

2. WORK OF THE HIGHEST AND LOWEST CLASSES.

Highest.—To University junior scholarship standard in English, French, Latin, mathematics, and science (botany and heat) or German.

Lowest.—Approximately Standard III., with the addition of French. English is more advanced than for Standard III. Arithmetic practically Standard III.

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

Nearly all pupils learn drawing, including freehand, model, and geometrical drawing, shading from the cast, and brushwork. A very few pupils receive slight assistance in studying book-keeping. A shorthand class is held. Very great attention is paid to gymnastics. Nearly every pupil can swim. A mistress is in future to devote her whole time to the physical training of pupils. The work is at present divided between two part-time teachers.

4. SCHOLARSHIPS.

The Board of Governors gives free tuition to sixteen scholars, six of whom hold, in addition, district scholarships.

WANGANUI COLLEGIATE SCHOOL.

Staff.

Mr. W. Empson, B.A.; Mr. F. G. Shields, M.A.; Rev. T. M. Marshall, M.A.; Mr. J. R. Orford, M.A.; Mr. J. Harold; Mr. R. Dunn; Mr. H. B. Watson, M.A.; Mr. J. E. Bannister, M.A.; Mr. W. B. Taylor, M.A.; Mr. E. Jardine; Mrs. Atkinson.

1. GENERAL STATEMENT of ACCOUNTS for the Year ended 31st December, 1902.

<i>Receipts.</i>			<i>Expenditure.</i>		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
Balance at beginning of year	16	8 3	Management—		
Current income from reserves	1,029	18 2	Secretary's commission	49	16 8
Lease fees collected	17	12 0	Other office expenses	26	12 0
School fees	2,126	0 0	Other expenses of management	30	0 0
Boarding-school fees	572	0 0	Teachers' salaries and allowances	2,466	11 8
Prize funds	126	14 0	Boarding-school account	50	1 4
Interest on prize funds	5	1 10	Examinations—		
Insurances refunded	7	9 0	Examiners' fees	70	2 6
			Other expenses	51	9 8
			Prizes	41	11 0
			Printing, stationery, and advertising	20	19 0
			Cleaning, fuel, light, &c.	58	4 5
			Fencing, repairs, &c.	320	14 0
			Rates, insurance, and taxes	133	14 5
			Interest on current account and bank charge account	1	8 0
			Lease fees paid solicitor	52	12 0
			Prize funds invested	126	14 0
			Balance at end of year	400	12 7
	£3,901	3 3		£3,901	3 3

THOMAS FANCOURT, Chairman.

ED. N. LIFFITON, Secretary and Treasurer.

Examined and found correct.—A. C. RITCHIE, Auditor.

2. WORK OF THE HIGHEST AND LOWEST CLASSES.

Highest.—Greek, Latin, French, English, mathematics, science (chemistry and botany), and divinity. As for junior University scholarships.

Lowest.—English—Equivalent to Standard IV. Latin—Grammar (declensions, adjectives, numerals, pronouns); easy translation; rendering of short sentences into Latin. Arithmetic—Standard IV. (with exception of practice). Geography—Standard IV. Drawing—Elementary.

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

Drawing is taught as a school subject up to the Fourth Form. Carpentry is regularly taught to those who wish to learn; there is a workshop attached to the school. Gymnastics take the form of Sandow's exercises, which are practised about twenty minutes daily. There are two regular drills every week, in which the whole school takes part. Swimming is taught in the school swimming-bath. About twenty boys have gardens, which they cultivate.

4. SCHOLARSHIPS.

Five district scholarships were held at the school, eleven boys were granted free tuition by the Trustees, and ten had half their fees remitted.

WELLINGTON COLLEGE AND GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL.

Staff.

College.—Mr. J. P. Firth, B.A.; Mr. A. Heine, B.A.; Mr. J. Bee, M.A.; Mr. W. F. Ward, M.A.; Mr. A. C. Gifford, M.A.; Mr. G. G. S. Robison, M.A.; Mr. P. G. Hutchinson, F.I.A. (N.Z.); Mr. T. Brodie, B.A.; Mr. T. Jordan, B.A.; Mr. F. Renner, M.A.; Mr. R. E. Rudman, B.A.; Mr. H. O. Stuckey, M.A.; Mr. D. Matheson. *Girls' High School.*—Miss M. McLean, M.A.; Miss M. Morrah, M.A.; Miss M. N. Gellatly, M.A.; Miss I. Ecclesfield, M.A.; Miss W. Fraser, B.A.; Miss Batham, B.A.; Miss Newman, B.A.; Mr. R. Parker; Mr. Harrison.