TIMARU HIGH SCHOOL.

1. Balance-sheet for the Year ending 31st December, 1885.

	Receipts.			£	s.	d.	Expenditure.	£	s.	đ.
To Rents from reserves	*			1,059	13	8		318	2	4
Interest				142	10	0		1,757	17	6
School fees			٠.	699	10	0	Secretary's and janitor's salaries	170	0	0
Government grant				600	0	0	Pupil-teachers	101	13	4
Overdraft at bank	• •			82	13	9	Sundry accounts	236	14	3
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				£2,584	7	5	\mathfrak{L}	2,584	7	5
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I have audited this account, and find it correct.—J. OLLIVIER, Provincial District Auditor.

2. Report of the Inspector-General to the Hon. the Minister of Education.

Timaru High School.—Inspected 24th November. The programme of the school includes preparation for University junior scholarships in Latin, English, mathematics, French, history, and geography in the highest Forms, and the work of the Third Standard, with the addition of elementary Latin and French, in the lowest. Botany and chemistry are taught. I am invariably well pleased with the punctuality, precision, and good order of this school. I think that the drawing should be brought into close conformity with modern methods of progress in scientific order, to give it greater technical value.

WAIMATE HIGH SCHOOL.

Balance-sheet, 31st December, 1885.

$\it Receipts.$					£	s.	d.	1		E_{i}	vpenditu	re.	£	s.	đ.
To Balance brou	ght forwa	$^{\mathrm{rd}}$			94	6	9	B	y Salaries—		_				
Rents receive	d				181	9	0	,	Teachers .				 86	2	6
Interest	.,				7	10	0]	Secretary .				 8	0	0
Fees					2	15	0		Grant for mat	erials			 · 4	9	6
Fixed deposit	matured	. ,			125	0	0		Incidentals				 8	8	1
-								i	Fixed deposit				 250	0	0
								İ	Balance, curre	ent acc	ount		 54	0	8
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					£411	0	9						£411	0	9
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I have audited this account, and find it correct.—J. OLLIVIER.—16th February, 1886.

GREYMOUTH HIGH SCHOOL.

STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending 31st December, 1885.

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Receipts.		s.	d.	Expenditure.	£	s.	đ.
To Balance in hand and in bank at beginning				By Office—Salary	`	_	ō
of year	634	11	0	Other office expenses	5	1	0
Interest on Endowment Fund	22	10	0	Other expenses of management	9 1		
Interest on current account	12	11	6	Deposit account, National Bank of New			•
				Zealand	600	0	0
				Balance in hand and in bank at end of			
				year	35	1	6
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	£669	12	6		£669 1	12	6
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James Barkley, Chairman. E. L. Robinson, Secretary.

I hereby certify that I have examined the above statement of accounts, and, having compared the same with cash-book, bank pass-book, vouchers, and other documents, find the same to be correct.—W. A. Spence, Auditor.—2nd April, 1886.

HOKITIKA HIGH SCHOOL.

STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending 31st December, 1885.

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Receipts.			d.		£		
To Balance in hand and in bank at beginning				By Printing, stationery, and advertising	13	0	0
of year		6 2					
Interest on fixed deposit	3	10	0		625	0	0
				Balance in hand and in bank at end of			
				year	19	2	0
				-			
,	£65	7 2	0	£	657	2	0
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Joseph Giles, Chairman.

I hereby certify that I have examined the above statement of account, and, having compared the same with vouchers and bank pass-book, find the same to be correct and according to law.—W. A. Spence, Auditor.—5th January, 1886.