Overdale .. .. .	1	19	Renwick, Flora .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Owenga .. .. .	1	11	Watson, Lancelot .. .. .	H	C	41	290
Oxford East District High School— Primary (103), secondary (13)	4A	116	Dalziel, Catherine A. .. .. .	A	C	74	170
			Urquhart, Juanita .. .. .	A	C	..	120
			Caldwell, Nathan J. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	55
			Best, Isabel W. .. .. .	D	B	66	..
			Anderson, George .. .. .	H	D	57	240
			Thompson, Doris E. .. .. .	A	C	98	130
			Bourke, Charles, B.A. .. .. .	H	B	17	340
			Sargison, James H. .. .. .	A	C	75	250
			Hodgson, Adele .. .. .	A	D	53	210
			Cullen, Gladys .. .. .	A	C	81	140
Oxford West .. .. .	3A	48	Callaghan, Alice C. G. .. .. .	A	Lic.	..	123½
			Struthers, Jane .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	55
			Smith, Jean O. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	30
			Duncan, Mary .. .. .	A	D	62	210
			Tutton, Fanny R. .. .. .	A	C	96	120
			Johnston, Muriel S. .. .. .	A	C	95	120
			Sheehan, Mary .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	65
			Winnington, Edward .. .. .	H	D	52	210
			Gray, Alexandrina P. .. .. .	A	D	78	140
			Beck, Doris W. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	60
Papanui (236) and Bligh's Road (side school) (132)	5D	368					
Pareora East .. .. .	3A	73					

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Pareora West .. .. .	3A	32	Glanville, William J. .. ..	S	E	73	£ 230
Pareora .. .. .	3B	83	Griffiths, Elizabeth .. ..	H	D	60	240
			Dowling, Johanna M. .. ..	A	Lic.	..	133
			Ryan, Brigid M. .. ..	A	..	..	110
			Maloney, Mary J. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
Pendarves .. .. .	2	22	Doak, Annie A. .. ..	S	Lic.	..	133
Phillipstown Infants .. ..	5C	340	Robinson, Sarah L. .. ..	H	D	49	280
			Menzies, Agnes, M.A. .. ..	A	B	54	210
			Sorensen, Marion Jean .. ..	A	D	67	170
			Manifold, Dorothy .. ..	A	D	74	150
			Metherell, Florence R. S. ..	A	D	93	140
			Stevenson, Elsie M. .. ..	A	C	97	120
			Foster, Rhoda L. .. ..	A	C	91	120
			McCracken, Myrtle G. (Mrs.)	A	C	97	140
Pigeon Bay .. .. .	2	20	Hutchinson, James .. ..	S	..	..	126
Pleasant Point District High School	4B	156	Clarke, Robert B. .. ..	H	B	19	280
—Primary (139), secondary (17)]			Oliver, Amy E. E. .. ..	A	D	74	180
			Haskell, Amy E. .. ..	A	E	81	170
			McLeod, Euphemia H. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	65
			Cartwright, George E. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
			Anderson, Grace M., M.A. ..	D	A	69	..
Pleasant Valley .. .. .	2	30	Jones, Philip H. .. ..	S	C	93	150
Port Levy .. .. .	1	9	O'Donnell, Mary (ii) .. ..	S	..	..	110
Port Robinson .. .. .	1	11	Turner, Beatrice G. E. (Mrs.)	S	..	..	110
Prebbleton .. .. .	3B	82	Morland, Charles J., B.A. ..	H	B	45	250
			Ferguson, Eva L. .. ..	A	C	94	140
			Lewton, Inez M. E. .. ..	A	C	99	120
			McDonald, Emily G. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
Puaha .. .. .	2	32	Bell, Matilda .. ..	S	E	67	230
Pukekura .. .. .	1	11	Wright, Christina .. ..	S	..	..	110
Rakaia South .. .. .	4A	117	Judkins, William E. .. ..	H	B	47	270
			Cross, Ada Maria .. ..	A	D	86	170
			Hardie, Beatrice J. .. ..	A	Lic.	..	114
			Saunders, Herbert A. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Ford, Ralph J. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	55
Rangiora .. .. .	5A	278	Ambrose, Thomas W., B.A. ..	H	B	33	340
			Mackenzie, John (i) .. ..	A	D	72	210
			Buchanan, Margaret .. ..	A	D	73	180
			Wilson, Grace E. .. ..	A	D	76	170
			Ambrose, Clarice M. .. ..	A	C	94	140
			Thomson, Sylvia M. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Paine, Wilfred R. .. ..	Pt2	..	..	60
			Bennett, Myrtle E. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	55
Rangiriri .. .. .	1	12	Fahey, Rose D. .. ..	S	..	..	121½
Rangitata Island .. .. .	1	12	Smith, Ivy H. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Rangitata Station .. .. .	2	18	Yates, William M. .. ..	S	D	79	170
Rapaki .. .. .	1	16	Hastings, Evelyn A. .. ..	S	..	..	150
Redcliffs .. .. .	3B	84	Kirkpatrick, William D. ..	H	B	49	240
			Kirkpatrick, Louisa J. (Mrs.)	A	D	85	140
			Beaven, Gwendolen B. .. ..	A	C	96	120
			Gillin, Patrick J. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Rewanui .. .. .	1	11	English, Henry .. ..	H	E	36	310
Riccarton .. .. .	4C	211	North, Robert H. .. ..	A	C	63	240
			Joyce, Blanche .. ..	A	D	66	180
			Thompson, Emma E. .. ..	A	D	79	140
			Kinross, Ethel M. .. ..	A	B	87	120
			Thompson, Albert .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			McKenzie, Georgina J. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
Richmond .. .. .	7C	802	McGregor, John W., B.A. ..	H	B	7	430
			Penlington, Henry F. .. ..	A	C	39	330
			Spence, Annie W. .. ..	A	D	55	250
			McGregor, Elizabeth J. .. ..	A	E	52	250
			Bowden, John .. ..	A	D	69	220
			Aiken, Janet M. .. ..	A	C	59	210
			Kent, Helen Mildred .. ..	A	D	76	175
			Nicholls, Dora .. ..	A	E	91	140
			Bussell, Lillian E. .. ..	A	E	86	120
			Bird, Rata A. .. ..	A	C	80	120
			Bell, Mavis L. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			McBratney, Stella L. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Zimmerman, Carl .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Bowden, Rata J. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Devereux, Mavis C. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Pickering, Reta V. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Penlington, Isabel G. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	35
			Suncell, Lucy .. ..	Pr1	..	..	60

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Riverside .. .. .	1	13	Smith, Elizabeth D. .. ..	S	..	..	£ 126
Roa .. .. .	2	27	Creagh, Kathleen .. ..	S	D	89	150
Robinson's Bay .. ..	1	10	McDowell, Mary .. ..	S	..	..	117
Rokeby .. .. .	2	33	Dalby, Margaret G. .. ..	S	..	..	144
Rolleston .. .. .	3A	42	Gilmour, William O. .. ..	H	B	49	250
			White, Dorothy H. .. ..	A	D	100	140
Rosewill .. .. .	2	29	Stevenson, Jane .. ..	S	C	68	175
Ross .. .. .	3B	77	Winchester, William .. ..	H	C	52	250
			Smith, Daisy A. .. ..	A	D	82	140
Rotheram .. .. .	3A	47	Hamilton, Hugh R. W. .. ..	H	E	..	200
			Hampton, Elsie M. .. ..	A	C	..	120
Rotomanu .. .. .	1	16	Feary, Irene E. M. .. ..	S	D	96	130
Ruapuna .. .. .	2	22	Muller, Nicolaus L. F. .. ..	S	E	77	190
Ruatapu .. .. .	3A	56	Hogan, Teresa M. .. ..	H	D	70	210
			Leamy, Catherine T. .. ..	A	..	..	110
Runanga .. .. .	4C	233	O'Flynn, Francis E. .. ..	H	D	56	310
			Crowley, Elizabeth L. .. ..	A	D	72	220
			Davies, Myra G. .. ..	A	C	91	160
			Duggan, Maggie .. ..	A	D	..	140
			Southward, James .. ..	A	Lic.	..	114
			Wick, Sarah A. .. ..	Pt2	..	..	45
			Hallinan, Ellen A. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
Russell's Flat .. ..	1	17	McCurdy, Kathleen A. M. .. ..	S	C	84	130
St. Albans .. .. .	7B	592	Sutherland, James, B.A. .. ..	H	B	5	430
			Malcolm, Robert A. .. ..	A	B	35	330
			Lawrence, Grace .. ..	A	D	51	250
			Arnott, David, B.A. .. ..	A	D	51	260
			Newman, Mabel M. .. ..	A	D	55	210
			Wardle, Charlotte E. .. ..	A	D	61	210
			Glanville, Theresa (Mrs.) .. ..	A	D	83	150
			Gray, Louie .. ..	A	C	86	140
			Sage, Thyrsa .. ..	A	C	101	110
			Cobledick, Francis T. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	65
			Archenhold, Daphne F. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Wicks, Hilda B. P. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Petrie, Frances J. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Hampton, Sara E. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	65
			Corrie-Johnstone, Criffel .. ..	Pt3	..	..	65
			Down, Cherrie .. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
			Adams, Grace Elma .. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
St. Andrew's .. ..	3A	86	Park, William F. .. ..	H	C	46	250
			Fenwick, Betsy E. .. ..	A	D	108	120
			Bannerman, Henrietta Sarah .. ..	A	D	91	120
			Mauger, Amelia V. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	65
Salisbury .. .. .	1	16	Norrish, Robina C. .. ..	S	D	94	130
Saltwater Creek .. ..	2	22	Lace, Bessie .. ..	S	C	70	165
Scargill .. .. .	1	13	Hughey, Matilda E. .. ..	S	C	106	110
Scotsburn .. .. .	2	17	Jefferson, Christina .. ..	S	Lic.	..	133
Seadown .. .. .	2	23	Schmedes, Cornelius F. .. ..	S	D	66	190
Seafield .. .. .	1	13	Mochan, Bertha .. ..	S	..	..	110
Seaview .. .. .	1	16	Shearman, Daisy .. ..	S	..	..	117
Sedgemere .. .. .	2	21	Anderson, Caroline V. .. ..	S	D	83	170
Sefton .. .. .	3A	49	Thomson, Hugh F. .. ..	H	D	58	245
			Partridge, Lilly B. .. ..	A	C	96	140
Selwyn .. .. .	1	13	Davis, Annie M. .. ..	S	C	93	120
Sherwood Downs .. ..	1	12	Strachan, Dorothy B. T. .. ..	S	C	..	110
Shirley Road .. ..	5B	386	Balch, William, B.A. .. ..	H	B	17	330
			Morland, Thomas A., M.A. .. ..	A	A	46	260
			Newton, Kate E. .. ..	A	D	65	160
			Sapsford, Elsie F. L. .. ..	A	C	70	150
			Bain, Marjorie H. .. ..	A	D	98	120
			Rudd, Mildred .. ..	S	C	75	140
			Ritchie, Frances M. .. ..	A	D	97	120
			Campbell, Percy W. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Jamieson, Amy B. .. ..	Pt2	..	..	45
			Bradbury, Miriam C. W. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
Silverstream .. ..	2	37	Bates, Jane (Mrs.) .. ..	S	E	67	190
Skipton .. .. .	1	5	Freeman, Frederick C. R. V. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Somerfield .. .. .	5D	370	McLeod, John (iii) .. ..	H	B	11	390
			Wilson, James R. .. ..	A	C	44	300
			Adams, Mary A. .. ..	A	D	45	210
			Picken, Jessie M. D. .. ..	A	D	59	190
			Menzies, Mercy F. (Mrs.) .. ..	A	D	91	160
			Whitcombe, Edna M. .. ..	A	C	90	120
			Aylmer, Dorothy .. ..	A	C	95	120
			O'Sullivan, Mary .. ..	Pt3	..	..	65
			Heinzmann, Hilda .. ..	Pr1	..	..	55

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
South Beach .. .. .	2	25	Dixon, Ellenor .. .. .	S	C	65	£ 190
South Belt (side school). See under Christchurch East.							
Southbridge District High School—Primary (141), secondary (24)	4B	165	Walker, Joseph William A. .. .	H	C	30	290
			Duncan, Jessie A. .. .	A	C	90	150
			Webster, Isabella .. .	A	D	61	180
			Roi, Delsie C. .. .	Pt4	..	..	55
			McPherson, Mary I. C. .. .	Pr1	..	..	30
			Wills, Kathleen P., B.A. .. .	D	B	63	..
Southbrook .. .. .	4A	131	Brunton, John, M.A. .. .	H	B	26	285
			Keir, Jessie A. .. .	A	D	77	170
			McLean, Jessie M. .. .	A	D	96	140
			McLeman, Jessie E. .. .	Pt2	..	..	45
			Shelley, Bridget .. .	Pr2	..	..	60
Southburn .. .. .	1	20	Cumming, Eliza .. .	S	E	72	180
South Malvern .. .. .	2	28	McLauchlan, Joseph .. .	S	C	70	190
Spencerville .. .. .	1	10	Wicks, William H. .. .	S	D	90	140
Spotswood .. .. .	3A	41	Brown, Walter A. .. .	H	D	72	200
			Coates, Ruby .. .	A	C	107	120
Spreydon .. .. .	4C	202	Hunnibell, Frederick W. .. .	H	D	29	340
			Cookson, Walter G. .. .	A	C	63	240
			Pilliet, Francesca A. .. .	A	D	68	175
			Bevin, Elizabeth E. .. .	A	D	69	180
			Brown, Lillian A. .. .	A	C	92	120
			Moloney, Eleanor W. .. .	Pt4	..	..	55
			Ellis, Mary B. .. .	Pr1	..	..	30
Springbank .. .. .	1	10	Fahey, Annie .. .	S	..	..	110
Springbrook .. .. .	2	24	Browne, William .. .	S	D	74	190
Springburn .. .. .	2	36	Cartwright, William J. .. .	S	C	..	140
Springfield .. .. .	3A	44	Adams, William R. .. .	H	C	71	210
			Dalby, Louisa L. .. .	A	..	..	126
Springston .. .. .	3A	61	Pilkington, George M. .. .	H	C	57	240
			Kime, Henrietta .. .	A	D	82	140
Springston South .. .. .	3A	48	Cooper, Arthur .. .	H	D	55	220
			O'Farrell, Muriel E. .. .	A	C	106	130
Stafford .. .. .	3A	28	Thomson, Mary M. (Mrs.) .. .	S	D	64	230
Stillwater .. .. .	2	39	Crowley, Johanna .. .	H	D	73	180
			Delaney, Ellen .. .	A	D	..	120
Summerhill .. .. .	1	15	Howes, George G., M.A. .. .	S	Lic.	..	123½
Sumner .. .. .	4C	236	Allen, George F. (ii) .. .	H	C	35	290
			Riordan, Annie W. .. .	A	D	65	180
			Brown, Grace .. .	A	D	63	170
			Jull, Gladys M. .. .	A	C	85	140
			Hanham, Dorothy L. M. .. .	A	D	96	120
			Williams, Uta C. .. .	Pt4	..	..	55
			Gulliver, Marjory D. .. .	Pr2	..	..	60
Sutherland's .. .. .	3A	44	Stewart, Jeanie D. .. .	H	D	62	210
			Geaney, Anna .. .	A	C	112	140
Swannanoa .. .. .	2	33	Craig, Sarah M. .. .	S	C	51	210
Swede's Mill .. .. .	3A	36	Leamy, Agnes W. .. .	H	C	67	200
			Rooney, Josephine .. .	A	..	..	110
Sydenham .. .. .	7I	934	Bean, William D. .. .	H	B	7	430
			McGallan, Thomas G. .. .	A	C	53	330
			Cole, Amy J. (Mrs.) .. .	A	E	49	250
			Noble, John .. .	A	C	46	260
			Morrison, Mary J. .. .	A	C	53	210
			Pattrick, Joyce E. .. .	A	C	..	120
			Colville, Victor W. .. .	A	C	70	220
			Pearson, Florence .. .	A	C	60	180
			Miles, Emily M. (Mrs.) .. .	A	C	91	160
			Duncan, Robena .. .	A	D	86	140
			Whitcombe, Frederica D. .. .	A	C	..	110
			Hay, Janet R. .. .	A	C	93	120
			Bean, Louisa L. .. .	A	D	95	120
			Robson, Bertha .. .	A	C	88	120
			McGrogan, Jessie M. .. .	A	C	94	120
			Whitehead, Marjory M. .. .	A	D	96	120
			McArthur, Grace (i) .. .	A	C	103	110
			Barr, Gladys E. .. .	Pt4	..	..	55
			Casserley, Annie S. .. .	Pt4	..	..	65
			Dennis, Ruby L. G. .. .	Pt4	..	..	65
			Greatbatch, Annie M. B. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55
			Robins, Arthur H. .. .	Pt3	..	..	65
			Fulton, Marjorie F. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55
			Irvine, Lucy D. .. .	Pr2	..	..	60

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Taitapu .. ..	3A	75	Graham, Charles H. F. ..	H	C	53	£ 245
Takamatua .. ..	2	19	Costello, Mary C. A. ..	A	C	96	140
Taramakau .. ..	0	9	Gobert, Eleanor M. ..	S	D	73	160
Tawai .. ..	2	31	Fahey, Honora ..	S	..	..	64
Taylorville .. ..	3A	53	Reid, John (ii) ..	S	C	..	150
			Malone, Michael ..	H	D	60	250
			Malone, Theresa B. ..	A	Lic.	..	133
			Hunt, Kate ..	Pr1	..	..	30
Teddington .. ..	1	18	Roxburgh, Helen W. ..	S	C	104	110
Te Kinga .. ..	2	31	O'Donnell, Mary ..	S	D	91	140
Te Moana .. ..	1	15	Harris, Rosa A. ..	S	D	110	140
Templeton .. ..	4A	127	Sinclair, David ..	H	E	43	260
			Buchanan, Ruby E. ..	A	D	96	150
			Marshall, Edith E. ..	A	..	..	117
			McDonald, Christina M. ..	Pt3	..	..	65
Temuka District High School—	5D	366	Methven, James, B.A. ..	H	B	12	330
Primary (335), secondary (31)			Smart, John T. ..	A	C	55	270
			Thomson, Jane H. ..	A	D	48	210
			Scott, Annie (ii) ..	A	D	65	210
			Swap, Josephine A. ..	A	C	91	190
			Iverach, Margaret I. ..	A	D	..	120
			Simpson, Anne ..	A	B	88	140
			Proudlock, Margaret A. ..	A	C	100	120
			Methven, Iris J. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Blyth, Douglas R. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Hancox, Myra W. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
			Ferguson, Albert J., M.A. ..	D	B	48	..
			Mills, Mary M. ..	D	..	..	..
Te Ngawai .. ..	2	23	Amyes, Mary O. G. ..	S	C	78	140
Te One .. ..	3A	39	Wentzell, Ebenezer S. B. ..	S	D	69	240
Te Pirita .. ..	1	14	Fisher, Mary A. (Mrs.) ..	S	..	..	110
Te Roto .. ..	2	23	Seymour, Ada ..	S	..	..	144
The Peaks .. ..	1	11	Chisholm, Annabella ..	S	..	..	110
Timaru Main (766) and Timaru	7A	895	Dalglish, Gilbert, B.A. ..	H	B	5	430
West (side school) (123)			Collins, Charles F. ..	A	C	41	330
			Avison, Martha ..	A	E	50	250
			O'Donoghue, Edward ..	A	D	60	270
			Seyb, Eliza C. ..	A	C	61	200
			Shirlcliffe, Clara I. ..	A	E	67	210
			Hartstonge, Anne F. ..	A	C	70	150
			Morrow, Mary S. (Mrs.) ..	A	C	85	150
			Ray, Mabel A. ..	A	D	72	120
			Durward, Annie H. Y. W. ..	A	C	104	110
			Brown, Donella ..	A	D	87	120
			Sutherland, Vida C. ..	A	D	94	120
			Hart, Frances M. ..	A	C	96	120
			Hawkes, Lilian M. ..	A	C	97	120
			Bainbridge, Eva D. ..	A	Lic.	..	114
			Joyce, Blanche F. ..	A	D	..	110
			Craven, Marion ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Dobson, Sarah E. W. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Robertson, Christina W. M. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Smith, Katie G. ..	Pt4	..	..	65
			Rawstorn, Myrtle A. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Robertson, George H. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Rawstorn, Albert J. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Sollwood, Hazel M. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
			Webster, Doreas E. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
Timaru South .. ..	6B	457	Palmer, George T., M.A. ..	H	B	22	390
			Marriott, William G. ..	A	D	70	300
			Fyfe, Jessie ..	A	C	44	210
			Lindsay, Catherine ..	A	D	64	210
			McIntosh, Winifred S. (Mrs.) ..	A	D	76	170
			Jones, Violet M. ..	A	D	79	170
			Millar, Sarah (Mrs.) ..	A	D	87	160
			O'Connor, Jean T. (Mrs.) ..	A	C	94	140
			Ronaldson, Frances E. ..	A	B	91	120
			Blyth, Doris ..	Pt4	..	..	65
			Berry, Margaret T. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			O'Sullivan, Gertrude M. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
Timaru West (side school). See							
under Timaru Main.							
Timaunga .. ..	1	17	Line, Vivian H. ..	S	..	..	110

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Tinwald .. .. .	4B	183	Watson, Harold C. N., M.A.	H	B	41	£ 280
			Lockwood, Helena	A	C	78	170
			Cartner, Robert	A	C	72	200
			McKelvy, Mary	A	D	105	140
			McClure, Amelia K.	Pt4	..	..	55
			Vigers, Muriel A. B.	Pr1	..	..	55
Totara Flat .. .. .	2	18	Maloney, John W.	S	D	72	170
Totara Valley .. .. .	1	10	Macphail, Kate C.	S	..	..	110
Tuahiwai .. .. .	2	31	Andrews, Samuel H.	S	..	..	180
Tycho .. .. .	2	27	O'Callaghan, Constance I.	S	C	..	140
View Hill .. .. .	2	27	Newport, Elizabeth	S	D	69	150
Waddington .. .. .	3B	83	Wilkins, Thomas J. C., B.A.	H	B	53	250
			Bruce, Alice M. A. D.	A	C	96	130
			Leahy, Gertrude	A	..	..	110
			Brougham, Amelia G.	Pr1	..	..	55
Waiau .. .. .	3B	78	Aldridge, George W.	H	D	59	235
			Thornton, Margaret	A	C	98	130
Waihao Downs .. .. .	3A	41	McIntyre, John (ii)	H	D	64	210
			Angland, Honora	A	C	101	130
Waihaorunga .. .. .	1	18	Crozier, Irene B.	S	D	100	110
Waiho .. .. .	0	6	Green, Kate	S	..	..	48
Waikakahi .. .. .	1	14	Buick, Margaret A. W.	S	..	..	110
Waikari .. .. .	3A	51	Stout, Thomas	H	C	56	240
			Collinson, Florence	A	..	..	117
Waikerikikeri .. .. .	0	6	Fisse, Frieda A...	S	..	..	48
Waikuku .. .. .	3A	42	Cooper, Edith M.	H	D	65	210
			Kay, Winifred A.	A	C	101	130
Waimataitai .. .. .	7B	560	McCaskill, Donald, B.A.	H	B	5	430
			Werry, Alfred E.	A	C	39	330
			Fyfe, Evelyn	A	C	41	250
			Byers, Mary H.	A	C	61	250
			Allan, Isabella C.	A	D	54	210
			Baird, Mary L.	A	C	64	210
			Sunaway, Flora P. M.	A	C	73	170
			Lawry, Bertha M.	A	C	85	140
			Norrish, Daisy P.	A	C	106	120
			Moore, Neville A.	Pt4	..	..	55
			McNab, Jeanie C.	Pt3	..	..	55
			McDougall, Joyce	Pt3	..	..	55
			Lynch, May D.	Pt3	..	..	55
			Fraser, Evelyn M.	Pt3	..	..	55
			St. John, Louise S.	Pt3	..	..	55
			Hay, Millie C.	Pr2	..	..	60
			McPherson, Olive L.	Pr2	..	..	60
			Craven, Edward S.	Pr1	..	..	35
Waimate District High School— Primary (480), secondary (53)	7B	533	Laing, Thomas M. M., B.A.	H	B	52	350
			Henderson, Alexander	A	C	52	330
			Crawford, Mary H.	A	D	48	250
			Grey, Mary W. (Mrs.)	A	C	57	250
			Smart, Margaret A. L.	A	D	68	210
			Bruce, Sarah C.	A	E	76	210
			Hodges, Muriel E.	A	B	66	170
			Henderson, Adalina L. (Mrs.)	A	C	91	140
			Hayman, Frank H.	Pt4	..	..	55
			Hodges, George H.	Pt4	..	..	55
			Hoskins, Albert H.	Pt4	..	..	55
			McPherson, William R.	Pt3	..	..	55
			Lindsay, Isa K.	Pr2	..	..	35
			Hutt, Hilda J.	Pr2	..	..	35
			Olliver, Margaret F. L., M.A., M.Sc.	D	A	60	..
			Dyer, Henrietta E., B.A.	D	B	67	..
Wainui .. .. .	1	10	Maiden, Mary	S	..	..	110
Waipara .. .. .	2	29	Hickman, Nora M.	S	D	74	180
Wairewa .. .. .	1	10	Cassidy, Mary C.	S	..	..	121½
Waitaha .. .. .	1	16	Bruce, Bessie	S	..	..	117
Waitohi Flat .. .. .	2	30	Skinner, Marion Y.	S	D	76	150
Waitohi Upper .. .. .	1	15	Bishop, Eunice	S	C	..	110
Waituna Creek .. .. .	2	29	Anderson, Mary A. (ii) (Mrs.)	S	D	66	160
Wakanui .. .. .	2	30	Roseveare, Charles J.	S	D	88	140
Waltham .. .. .	7C	629	Adams, John J., B.A.	H	B	7	430
			Smith, James E. R.	A	C	43	330
			King, Annie D.	A	E	45	250
			Parry, John G.	A	D	63	250
			Watson, Margaret R.	A	D	55	210

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	
Waltham			Armstrong, Ella	A	D	57	£ 210	
			Cross, Edward H.	A	C	85	180	
			Lucas, Annie L. . .	A	C	78	140	
			Watkins, Beatrice J. B.	A	C	95	120	
			Neale, Grace A.	A	Lic.	..	110	
			Grant, Hilda M.	Pt4	..	..	55	
			Willcox, Eleanor A. M.	Pt4	..	..	55	
			Grenfell, Jinifer D.	Pt3	..	..	55	
			Hawkins, Ivy M.	Pt3	..	..	55	
			Stewart, Leslie W.	Pt3	..	..	55	
			Garmson, Albert C.	Pt3	..	..	65	
			Kennedy, Julia . .	Pr1	..	..	55	
			Ward, Elizabeth (Mrs.)	S	E	101	110	
			McIntyre, Hugh (i)	H	D	50	240	
			Parr, Esther A. . .	A	C	98	140	
Warren Estate	1	15	O'Connor, Mary . .	A	D	99	120	
			McKenzie, Violet A.	Pr1	..	..	30	
Washdyke	3B	112	Thomson, Annie	S	..	..	110	
Wataroa	1	14	Dalziel, Ida M. . .	S	C	80	150	
			Benyon, Gladys E.	S	..	..	40	
Weedon's	2	28	Napier, William G.	H	C	69	200	
Westbrook	0	5	Burrows, Clarice (Mrs.)	A	D	95	160	
Westerfield	3A	48	Killner, Elizabeth D.	S	D	63	180	
			Alley, Frederic J.	H	B	25	340	
West Melton	2	28	Mounsey, Robert	A	C	57	270	
			Harvey, Matilda E.	A	C	64	180	
Wharenui	5B	324	Cook, Elinor R.	A	D	109	120	
			Callaghan, Cecilia M.	A	C	..	120	
			Jones, Lina M. . .	A	C	98	140	
			Church, Lilian F.	Pt4	..	..	55	
			Routley, Coleen M.	Pt3	..	..	55	
			McCurdy, Ivy G.	Pr2	..	..	60	
Whiterock	1	13	Barratt, Maude . .	S	..	..	110	
Willowbridge	3A	38	Clark, Rose (Mrs.)	H	C	48	230	
			Crawshaw, Linda J.	A	B	89	140	
Willowby	3A	41	Watson, Joseph . .	H	E	65	240	
			Steinmetz, Julia A.	A	..	..	117	
Winchester	3A	43	Ferguson, Daniel, M.A.	H	B	37	240	
			Coomber, Olive M.	A	Lic.	..	133	
Winchester Settlement	1	12	Ferguson, Agnes M.	S	..	..	110	
Winchmore	1	13	Charles, Lucinda	S	..	..	110	
Winslow	2	21	Hicks, Charles . .	S	C	57	210	
Woodbury	3A	47	Farnie, Thomas C., M.A.	H	B	61	210	
			Reece, Ella M. . .	A	C	..	120	
Woodend	3B	91	Cutler, Thomas E.	H	C	41	250	
			Gainsford, Mabel E.	A	C	95	140	
			Baker, Margaret J.	A	D	100	120	
			Chapman, Julia H.	Pr1	..	..	55	
Woodstock	3A	66	McKay, William D.	H	D	50	240	
			Nancekivell, Alice E.	A	D	88	140	
Woolston	7C	608	West, William McD.	H	B	12	430	
			Kennedy, William A.	A	C	45	310	
			Barker, Anne E.	A	E	55	250	
			Baird, Samuel . .	A	D	41	270	
			Mills, Mahala C., B.A.	A	B	62	210	
			Cook, William E.	A	C	65	210	
			Ewart, Jane . .	A	D	78	180	
			Morgan, Amy B. B.	A	C	88	140	
			Ditfort, Mabel L.	A	D	90	120	
			Batchelor, Elsie V.	A	C	95	120	
			Chillingworth, Eva	Pt4	..	..	55	
			McGregor, Margaret	Pt4	..	..	55	
			Rinaldi, Mary D.	Pt4	..	..	65	
			Skelton, Annie L.	Pt4	..	..	55	
			Keir, Mary H. . .	Pt3	..	..	55	
			Smith, Myrtle M.	Pt3	..	..	55	
Yaldhurst	3A	40	Hastings, Gladys	Pr2	..	..	60	
			McCullough, Samuel	H	C	53	250	
			Freeman, Hilda F.	A	C	94	140	
Total							£156903	

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Airedale .. .. .	2	25	Henaghan, Florence A. ..	S	..	..	£ 126
Akatore .. .. .	1	10	Tindall, Nesta .. .. .	S	D	..	120
Akatore Coast .. .. .	0	9	Anderton, Mary .. .. .	S	..	..	64
Albany Street .. .. .	7c	618	Rennie, James, B.A., B.Sc.	H	B	10	430
			Abel, William F. .. .. .	A	C	29	320
			Little, Donella (Mrs.) ..	A	D	52	230
			Hubbard, Ivon B. .. .. .	A	C	76	230
			Taylor, Charles H. .. .. .	A	..	..	191
			Murray, Hannah B. .. .. .	A	E	57	210
			Scott, Marjory T. .. .. .	A	D	67	180
			Cowie, Elizabeth C. .. .. .	A	D	87	140
			O'Shea, Eliza A. .. .. .	A	D	85	120
			Aitchison, Elizabeth D. ..	A	D	95	120
			Henderson, William J. M.	Pt4	..	..	65
			Healy, Ethel H. E. .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	55
			Wallace, Elizabeth K. A. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			King, Olive M. .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	55
			Blaikie, Olive A. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	65
			Hamill, Vernor H. .. .. .	Pt1	..	..	55
			Dunn, Elizabeth P. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	35
			Mawhinney, Bethia .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	60
Alexandra District High School— Primary (153), secondary (22)	4B	175	McLean, Alexander (i) .. ..	H	C	34	310
			McCallum, Eliza J. .. .. .	A	Lic.	..	142½
			Dumsday, Marjorie G. .. ..	A	C	..	150
			McLean, Gwendoline M. .. ..	Pt2	..	..	45
			Robertson, Muriel J. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	35
			McCorkindale, Elizabeth L.	D	B	57	..
Allanton .. .. .	3A	41	Allan, John M. .. .. .	H	C	54	240
			Walker, Leonie A. N. .. .. .	A	..	..	117
Anderson's Bay .. .. .	5A	273	Coutts, Thomas R. W., B.A.	H	B	26	330
			Cuthill, John E. .. .. .	A	..	..	171
			Gunn, Elizabeth J. .. .. .	A	D	74	180
			Long, Mary A. .. .. .	A	C	79	160
			Weir, Helen L. .. .. .	A	D	90	140
			Palmer, Philip J. .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	55
			Skinner, James .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	65
			Duncan, James A. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	30
Ardgowan .. .. .	1	18	Kay, Margaret .. .. .	S	D	67	190
Arthur Street .. .. .	7A	517	Barrett, Richard J. .. .. .	H	C	7	420
			Sherriff, Eliza G. .. .. .	A	C	37	240
			Begg, Thomas .. .. .	A	C	38	320
			Hunter, Robert R. .. .. .	A	B	49	260
			Bremner, Victor H. T. .. ..	A	C	65	200
			Orkney, Daisy M. .. .. .	A	D	71	165
			Pilkington, Jane .. .. .	A	D	58	200
			Wilson, Elizabeth .. .. .	A	C	84	120
			Bennett, Rachel I. .. .. .	A	C	96	120
			Butterfield, Violet C. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Thomson, Marjory G. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55
			McDonald, Tui W. .. .. .	Pt2	..	..	45
			Menzies, Isobel J. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	35
Arthurton .. .. .	1	15	Vlietstra, Mary E. (Mrs.) ..	S	..	..	110
Awamangu .. .. .	2	18	Orange, Florence M. .. .. .	S	Lic.	..	133
Awamoko .. .. .	3A	60	Burns, William G. .. .. .	H	D	52	220
			Taylor, Grace I. .. .. .	A	C	103	120
Balclutha District High School— Primary (338), secondary (61)	6A	399	Nicolson, John M. .. .. .	H	C	7	380
			Searle, Ernest A. .. .. .	A	C	68	270
			Murray, Ethel M. .. .. .	A	D	56	210
			Gawn, Elizabeth C. .. .. .	A	C	68	210
			Kilgour, Jane G. H. .. .. .	A	C	83	160
			Steven, Beryl .. .. .	A	D	98	130
			Anderson, Renata V. .. .. .	A	C	83	130
			Watt, Helen M. E. .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	55
			Coghill, Daphne I. H. .. ..	Pt1	..	..	55
			Buchanan, Mary M. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	35
			Paterson, Janet, M.A. .. ..	D	B	47	..
			Elder, Violet, B.A. .. .. .	D	B	74	..
			Dunn, Annie, B.A., .. .. .	D	B	89	..
Bald Hill .. .. .	2	17	Morrin, Edward W. .. .. .	S	..	..	135
Bannockburn .. .. .	3A	39	Blair, Robert L. D. .. .. .	H	D	70	235
			Murray, Alice M. .. .. .	A	..	..	126
Barewood .. .. .	0	8	Carnie, Jessie S. .. .. .	S	..	..	56
Beaumont .. .. .	3A	54	Thomson, Archibald .. .. .	H	D	61	235
			Mason, Isabella W. .. .. .	A	D	100	140
Bondigo .. .. .	1	17	Oliver, Ellen .. .. .	S	..	..	121½

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Benhar .. .. .	3A	43	Miller, James M. .. ..	H	C	45	£ 240
Berwick .. .. .	2	28	Roeche, Augustine D. .. ..	A	D	86	140
Black's .. .. .	3A	46	Sherriff, Margaret R. .. ..	S	D	53	190
Blackstone .. .. .	1	9	Webber, Edmund J. .. ..	H	C	..	210
Bluespur .. .. .	2	22	Telfer, Catherine M. .. ..	A	D	100	130
Brighton .. .. .	3A	38	Dent, Catherine E. .. ..	S	D	112	150
Broad Bay .. .. .	1	15	Foot, Francis W. .. ..	S	C	78	190
Cambrians .. .. .	1	25	Bonnin, Fannie .. ..	H	D	51	210
Caversham .. .. .	7C	644	Sinclair, Vere C. .. ..	A	C	87	140
			Landreth, Elizabeth (Mrs.) .. ..	S	D	58	190
			Rishworth, Margaret .. ..	S	..	..	117
			Hardy, James W. .. ..	H	B	7	430
			Wilson, Robert .. ..	A	C	38	330
			Given, Jessie I. .. ..	A	D	46	250
			Robinson, Arthur H. .. ..	A	B	59	250
			Smith, Norris Y. .. ..	A	Lic.	..	180½
			Ross, Annie M. .. ..	A	D	57	210
			Farnie, Grace M. .. ..	A	D	70	180
			Weir, Christina .. ..	A	C	88	120
			Ryan, Ruby L. .. ..	A	D	90	120
			Miller, Mary A. (Mrs.) .. ..	A	..	..	130
			Dickenson, Hetty F. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Coppin, Ezra N. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Stevens, Edward M. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Eaton, Margaretta B. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Nehoff, William A. .. ..	Pt1	..	..	55
			Allan, Helen F. .. ..	Pt1	..	..	55
			Miller, Elizabeth .. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
Chaslands (6) and Tautuku (8) .. ..	1	14	Kirkland, Charles J. .. ..	S	..	..	144
Chatto Creek .. .. .	1	10	Flannery, Gertrude M. .. ..	S	..	..	126
Clark's Flat .. .. .	1	16	McMillan, Jessie G. .. ..	S	..	..	126
Clinton .. .. .	3B	90	Beattie, John .. ..	H	D	66	250
			King, Rosetta R. .. ..	A	D	81	140
			Miller, Rachel S. .. ..	A	C	100	110
Clyde .. .. .	3B	93	Bringans, Robert .. ..	H	C	52	250
			Smith, Grace Montgomery .. ..	A	C	93	140
			Ash, Harriett E. .. ..	A	D	97	120
Clydevale .. .. .	1	18	Henderson, Florence C. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Coal Creek .. .. .	3A	34	Blackie, Margaret P., B.A. .. ..	S	B	100	200
Concord .. .. .	4A	130	Strong, William J. .. ..	H	D	45	260
			McGregor, Isabella .. ..	A	D	74	170
			McIntyre, Sophie .. ..	A	C	76	130
			Lynn, Lily M. .. ..	Pt2	..	..	60
			Lockart, John A. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	35
Conical Hills .. .. .	1	15	Morgan, Annie H. .. ..	S	Lic.	..	123½
Cromwell .. .. .	3B	130	Mechaclis, William R. .. ..	H	B	51	250
			Sheppard, Vera H. .. ..	A	C	..	120
			McLean, Jessie H. .. ..	A	..	..	110
			Waddell, Blanche M. E. .. ..	Pt1	..	..	35
			Wilson, Alice I. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
Crookston .. .. .	2	20	Eskdale, Isabella J. .. ..	S	D	80	160
Dalrachney .. .. .	0	3	McInnes, Mona .. ..	S	..	..	18
Dunback .. .. .	3A	54	Wilson, Ernest .. ..	H	D	..	200
			McKenzie, Nellie .. ..	A	D	98	140
Dunrobin .. .. .	2	29	Beresford, Gertrude E. .. ..	S	D	73	180
Duntroon .. .. .	3A	63	Labes, Albert A. .. ..	H	C	65	240
			Willocks, Mary M. .. ..	A	C	103	130
Earnsclough .. .. .	3A	36	Restall, Walter .. ..	H	..	..	180
			Cable, Violet L. .. ..	A	C	..	120
East Taieri .. .. .	3A	75	Waddell, James N., B.A. .. ..	H	B	53	250
			Lothian, Jeanie M. .. ..	A	D	85	140
Elderslie .. .. .	2	27	Doak, Margaret S. .. ..	S	..	..	126
Ettrick .. .. .	2	33	Goudie, Dorothy L. .. ..	S	D	106	140
Evansdale .. .. .	3A	37	Percy, David McI. .. ..	H	D	65	235
			Bradfield, Mary A. .. ..	A	C	94	140
Evans Flat .. .. .	2	32	Hogg, Sarah J. .. ..	S	D	77	190
Flag Swamp .. .. .	3A	47	Bremner, Philip .. ..	H	D	75	240
			Carnecross, Edith J. W. .. ..	A	..	..	110
Forbury .. .. .	7D	670	Eudey, Walter .. ..	H	C	13	430
			Nelson, James .. ..	A	C	41	330
			Andrew, Kate .. ..	A	D	54	250
			Borthwick, James .. ..	A	E	61	250
			Budd, Elizabeth .. ..	A	C	66	190
			Lawrence, Dora S. .. ..	A	D	69	210
			Manson, Jessie .. ..	A	B	72	150

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<b>Forbury—<i>continued</i></b>	..	..	Easther, Anna C. W.	A	C	90	£ 120
			Vickers, Mary J.	A	C	102	110
			Nelson, Hannah C.	A	D	94	120
			Gibb, Elizabeth	A	C	96	110
			Phelan, Richard J.	Pt4	..	..	65
			Roberts, Eric M.	Pt4	..	..	55
			Campbell, Isabella R.	Pt4	..	..	55
			Rennie, Nora M.	Pt3	..	..	55
			McLeod, Mina R.	Pt3	..	..	55
			Harris, John C. . .	Pt2	..	..	45
			Martin, John W.	Pr1	..	..	60
			Lonie, Margaret S.	Pr1	..	..	35
Galloway	2	31	Richardson, Alfred R.	S	..	..	144
George Street	7B	617	Patterson, Thomas A., M.A.	H	B	14	430
			Bell, Cecil F. J. . .	A	C	51	330
			Mackenzie, Margaret	A	D	52	250
			McPhee, John H. A., B.A.	A	B	68	250
			Smith, James C.	A	C	..	200
			Campbell, Verona H. D.	A	E	66	210
			Brown, Isabel E.	A	D	77	160
			Green, Jessie A. . .	A	D	91	140
			Bonnin, Muriel G. R.	A	D	105	120
			Anderson, Olive. . .	A	D	97	120
			Loudon, Rubina	A	..	..	110
			Bond, William A.	Pt4	..	..	61
			Gunn, Isabel A. . .	Pt4	..	..	55
			Wilkinson, Francis	Pt4	..	..	55
			Meikle, Ruby L. A.	Pt3	..	..	55
			Ayson, Emily F.	Pr2	..	..	60
			Green, Margaret McG.	Pr2	..	..	35
Gimmerburn	1	11	McIvor, Margaret J.	S	..	..	126
Glenkenich	2	20	Bradfield, Rosetta A.	S	C	83	160
Glenledi	1	8	Sanderson, Marion G.	S	..	..	121½
Glenomaru	3A	45	Burn, David W. M., M.A.	H	B	56	250
			McColl, Annie E.	A	C	96	130
Glenore	1	17	Hardie, Christina (Mrs.)	S	C	70	150
Goodwood	0	5	Diehl, Winifred . .	S	..	..	40
Greenfield	1	16	Robertson, Lily D.	S	..	..	110
Green Island	5C	329	Turner, George A.	H	C	49	320
			Boilby, George H.	A	C	72	250
			Robertson, Jane	A	D	54	210
			Blair, Isabella . .	A	C	92	190
			Davidson, Margaret E.	A	D	84	120
			Kirk, Christina . .	A	D	95	140
			Renz, Stina B. . .	A	..	..	110
			Kinross, Stewart M.	Pt3	..	..	55
			McAhan, Gilbert E.	Pr2	..	..	35
			Murphy, Marguerite	Pt3	..	..	55
Hampden	3B	112	Robertson, Alexander G.	H	C	41	250
			Dewar, Janet B.	A	B	66	140
Hawea	3A	36	Widdowson, Florence A.	A	D	102	120
			McDermid, George M. S.	H	C	58	200
			Murdoch, Jane N.	A	..	..	110
Henley	2	30	Anderson, May . .	S	..	..	126
Heriot	3A	75	Murphy, Frank G.	H	D	57	220
			Bunn, Elizabeth M.	A	C	88	130
Highcliff	3A	51	Rutherford, Donald A. J.	H	C	58	225
			Botting, Grace H.	A	C	98	140
High Street	7A	545	Smith, James W.	H	C	14	430
			Robertson, John A.	A	C	36	330
			Cooper, Isabella O.	A	D	49	250
			Fleming, John J. W.	A	C	65	250
			Waddell, David B.	A	C	85	190
			Taylor, Mabel A.	A	D	57	210
			Sullivan, Lily, M.A.	A	B	53	175
			Clapperton, Catherine, B.A.	A	B	75	140
			West, Maria A. . .	A	D	93	120
			Tyndall, Cicely . .	Pt4	..	..	65
			Morris, Marcia E.	Pt3	..	..	55
			McIntyre, Mabel E.	Pt2	..	..	45
			Lockhart, Allan L.	Pr2	..	..	60
Hillend	1	15	Charlton, Georgina G.	S	..	..	110
Hill Springs	0	5	Watt, Rose . . .	S	..	..	40
Hinahina	1	6	Lory, Norman P.	S	..	..	110
Hindon Railway	1	7	Dillon, Frances L. (Mrs.)	S	E	90	140
Hooper's Inlet	2	16	Elliott, Isabella F.	S	D	75	190

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Houipapa .. .. .	2	26	Read, Alice .. .. .	S	..	..	£ 126
Hyde .. .. .	3A	36	O'Connell, Thomas F. .. .. .	H	Lic.	..	190
Ida Valley .. .. .	1	16	Wallace, Charlotte .. .. .	A	..	..	110
Inchholme .. .. .	2	32	McLeod, Gladys M. S. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Inch Valley .. .. .	2	18	Morrison, William .. .. .	S	..	..	144
Island Cliff .. .. .	2	30	White, Eliza .. .. .	S	C	53	160
Kahuika .. .. .	2	19	Dale, Mary .. .. .	S	C	78	170
Kaihiku .. .. .	1	18	Miller, Leonard W. A. .. .. .	S	..	..	135
Kaikorai .. .. .	7B	582	Lyders, Dagmar A. M. .. .. .	S	C	93	150
			Allnutt, William C. .. .. .	H	D	10	430
			Matheson, John .. .. .	A	D	50	330
			Ralston, Mary .. .. .	A	C	51	250
			Kelk, Henry P. .. .. .	A	D	51	250
			McQueen, Henry C. .. .. .	A	..	..	171
			Dow, Annie C. .. .. .	A	D	57	210
			Callender, Mary .. .. .	A	E	77	180
			Reid, Wilhelmina R. .. .. .	A	D	77	140
			Allan, Flora M. .. .. .	A	C	69	120
			Crawford, Bertha .. .. .	A	C	83	120
			Munro, Barbara M. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	65
			Bastings, Edna C. .. .. .	Pt2	..	..	45
			Mason, Cluxas D. C. .. .. .	Pt1	..	..	55
			Fahey, Nano M. .. .. .	Pt1	..	..	35
			Dallas, Muriel A. G. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	35
Kaitangata .. .. .	5C	356	Mathews, Alfred .. .. .	H	C	31	360
			Cowen, Martin .. .. .	A	C	64	240
			Christie, Elizabeth G. .. .. .	A	D	57	210
			Duke, Ivy E. .. .. .	A	B	98	190
			Smith, Ethel B. L. .. .. .	A	Lic.	..	114
			Kernohan, Florence C. .. .. .	A	D	95	130
			Kilpatrick, Emma L. .. .. .	A	..	..	110
			McVie, David T. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55
			McKinnon, Ethel E. .. .. .	Pt2	..	..	60
			Coates, Sarah E. .. .. .	Pt1	..	..	60
Kakanui .. .. .	3A	59	Cron, William .. .. .	H	C	51	240
			Wilson, Flora .. .. .	A	D	89	140
Kakapuaka .. .. .	2	16	Macdonald, Linda .. .. .	S	D	105	140
Karitane .. .. .	2	26	Bachop, Annie M. .. .. .	S	C	87	150
Kartigi .. .. .	2	25	Williamson, Marjory R. (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	E	91	160
Katoa .. .. .	2	21	Fleming, Aenid M. M. .. .. .	S	C	86	140
Kauroo .. .. .	1	16	Chapman, Ruth K. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Kelso .. .. .	3A	45	Beattie, John W. G. .. .. .	H	Lic.	..	209
			Macdonald, Muriel .. .. .	A	..	..	110
Kensington .. .. .	5D	378	Stewart, Peter G. .. .. .	H	D	27	340
			Harrison, Thomas C. .. .. .	A	E	..	230
			Farquharson, Elizabeth .. .. .	A	E	54	210
			Aitchison, Louisa M. .. .. .	A	E	65	210
			Barth, Irene .. .. .	A	D	89	140
			Carey, Vera B. .. .. .	A	C	94	130
			Botting, Amy I. .. .. .	A	C	90	120
			Hastings, Angela .. .. .	A	C	100	120
			Grey, Ella J. .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	65
			Roseveare, Areta I. E. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	35
Kia Ora .. .. .	3A	40	Woodhouse, Margaret A. .. .. .	H	D	60	210
			Wilson, Margaret A. .. .. .	A	..	..	117
Killermont .. .. .	0	2	Robertson, Ida E. .. .. .	S	..	..	16
Kokoamo .. .. .	1	11	Fleet, Margaret E. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Kokonga .. .. .	1	13	Thomas, Annie (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	D	94	130
Kuri Bush .. .. .	1	7	Orr, Margaret F. M. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Kuriwao .. .. .	1	10	Johnston, Jane F. .. .. .	S	..	..	117
Kurow .. .. .	3A	61	Hartstonge, Daniel .. .. .	H	C	68	225
			Sinclair, Cecil M. .. .. .	A	..	..	126
			McGregor, Flora C. .. .. .	Pt1	..	..	30
Kyeburn .. .. .	1	12	Hawkes, Helen (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	..	..	128
Kyeburn Diggings .. .. .	1	9	Smith, Mary M. .. .. .	S	..	..	117
Laudor .. .. .	1	18	Bodkin, Alice G. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Laudor Railway-station .. .. .	2	32	Bodkin, Evelyn E. .. .. .	S	C	79	160
Lawrence District High School— Primary (142), secondary (40)	4B	182	Jones, Herbert C. .. .. .	H	B	21	310
			Darton, Henry L. .. .. .	A	D	46	276½
			Brown, Mary .. .. .	A	C	78	170
			Gray, Frances A. .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	55
			Blair, Marjory E. .. .. .	Pt1	..	..	35
			Botting, Robert W. S. .. .. .	D	C	64	..
			Jennings, Margaret A., R.A. .. .. .	D	B	60	..
Leith Valley .. .. .	3A	54	Nesbit, James W. .. .. .	H	D	65	240
			McDougall, Isabel .. .. .	A	C	80	140

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Livingstone .. .. .	3A	46	Reilly, Louis G. . . . .	H	D	68	£ 240
Lovell's Flat .. .. .	3A	50	Hunter, Elizabeth A. . . . .	A	D	94	140
Lowburn .. .. .	3A	56	Heward, Edwin H. . . . .	H	D	57	220
Lower Harbour .. .. .	2	27	Anderson, Ann C. . . . .	A	D	78	140
Luggate .. .. .	1	13	Christie, James . . . . .	H	Lic.	..	209
Macandrew Road .. .. .	7C	620	Foster, Jessie . . . . .	A	..	..	110
			Snell, Winifred S. J. . . . .	S	..	..	135
			Munro, Donald (i), B.A. . . . .	S	B	91	130
			Macdonald, George W. C. . . . .	H	B	10	430
			Smeaton, Charles G. . . . .	A	C	36	330
			Whinam, Lois A. P. . . . .	A	D	56	250
			McKenzie, Lionel A. . . . .	A	B	68	230
			Alloo, Arthur W., B.A. . . . .	A	B	75	210
			Alexander, Rebecca (Mrs.) . . . . .	A	D	57	210
			Hastings, Margaret E. . . . .	A	C	73	170
			Davie, Victoria R. . . . .	A	C	84	140
			Hughes, Maggie G. . . . .	A	C	92	120
			Quin, Myra L. . . . .	A	C	92	120
			Appleby, Dorothy F. E. . . . .	Pt4	..	..	55
			Twigg, Mabel F. . . . .	Pt4	..	..	55
			Lynn, Linda G. . . . .	Pt3	..	..	65
			Sullivan, Robert M. . . . .	Pt2	..	..	45
			MacLennan, Ian G. . . . .	Pt2	..	..	45
			Ross, Irena C. . . . .	Pt1	..	..	55
			Wishart, Doris L. . . . .	Pr1	..	..	35
MacLennan .. .. .	2	28	Spears, Anthony . . . . .	S	..	..	126
Macrae's .. .. .	2	29	McErlain, Catherine R. . . . .	S	..	..	135
Macrewhenua .. .. .	2	17	Stringer, Ada E. W. . . . .	S	C	87	140
Maheno .. .. .	4A	133	Rodger, William . . . . .	H	B	35	280
			Harlow, Wilhelmina . . . . .	A	D	68	170
			Cormack, Margaret (Mrs.) . . . . .	A	C	..	140
			Gorman, Marjorie . . . . .	Pt4	..	..	65
			Low, Margaret . . . . .	Pr2	..	..	35
Makarora .. .. .	1	9	Horrocks, Harold . . . . .	S	..	..	110
Manuka Creek .. .. .	0	6	Callanan, Margaret K. . . . .	S	..	..	64
Maori Hill .. .. .	5D	363	Fitzgerald, John A. . . . .	H	D	29	340
			Calder, George A. . . . .	A	D	61	250
			Livingston, Catherine . . . . .	A	D	63	200
			Brown, Jane K. . . . .	A	D	51	200
			Valentine, Winifred A. . . . .	A	C	86	140
			Wilson, Janet C. . . . .	A	C	80	140
			Brooke, Una . . . . .	A	C	89	120
			Peake, Frederick M. . . . .	Pt4	..	..	55
			Kennedy, Francis M. . . . .	Pt2	..	..	45
			McElrea, Eveline M. . . . .	Pt2	..	..	45
			Fleming, Emily M. . . . .	Pr2	..	..	60
Maruakoa .. .. .	1	8	Andrews, Olive . . . . .	S	..	..	110
Matakanui .. .. .	2	27	McGlone, Katherine A. . . . .	S	C	88	140
Matau .. .. .	1	18	Smith, Dorothy M. . . . .	S	..	..	110
Matea .. .. .	1	17	Moir, Maria . . . . .	S	..	..	117
Maungatua .. .. .	3A	34	Kennedy, Archibald P. L. . . . .	S	C	89	200
Merino Downs .. .. .	1	12	Quinn, Rosella . . . . .	S	..	..	110
Merton .. .. .	2	22	Atkin, Margaret J. C. . . . .	S	D	91	140
Milburn .. .. .	3A	54	Pilling, Ewen . . . . .	H	E	71	240
			Potts, Elizabeth A. . . . .	A	C	95	140
Miller's Flat .. .. .	3A	57	Taylor, Robert M. . . . .	H	D	66	235
			Paterson, Mary H. . . . .	A	..	..	117
Moa Creek .. .. .	3A	41	Hepburn, David J. . . . .	H	..	..	189
			Neville, Hannah . . . . .	A	..	..	117
Moa Flat .. .. .	1	15	Shand, Jane B. (Mrs.) . . . . .	S	Lic.	..	110
Moeraki .. .. .	3A	39	Woods, Llewellyn . . . . .	H	C	65	230
			Wilson, Janet E. . . . .	A	..	..	110
Momona .. .. .	3A	45	Melville, John . . . . .	H	C	46	240
			Argue, Elizabeth . . . . .	A	..	..	126
Moonlight .. .. .	1	13	Austing, Oswald C. . . . .	S	..	..	110
Moray Place .. .. .	5C	325	Stewart, John N. . . . .	H	C	31	355
			Thomson, Magnus . . . . .	A	D	57	250
			Ford, Margaret O. T. . . . .	A	C	71	190
			Burke, Richard J. J. . . . .	A	D	73	220
			Hodges, Bithia L. C. . . . .	A	D	79	140
			Wheeler, Gwenda R. . . . .	A	..	..	110
			Johnson, Helen C. W. . . . .	A	D	75	140
			Shaw, Ethel . . . . .	A	C	84	120
			Smith, Annie F. . . . .	A	C	91	120
			Turner, Malcolm F. . . . .	Pr2	..	..	35
			Young, Lilian L. . . . .	Pr2	..	..	35



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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	
Mornington .. .. .	7A	551	Davidson, William (i) .. .. .	H	D	13	£ 430	
			Service, William A. .. .. .	A	B	38	330	
			King, Mary .. .. .	A	D	54	250	
			Johnston, John G. .. .. .	A	C	60	270	
			Murray, Florence .. .. .	A	D	61	210	
			Calder, Elizabeth M. .. .. .	A	D	64	210	
			Mackisack, Eleanor W. .. .. .	A	C	85	160	
			Smith, Lucy E. D. .. .. .	A	D	79	130	
			Maxwell, Grace M. .. .. .	A	D	..	120	
			Mackisack, Kathleen E. .. .. .	A	C	..	110	
			Bentham, Esme R. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55	
			Burn, Mary G. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	55	
Mosgiel District High School—Pri- mary (321), secondary (40).	5C	361	Graham, George P., B.A. .. .. .	H	B	12	320	
			Dallas, Thomas W. .. .. .	A	C	78	250	
			Scott, Mary (i) .. .. .	A	D	54	210	
			Jackson, Mary J. .. .. .	A	D	80	190	
			Farquharson, Jane A. .. .. .	A	..	..	110	
			Marwick, Marion I. M. (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	C	100	150	
			Swan, Jessie E. .. .. .	A	C	93	120	
			Woolliams, Eva M. E. .. .. .	A	C	95	120	
			Davidson, Grace O. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	35	
			Mitchell, Violet M. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	35	
			Bressey, Florence F., M.A. .. .. .	D	A	45	..	
			Milne, Hilda H. (Mrs.), B.A. .. .. .	D	B	60	..	
Mount Cargill .. .. .	2	23	Smith, Phyllis M. .. .. .	S	C	..	140	
Mount Stewart .. .. .	1	11	McLean, Vera G. .. .. .	S	..	..	110	
Musselburgh .. .. .	7B	586	White, John .. .. .	H	D	22	430	
			Kaye, William T. O. .. .. .	A	C	54	310	
			Chalmer, Clara E. .. .. .	A	D	63	250	
			Cameron, Louisa F. .. .. .	A	D	51	230	
			Farquharson, Janet H. .. .. .	A	C	51	190	
			Graham, Jane S. B. .. .. .	A	D	60	210	
			McKenzie, Isabella M. .. .. .	A	D	77	150	
			Graham, Catherine A. C. .. .. .	A	C	72	120	
			Islip, Ellen G. .. .. .	A	C	96	110	
			Rishworth, Jane G. S. .. .. .	A	C	94	120	
			Nelson, Alexander P. .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	55	
			Homan, Edith M. .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	55	
			Deaker, Arthur J. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55	
			Bennet, Gwendolyn .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55	
Naseby .. .. .	3B	102	Jack, James A. .. .. .	H	B	44	270	
			Smith, Mary M. D. .. .. .	A	C	99	130	
			Blair, Alice .. .. .	A	C	..	110	
			Morgan, Davidina B. A. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	55	
Nevis .. .. .	1	17	Lawrence, Ivy B. .. .. .	S	..	..	110	
Ngapara .. .. .	3A	62	Slater, William T. .. .. .	H	D	74	225	
			Wilson, Sarah .. .. .	A	..	..	126	
Ngapuna .. .. .	1	11	Hubbard, Fanny .. .. .	S	D	82	150	
Normal District High School and four model schools (at Training College)—Normal primary (444); Model schools—type (i), rural (37); type (ii), junior P.—S 2 (39); type (iii), secondary (53); type (v), junior kindergarten (average not reckoned: children under five years of age)	7B	573	McElrea, William, B.E. .. .. .	H	B	6	475	
			McMillan, Hugh .. .. .	N	D	34	360	
			Maxwell, Jessie .. .. .	N	D	34	310	
			Partridge, Ernest, M.A. .. .. .	N	A	50	330	
			McMillan, Mary S. .. .. .	N	E	44	280	
			Greaves, Alice .. .. .	N	D	56	260	
			Faulk, Kate .. .. .	N	D	69	250	
			White, Dora .. .. .	N	C	70	210	
			Henderson, Elizabeth O. .. .. .	N	C	70	210	
			Alexander, Ann C. .. .. .	N	D	65	210	
			Marryatt, Ernest .. .. .	N(S)	C	41	330	
			Macpherson, Gertrude C. .. .. .	N	D	57	210	
			Stewart, Charles A., M.A. .. .. .	N(D)	A	46	..	
			Kenyon, Helen McG., B.A. .. .. .	N(D)	B	63	..	
			Crawley, Janet L. .. .. .	N	D	53	210	
North-east Harbour .. .. .	3A	46	Menzies, James K. .. .. .	H	D	52	225	
			Morrison, Margaret E. C. .. .. .	A	D	99	140	
North-east Valley .. .. .	7C	631	Flamank, Oscar D. .. .. .	H	C	10	430	
			Rawlinson, Charles C. .. .. .	A	C	32	330	
			Andrew, Alice M. .. .. .	A	D	52	250	
			Abernethy, Allan H., B.A. .. .. .	A	B	79	230	
			Bowling, Alice G. .. .. .	A	D	54	210	
			Jones, Florence A. .. .. .	A	D	61	190	
			McCallum, Louisa M. .. .. .	A	C	64	150	
			Bayley, Stella I. .. .. .	A	D	94	130	
			York, Ethel D. .. .. .	A	D	97	120	

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North-east Valley—continued	..	..	Matheson, Clara R.	A	C	100	£ 110	
			Smith, Margaret F.	Pt4	..	..	65	
			Walker, Robert ..	Pt4	..	..	65	
			Harland, Huia V.	Pt3	..	..	55	
			Wilkie, Janet H.	Pt3	..	..	55	
			Thompson, Herbert W.	Pt2	..	..	60	
			Botting, Esther C.	Pt2	..	..	60	
			Wallace, Mary Y.	Pr1	..	..	35	
North Taieri ..	2	24	Pretsch, Maria S.	S	D	57	190	
Nugget Point ..	1	14	Simmonds, Mary M.	S	..	..	110	
Oamaru Middle	4B	166	Earl, Edwin T., B.A.	H	B	41	310	
			McMullan, Esther	A	D	79	170	
			Wilding, Mary J.	A	E	74	170	
			McKenzie, Georgina	A	D	70	140	
			Matches, Florence J.	Pt1	..	..	55	
			Hall, Gladys I. ..	Pr2	..	..	35	
			Beardsmore, Ellen	Pr1	..	..	35	
Oamaru North	6B	474	Malcolm, James P. F.	H	D	17	390	
			Ironside, John ..	A	C	46	300	
			Thompson, Alicia M.]	A	D	60	210	
			Kibblewhite, Kate E.	A	C	65	200	
			Edwards, Isabella	A	C	71	160	
			Doak, Mary F. ..	A	C	77	160	
			Jones, Eliza J. ..	A	C	93	130	
			Wood, Alice A. ..	A	C	103	120	
			Willocks, Margaret M.	A	..	..	110	
			Beattie, Muriel A.	Pt3	..	..	65	
			Paterson, Jessie L.	Pt3	..	..	65	
			Meldrum, Marion H.	Pr1	..	..	35	
Oamaru South ..	5c	368	McLaren, William]	H	D	28	330	
			Hanna, Alexander	A	D	65	250	
			McNaught, Grace C. S.	A]	D	54	200	
			Rogers, Francis H. P.	A]	D	97	190	
			Darling, Rosy ..	A]	D	82	130	
			Martyn, Frances R.	A	C	94	140	
			Swinard, Bertha M.	A	C	92	120	
			Beattie, Ethelwyn J.	A	C	91	120	
			Robertson, Mary I. M. A.	Pr2	..	..	35	
			Moserop, Ruth E.	Pr2	..	..	35	
Otakou ..	2	28	Cameron, Norman M.	S	..	..	126	
Otanomoma ..	2	25	York, Annie K.	S	C	103	140	
Otekaike ..	3A	40	Guy, Gladys M.	H	C	88	210	
			Westphal, Annah M.	A	D	..	120	
Otekura ..	1	18	Glanville, Alice ..	S	C	90	130	
Otepopo ..	3B	77	Fleming, James ..	H	C	59	250	
			Allan, Mary ..	A	C	97	130	
Otiake ..	1	22	Booth, Alice S. ..	S	..	..	110	
Otokia ..	2	25	Wilson, Isabella (Mrs.)	S	C	70	150	
Oturehna ..	2	25	Shea, Ellen ..	S	C	86	150	
Outram ..	3B	89	Harrison, Samuel J.	H	C	50	240	
			Bagley, Leith V.	A	C	75	140	
			Harrison, Emily V. F.	A	D	94	120	
			Pinfold, Frederick M.	Pr1	..	..	60	
Owaka ..	4A	123	Chesney, Andrew	H	D	39	270	
			Frazer, Ellen F. ..	A	C	74	160	
			Willocks, Ada M. R.	A	B	98	130	
			Gwyn, Mabel B. I.	Pt2	..	..	60	
Owaka Valley ..	2	26	Kirk, Robina ..	S	C	77	160	
Paerau ..	0	6	Taylor, Martha M.	S	..	..	40	
Palmerston District High School— Primary (218), secondary (23)	4c	241	Rutherford, John R., M.A.	H	A	12	340	
			Bennett, William J.	A	C	81	210	
			Heckler, Louisa A.	A	D	76	180	
			Botting, Ethel K. M.	A	C	76	170	
			Muir, Grace C. ..	A	C	87	140	
			Coutts, Jane B. ..	Pt3	..	..	55	
			Hughes, Mabel P.	Pr2	..	..	35	
			Hale, Lily G., B.A.	D	B	78	..	
Papakaio ..	3A	68	Lawless, Cyril N.	H	B	45	235	
			Inder, Winifred B.	A	C	89	140	
Papatowai ..	2	23	Morgan, Daniel Welsh	S	..	..	110	
Patearoa ..	3A	27	Newbury, Philip J.	S	C	78	200	
Pine Hill ..	3A	41	Ewart, Hannah ..	H	D	89	200	
			McColl, Mary ..	A	..	..	110	

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Poolburn .. .. .	1	17	Welsh, Margaret .. .. .	S	..	..	£ 110
Popotunoa .. .. .	1	9	Herd, Margaret L. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Port Chalmers District High School	6B	461	Booth, George F., B.A. .. .. .	H	B	20	390
—Primary (436), secondary (25)			Gray, James H., B.A. .. .. .	A	B	36	300
			Nicolson, Ada (Mrs.) .. .. .	I	D	54	230
			Findlay, Ivan H. .. .. .	A	C	..	190
			Geddes, Emilie S. .. .. .	A	E	73	170
			Noone, Isabella .. .. .	A	D	79	150
			Williamson, Agnes S. .. .. .	A	D	99	140
			McLean, Elizabeth (ii) .. .. .	A	C	..	110
			Jack, Leslie G. .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	55
			Chisholm, Fanny M. .. .. .	Pt1	..	..	35
			McGill, Amalea I. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	60
			Sinclair, Agnes .. .. .	D	C	69	..
Port Molyneux .. .. .	2	19	Gow, Harriet, M.A. .. .. .	S	A	73	160
Portobello .. .. .	3A	62	Fergus, Robert .. .. .	H	D	56	240
			Hutton, Pearl E. .. .. .	A	C	..	140
Post Office Creek .. .. .	0	4	Parker, Mary .. .. .	S	..	..	32
Pounaweia .. .. .	1	13	Whitelaw, Muriel L. J. .. .. .	S	C	..	110
Pukeiwhitahi .. .. .	2	34	McGregor, Fanny L. (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	D	66	150
Pukema .. .. .	0	10	Butcher, Annie E. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Pukepito .. .. .	1	16	Begg, Isabella .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Puketi .. .. .	1	12	Blaney, Florence .. .. .	S	..	..	117
Puketiro .. .. .	1	12	Rowe, Evelyn L. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Pukeuri .. .. .	3A	62	Forrester, Francis E. L. .. .. .	H	B	57	230
			Marwick, Jane .. .. .	A	B	85	140
Purakanui .. .. .	2	35	Brand, Robert .. .. .	S	D	73	220
Purakauiti .. .. .	1	15	Adams, Margaret (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	D	81	110
Purekireki .. .. .	2	20	Couch, George B. .. .. .	S	..	..	135
Rae's Junction .. .. .	2	17	Young, Ella .. .. .	S	C	..	140
Ranfurly .. .. .	3A	73	McLay, James .. .. .	H	B	53	240
			McWilliam, Mona .. .. .	A	D	..	120
Ratanui .. .. .	3A	40	Davis, Edward .. .. .	H	D	56	240
			McDonald, Flora .. .. .	A	..	..	110
Ravensbourne .. .. .	4B	191	Grant, John B. .. .. .	H	C	28	300
			Buchan, John .. .. .	A	C	78	200
			Lear, Constance M. .. .. .	A	C	69	170
			Bonnin, Winifred M. L. .. .. .	A	D	95	140
			Turner, Eva M. .. .. .	Pt1	..	..	55
Reomoana .. .. .	2	17	Jeans, Eana B. .. .. .	S	C	84	160
Romahapa .. .. .	3A	48	Burn, Edgar H. .. .. .	H	C	59	230
			Moss, Doreen H. .. .. .	A	C	98	140
Rongahere .. .. .	1	8	Rowe, Mary E. .. .. .	S	C	..	110
Roxburgh .. .. .	4A	145	Williamson, Alexander H. .. .. .	H	C	38	280
			Newlands, Marion S. S., B.A. .. .. .	A	B	69	175
			Ashcroft, Catherine L. .. .. .	A	C	101	130
			Rae, Thomas W. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	65
Saddle Hill .. .. .	1	13	McDonald, Sarah E. (ii) .. .. .	S	D	108	150
St. Bathans .. .. .	3A	33	Hutton, Ella B. .. .. .	S	C	87	200
St. Clair .. .. .	4C	302	Pope, Langley .. .. .	H	C	41	305
			McMullan, John J. M. .. .. .	A	C	70	200
			Hopcraft, Victoria K. .. .. .	A	D	72	170
			Wylie, Clara E. .. .. .	A	C	77	120
			Thomas, Minnie A. .. .. .	A	C	90	140
			Russell, Margaret A. (Mrs.) .. .. .	A	D	66	140
			McLeod, Sara E. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	65
			Grant, Charles G. .. .. .	Pt3	..	..	55
			Begg, Margaret I. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	35
			Cornack, Florence B. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	35
St. Leonard's .. .. .	3A	47	Botting, John F. .. .. .	H	C	55	230
			Roseveare, Ethel A. .. .. .	A	D	73	140
Sandymount .. .. .	3A	38	Campbell, David F. L. .. .. .	H	D	76	210
			Mathieson, Elizabeth G. .. .. .	A	C	87	140
Sawyer's Bay .. .. .	4A	129	Finlay, Thomas A. .. .. .	H	D	48	280
			Johnstone, Cecilia .. .. .	A	E	76	170
			Melrose, Susan R. .. .. .	A	C	101	120
			Marshall, Jean H. .. .. .	Pt4	..	..	55
			Bell, James F. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	35
Seacliff .. .. .	3A	83	Marshall, Hugh .. .. .	H	C	51	240
			Currie, Isabelle T. .. .. .	A	D	84	140
			Malloch, Elizabeth W. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	30
Shingle Creek .. .. .	1	9	Haig, Mary .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Southbridge .. .. .	2	25	Henderson, Veda M. .. .. .	S	C	93	150
Spottis Creek .. .. .	1	10	Taylor-Cameron, Alice L. (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	..	..	110

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Stirling .. .. .	3B	71	Ellisson, Lionel E. .. .. .	H	C	54	£ 250
			Landreth, Catherine .. .. .	A	..	..	110
			Bishop, May D. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	60
Stony Creek .. .. .	2	20	Booth, Ada K. M. .. .. .	S	D	79	160
Strath Taieri .. .. .	4A	117	Tindall, Arthur W. .. .. .	H	C	48	290
			Paul, Eliza F. M. H. .. .. .	A	C	60	160
			Gillespie, Sarah .. .. .	A	..	..	110
			Cottle, Mary .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	60
Sutton .. .. .	2	30	Ewart, Marion (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	D	79	165
Table Hill .. .. .	1	11	Calder, Margaret H. .. .. .	S	C	..	110
Tahakopa .. .. .	2	31	Oulds, George F. .. .. .	S	..	..	135
Tahatika .. .. .	2	22	Eason, Minnie F. .. .. .	S	D	84	190
Tahora .. .. .	0	8	Macdonald, Steena M. .. .. .	S	..	..	64
Taieri Beach .. .. .	2	23	Firth, Elizabeth H. .. .. .	S	D	62	160
Taieri Ferry .. .. .	1	12	Hay, Williamina .. .. .	S	D	98	130
Tapanui District High School— Primary (148), secondary (21)	4B	169	Mackie, William W. .. .. .	H	C	27	300
			Graham, Agnes G. .. .. .	A	C	93	160
			Guffie, Solina .. .. .	A	D	72	170
			Graham, Amelia B. P. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	35
			Bower, Johan C. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	55
			Learnmouth, Ivy A. .. .. .	D	..	..	..
Tapui .. .. .	2	17	Ewart, Emma .. .. .	S	..	..	144
Tarara .. .. .	1	11	Overton, Samuel J. G. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Tarras .. .. .	0	12	Hare, Adeline M. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Taumata .. .. .	1	13	Don, Helen P. .. .. .	S	C	89	110
Tautuku (half-time). See under Chaslands.							
Tawanui .. .. .	2	19	Hewson, Mary N. .. .. .	S	Lic.	..	152
Teaneraki .. .. .	3A	61	Harrison, Thomas .. .. .	H	C	55	225
			Fegans, Frances M. .. .. .	A	D	..	120
Te Houka .. .. .	2	25	Currie, Kate W. .. .. .	S	D	90	150
Tokarahi .. .. .	3A	45	Colquhoun, Hercules .. .. .	H	C	58	220
			Webber, Emily .. .. .	A	C	96	120
Tokoiti .. .. .	3B	97	Grant, John B. .. .. .	H	C	42	250
			Green, Lilian C. .. .. .	A	C	100	120
			Heward, Muriel D. .. .. .	A	..	..	110
			Forsyth, Charles E. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	60
Tokomairiro District High School— Primary (234), secondary (8)	5A	242	Graham, Walter B. .. .. .	H	C	7	340
			Wilson, John M. .. .. .	A	..	..	171
			Nelson, Jessie R. .. .. .	A	D	59	180
			Crawford, Elsie J. .. .. .	A	C	96	150
			Edgar, Mary E. .. .. .	A	D	96	130
			Hislop, Helen A. .. .. .	Pr3	..	..	55
			Moir, Robert W. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	60
			Thomson, Margaret E. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	60
			Johnson, Alfred G. .. .. .	D	..	..	..
Totara .. .. .	3A	75	Rogers, Walter J. .. .. .	H	C	60	250
			Wood, Hazel E. D. .. .. .	A	..	..	110
Tuapeka Flat .. .. .	1	15	Hunter, Susannah .. .. .	S	D	84	150
Tuapeka Mouth .. .. .	3A	37	Graham, James W. .. .. .	H	Lic.	..	199½
			Thomson, Elizabeth M. .. .. .	A	D	106	123½
Tuapeka West .. .. .	1	14	Cormack, Isabella .. .. .	S	C	73	140
Upper Junction .. .. .	2	28	Dippie, Margaret .. .. .	S	E	59	190
Upper Nevis .. .. .	0	3	McDonald, Olive G. .. .. .	S	..	..	24
Waenga .. .. .	1	7	McLaren, Ellen M. .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Waianakarua .. .. .	2	32	Cameron, Annie R. .. .. .	S	D	77	190
Waihemo .. .. .	1	7	Bayly, Ethel D. (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Waiholo .. .. .	3A	46	Kirby, Alban M. .. .. .	H	C	64	250
			McRae, Alexandrina .. .. .	A	C	100	130
Waikoikoi .. .. .	3A	40	Borrie, John A. .. .. .	H	D	61	240
			Cornish, Lily M. .. .. .	A	B	85	140
Waikouaiti .. .. .	4A	163	Phillipps, William .. .. .	H	B	40	270
			Kirby, Christiana E. .. .. .	A	D	77	180
			McLeod, Daisy K. .. .. .	A	D	97	140
			White, Robert T. .. .. .	Pr1	..	..	55
			Peddie, Margaret G. .. .. .	Pr2	..	..	60
Waipahi .. .. .	2	35	Walter, Isabella M. .. .. .	S	..	..	126
Waipiata .. .. .	2	18	Campbell, Janet M. (Mrs.) .. .. .	S	D	77	150
Waipori .. .. .	2	25	Greer, Flora .. .. .	S	C	86	150
Waipori Falls .. .. .	1	14	Outram, Louisa .. .. .	S	..	..	110
Wairuna .. .. .	2	28	Luke, Robert L. L. .. .. .	S	D	66	210
Waitahuna .. .. .	3B	92	Stenhouse, Robert A. .. .. .	H	C	49	240
			McMullin, Margaret L. .. .. .	A	C	95	120
			Miller, Winifred B. .. .. .	A	C	102	120

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	
Waitahuna Gully .. ..	1	21	Sutherland, Margaret A. ..	S	C	81	£ 150	
Waitahuna West .. ..	1	13	Rosindale, Agnes .. ..	S	..	..	110	
Waitaki Bridge .. ..	2	25	Marwick, Ethel .. ..	S	C	63	190	
Waitapeka .. ..	1	19	Renshaw, Mary E. (ii) ..	S	D	81	160	
Waitati .. ..	3B	82	Hilgendorf, Francis .. ..	H	B	40	250	
			Hare, Emma J. .. ..	A	C	93	140	
			Marwick, Bessie B. .. ..	A	C	103	120	
			McDonald, Jessie W. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	60	
Waiwera .. ..	3A	55	McKinnon, Charles .. ..	H	D	51	240	
			Hay, Nettie I. .. ..	A	C	99	130	
Wakari .. ..	4A	154	Moir, James .. ..	H	D	44	290	
			Christie, Jessie C. .. ..	A	D	76	170	
			Morris, Thirza S. .. ..	A	C	90	140	
			Carey, Daphne G. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55	
			McDougall, Margaret T. ..	Pr1	..	..	35	
Walton .. ..	3A	53	Harrison, Wilkinson L., M.A.	H	A	45	240	
			Grono, Violet A. R. .. ..	A	C	66	140	
			Wilden, Olive I. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	35	
Wanaka .. ..	1	13	Henderson, Annie M. .. ..	S	..	..	110	
Wanaka Road .. ..	0	5	Flannery, May E. .. ..	S	..	..	40	
Wangaloa .. ..	0	9	Watt, Elsie J. .. ..	S	..	..	121 1/2	
Warepa .. ..	1	16	Ross, Sophia .. ..	S	Lic.	..	156 3/4	
Waronui .. ..	2	21	Muir, Doris M. K. .. ..	S	..	..	126	
Wedderburn .. ..	2	20	Shaw, Margaret J. .. ..	S	C	67	150	
Weston .. ..	3A	88	Cowan, Robert .. ..	H	C	46	240	
			O'Donnell, Eileen .. ..	A	D	103	140	
			Counihan, Catherine V. ..	A	C	..	110	
			Baxter, Ellen L. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	35	
West Taieri .. ..	3A	27	Gillespie, Margaret .. ..	S	D	70	200	
Wetherstones .. ..	1	14	Pope, Josephine M. J. ..	S	E	83	150	
Whare Flat .. ..	0	7	Wishart, Jessie M. .. ..	S	..	..	110	
Wharekuri .. ..	1	15	Mee, Helen .. ..	S	..	..	110	
Wharetoa .. ..	1	12	Appleby, Olive V. G. ..	S	..	..	110	
Windsor .. ..	3A	39	Duggan, Patrick J. .. ..	H	D	57	240	
			Beattie, Helen M. J. .. ..	A	..	..	126	
Wylie's Crossing .. ..	2	29	Smith, James (ii) .. ..	S	C	60	240	
Total .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	106766 1/2	

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Aparima .. ..	2	29	Moriarty, Eleanor C. .. ..	S	..	..	£ 135
Ardlussa .. ..	1	21	Field, Joseph F. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Arrowtown .. ..	3A	55	Pears, William M. .. ..	H	..	..	180
			Preston, Lucille E. .. ..	A	..	..	126
Arthur's Point .. ..	0	6	Griffith, Annie W. .. ..	S	..	..	48
Atho .. ..	3A	41	Hamer, J. .. ..	H	..	..	180
			Beer, Ethel C. .. ..	A	..	..	126
Awarua Plains .. ..	1	9	Treloar, Ethel .. ..	S	..	..	117
Balfour .. ..	3A	84	White, James .. ..	H	C	59	225
			Steele, Marion A. .. ..	A	C	..	120
Birchwood .. ..	1	18	Athy, Margaret M. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Bluff .. ..	5C	334	Blackie, Walter G., M.A., B.Sc.	H	A	18	340
			Lenihan, James .. ..	A	C	60	260
			Todd, Eliza T. .. ..	A	D	55	190
			Stenhouse, Christina .. ..	A	D	68	190
			Durie, Olive M. M. .. ..	A	D	94	140
			Gifford, Jessie C. .. ..	A	D	90	140
			Lovett, Dulcie M. .. ..	A	D	102	120
			Brown, Ellen S. .. ..	Pt2	..	..	60
			Clare, Emily S. .. ..	Pt1	..	..	35
			Francis, Cecil D. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	55
Brown's .. ..	3A	39	Murphy, Kate .. ..	H	C	48	210
			Hamilton, Catherine P. ..	A	..	..	110
Brydone .. ..	2	30	Simmonds, Sarah E. (Mrs.)	S	E	80	190
Cardrona .. ..	1	15	Patterson, John S. .. ..	S	..	..	110

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Carolino .. ..	1	8	McLeod, Margaret .. ..	S	..	..	£ 110
Charlton .. ..	2	32	Purvis, Patience I. .. ..	S	D	66	190
Chatton, East .. ..	1	18	Monaghan, Mary .. ..	S	..	..	110
Chatton, North .. ..	1	19	Carson, Margaret C. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Clifden .. ..	2	38	Stirling, Mary (Mrs.) .. ..	S	D	..	140
Clifton .. ..	3A	59	Smith, Edward (ii) .. ..	H	D	65	245
Colac Bay .. ..	3A	63	Hannan, Cecilia .. ..	A	E	92	140
			Hall, Andrew .. ..	H	D	60	220
			Watson, Jane .. ..	A	..	..	110
Crown Terrace .. ..	1	11	Preston, Gwendoline A. .. ..	S	..	..	117
Croydon .. ..	2	31	Hamilton, Henry .. ..	S	..	..	144
Dacre .. ..	2	37	Maiden, Sophia, J. M. J. .. ..	S	D	70	180
Dipton .. ..	3A	59	Lea, Albert G. .. ..	H	C	66	240
Drummond .. ..	3A	71	McClymont, Grace .. ..	A	..	..	126
			Hanning, Minnie L. .. ..	H	E	51	220
			Rance, Isabel S. .. ..	A	D	..	140
Eastern Bush .. ..	2	21	Macdonald, Matilda J. .. ..	S	D	95	140
East Gore .. ..	4B	189	Steadman, David D. .. ..	H	C	37	310
			Ballantyne, Albert .. ..	A	..	..	140
			Anderson, Mary A. (Mrs.), (i) .. ..	A	D	81	190
			Ross, Annie .. ..	A	D	83	140
			Johnston, Olive W. J. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	65
			Morris, Muriel N. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	35
			Southern, Walter .. ..	S	..	..	110
			Hiddleston, Archibald H. .. ..	H	E	51	285
			Pryde, Annie .. ..	A	D	80	170
			Cowie, Elizabeth (Mrs.) .. ..	A	C	85	150
Elderslie .. ..	3A	55	Regan, Angus G. .. ..	Pt2	..	..	60
			Dowling, Nellie .. ..	Pr1	..	..	55
			Watson, Isabella H. .. ..	H	C	46	225
			Murray, Jessie E. I. .. ..	A	Lic.	..	133
			McIntyre, Lucy .. ..	S	..	..	126
			Ramsay, Johanna .. ..	S	..	..	48
			Rawlins, Vera .. ..	S	..	..	8
			Meek, Ada M. .. ..	S	E	68	190
			Hassing, George M. .. ..	S	E	..	130
			McLauchlan, Ewen M. .. ..	S	..	..	117
Ferdunlaw .. ..	1	10	Lopdell, Annie T. .. ..	S	..	..	110
			Lopdell, James W. .. ..	H	Lic.	..	190
			Anderson, Albertina V. .. ..	A	C	90	140
			Daplyn, Ethel V. .. ..	S	..	..	110
			Stewart, Annie D. .. ..	S	..	..	110
			Cameron, Jessie (i) .. ..	H	D	71	240
			McLean, Doris A. .. ..	A	..	..	110
			Miller, Charles .. ..	S	..	..	110
			Millard, Arthur J. .. ..	H	E	68	230
			Nicoll, Janet B. .. ..	A	..	..	126
Fortification .. ..	3A	43	Melton, Jane B. (Mrs.) .. ..	H	D	68	200
			Paul, Sarah A. .. ..	A	..	..	110
			Allott, Spencer M. .. ..	S	..	..	110
			McGearty, Elizabeth .. ..	S	..	..	135
			Macdonald, Clothilde F. .. ..	Pt2	..	..	110
			Ewing, Jean .. ..	S	..	..	16
			Taylor, Elza M. .. ..	S	D	93	200
			Leckie, Penelope F. .. ..	S	..	..	48
			Palmer, Catherine .. ..	S	..	..	126
			(Vacant) .. ..	H	..	..	370
Fortrose .. ..	3A	451	Wood, Rawiri E. K. .. ..	A	D	70	280
			Barron, Isabella F. .. ..	A	C	55	210
			Wilson, Elizabeth M. .. ..	A	D	55	210
			Frew, Mary M. .. ..	A	C	80	160
			Steel, Christina .. ..	A	D	89	150
			Butler, Charles H. .. ..	A	..	..	110
			Edginton, Elizabeth S. .. ..	A	D	95	120
			Anderson, Mabel M. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Yule, Mary M. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Hay, William F. .. ..	Pt2	..	..	45
Garston .. ..	3A	39	Wright, Mary M. .. ..	Pt2	..	..	45
			Smail, Elizabeth A. R. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
			Macdonald, Thomas M. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
			Lewis, Lewis R. .. ..	S	..	..	126
			Blick, Adolphus E. R. .. ..	H	C	63	220
			McNeill, Rita J. .. ..	A	..	..	126
			Fisher, Helen E. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Granity .. ..	2	26					
Greenhills .. ..	3A	51					
Greenvale .. ..	1	11					

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Grove Bush .. ..	3A	42	Galt, John M. H. .. ..	H	C	81	£ 200
Gummie's Bush .. ..	3A	39	Fraser, Lily B. .. ..	IA	..	..	110
Haldane .. ..	1	16	Carnahan, Jessie McP. .. ..	H	E	58	240
Half-moon Bay .. ..	3A	57	Bowie, Jean M. M. .. ..	A	C	..	120
Hamilton Burn .. ..	1	17	Muir, Gavin .. ..	S	..	..	110
Happy Valley .. ..	1	15	Gregg, Annie (Mrs.) .. ..	H	D	54	235
Hoddon Bush .. ..	3A	30	Hamilton, Jessie W. .. ..	A	D	94	140
Hedgehope, Lower .. ..	2	38	Snodgrass, Frances Te A. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Hedgehope, Upper .. ..	2	19	Selby, Edgar A. .. ..	S	..	..	117
Hillend South .. ..	2	31	Jackson, Samuel .. ..	S	D	72	220
Hokonui .. ..	2	24	Nicoll, Jessie J. .. ..	H	D	55	220
Holmesdale .. ..	1	22	MacGregor, Christina J. .. ..	A	..	..	110
Invercargill Middle .. ..	7C	601	Wright, James R. I. .. ..	S	..	..	135
			Milne, James (i) .. ..	S	E	58	190
			McDonald, Catherine I. .. ..	S	C	72	140
			Dobbie, May (Mrs.) .. ..	S	..	..	126
			Featherstone, Arthur E. .. ..	H	C	15	430
			Greig, Alexander .. ..	A	B	46	330
			Baird, Mary .. ..	A	C	52	230
			Clapp, Lewis J. .. ..	A	D	65	270
			Jones, Margaret M. (Mrs.) .. ..	A	D	..	190
			Forsyth, Dorothy C. I. .. ..	A	C	73	210
			Dundas, Jessie A. .. ..	A	D	82	180
			Harrington, Ethel .. ..	A	D	98	140
			Falconer, Jessie D. .. ..	A	D	88	120
			Huffadine, Margaret M. .. ..	A	D	90	120
			Harper, Mary L. .. ..	A	C	92	120
			Pearce, Chrystal I. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Stout, Edith M. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Romans, Ina B. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	65
			Mackintosh, V. A. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Brighton, Olive M. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
			Stevenson, Thelma M. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
Invercargill North .. ..	5B	283	Sproat, William A. .. ..	H	C	23	340
			Baird, Thomas .. ..	A	D	63	230
			Macdonald, Alexandrina .. ..	A	D	71	170
			McDougall, Agnes V. .. ..	A	C	76	160
			Watson, Annie .. ..	A	C	86	130
			Garnson, Jane E. .. ..	A	C	91	140
			Clark, Agnes G. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	65
			Paul, Gertrude .. ..	Pt3	..	..	65
			Finlayson, Helen A. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
			Brodie, Edith M. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	35
Invercargill Park (side school). See under Waihopai.							
Invercargill South .. ..	7G	770	Hain, James .. ..	H	D	24	430
			McLeod, Caroline .. ..	A	B	39	300
			Hannah, Mary A. (Mrs.) .. ..	A	E	89	230
			Sebo, William H. .. ..	A	E	70	270
			Mackay, Jessie R. .. ..	A	B	59	220
			Bellamy, Elizabeth W. .. ..	A	D	52	210
			Ramsay, Williamina A. .. ..	A	D	79	180
			Turner, Edith M. .. ..	A	C	93	140
			McKenzie, Emma V. M. .. ..	A	C	105	120
			Rae, Lilian J. (Mrs.) .. ..	A	D	87	120
			Cockerill, Myrtle .. ..	A	D	88	120
			Taylor, Irene .. ..	A	C	96	110
			Gedney, Mary J. .. ..	A	C	86	120
			McPherson, Evelyn .. ..	Pt4	..	..	65
			Smith, Mary H. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	55
			Morton, Margaret .. ..	Pt3	..	..	65
			Hamilton, Alice A. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Proston, Irene .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Hannan, Julia M. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Oughton, Jeannie M. .. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
			Kelly, Elizabeth J. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	55
			Evans, Charles J. .. ..	Pr1	..	..	60
Kaiwera .. ..	1	7	Lopdell, Cecil B. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Kapuka .. ..	2	38	Wilson, Agnes T. .. ..	S	D	..	140
Kapuka South .. ..	1	14	Sutherland, Edna I. J. .. ..	S	..	..	110
Kennington .. ..	3B	97	Wilson, Robert N. .. ..	H	C	57	240
			Winder, Elizabeth .. ..	A	D	96	140
			Hardie, Jessie .. ..	A	..	..	110
			Curtin, Katie .. ..	Pr1	..	..	55

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
							£
Key .. .. .	0	2	Thompson, Ethel G. .. .	S	..	..	16
Kingston .. .	1	11	Popham, Mabel L. .. .	S	..	..	110
Kinloch .. .	0	5	Botting, Blanche .. .	S	..	..	32
Knapdale .. .	3A	51	Rose, Margaret E. .. .	H	C	72	200
			Peter, Mary .. .	A	..	..	117
Lillburn .. .	0	3	Duff, Jessie .. .	S	..	..	48
Limehills .. .	3B	75	Murray, Henry E. .. .	H	D	61	250
			King, Emily A. .. .	A	D	87	140
Limestone Plains .. .	3A	41	Miller, John I. .. .	H	C	51	225
			Duke, Catherine .. .	A	D	97	130
Longbush .. .	3A	39	Welsh, James .. .	H	B	..	200
			Butson, Millicent .. .	A	D	95	140
Longridge .. .	1	9	McMullan, Patrick .. .	S	..	..	110
Longridge Village .. .	1	11	O'Keefe, Delia .. .	S	..	..	117
Lumsden .. .	4A	131	Clark, William H. .. .	H	B	41	260
			Alexander, Elizabeth .. .	A	..	..	135
			McDonald, Cora J. .. .	A	D	100	140
			Robertson, Myrtle J. .. .	Pt1	..	..	35
			Linn, Arthur G. .. .	Pr1	..	..	55
Mabel .. .	2	28	Somerville, Agnes T. .. .	S	..	..	126
McNab .. .	2	28	Elder, Eunice F. .. .	S	C	94	140
Maitland Village .. .	3A	38	Mullay, Elvina J. .. .	H	C	55	220
			Currie, Ina .. .	A	..	..	126
Makarewa .. .	4A	130	Soar, James .. .	H	C	42	270
			Elley, Ethel M. .. .	A	C	91	150
			Swap, Marion W. .. .	A	D	103	140
			Sutherland, Lorna A. .. .	Pt2	..	..	60
			Holtz, Daniel E. .. .	Pr2	..	..	60
Makarewa North .. .	1	18	King, Ethel R. .. .	S	..	..	110
Mandeville .. .	1	13	Stephens, Euphemia M. .. .	S	D	101	150
Mataura .. .	5B	283	Donald, James .. .	H	B	34	320
			Waddell, Joseph A. .. .	A	C	77	230
			Sawers, Lucy M. L. .. .	A	C	83	150
			Guy, Sarah H. .. .	A	C	78	160
			Winning, Annie T. .. .	A	D	93	120
			Pullar, Annie C. .. .	A	D	99	120
			Sutton, Marjorie M. .. .	A	..	..	110
Mataura Island .. .	3A	54	Gray, Agnes .. .	H	D	61	240
			Brown, Isobel M. K. .. .	A	..	..	126
Menzies Ferry .. .	3A	42	Campbell, Mary A. E. .. .	H	E	60	200
			Clarke, Jane I. .. .	A	..	..	110
Merrivale .. .	3A	65	Higgins, George E. .. .	H	D	61	210
			Lenihan, Winifred R. .. .	A	..	..	110
Mimihau .. .	3A	64	Leith, Maitland J. .. .	H	C	59	220
			Wood, Agnes C. S. .. .	A	..	..	110
Mokoreta .. .	1	20	Bews, Ivy M. .. .	S	..	..	117
Morton Mains .. .	2	22	Welsh, Elizabeth .. .	S	Lic.	..	133
Morton Mains Siding .. .	2	27	Hutton-Potts, Jane S. (Mrs.) .. .	S	Lic.	..	142½
Mossburn .. .	2	30	Bourke, William J. .. .	S	..	..	126
Moturimu .. .	2	33	Rae, Elizabeth .. .	S	D	70	160
Mount Aspiring .. .	0	3	McPherson, Jessie .. .	S	..	..	24
Myross Bush .. .	3A	32	Golden, Agnes .. .	S	D	81	200
New Rivor Ferry .. .	1	13	Howell, Winifred .. .	S	..	..	117
Niagara .. .	1	16	Keenan, Sara .. .	S	..	..	110
Nightcaps .. .	4B	147	Gray, John .. .	H	D	38	295
			Wright, Bridget .. .	A	D	80	175
			Irwin, Annie M. .. .	A	C	..	150
			Barber, Ernest H. .. .	Pt4	..	..	65
			Grey, Ruth A. .. .	Pr2	..	..	55
Nokomai .. .	1	9	Horan, Thomas .. .	S	E	..	120
Opio .. .	1	15	Torrance, Maurice .. .	S	..	..	110
Oraki .. .	3A	38	McCallum, Mary .. .	H	D	63	240
			Nuttall, Elsie J. .. .	A	C	..	120
Orepuki .. .	4B	177	Young, Henry P. .. .	H	D	38	300
			Kinross, Andrew .. .	A	D	85	170
			Fraser, Elizabeth .. .	A	C	86	150
			McKay, Mary A. M. .. .	A	..	..	117
			Brewster, Daisy M. .. .	Pt2	..	..	60
			Burnett, Agnes .. .	Pr1	..	..	60
Oreti Plains .. .	3A	38	Gazzard, William H. D. .. .	H	D	71	235
			Porteous, Mary A. .. .	A	..	..	140
Otahu .. .	1	11	Dawson, Alice M. .. .	S	..	..	110
Otama .. .	2	24	Kelly, John (iii) .. .	S	Lic.	..	142½

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Otapiri .. ..	2	21	McDonald, Christina M. ..	S	C	91	£ 140
Otara .. ..	3A	34	Macdonald, Ralph N. ..	S	Lic.	..	190
Otatara .. ..	3A	37	Kelly, Thomas ..	S	C	63	220
Otautau .. ..	4C	188	McChesney, Hugh ..	H	B	36	280
			Macdonald, Donald F. ..	A	D	..	190
			Webb, Hannah M. ..	A	C	76	170
			Speden, Helen ..	A	C	100	120
			Macdonald, Flora ..	Pt3	..	..	55
			Dickson, Mary E. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
Oteramika .. ..	2	27	Affleck, Elizabeth ..	S	..	..	126
Oteramika Gorge ..	2	29	Steel, Marion D., B.A. ..	S	B	66	190
Pahia .. ..	3A	48	Romans, Henry C. ..	H	C	55	220
			Maitland, Emily Rose ..	A	D	..	120
Papatotara .. ..	3A	45	Stancombe, Mary (Mrs.) ..	H	E	76	220
			Dawson, Elsie J. ..	A	..	..	110
Pembroke .. ..	3A	40	Hamilton, Violet A. ..	H	C	87	200
			Mackay, Johann ..	A	..	..	110
Pine Bush .. ..	2	39	Wood, Mary A. G. ..	S	..	..	171
Pukerau .. ..	3A	54	Macdonald, George C. ..	H	D	56	240
			Sheed, Catherine C. ..	A	D	..	120
Pyramid Siding .. ..	1	9	Gifford, Mary O. ..	S	..	..	117
Quarry Hills (12) and Waikawa Valley (10)	2	22	Wills, Mary E. L. ..	S	C	88	200
Queenstown .. ..	3B	93	Brown, Douglas ..	H	D	60	250
			Salmond, Elizabeth I. ..	A	C	67	140
			McMullan, Sarah C. (Mrs.) ..	A	..	..	110
Raymond's Gap .. ..	0	3	Russell, Gladys M. ..	S	..	..	117
Redan .. ..	1	13	Ambrose, Margaret ..	S	Lic.	..	110
Rees Valley .. ..	1	9	Brookes, Gladys L. ..	S	..	..	110
Rimu .. ..	3A	65	Welsh, Annie ..	H	D	76	200
			McLeod, Margaret I. ..	A	..	..	126
Riversdale .. ..	3A	68	Sutherland, Frederick R. H. ..	H	D	56	240
			Mackay, Isabella C. ..	A	D	..	140
			Tait, Georgina F. ..	Pr2	..	..	35
Riverside .. ..	1	17	Taylor, Maria E. ..	S	..	..	110
Riverton .. ..	4B	163	Hewat, Ebenezer C., B.A. ..	H	B	38	310
			Anderson, William ..	A	..	..	135
			Lucas, Evelyn M. ..	A	D	74	170
			Southberg, Eleanor ..	A	E	90	140
			Beer, Gladys E. ..	Pt2	..	..	45
			McKillop, Margaret F. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
Roslyn Bush .. ..	1	28	Bain, Mary H. ..	S	C	89	120
Roundhill .. ..	3A	30	Tangney, Garret ..	S	Lic.	..	199½
Ryal Bush .. ..	3A	74	Shroeder, Peter ..	H	C	65	225
			Long, Gladys C. A. ..	A	D	111	140
Sandstone .. ..	1	15	Petrie, Annie L. M. ..	S	..	..	110
Scott's Gap .. ..	2	25	Spillane, Hannah ..	S	..	..	126
Seaward Downs .. ..	3A	51	Enright, Mary A. ..	H	D	59	225
			Wyeth, Nora E. ..	A	..	..	126
Shotover, Lower .. ..	2	25	Armstrong, Robert ..	S	D	76	190
Skipper's .. ..	1	9	Anderson, Hulda E. ..	S	..	..	110
Spar Bush .. ..	2	18	Baxter, Alexander F. ..	S	..	..	126
Springbank .. ..	1	14	O'Sullivan, William J. ..	S	..	..	110
Springhills .. ..	2	22	Fredric, Isabella U. ..	S	D	96	140
St. George .. ..	5B	371	Robertson, George E., B.A. ..	H	B	22	340
			Simpson, Henry G. E. ..	A	C	..	230
			Macdonald, Sarah M. M. ..	A	E	66	180
			McNaughton, Margaret ..	A	C	67	180
			Mabson, Maud E. ..	A	C	81	140
			Macdonald, Jane ..	A	B	84	120
			Young, Elizabeth M. ..	A	..	..	110
			Barracough, Elfreda M. ..	Pt3	..	..	65
			Williamson, Ina I. ..	Pt3	..	..	65
			Cameron, Isabel R. ..	Pt1	..	..	35
			Cameron, Catherine M. ..	Pr1	..	..	30
Sunnyside .. ..	1	11	McKenzie, Irene C. ..	S	..	..	110
Taramoa .. ..	1	10	Hardy, James L. ..	S	..	..	110
Taunua .. ..	0	4	Riddell, Sarah E. V. ..	S	..	..	32
Te Anau .. ..	0	4	Roberts, Thomas ..	S	..	..	40
Te Tua .. ..	3A	24	McLauchlan, David L. ..	S	E	..	140
Te Waewae .. ..	2	21	Morris, Mary (Mrs.) ..	S	D	50	210

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	
Thornbury .. ..	3A	57	Diack, William A. ..	H	C	60	£ 240	
Tisbury .. ..	3B	102	Doogin, Mary ..	A	C	94	120	
			Menzies, George G. ..	H	B	59	250	
			Brown, Isabella ..	A	D	78	160	
Tokanui .. ..	3A	42	Graham, Agnes M. ..	A	..	..	110	
Tuatapere .. ..	3A	65	Mackay, Catherine H. ..	H	D	56	230	
			McCalman, Christina E. ..	A	..	..	126	
Tussock Creek .. ..	2	30	McKenzie, George ..	H	D	63	220	
Tuturau .. ..	2	31	Wilson, Sybil I. ..	A	..	..	126	
Waianiwa .. ..	3A	65	Ballantine, Archibald ..	S	Lic.	..	144	
			Wright, Eliza J. ..	S	D	92	140	
Waihoaka .. ..	1	9	Griffiths, George F. ..	H	B	56	230	
Waihopai (403) and Invercargill	7A	524	Campbell, Gladys D. ..	A	D	100	140	
Park side school (121)			Billing, Ellen J. ..	S	..	..	110	
			McNeil, Duncan, B.A. ..	H	B	6	410	
			Henry, James A. ..	A	B	50	310	
			Dryburgh, Isabella ..	I	E	49	230	
			Perrin, Margaret C., B.A. ..	A	B	46	230	
			Sproat, Olive C. ..	A	C	65	190	
			Harkness, Jessie ..	A	D	78	190	
			Tait, Helen M. ..	A	C	85	150	
			Webb, Beatrice J. H. ..	A	C	93	140	
			Edginton, Ivy S. ..	A	C	..	110	
			Rabbidge, Edith M. ..	A	D	101	120	
			Dickson, Jessie E. ..	Pt4	..	..	65	
			Vickery, Mabel O. ..	Pt3	..	..	55	
			Chittock, Margaret S. B. ..	Pt2	..	..	60	
			O'Brien, Agnes ..	Pt2	..	..	60	
			Grey, Mabel N. ..	Pt1	..	..	55	
			Webb, Katherine A. ..	Pr2	..	..	60	
			Finlayson, Catherine I. ..	Pr1	..	..	35	
			Galt, Margaret M. ..	Pr1	..	..	30	
Waikaia .. ..	3B	99	Clark, Alexander ..	H	D	61	240	
			Lloyd, Annie G. ..	A	..	..	126	
			Fraser, Katherine F. ..	A	..	..	110	
			McKillop, Robina ..	Pr2	..	..	60	
Waikaka .. ..	3B	103	Thomson, Alexander G. ..	H	E	55	250	
			Smith, Elizabeth A. ..	A	..	..	117	
			Sutherland, Iris ..	A	..	..	110	
Waikaka Valley .. ..	2	22	Duff, George F. ..	S	..	..	144	
Waikawa .. ..	1	13	McKenzie, Donald F. ..	S	..	..	110	
Waikawa Valley (half-time). See under Quarry Hills.								
Waikiwi .. ..	4C	188	Greig, David M. ..	H	B	28	290	
			Gluyas, Flora (Mrs.) ..	A	D	81	210	
			Hardie, Margaret ..	A	E	72	170	
			Howie, Helen M. ..	A	D	84	140	
			Hughes, Julia W. ..	Pt3	..	..	55	
			Jensen, Rose O. ..	Pr1	..	..	60	
Waikouro .. ..	2	28	McInman, Emily M. ..	S	D	71	190	
Waimahaka .. ..	3A	46	Morton, Agnes ..	H	C	72	200	
			Melvin, Susannah J. ..	A	D	99	140	
Waimatuku .. ..	3A	46	McGoldrick, William L. ..	H	..	..	180	
			Lindsay, Annie B. ..	A	..	..	110	
Waimumu .. ..	3A	46	Park, James H. ..	H	D	..	200	
			Sutherland, Margaret T. ..	A	..	..	126	
Waipounamu .. ..	2	23	Kelly, Elizabeth J. ..	S	E	77	150	
Wairaki .. ..	1	20	Rose, Frank R. ..	S	..	..	110	
Wairekiki .. ..	1	11	Walter, Doris E. M. ..	S	..	..	110	
Wairio .. ..	3A	36	Gilfedder, Thomas J. ..	H	D	..	200	
			Gallagher, Mary ..	A	D	109	140	
Waituna .. ..	3A	41	Burt, John ..	H	C	85	200	
			Browne, Margaret ..	A	..	..	117	
Wallacetown .. ..	3A	56	Williams, Emma G. (Mrs.) ..	H	D	51	225	
			Irwin, Mary A. ..	A	..	..	126	
Wendon .. ..	3A	46	Ericson, Margaret A. (Mrs.) ..	H	E	84	200	
			Simon, Leonie G. Z. ..	A	..	..	126	
Wendonside .. ..	1	13	Shepard, Henry ..	S	E	97	180	
Wendon Valley .. ..	2	18	Mullay, May C. ..	S	B	..	140	
West Plains .. ..	3A	42	Mackay, Annie ..	H	D	57	210	
			Whitehead, May ..	A	..	..	117	
Whitehead .. ..	0	7	Falkiner, Mary K. (Mrs.) ..	S	E	84	56	
Wild Bush .. ..	2	26	Cusack, James ..	S	E	..	190	

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Winton .. .. .	4C	214	McKillop, David S. .. ..	H	B	35	£ 310
			Grant, William .. ..	A	..	..	171
			Anderson, Athol Muriel St. G. ..	A	C	89	150
			Gunnion, Elsie M. .. ..	A	..	..	117
			Kidd, Bertha L. . . .	A	..	..	110
			Hay, David H. .. ..	Pt3	..	..	65
			Hoare, Eric .. ..	Pr2	..	..	60
Woodlands .. .. .	3B	111	Learmonth, Robert .. ..	H	D	48	250
			Affleck, Milly V. .. ..	A	D	..	140
			Dewe, Elizabeth B. .. ..	A	..	..	110
Wyndham .. .. .	4B	193	Golding, Jabez .. ..	H	D	53	300
			Shepherd, Francis H. .. ..	A	..	..	135
			Hamilton, Margaret E. .. ..	A	E	66	170
			McKay, Annie (ii) .. ..	A	Lic.	..	133
			Webb, Jessie E. .. ..	Pt4	..	..	65
Wyndham South .. .. .	3A	28	Linn, Mary I. (Mrs.) .. ..	S	E	61	210
Total .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	58512½

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