

From information taken from the Magistrates' orders for admission it is found that 101 children are to be brought up in the Church of England denomination, 56 as Roman Catholic, 24 as Presbyterian, 14 as Methodist, 1 as Baptist, and 1 as belonging to the Salvation Army.

TABLE U.—ADMISSIONS, CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO PARENTS' CIRCUMSTANCES AND CHARACTER, 1901.

		Precedent Condition of Children admitted in 1901.					Total.
Fathers, described as	Mothers, described as	Destitute.	Vagrant.	Associating with Disreputable Persons.	Uncontrollable.	Accused or Guilty of Punishable Offences.	
Dead	Dead	3	..	..	1	..	4
"	Good	8	..	1	..	4	13
"	Unknown	1	..	3	..	..	4
"	Bad	3	..	5	..	4	12
"	Deserter	..	..	2	..	..	2
Good	Dead	1	3	..	2	4	10
"	Good	6	6	..	..	25	37
"	Bad	4	..	2	..	4	10
Unknown	Dead	1	..	1	..	..	2
"	Sick, lunatic, &c.	1	..	..	..	..	1
"	Good	15	1	..	..	..	16
"	Unknown	1	..	..	..	2	3
"	Bad	6	..	3	..	..	9
"	Deserter	1	..	..	..	..	1
Bad	Dead	6	..	3	..	..	9
"	Good	7	3	2	..	6	18
"	Bad	..	2	10	..	6	18
"	Deserter	2	..	..	..	..	2
Deserter	Dead	1	..	..	..	..	1
"	Good	13	..	..	..	1	14
"	Bad	6	3	1	..	1	11
Totals		86	18	33	3	57	197

At the end of 1901 there was in the Post-Office Savings-Bank on account of the earnings of inmates of Government industrial schools a sum of £11,508 19s. 3d., and on account of inmates of private industrial schools £1,901 9s. 4d. For inmates of Government schools a sum of £1,133 0s. 9d. was withdrawn during the year, and for inmates of private schools £49 10s. 6d.

In Table W is shown the cost of the Government schools, in which is included the expenditure for the maintenance of inmates boarded out and the salaries of the resident staffs and medical officers; it also shows the cost of supervision of all inmates who are licensed to reside away from the schools; and, further, the amounts of the recoveries from Charitable Aid Boards, from persons against whom orders for maintenance have been made, and from the sale of farm produce, &c.

TABLE W.—EXPENDITURE ON GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS, 1901.

School.	Gross Cost of School.	Cost of boarding out. (Included in preceding column.)	Salaries of School Staff. (Included in first column.)	Recoveries.	Net Cost.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Auckland	3,427 18 6	705 16 10	295 11 8	478 18 0	2,949 0 6
Horowhenua (proposed)	1,612 11 11	..	62 8 0	..	1,612 11 11
Burnham	8,879 5 4	1,461 11 9	1,814 10 2	1,799 4 2	7,080 1 2
Caversham	8,189 8 3	3,045 8 5	1,089 6 0	4,933 12 1	3,255 16 2
Te Oranga Home	1,622 14 5	..	380 0 0	21 19 3	1,600 15 2
Receiving Home, Wellington.. .. .	626 14 4	129 6 8	183 5 0	126 7 10	500 6 6
Receiving Home, Christchurch	1,864 16 2	949 2 0	265 10 3	100 7 11	1,764 8 3
Totals	26,223 8 11	6,291 5 8	4,040 11 1	7,460 9 3	18,762 19 8
Salaries and travelling-expenses of Assistant Inspector and visiting officers	..	..	..	..	1,278 7 9
Travelling-expenses of other officers	..	..	..	..	90 8 6
Contingencies	..	..	..	..	64 16 3
Total	..	..	..	..	20,196 12 2