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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 1.–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 REBUILDINGS 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 13 per cent.

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

No payment was made on this account.

Residences.

(g.) Maintenance, at 2½ per cent.

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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	13,680
Grey			565	594	582	602	557	56 9	381	3,850
Westland			468	650	613	633	570	609	485	4.028
North Canterb	urv		5,54 0	6,362	4.978	4,989	4,726	4,732	4,331	35,658
South Canterb	urv		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	21,47
Totals			36,416	41.772	38,937	39,616	38,765	39,307	35,298*	270,11

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

GRANTS TO EDUCATION BOARDS for REBUILDING School Buildings, 1903-9.

Education District.		1903.	1904.	1905.	1906.	1907.	1908.	1909.	Total.	
			£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Auckland			5,985	3,174	3,563	3,891	4,000	5,521		26,134
Taranaki			279	203	392	496	500	534		2,404
Wanganui			773	852	$\bf 962$	1,023	9 5 0	1,006		5,566
Wellington			1.437	839	975	1,359	1,420	1,721		7,751
Hawke's Bay			862	803	856	964	1,000	1,024		5,509
Marlborough			252	163	165	170	23 0	247		1,227
Nelson			692	678	875	925	970	1.224		5,364
Grey		:	285	234	271	360	410	447		2,007
Westland			377	384	384	389	46 0	674		2,668
North Canterb	ury		1,715	1,744	2,898	3,227	3,500	3,758		16,842
South Canterb			611	648	706	748	75 0	847	.,	4,310
Otago			1,746	1,694	2,017	2,326	2.570	2,711		13,064
Southland	••	• •	1,027	949	1,050	1,190	1,230	1,283	••	6,729
Totals		••	16,041	12,365	15,114	17,068	17,990	20,997		99,575

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EXPENDITURE OF EDUCATION BOARDS ON MAINTENANCE and REBUILDING of School Buildings and Teachers' Residences: Summarized from the Annual Returns rendered by Boards (from which it is not possible to show the Expenditure on Maintenance and on Rebuilding separately).

Education Distric	Education District.			1905.	1906.	1907.	1908.	1909.	Total.
		£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Auckland		6,294	10,891	10,310	9,835	9,414	9,851	13,474	70,069
Taranaki		1,229	2,576	1.783	1,492	2,778	2,322	2,368	14,548
Wanganui		2,733	2,232	3,118	6,630	7,159	4,514	8,408	34,794
Wellington		1,840	2,161	3,071	11,701	3,920	5,380	6,963	35,036
Hawke's Bay		1,954	1,844	1,995	7,414	2,308	2,445	3,438	21,398
Marlborough		312	254	462	695	817	1,175	715	4,430
Nelson		1,202	2,062	2,380	1,861	4,368	4,329	3,636	19,838
Grey		548	709	1,214	588	761	966	1,071	5,857
Westland		74 8	600	1,229	7 55	1,210	874	1,862	7,278
North Canterbury		2,417	4,745	5,976	9,762	8,412	8,277	7,794	47,383
South Canterbury		1,064	2,360	1,676	1,890	3,107	5,212	3,469	18,778
Otago		5,146	6,765	4,495	6,407	7,003	8,733	12,119	50,668
Southland	• •	1,837,	2,830	2,572	3,473	3,720	3,963	7,949	26,344
Totals		27,324	40,029	40,281	62,503	54,977	58,041	73,266	356,421

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SUMMARY OF THREE PRECEDING TABLES.

				Maintenance a	nd Rebuilding.
	Yea	r.	-	Grants.	Expended by Boards.
				£	£
1903				$52,\!457$	27,324
1904				54,137	40,029
1905]	54,051	40,281
1906				56,684	62,503
1907				56,755	54,977
1908				60,304	58,041
1909	••			35,298*	73,266
	Totals			369,686	356,421

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

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STATEMENT OF EDUCATION BOARDS' BALANCES OF ACCOUNTS for MAINTENANCE and REBUILDING of Schools and Teachers' Residences, 1903-9. (Compiled from Annual Returns rendered by Education Boards.)

				Balances at End of Year.								
Edu	ication D	district.		1903.	1904.	1905.	1906.	1907.	1908.	1909.		
				£	£	£	£	£	£	£		
A uc kl and				2,352	3,606	6,618	9,137	10,018	19,048	9,869		
Taranaki				525	952	1,515	2,376	1,637	2,792	813		
Wanganui				4,797	6,943	5,974	7,039	7,739	10,143	7,092		
Wellington				4,309	6,972	3,886	5,029	5,733	9,379	5,200		
Hawke's Bay	7			1,804	4,204	4,090	6,598	7,084	9,537	6,666		
Marlborough				504	1,651	1,655	2,231	1,992	2,166	1,561		
Nelson				1,422	3,130	1,790	4,864	2,798	2,512	Dr. 476		
Grev				225	780	17	700	579	1,012	225		
Westland				Dr. 37	625	Dr. 85	903	266	820	Dr. 410		
North Cante	rburv			3,674	10,269	8,520	11,866	11,185	15,282	10,523		
South Canter				677	1,972	1,444	2,083	2,698	3,785	1,382		
Otago				Dr.3,581	1,572	5,497	10,295	10,566	15,121	3,517		
Southland	••	••	• •	2,373	5,264	5,036	8,310	7,397	9,743	4,658		
Tot	als			19,044	47,940	45,957	71,431	69,692	101,340	50,620		

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Value of School Buildings destroyed by Fire, and Amounts paid by Education Boards and the Education Department respectively for Replacement.

	Buildings	destroyed		Building	Buildings replaced.				
Education District.	Number of Square Feet of Floor-space in Buildings destroyed.	Material.	Estimated Value.	Number of Square Feet of Floor-space replaced.	Material.	Value of Buildings replaced.	By Board.	By Depart- ment.	Remarks.
1903. South Canterbury	520	Wood	£ 286	480	Wood	£ 275	£	£ 275	
1904. Auckland	528 (sch.) Res., 4 rooms	Wood	290 325	522 (seh.) Res., 4 rooms	Wood	211 313		475	One contract. £225
Taranaki Wanganui	440 1,720	,, ,,	242 946	552 1,426	,,,	354 590	8	354 582	paid in 1905.
Marlborough Nelson	Res., 6 rooms 864	,,	475 475	Res., 6 rooms 874	* **	330 373	90	$\frac{240}{373}$	Paid 1905.
South Canterbury Southland	810 52 0	"	445 286	520 340	,, ,,	295* 233	189 45	106 188	* £135 insurance.
Total	4,882 Res., 10 rooms	••	3,484	4,234 Res., 10 rooms		2,699	381	2,318	
1905.	2,347	Wood	1,290	2,327	Wood	1,535	155	1,380	£430 paid 1906.
Taranaki Wanganui Hawke's Bay	1,407 4,254	,,	774 2,339	1,847 5,698	Brick	931 5,021	68 306*	863	£563 ,, * £145 salvage.
Wellington	5 ,5 35	,,	3,044	10,164	,,,	8,214	214	8,000	† Paid 1906. £5,818 paid 1906, £182 paid 1907.
Nelson Southland	720 432	,,	396 237	528 494	Wood	$\frac{241}{229}$		241 229	Paid 1906.
Total	14,695		8,080	21,058	•••	16,171	743	15,428	
1906. Auckland Wellington North Canterbury Otago	1,800 1,426 2,193 Res., 5 rooms	Wood "	990 784 1,206 400	2,544 1,494 2,222 Res., 4 rooms	Wood "	1,325 881 1,251 304	15 36 384 16	1,310 845 867 288	£300 paid 1907. £345 "
Total	5,419 Res., 5 rooms	••	3,380	6,260 Res., 4 rooms	••	3,761	451	3,310	
1907. Wellington Southland	919 380	Wood	505 209	1,344 380	Wood	750 295		750 295	Paid 1908.
Total	1,299	•••	714	1,724	••	1.045		1,045	

VALUE OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS DESTROYED BY FIRE, and AMOUNTS PAID by Education Boards and the Education Department respectively for REPLACEMENT—continued.

	Buildings	destroyed	١,	Building	Buildings replaced.				
Education District.	Number of Square Feet of Floor-space in Buildings destroyed.	Material.	Estimated Value.	Number of Square Feet of Floor-space replaced.	Material.	Value of Buildings replaced.	By Board.	By Depart- ment.	Remarks.
1908. Wellington Westland South Canterbury Otago Southland	1,134 (sch.) Res., 4 rooms 792 3,156 1,371 3,140	Wood	£ 624 325 436 1,736 755 1,727	1,344 (seh.) Res., 5 rooms 396 2,552 1,824 5,346	Wood ", Brick ",	£ 913 382 217 2,124 1,334 3,467	£ 63 17 1,084 567	£ 850 382 200 2,124 250 2,900	£84 paid in 1909. Paid in 1909. £416 paid in 1909. £2,000 paid in 1909. £900 paid in 1910
Total	9,593 Res., 4 rooms	••	5,603	11,462 Res., 5 rooms	••	8,437	1,731	6,706	
1909. Auckland Wanganui	Res., 6 rooms 2,461	Wood	475 1,354	Res., 6 rooms 4,763	Wood Brick	422 4,248	 748*	422 3,500	£22 paid in 1910. £375 paid in 1910 * Includes £700 in
Wellington North Canterbury Southland	500 3,465 Res., 7 rooms	"	275 1,906 550	480 3,984 Res., 5 rooms	Wood Brick Wood	336 3,024 392	24	336 3,000 392	surance. £36 paid in 1910. ' £1,278 paid in 1910
Total	6,426 Res., 13 rooms	·	4,560	9,227 Res., 11 rooms		8,422	772	7,650	

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