

1910.
NEW ZEALAND.

EDUCATION :
SCHOOL BUILDINGS :

PAYMENTS TO EDUCATION BOARDS FOR MAINTENANCE AND REBUILDING OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS
AND FOR REBUILDING SCHOOL BUILDINGS DESTROYED BY FIRE.

Return to an Order of the House of Representatives dated the 3rd August, 1910.

Ordered, "That there be laid before this House a return showing (1) the distribution of the votes for the maintenance, rebuilding, and renewal of school buildings and residences, as proposed by the Education Committee in Table A of I.—13, 1903, and as finally adopted, with any subsequent amendments thereof; (2) the amounts paid yearly under each heading to the various Boards up to the 31st March, 1910; (3) the amounts expended out of the votes by the various Boards for each of the above purposes, and the condition of the funds of each Board as at the 31st March, 1910; and (4) also, for each Board and for each year, the value of the buildings destroyed by fire, and the amounts paid by each Board and the Education Department for replacing the same."—(Mr. ALLEN.)

DISTRIBUTION OF ORDINARY VOTES for MAINTENANCE AND REBUILDING OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS
according to the Scheme proposed by the Select Committee on Education (I.—13, 1903).

THE distribution has been made each year, except for 1909, on the basis of the Committee's report—*i.e.*, as per Table A, modified as indicated in the supplementary report printed in the parliamentary paper referred to above.

For 1909 the distribution was made on the following basis, *viz.*,—

Schools,—

(a.) Maintenance, wood, at 2½ per cent.

(b.) Maintenance, brick and stone, at 1½ per cent.

Rebuilding and renewals (c), (d), (e), (f),—

No payment was made on this account.

Residences,—

(g.) Maintenance, at 2½ per cent.

Education Department, Wellington, 30th August, 1910.

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GRANTS TO EDUCATION BOARDS for MAINTENANCE of School Buildings and Teachers' Residences,
1903–9.

Education District.	1903.	1904.	1905.	1906.	1907.	1908.	1909.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Auckland	6,932	8,109	7,883	8,099	8,000	8,111	7,346	54,480
Taranaki	1,471	1,563	1,516	1,559	1,558	1,475	1,341	10,483
Wanganui	3,427	3,258	3,190	3,315	3,390	3,445	3,134	23,159
Wellington	3,863	3,648	3,507	3,534	3,475	3,780	3,455	25,262
Hawke's Bay	2,000	2,420	2,284	2,316	2,282	2,396	2,202	15,900
Marlborough	698	739	693	678	629	674	591	4,702
Nelson	1,710	2,145	2,035	2,053	2,016	2,002	1,725	13,686
Grey	565	594	582	602	557	569	381	3,850
Westland	468	650	613	633	570	609	485	4,028
North Canterbury	5,540	6,362	4,978	4,989	4,726	4,732	4,331	35,658
South Canterbury	1,423	1,832	1,742	1,808	1,812	1,872	1,711	12,200
Otago	5,777	7,096	6,712	6,761	6,519	6,510	5,853	45,228
Southland	2,542	3,356	3,202	3,269	3,231	3,132	2,743	21,475
Totals	36,416	41,772	38,937	39,616	38,765	39,307	35,298*	270,111

* Of this sum (£35,298), £26,548 was not paid to the Boards' accounts until 1910.

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