10. SIZE OF CLASSES.

The following table shows the average number of children per adult teacher in public primary schools.

TABLE K 1.—AVERAGE NUMBER OF CHILDREN PER ADULT CLASS-TEACHER IN PUBLIC PRIMARY Schools.

	Grade of School.			Number of Adult Teachers.			Total Average Attendance for Year	Average Number of Child ren per Adult Class- teacher.	
				All Teachers.	Head Teachers excluded.	Class- teachers.	ended 31st August, 1934 (Primary only).	1933.	1934.
					<u>, </u>			1	
O	(1-8)			201		201	1,337	6	. 7
Ĭ	(9-20)			745		745	10,638	15	14
ΙĪ	(21-35)			558		558	12,558	24	23
	(36–50)			581		581	12,099	21	21
	(51-80)			562		562	15,204	28	27
	(81-120)			395		395	11,213	31	28
IV	(121-240)			686		686	20,858	34	30
v	(241-360)			691	i	691	23,344	38	34
VΪ	(361–480)			749	63	686	25,059	44	37
VII	(481 and ov	er)		1,274	82	1,192	45,112	42	38
	All schools			6,442	145	6,297	177,422	30	28

N.B.—The average attendance shown for each grade of school in the above table does not correspond with that shown in Table C 1, owing to the fact that in Table C 1 part-time and side schools are taken separately, thus altering the grades of various schools for the purpose of that table.

TABLE K 2.—Size of Classes in Public Primary Schools of Grade IV and over.

			February, 1929.		February, 1934.		February, 1935.	
Number of Children.	Number of Classes.	Per Cent.	Number of Classes.	Per Cent.	Number of Classes.	Per Cent.		
II I 01		233	8	729	23.4	616	20.6	
Under 31	• •	860	28	978	31.5	1.011	33.8	
31–40	• •	1.138	37	1,017	32.7	1,007	33.7	
11-50	• •	788	25	376	12.1	349	11.6	
51-60 61 and over		66	2	10	0.3	9	0.3	
Totals		3,085	100	3,110	100	2,992	100	

TABLE K 3.—CHANGE IN AVERAGE NUMBER OF PUPILS PER ADULT TEACHER IN PUBLIC PRIMARY Schools.

		Year.			Average Attendance for Year ending 31st August.	Number of Adult Teachers.	Number of Pupils per Adult Teacher.	
1931	.,				195,168	6,191	31.5	
1932	••	••			194,930	6,292	30.9	
1933	• •				183,148	6,072	30.2	
1934					177,422	6,442	27.5	
1934	• •	• •	• •	••	177,422	6,44	!2	