1917. NEW ZEALAND.

EDUCATION: TEACHERS' SUPERANNUATION FUND.

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Presented to both Houses of the General Assembly by Command of His Excellency.

Part I.

EXTRACT FROM THE FORTIETH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE MINISTER OF EDUCATION.

THE balance at the credit of the fund on the 31st December, 1916, was £381,158, an increase over that on the 31st December, 1915, of £40,576. The income for 1916 was £90,481, and the expenditure £49,906. During the year 468 members were admitted, while 259 left the fund, a net increase of 209.

At the end of 1916,—						
The number of contributors was			• •			4,653
$ \text{Of whom males numbered} \qquad \dots $						1,974
$ {\bf And \ females \ numbered} \qquad \dots$						2,679
Members under Part IX of Education Ac						80
The annual rate of contribution paid as					B	£56,208
The number of allowances in force at the	${ m e} \ { m end} \ { m c}$	of the	year w	as		611
representing an annual charge of			• •			£44,666
viz.,—						
Ordinary retiring - allows	ances				£	
were		315,	represe	nting	26,871	
Retiring-allowances under	ex-		**			
tended provisions of	sec-					
tion 12 of the Act		66,	,,		9,412	
Retiring - allowances in r	nedi-					
cally unfit cases		74,	,,		5,907	
Allowances to widows		87,	,,		1,579	
Allowances to children		69,	,,		897	

In terms of the provisions of the Public Service Classification and Superannuation Amendment Act, 1908, section 4, and the regulations thereunder, all moneys belonging to the fund are paid to the Public Trustee for investment, and form part