

The next table groups certificated teachers according to their salaries. This table shows that 39 per cent. of the certificated male teachers receive salaries over £400 per annum and 61 per cent. receive salaries over £350. Of the certificated women teachers 39 per cent. receive salaries in excess of £250.

Salaries (including Allowances and Value of Residences).	Certificated Male Teachers.		Certificated Female Teachers.	
	Sole and Head Teachers.	Assistants.	Sole and Head Teachers.	Assistants.
Not exceeding £180	3	5	9	467
£181 to £250	92	145	161	1,508
£251 „ £300	182	70	279	363
£301 „ £350	121	101	130	277
£351 „ £400	255	168	165	111
Over £400	602	122	33	5
Totals	1,255	611	777	2,731

TRAINING OF TEACHERS.

The numbers of students in training in the four training colleges during 1925 were as follows, the figures for the previous year being also given for comparison :—

College.	1924.			1925.		
	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.
Auckland	125	243	368	124	216	340
Wellington	100	224	324	120	225	345
Christchurch	82	200	282	94	198	292
Dunedin	86	214	300	107	187	294
Totals	393	881	1,274	445	826	1,271

Students are admitted to the training colleges under one or other of the following divisions: Division A, students who, having obtained the necessary educational qualifications, have completed a course of training as pupil-teachers or probationers, or have completed a course of training at a recognized kindergarten school, or have completed a full-time course as student teachers in a technical school; Division B, other students who, being over seventeen years of age, have passed matriculation or obtained an equivalent or higher qualification; Division C, University graduates admitted for one year; Division D, teachers entering on short-period studentships. The numbers of students under the several divisions in 1925 were: Division A, 1,085; Division B, 160; Division C, 17; and Division D, 9: total, 1,271. The numbers for the previous year were: Division A, 1,044; Division B, 200; Division C, 7; and Division D, 23; total, 1,274.

The number of students who completed their course in 1925 was 775, and their examination status was as under: Class A certificate, 1; Class B certificate, 45; Class C certificate, 459; Class D with partial success towards C, 181; Class D, 28; credited with some subjects towards a teacher's certificate, 61; no examination, nil.