

TABLE Y.—STAFF, ATTENDANCE, FEES, AND SALARIES AT SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

Schools.	Staff.		Attendance for Last Term or Quarter of 1889.							Number of Boarders.	Annual Rates of Fees.		Salaries at Rates paid at End of Year.			
	Regular.	Visiting. ^a	Under 10 Years.	10 to 15.	15 to 18.	Over 18 Years.	Total (Roll).	Average Attendance.	For Ordinary Day-school Course.		For Board, exclusive of Day-school Tuition.	Regular Staff.		Visiting Teachers. ^a		
										£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.			
Auckland College and Grammar School	^b 10	2	1	128	89	4	{ b. 134 g. 88 }	210	..	{ 10 10 0 8 8 0 }	..	^c 2,745	0 0	210	0 0	
Thames High School ..	3	..	..	33	28	..	{ b. 40 g. 21 }	59	..	{ 8 8 0 }	..	700	0 0	..		
New Plymouth High School	2	..	..	33	18	..	{ b. 23 g. 28 }	44	..	{ 5 5 0 }	..	^d 500	0 0	..		
Wanganui Endowed School	8	3	..	79	48	6	133	130	86	{ 12 0 0 9 0 0 }	42 0 0	^e 1,700	0 0	60	0 0	
Wellington College ..	6	1	2	79	25	2	108	107	16	{ 13 4 0 10 12 0 }	42 0 0	1,605	0 0	25	0 0	
Wellington Girls' High School	6	..	6	55	77	4	142	126	..	{ 13 4 0 10 12 0 }	..	1,110	0 0	..		
Napier Boys' High School	4	..	2	26	22	..	50	47	11	{ 9 9 0 8 8 0 }	40 0 0	^f 790	0 0	..		
Napier Girls' High School	4	..	1	23	19	..	43	41	6	{ 9 9 0 8 8 0 }	40 0 0	740	0 0	..		
Nelson College ..	3	..	..	40	27	2	69	^g 63	18	{ 12 12 0 8 8 0 }	40 0 0	^h 920	0 0	..		
Nelson Girls' College ..	ⁱ 3	..	..	18	45	4	67	58	11	{ 12 12 0 8 8 0 }	40 0 0	ⁱ 575	0 0	..		
Christ's College Grammar School	10	3	1	68	94	2	165	161	50	{ 18 0 0 15 0 0 12 0 0 }	52 10 0	^j 3,150	0 0	220	0 0	
Christchurch Boys' High School	^k 6	4	4	87	36	6	133	127	..	{ 9 9 0 6 6 0 }	..	^k 2,200	0 0	200	0 0	
Christchurch Girls' High School	7	6	3	74	60	8	145	132	..	{ 12 12 0 9 9 0 }	..	^l 1,283	0 0	297	0 0	
Rangiora High School ..	2	..	..	20	11	1	{ b. 22 g. 10 }	27	..	{ 10 10 0 8 8 0 }	..	380	0 0	..		
Akaroa High School ..	1	..	..	9	3	..	{ b. 7 g. 5 }	11	..	{ 10 10 0 9 9 0 8 8 0 }	..	^m 275	0 0	..		
Ashburton High School..	4	..	6	25	11	..	{ b. 23 g. 19 }	38	..	{ 9 9 0 7 7 0 }	..	625	0 0	..		
Timaru High School ..	6	1	2	43	27	..	{ b. 46 g. 26 }	69	2	{ 10 0 0 8 0 0 }	39 0 0	1,850	0 0	35	0 0	
Waitaki High Schools—Boys' ..	3	1	1	25	16	3	45	42	13	10 10 0	38 0 0	970	0 0	12	0 0	
Girls' ..	3	..	2	25	15	4	46	41	..	8 8 0	..	405	0 0	..		
Otago Boys' High School	11	1	6	127	94	8	235	230	18	10 0 0	44 0 0	ⁿ 3,424	0 0	^o 50	0 0	
Otago Girls' High School	^p 8	1	1	84	103	7	195	184	31	10 0 0	40 0 0	^p 2,079	0 0	^q 50	0 0	
Southland High School..	5	..	2	45	30	2	{ b. 48 g. 31 }	72	..	{ 10 0 0 8 0 0 }	..	1,224	0 0	..		
Totals ..	115	23	40	1146	898	63	{ b. 1281 g. 866 }	2019	262	..	..	29,250	0 0	1159	0 0	

^a Visiting teachers paid by fees or capitation are not taken account of in these columns. ^b Exclusive of drill-instructor and janitor, £125 and house, &c. ^c Exclusive of drill-instructor, and inclusive of estimated value of headmaster's capitation. ^d Inclusive of headmaster's capitation. ^e Salary of principal estimated. ^f Four masters receive board, and two board and lodging, in addition to salary. ^g Two masters have houses. ^h Estimated. ⁱ One master has board and residence in addition to salary. ^j Exclusive of matron, £100, with board and residence. ^k Two mistresses have board and residence in addition to salary. ^l Four masters have residences in addition to salary. ^m Exclusive of caretaker, £90, and messenger, £30. ⁿ Inclusive of lady principal's capitation; exclusive of caretaker, £75. ^o With house. ^p Inclusive of estimated value of rector's capitation. Rector also has residence. ^q One part-time master has board and residence only. ^r Some of the masters are employed in Girls' School also, to which salaries are partly charged. ^s Exclusive of matron of boarding-school and assistant, £175, with board and residence. ^t Inclusive of estimated value of headmaster's capitation. ^u Some of the masters are partly employed in and paid by the Boys' School. ^v This is a subsidy paid to the Education Board for the part service of drawing-master.

The number on the roll and the average number in attendance—2,147 and 2,019 respectively—are a very little higher than the corresponding numbers (2,120 and 2,004) for the preceding year, so that the scale appears at last to have turned, and it may be hoped that there is an end to the steady decline observable for several previous years.

The principal income of the schools consisted of about £18,500 derived from school fees, and about £25,400 from endowments. The amount expended in salaries was a little over £30,000.