

TIMARU HIGH SCHOOL.

Staff.

Boys' School.—Mr. G. A. Simmers, M.A.; Mr. R. H. Rockel, M.A.; Mr. G. T. Palmer, M.A.; Mr. A. G. Johnson, B.Sc.; Mr. R. Grant; Mr. G. O. Chaplin; Sergeant-major Healey.

Girls' School.—Miss B. M. Watt, M.A.; Miss J. Mulholland, M.A.; Miss F. J. W. Hodges, M.A.; Miss E. Reid; Miss E. L. Wilson.

I. WORK OF THE HIGHEST AND LOWEST CLASSES.

Highest.—Boys: University Junior Scholarship work. Mathematics—Hall and Stevens's Geometry; Hall and Knight's Algebra; Borchardt and Perrott's Trigonometry; Goyen's Arithmetic. Mechanics—Loney's Mechanics and Hydrostatics. Electricity and magnetism—Poyser's Magnetism and Electricity, with Lecture and Laboratory Notes. English—Low's English Language; Nesfield's Historical English Grammar; Abbot's How to Write Clearly; Chaucer and Tennyson Epochs (Stobart); Henry Esmond; Merchant of Venice; Fowler's English Essays. German—Buckheim's Composition; Aue's Grammar; Die Humanisten; Der Neffe als Onkel; and selections from Heine's prose works. Latin—Livy, IX, 1–19; Vergil, Georgic IV; Tutorial Latin Reader; Tutorial Latin Grammar; Macmillan's Latin Course, Part III; Shuckburgh's Roman History; Stedman's Latin Examination Papers; Blackie's Latin Unseens, Intermediate. French—Tutorial French Grammar; Tutorial French Composition; Vecqueray's French Examination-papers; Hugo, Quatre-vingt-treize; Corneille, Polyenete; Blackie's French Unseens, Intermediate. *Girls:* English—Nesfield's English Grammar, Past and Present; Nesfield's Outlines of English Grammar, and Oral Exercises in English Composition; R. S. Wood's Word-building and Composition, Book VI and Book VII; Great Authors, Part I; Chaucer's Prologue; Thackeray's Henry Esmond; Shakespeare's King John; Milton's Comus and Lycidas; Blackmore's Lorna Doone; Southern Cross Poetry Books, Book II, Senior; also selected English essays; Anthology of English Verse; Tennyson's Princess; Nicholls's Exercises in English Composition. Latin—Bryan's Latin Prose Exercises; Arnold's Latin Prose Composition; Latin Dictionary; Allan's Elementary Latin Grammar; Matriculation Selections from Latin Authors; Allan's First Latin Exercise-book; Caesar, Book II; Bell's Scale Primæ; Bell's Concise Latin Course; Bell's Latin Course, Part I; Discernenda Latina; Dona Regina; Cicero's Orations against Catiline, I and II. French—Matriculation French Course; Longmans' Advanced French Unseens; Carl Heath's Stories and Anecdotes; Matriculation French Reader; Bué's Idioms; Le Tour du Monde; Méthode Naturelle; French Vocabularies for Repetition; Le Petit Grandpère; Fleur de Neige. Mathematics—Bradford's Intermediate Arithmetic; Goyen's Advanced Arithmetic and Elementary Algebra; Baker and Bourne's Algebra, Part I; Borchardt and Perrott's Trigonometry, Part I; Hall and Stevens's School Geometry, I and II, with introductory course; Parts III and V, V and VI; Hall and Knight's Algebra. Botany—Study of Botany, by Dendy and Lucas; Evans's Botany; Youman's Botany; and Lawson's Botany. Mechanics—Loney's Mechanics and Hydrostatics for Beginners. History—Green's Shorter History of English People, I; Nelson's Highroads of History, IV and V; Creighton's History Primer, Rome; Wilkins's Primer of Roman Antiquities. Geography—Longmans', Book II; New Century Geographical Reader, VI. Scripture—Life of Christ.

Lowest.—Boys: English—Nesfield's Outlines of English Grammar; Nesfield's Oral Exercises; Water-babies; Christmas Carols; Morte d'Arthur; Lady of Shallot. Latin—Tutorial Junior Latin Course, first half of book. French—Siepmann's Primary French Course. Arithmetic—Bradford's Intermediate Arithmetic. Algebra—Baker and Bourne's Elementary Algebra, Part I. Geometry—Hall and Stevens's School Geometry, Part I. Science—Hadley's Magnetism and Electricity for Beginners; and Hadley's Practical Exercises in Magnetism and Heat. Geography—Bosworth, Short Geography of the World; Lyde, Man on the Earth. *Girls:* English—Nesfield's English Grammar, Past and Present; Nesfield's Outlines of English Grammar, and Oral Exercises in English Composition; R. S. Wood's Word-building and Composition Book VI and Book VII; Great Authors, Part I; Chaucer's Prologue; Thackeray's Henry Esmond; Shakespeare's King John; Milton's Comus and Lycidas; Blackmore's Lorna Doone; Southern Cross Poetry Books, Book II, Senior. Latin—Bryan's Latin Prose Exercises; Arnold's Latin Prose Composition; Latin Dictionary; Allan's Elementary Latin Grammar; Matriculation Selections from Latin Authors; Allan's First Latin Exercise-book; Caesar, Book II; Bell's Scale Primæ; Bell's Concise Latin Course; Bell's Latin Course, Part I; Discernenda Latina; Dona Regina. French—Matriculation French Course; Longmans' Advanced French Unseens; Carl Heath's Stories and Anecdotes; Matriculation French Reader; Bué's Idioms; Le Tour du Monde; Méthode Naturelle; French Vocabularies for Repetition; Le Petit Grandpère; Fleur de Neige. Mathematics—Bradford's Intermediate Arithmetic; Goyen's Advanced Arithmetic and Elementary Algebra; Baker and Bourne's Algebra, Part I; Borchardt and Perrott's Trigonometry, Part I; Hall and Stevens's School Geometry, I and II, with introductory course; Parts III and V, V and VI. Botany—Study of Botany, by Dendy and Lucas; Evans's Botany; Youman's Botany. Mechanics—Loney's Mechanics and Hydrostatics for Beginners. History—Green's Shorter History of English People, I; Nelson's Highroads of History, IV and V; Creighton's History Primer, Rome; Wilkins's Primer of Roman Antiquities. Geography—Longmans', Book II; New Century Geographical Reader, VI. Scripture—Life of Christ.