Corneille's Le Cid; Dumas' Monte Cristo; Berthou's Select Specimens of Modern French Poetry, Part II; Wellington College French Grammar (Eve and Bandiss); Weekley's Matriculation Course; phonetic script; idioms, &c. Latin (Junior Scholarship syllabus)—Virgil's Georgics, Cicero's De Senectute; Cæsar's Gallic War, Book VII; Bradley's Arnold's Latin Prose Composition; Kennedy's Revised Latin Primer. Mathematics (Junior Scholarship syllabus)—Arithmetic, Pendlebury; algebra, advanced Todhunter, and Baker and Bourne's Elementary Algebra, Parts I and II; trigonometry, Borchardt's and Perrott's New Trigonometry. Science (Junior Scholarship syllabus)—Botany, Dendy and Lucas's Botany, Lowson's Tutorial Botany, notes; mechanics, Elements of Statics and Elements

of Dynamics (Loney), Matriculation Hydrostatics (Briggs and Bryan).

Lowest.—Boys' School: Algebra—Baker and Bourne, Part I, to page 97. Geometry—Godfrey and Siddons, Vol. I, to page 96. English—In the World of Books, Arnold; Globe Poetry Reader, advanced; Nesfield's Elementary English Grammar, Part III; and oral exercises in English composition. Arithmetic—New Pendlebury, Standard VI. General elementary science—Briggs, pages 1-80. Latin—Macmillan's Shorter Course, pages 1-65. French—Méthode Naturelle, to exercise 60. Physiology—Blackie, Parts I, II, III. History—The Struggle for Freedom. Geography—Southern Cross Reader, Standards V and VI; Southern Cross Imperial Geography, Standards V and VI. Book-keeping—Pitman's Primer, to page 104. Shorthand—Pitman's Teacher, to exercise 57. Drawing—freehand. Girls' School: English literature—Dickens's Cricket on the Hearth; Coleridge's Ancient Mariner; Stronach's English Literature, chapters 20-23, inclusive. English Grammar and Composition—Nesfield's Grammar, Standards V and VI; easy analysis and parsing; reading, writing, and spelling. History—Longmans' Historical Series, Book I, to end of Elizabeth's reign. Geography—Southern Cross Reader, Standards V and VI; British Isles and British possessions; Imperial Geography, Standards V and VI, Course A, to p. 72. Mathematics—Arithmetic, elementary rules (new methods), fractions, decimals, simple and compound interest, practice, bills, proportion, L.C.M. and H.C.F., square root (Pendlebury); algebra, Baker and Bourne's Elementary Algebra, Part I, to simple equations, inclusive; geometry, Godfrey and Siddons's practical exercises, to p. 28; design, drawing to scale. Latin—Macmillan's Shorter Latin Course, Part I, to page 69; Translation, to page 46. French—Hogben's Méthode Naturelle, 30 lessons. Physiology—Murché's Animal Physiology, to page 66. Drawing—Freehand; simple brush-work designs, from flowers. Sewing—Simple garment.

3. General Statement of Accounts for the Year ended 31st December, 1908.

Receipts.		£		d.	Expenditure.	e	8.	a
Balance at beginning of year		4,401				-	٥.	u.
Government capitation—	• • •	7,101	•	Ü	Office salaries	110	0	Λ
For free places		907	13	4	Other office expenses	~ ~		
Under Manual and Technical Insti	 mation	001	10	•	Other expenses of management—Legal		17	
Dagulations			10	Ω		2,328		
Timber sold				ő			5	
Current income from reserves	• • •				Scholarships			
From property not a reserve	• •	881					11	
Interest on moneys invested and on	ากทอเสี		,,	v	Printing, stationery, and advertising		12	
purchase-money	-		0	Λ	Cleaning, fuel, light, &c., including care-			U
Paid by School Commissioners	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	614			taker's salary		13	Q
Cabaal face		374			Books and stationery for sale to pupils, and		10	,
Music fees	• • •			6			11	10
Books, &c., sold and other refunds		136		_	F		17	
Other receipts—	• •	1.70	•	U	Purchases and new works		18	
Cadet corps		10	Λ	Λ	Fencing, repairs, &c			
Deposits on contracts	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •		ő				10	
Cooked food sold	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •		17	5		110	10	U
Choked tood sold	• •	.,	11	.,	Refund of school fee	0	7	0
					Travelling-expenses of members of Board		16	
							0	-
					Expenses of deputation to Wellington		14	
							0	
•						4,280		
					Data need at end or year	4,200	TI	1
		£8,175	0	11		£8,175		11
		20,110	z	11		20,170		11
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T. C. Moore, Chairman. David Sidey, Secretary.

Examined and found correct, except that the payment of £7 14s. 2d. expenses of deputation to Wellington, is without authority of law.—J. K. WARBURTON, Controller and Auditor-General.

DANNEVIRKE HIGH SCHOOL.

Staff.

Mr. I. M. Simmers, M.A.; Miss I. R. Barr, M.A.; Miss G. F. Gibson, M.A.

1. Report of the Board of Governors.

The Governors of the Dannevirke High School have the honour to report as follows:-

The school was opened this year in the new buildings, which are found to be very convenient both for high school and technical purposes.

The laboratory is now fully equipped, and should be a great help to the physical science and agriculture classes.

The heating of the buildings by hot-water pipes will greatly add to the comfort of the pupils,