

Education Board of the District of Grey.—Election of Members.

IN pursuance of the provisions of the Education Act, 1908, it is hereby publicly notified that at the statutory annual election of Board members held on 28th July, 1913, the following gentlemen were elected members of the Education Board of the District of Grey:—

Northern Ward—
JOHN WARD.
Eastern Ward—
JEREMIAH MCCARTHY.
Western Ward—
WILLIAM ROBERT KETTLE.

It is further notified that for the Eastern and Western Wards the candidates re-elected were the only ones nominated.

For the Northern Ward the votes recorded in favour of the several candidates who contested the election were as follows:—

John Ward	..	..	..	..	29
William Williams	..	..	..	..	11

Total number of valid votes, 40; voting-papers rejected as informal, 2.

P. F. DANIEL,
Returning Officer.
Education Office,
Greymouth, 12th August, 1913.

Education Board of the District of Westland.—Election of Members.

IN pursuance of the provisions of the Education Act, 1908, it is hereby notified that the following retiring members have been returned unopposed as members of the Education Board of the District of Westland:—

North Ward—
THOMAS WILLIAM DUFF.
Middle Ward—
JOHN JAMES CLARKE.
South Ward—
JOSEPH GRIMMOND.

In connection with an extraordinary vacancy caused by the resignation of Henry Linklater, a member representing the North Ward, HENRY BECKWITH FORSTER was the only person nominated, and he is declared duly elected.

A. J. MORTON,
Returning Officer.
Education Office,
Hokitika, 11th July, 1913.

Education Board of the District of North Canterbury.—Election of Members.

IN accordance with section 21 of the Education Act, 1908, it is hereby notified that the undermentioned persons have been duly elected members of the Education Board of the District of North Canterbury:—

North Ward—
HUGH BOYD.
Central Ward—
JOHN JAMIESON.
South Ward—
WILLIAM HENRY COLLINS.

The number of votes recorded in favour of the several candidates was,—

North Ward—					
Boyd, Hugh	..	..	..	..	283
Gray, Arthur Lansdel	..	..	..	..	164
Central Ward—					
Ashley, James	..	..	..	..	23
Jamieson, John	..	..	..	..	83
Russell, Charles James, M.D.	..	..	..	..	60
South Ward—					
Andrews, George William	..	..	..	..	45
Collins, William Henry	..	..	..	..	147
Dalziel, Matthew	..	..	..	..	102
Maginness, George	..	..	..	..	111

The total number of valid votes was—
North Ward 447
Central Ward 166
South Ward 405

The total number of invalid votes was—
North Ward 5
Central Ward 0
South Ward 9

H. C. LANE,
Returning Officer.
Education Office,
Christchurch, 12th August, 1913.

Education Board of the District of South Canterbury.—Election of Members.

IN accordance with section 24 of the Education Act, 1908, it is hereby notified that the following persons have been duly elected members of the Education Board of the District of South Canterbury:—

North Ward—
JOHN SCOTT RUTHERFORD.
Middle Ward—
GEORGE JOHN SEALEY.
South Ward—
WILLIAM MILNE HAMILTON.

The number of valid votes recorded for each candidate in the contested election for the South Ward was,—

Hamilton, William Milne	..	..	..	..	106
Black, John	..	..	..	..	87

The total number of valid votes recorded was 193. The number of voting-papers rejected as informal was 1.

J. A. VALENTINE,
Returning Officer.
Education Office,
Timaru, 12th August, 1913.

Education Board of the District of Otago.—Election of Members.

IN accordance with the provisions of sections 15 (1) and 24 of the Education Act, 1908, it is hereby publicly notified that the following candidates have been duly nominated for election as members of the Education District of the Board of Otago:—

Northern Ward—
James Mitchell.
Central Ward—
William Scott.
Southern Ward—
Parker McKinlay.

As the number of duly nominated candidates in each case is equal to the number of persons to be elected, I hereby declare MESSRS. JAMES MITCHELL, WILLIAM SCOTT, and PARKER MCKINLAY duly elected as members of the Board for the Northern, Central, and Southern Wards respectively.

S. M. PARK,
Returning Officer.
Education Office,
Dunedin, 7th July, 1913.

Education Board of the District of Southland.—Election of Members.

IN accordance with the provisions of the Education Act, 1908, it is hereby publicly notified that the following persons have been duly elected as members of the Education Board of the District of Southland:—

East Ward—
HORACE EDWARDS NIVEN.
West Ward—
JOHN CHARLES THOMSON.
Central Ward—
ALEXANDER LOWRIE.

The result of the election for the East Ward was—
Horace Edwards Niven 226
Thomas MacGibbon 113
Total valid votes, 339; informal votes, 3.

The result of the election for the Central Ward was—
Alexander Lowrie 141
Joseph Crosby Smith 53
Total valid votes, 194; informal votes, 2.

A. BELL,
Returning Officer.
Education Office,
Invercargill, 12th August, 1913.