

SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS' REPORTS, 1910.

AUCKLAND.

SIR,—

School Commissioners' Office, Auckland, 29th March, 1911.

I have the honour to forward a statement of the Commissioners' accounts for the year 1910, which shows that the sum of £5,000 has been paid to Education Boards for primary education, and £544 18s. 9d. to secondary schools, the latter amount being considerably less than in previous years, owing to the fact that the most valuable of the reserves for secondary education in this district were handed over to the Governors of the Gisborne High School by the Gisborne High School Act, 1909.

The reserves let during the year were few in number, as since the passing of the National Endowments Act not many sections have been vested in the Commissioners. The increase in the annual rental will be £356 1s.

I have, &c.,

OLIVER NICHOLSON, Chairman.

The Hon. the Minister of Education, Wellington.

GENERAL STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending 31st December, 1910.

I. GENERAL ACCOUNT.

	Primary.	Secondary.	Total.
<i>Receipts.</i>			
Balance at 31st December, 1909 ...	£ 164 s. 6 d. 4	£ 149 s. 13 d. 0	£ 313 s. 19 d. 4
Rents received—			
Arrears of 1907 ...	0 5 0	...	0 5 0
" 1908 ...	57 7 10	7 19 8	65 7 6
" 1909 ...	620 5 0	96 6 5	716 11 5
Due in 1910 ...	4,736 3 3	591 4 9	5,327 8 0
Miscellaneous ...	10 5 0	...	10 5 0
Bank interests ...	40 5 2	5 11 0	45 16 2
Gisborne High School ...	...	33 4 9	33 4 9
Lease deposits ...	72 11 0	11 11 0	84 2 0
Total receipts ...	5,701 8 7	895 10 7	6,596 19 2
<i>Expenditure.</i>			
Office salary ...	£ 131 s. 5 d. 0	£ 43 s. 15 d. 0	£ 175 s. 0 d. 0
Office expenses ...	31 18 6	10 12 10	42 11 4
Crown-grant fees ...	26 17 0	3 7 8	30 4 8
Commissioners' travelling-expenses ...	3 0 0	1 0 0	4 0 0
Expenses of leasing ...	107 7 2	30 15 8	138 2 10
Expenditure on reserves ...	17 13 3	15 19 6	33 12 9
Payments to Boards—			
Auckland Education Board ...	4,687 10 0	...	5,000 0 0
Hawke's Bay Education Board ...	312 10 0	...	
Payments to secondary schools—			
Auckland Grammar School ...	...	380 1 0	544 18 9
Thames High School ...	...	42 18 0	
Whangarei High School ...	...	41 5 0	
Gisborne High School ...	...	80 14 9	
Lease deposits paid over ...	78 15 0	13 13 0	92 8 0
Balance in Bank New Zealand ...	£544 4 7		
Less cheques outstanding ...	8 2 3		
Overbanked ...	0 1 6		
	304 12 8	231 8 2	536 0 10
Total expenditure ...	5,701 8 7	895 10 7	6,596 19 2