General Statement of Receipts and Expenditure for the Year ending 31st December, 1898—continued.

				Primary Education Estate.			
Expenditure.							
Pr Office arranged and management		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
By Office-expenses and management— Salary of steward (inclusive of travelling-expenses)		540	0	0			
Stationery and postage		10	-	$\dot{2}$			
Bank exchange on cheques		-	10	2	j		
School Commissioners, railage and expenses	••	10	10	0			
Cost of special trip of steward to Wellington	•••	3	10	0	564	11	4
Expenses of leasing—					001		
Advertising, printing, and lithographic plans		36	_	8			
Cost of subdivisional survey		30	7	1			
Arbitrators' fees assessing rentals of eight reserves, of same	or portions	13	17	0	[
Half-share of cost of preparation of eight deeds of s	submission	10	11	U	1		
to arbitrators, and stamps on same		9	8	0			
					89	19	9
Expenditure in connection with reserves—	3						
Temuka Road Board: Contribution towards cost of another thirty chains of drain on boundary of R	deepening	10	0	0			
Kowai Road Board: Contribution to protective wor	ks to pre-		v	v			
vent the encroachment of River Ashley, er							
Reserve 119 and other land		6	0	0			
T. B. Howson: Marram grass plants supplied to p	rotect Re-	5	0	٥			
serve 1179	•••	5	U	_0 	21	0	0
					41		
`					675	11	1
Payments to Education Boards—		12,477		6			
North Canterbury	•• •••	2,922	0	6	15 400	Λ	^
South Canterbury	•••				15,400	0	_0
					16,075	11	1
Balance in Bank of New Zealand, 31st December, 189	8—.				,		
At credit of Current Account		798	8				
On fixed deposit	•••	163	.3	5	oca	11	E
					961	тт	5
Total expenditure		1 .			17,037	2	6
						 .	
Assets.		1	····		ı		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Cash in bank, as above					961	11	5
Rents payable in advance, 1st May, 1898—Proportion unc	ollected	136		_			
Rents payable in advance, 1st Nov., 1898—Proportion unco	nectea	1,941	5	0	2,077	15	10
	ia.				2,011	10	10
Total assets			••		3,039	7	3
Liabilities.					,		
		£	s.	d.	£	~	
		۰ ~	٥.	u.	45	s.	d. 0
Steward's salary, December, 1898]		ı		11	
Steward's salary, December, 1898 Awaiting appropriation in purchase of land			••		304	$0 \\ 14$	1
Steward's salary, December, 1898 Awaiting appropriation in purchase of land Total liabilities			••				

H. H. PITMAN, Steward of Reserves.

Examined and found correct—J. K. WARBURTON, Controller and Auditor-General.

H. R. Webb, Chairman.