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CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION BOARD
(ANNUAL REPORT OF THE).

Presented to both Houses of the General Assembly by Command of His Excellency.

The CHAIRMAN, Civil Service Examination Board, to the Hon. the COLONIAL SECRETARY.

Office of the Civil Service Examination Board,
Wellington, 2nd June, 1884.

SIR,—

I have the honour to submit the following report of the proceedings of the Civil Service Examination Board since the date of my last report:—

BOARD OF EXAMINERS.

G. S. COOPER, Esq., Under-Secretary (Chairman).
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OCTOBER, 1883, EXAMINATION.

JUNIOR EXAMINATION.

One hundred and twenty-two candidates were examined; 59 candidates passed, 63 candidates failed.

Of the candidates who failed, 5 failed in 4 subjects, 4 failed in 3 subjects, 26 failed in 2 subjects, 28 failed in 1 subject; 21 failed in English, 17 failed in arithmetic, 37 failed in history, 37 failed in geography.

The names of the candidates who passed, placed in order of merit, are as follow:—

Order.	Name.	Residence.	Where educated.	Compulsory.				Optional.		Total.
				English.	Arithmetic.	History.	Geography.	Shorthand.	Maori.	
			Maximum obtainable	600	600	600	600	600	600	..
1	Hall, William Henry Victor	Thames ..	Tararu Public School, 6 years; St. George's Grammar School, Thames, 2 years; Waikaraka Public School, 1 year; Auckland College and Grammar School, 1 year	431	560	510	395	..	..	1896
2	Wither, James ..	Nelson ..	Nelson College, 6½ years	361	533	470	395	..	..	1809
3	Price, Thomas George ..	Nelson ..	Havelock School, 6 years; Nelson College, 8 months	307	512	430	450	..	..	1699
4	Painton, Charles Francis	Nelson ..	Wakefield School, 6 years; Waiti School, 3 years; Nelson College, 1½ years	332	436	395	435	..	..	1598
5	Bamber, Thomas ..	Wanganui	Wanganui Academy, 4 years; Wanganui High School, 4½ years	371	548	405	255	..	..	1579
6	Manning, Harry Slade ..	Wellington	Wanganui Endowed School, 8 months; Wellington College, 2½ years; Thorndon Classical School, 2½ years	351	403	370	450	..	..	1574
7	Dunnage, Frank ..	Styx ..	Papanui School, 2 years; West Christchurch School, 5 years; Christchurch High School, 4 months	332	435	375	375	..	..	1567
8	Denton, William Henry	Wellington	Terrace School, 3 years; Wellington College, 1 year and 8 months	394	318	440	385	..	..	1537
9	Hodson, Francis Shirley	Nelson ..	Private School, Blenheim, 2 years; Public School, Blenheim, 4 years; Nelson College, 9 months	284	508	345	380	..	..	1517
10	Bailey, James Every	Nelson ..	St. Alban's Grammar School, 2 years; Nelson College, 3½ years	364	409	360	375	..	..	1508
11	Richmond, Richard Hut-ton	Nelson ..	Nelson College, 4 years; University College School, London, 1 year; Edward VI. Grammar School, Retford, 1½ years	346	461	370	290	..	..	1467