

REPORTS OF SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

WHANGAREI HIGH SCHOOL.

Staff.

Mr. Roger Lupton, Miss A. L. Gavey, and Miss Edith Colquhoun.

1. GENERAL STATEMENT of ACCOUNTS for the Year ended 31st December, 1901.

<i>Receipts.</i>	£	s.	d.	<i>Expenditure.</i>	£	s.	d.
Balance at beginning of year	141	12	10	Secretary's commission	16	4	3
Rents from endowments	75	0	2	Other office expenses	2	5	1
Paid by School Commissioners	100	0	0	Teachers' salaries and allowances ..	286	8	0
School fees, £182 14s.; arrears, £28 ..	210	14	0	Prizes	3	16	0
Refund—Hutchinson, advance for building..	20	0	0	Printing and advertising	6	4	6
				Cleaning, fuel, light, &c.	7	10	6
				Fencing, repairs, &c.	19	18	9
				Rates, insurance, and taxes	9	8	4
				Transfer to separate account, No. 1. ..	60	10	0
				Balance at end of year	135	1	7
	<u>£547</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>0</u>		<u>£547</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>0</u>

Separate Account, Building Fund.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Grant from Government	150	0	0	Additions to High School	210	10	0
Transfer from General Account	60	10	0				
	<u>£210</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>0</u>		<u>£210</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>0</u>

J. M. KILLEN, Chairman.

J. MCKINNON, Secretary.

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

2. WORK OF THE HIGHEST AND LOWEST CLASSES.

Highest.—(Junior University Scholarship Work).—Latin—Virgil; Horace; with prose extracts from various authors; Allcroft's Latin Composition; Walter's Continuous Prose; Smith's Roman History; Wilkins's Primer of Antiquities. French—Contanseau's Selections; Weekley's Prose Composition; Wellington College Grammar; advanced Chardenal. English—Nesfield; Chaucer's Prologue; Spenser's Faerie Queen; Shakespeare's Julius Cæsar. Mathematics—Hall and Knight's Trigonometry; Loney's Algebra; Murray's Higher Arithmetic; Layng's Euclid, I–VI. Chemistry—Newth. Mechanics—The Tutorial Series.

Lowest.—Latin—Principia Latina, Part I., 1–28; Gradatim, 1–28. French—Chardenal, First Course, exercises 1 to 30. English—Crown Reader, Standard V.; simple analysis and parsing. History—Plantagenet Period. Geography—New Zealand, Australia, outlines of Asia. Arithmetic—As for Standard IV. Drawing—Elementary freehand, model, and geometrical.

3. ARRANGEMENTS FOR DRAWING; MANUAL, COMMERCIAL, AND TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION; GYMNASISTICS, DRILL, SWIMMING, ETC.

The whole school receives two lessons a week in drawing—freehand, model, geometrical, and perspective—but there is a sad deficiency in all appliances for the drawing classes. Manual, commercial, and technical instruction is not attempted. There is not a gymnasium. The whole school drilled regularly during the past year: Mr. Lupton is in command of the company. There are no swimming classes, but all the boys have learnt to swim; no arrangements have been made to teach the girls.

4. SCHOLARSHIPS.

The Governors gave free tuition to six scholars, and one senior and two junior Education Board scholarships were held at the school.

AUCKLAND GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

Staff.

Mr. J. W. Tibbs, M.A.; Mr. W. J. Morrell, M.A.; Mr. J. H. Howell, B.A., B.Sc.; Mr. J. F. Sloman, B.A.; Mr. J. G. Trevithick; Rev. J. King Davis, M.A.; Mr. J. H. Turner, M.A.; Mr. H. J. D. Mahon, B.A.; Mr. E. G. Atkinson, B.A.; Mr. R. A. McCullough, M.A.; Mr. T. Drummond, B.A.; Miss E. G. Wallace; Miss F. A. Haultain; Miss A. C. Morrison, M.A.; Miss W. Picken, M.A.; Miss S. M. Rice; Mr. Kenneth Watkins; Mr. W. M. Carrollo.

1. REPORT OF THE GOVERNORS.

Endowments.—In accordance with the announcement made in last year's report, the Board has completed the two fine brick buildings at the Junction of Grafton Road and Symonds Street, at a total cost of £3,147 15s. 6d., and they are bringing in to the Board a net annual income of £250; and, as regards the other experiment at Devonport, also mentioned in last year's report, the Board was enabled to pay off the £1,000 borrowed for the erection of the three buildings (which cost £1,364 3s. 7d.) when the mortgage fell due in June last. The land offered for lease by the Board at Eden Terrace has not been taken up. At Devonport four lots have been leased.

Distinctions.—At the examination for University junior scholarships held in December, 1900,