

TABLE J6.—NUMBER OF STUDENTS, ACCORDING TO AGES, ADMITTED TO CLASSES OTHER THAN CLASSES AT TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOLS DURING THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1924.

Education District.	Under 13 Years.		13-15 Years.		15-17 Years.		Over 17 Years.		Totals		Students admitted during 1924 who left a Public School during 1923 (Included in Foregoing Totals).	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Auckland ..	48	32	248	192	543	306	767	516	1,606	1,046	220	161
Taranaki ..	4	4	43	65	57	72	88	58	192	199	77	48
Wanganui ..	12	..	53	61	188	246	398	496	651	803	101	118
Hawke's Bay ..	3	..	21	10	73	40	120	107	217	157	29	9
Wellington ..	9	8	144	117	509	232	799	387	1,461	744	131	101
Nelson ..	21	31	54	56	99	102	144	178	318	367	53	47
Canterbury ..	108	122	310	317	657	472	1,356	972	2,431	1,883	264	268
Otago ..	11	6	122	72	316	149	526	370	975	597	98	48
Southland ..	2	..	41	39	117	120	130	147	290	306	51	50
Totals for 1924 ..	218	203	1,036	929	2,559	1,739	4,328	3,231	8,141	6,102	1,024	850
Totals for 1923 ..	185	189	1,249	1,050	2,217	1,486	3,706	2,981	7,357	5,706	1,048	824

TABLE J7.—OCCUPATIONS OF STUDENTS IN ATTENDANCE AT TECHNICAL CLASSES OTHER THAN CLASSES AT TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOLS DURING THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1924.

Occupations.	Auckland.	Taranaki.	Wanganui.	Hawke's Bay.	Wellington.	Nelson.	Canterbury.	Otago.	Southland.	Totals.
Agricultural pursuits ..	23	2	9	1	21	25	171	31	7	290
Professional pursuits ..	305	46	114	37	152	57	320	108	48	1,187
Clerical pursuits ..	267	55	153	91	640	53	489	351	110	2,209
Domestic pursuits ..	293	17	138	55	332	190	488	174	153	1,840
Students ..	559	219	448	7	162	158	1,286	155	47	3,041
Employees in shops or warehouses ..	157	19	87	43	163	50	277	107	63	966
Dressmakers, milliners, &c. ..	35	2	11	4	16	3	52	33	12	168
Tailors and tailoresses ..	17	3	5	2	9	2	25	16	2	81
Engineers and mechanics ..	149	13	70	30	129	30	204	99	33	757
Electricians ..	114	2	26	3	123	11	129	26	12	446
Plumbers, metal-workers, &c. ..	196	..	43	42	145	28	128	68	17	667
Woodworkers ..	194	5	32	8	124	14	242	67	27	713
Painters and plasterers ..	31	..	2	8	20	3	19	15	5	103
Printers, &c. ..	19	1	3	3	19	5	40	15	5	110
Skilled labourers ..	18	1	4	1	2	3	40	4	19	92
Labourers ..	10	..	4	1	11	16	44	5	7	98
Seamen ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Engaged in other various trades and industries ..	78	1	38	12	43	10	88	122	9	401
Engaged in various public services ..	51	..	29	10	66	20	74	43	13	306
Occupations not stated ..	136	5	238	16	28	7	198	133	7	768
Totals for 1924 ..	2,652	391	1,454	374	2,205	685	4,314	1,572	596	14,243
Totals for 1923 ..	2,319	348	1,165	429	2,027	746	3,916	1,478	635	13,063

TABLE J8.—NUMBER OF PUPILS HOLDING GOVERNMENT FREE PLACES AT TECHNICAL CLASSES OTHER THAN CLASSES AT TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOLS DURING THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1924.

Education District.	Jr. 1st.		Jr. 2nd and 3rd.		Sr. 1st.		Sr. 2nd.		Sr. 3rd and 4th.		Totals.		Grand Totals.
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M. & F.
Auckland ..	238	178	157	72	140	51	67	23	25	7	627	331	958
Taranaki ..	48	39	27	36	16	14	11	11	4	3	106	103	209
Wanganui ..	99	123	71	94	53	49	22	38	11	14	256	318	574
Hawke's Bay ..	32	12	20	8	18	17	13	8	7	4	90	49	139
Wellington ..	168	99	127	71	130	74	111	40	66	22	602	306	908
Nelson ..	52	39	38	25	22	20	22	21	8	14	142	119	261
Canterbury ..	278	231	218	142	152	117	98	73	53	63	799	626	1,425
Otago ..	123	50	98	32	77	33	61	19	35	11	394	145	539
Southland ..	57	51	41	45	30	36	20	26	14	10	162	168	330
Totals for 1924 ..	1,095	822	797	525	638	411	425	259	223	148	3,178	2,165	5,343
Totals for 1923 ..	1,047	712	734	426	517	399	373	250	210	190	2,881	1,977	4,858