The following table shows the classification of pupils according to age at  $30 \, \mathrm{th}$  June, 1929 :-

			Under 13 Years.	13 Years.	14 Years.	15 Years.	16 Years.	17 Years.	18 Years and over.	Totals.
Boys Girls	• •	• •	193 220	914 843	1,377 1,081	1,060 778	406 303	132 107	54 68	$\frac{4,136}{3,400}$
Totals			413	1,757	2,458	1,838	709	239	122	7,536

## FINANCIAL.

The total amount due by the Department to the controlling authorities for the salaries and incidental expenses of all technical classes, including technical high and day schools for the year 1929 was approximately £200,340, made up as follows:—

Salaries—				£	£
Full-time principals and assistants				127,538	
Full-time student teachers	• • •			1,752	
Full-time teachers—overtime				10,590	
Capitation for part-time assistants				23,177	
*					163,057
Incidental allowances				• •	47,587
					${210,644}$
Less recoveries from tuition fees		• •	• •	• •	10,304*
Net amount		••			£200,340

<sup>\*</sup> Includes £384 from Endowment Income.

The above figures include salaries and incidental allowances payable in respect of manual-training classes conducted by Technical School Boards.