

APPENDIX C.

MANUAL INSTRUCTION IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

No. 1. DETAILED TABLES.

TABLE G1.—SOME PARTICULARS RELATING TO ELEMENTARY HANDWORK AND MANUAL INSTRUCTION IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR THE YEARS 1911 TO 1917 INCLUSIVE.

	1911.	1912.	1913.	1914.	1915.	1916.	1917.
Number of public schools.. .. .	2,166	2,214	2,255	2,301	2,338	2,355	2,368
Number of schools taking elementary hand- work	1,273	1,319	1,382	1,513	1,793	1,898	2,011
Number of schools taking manual subjects..	979	1,139	1,227	1,298	1,398	1,445	1,503
Number of district high schools providing approved rural courses	17	28	33	34	37	38	38
Capitation for elementary handwork ..	£ 5,308	£ 5,430	£ 5,906	£ 6,456	£ 6,869	£ 7,623	£ 7,791
Capitation for manual instruction.. ..	11,745	15,804	18,563	18,016	20,574	21,939	23,763
Capitation for rural courses	2,896	3,047	5,705	6,888	7,007	7,794	7,984
Cost to Government of conveyance of pupils to manual training centres	2,940	2,203	3,796	4,566	5,414	6,335	5,713
Receipts of Education Boards	28,634	37,123	45,379	35,270	41,551	47,807	60,763
Expenditure of Education Boards.. ..	30,385	40,521	42,646	35,111	42,582	42,827	49,779

TABLE G2.—ELEMENTARY HANDWORK AND MANUAL INSTRUCTION, 1917. (PUBLIC SCHOOLS.)

Education District.	Elementary Woodwork.		Manual Instruction.					
	Number of Schools.	Number of Schools.	Number of Secondary Pupils taking Rural Courses at District High Schools.	Subjects and Number of Schools providing Instruction in each.				
				Domestic Subjects.	Woodwork and Ironwork.	Elementary Science.	Agriculture and Dairying, &c.	Swimming and Life-saving.
Auckland	511	343	260	142	144	8	320	37
Taranaki	127	112	71	17	16	31	108	10
Wanganui	171	163	153	39	39	13	167	11
Hawke's Bay	121	99	139	17	17	10	95	2
Wellington	172	123	216	44	45	28	98	20
Nelson	101	76	..	23	23	15	64	13
Canterbury	379	248	219	148	139	17	213	32
Otago	259	216	166	51	48	22	203	32
Southland	170	123	..	73	63	13	109	6
Totals	2,011	1,503	1,229	554	534	157	1,377	163