

schools of the district, dealing, for the schools generally, with such of the topics named in clause 8 hereof as it may seem expedient to include, and giving, in addition, a statement showing, with respect to public and private registered schools separately, the number of pupils on the roll of Standard VI, the number of Proficiency, Competency, and Endorsed Competency Certificates issued, with the corresponding percentage of the number of candidates on the roll. The report should also indicate the efficiency of the teaching staff, the means taken to improve the examination status of uncertificated teachers, the condition particularly of the more remote schools, the methods of inspection, the steps taken by the inspection staff to modernize the methods of teaching and to encourage the teachers to study educational literature, the nature and results of any investigations teachers or Inspectors have made into school problems, the manner and extent of the instruction in the principles of temperance, and the success which has attended the teachers' efforts to foster the civic spirit and to inculcate patriotism and loyalty to duty.

2. Clause 23 thereof is hereby amended by the addition of the following words: "Physical drill shall be given to all boys and girls for a period of not less than fifteen minutes daily during school hours, and shall consist of the exercises contained in the syllabus of physical training for schools issued by the Education Department and in any appendices or notes thereto that may be issued from time to time with the authority of the Minister of Education; provided that any boy or girl may, on the certificate of a medical practitioner or a school medical officer, be exempted from attendance at such instruction."

REGULATIONS FOR PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND MILITARY DRILL.

The regulations for physical education and military drill are hereby amended by revoking clauses 1 and 2 thereof.

F. D. THOMSON,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Regulations under the Education Act, 1914, amended.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 25th day of March, 1922.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the Education Act, 1914, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the amendments set out in the Schedule hereto in the regulations under the said Act made by Order in Council dated the twelfth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen; and, with the like advice and consent, doth prescribe that this Order shall come into force on the date of the first publication thereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

SCHEDULE.

REGULATIONS FOR NATIVE SCHOOLS.

XVIII.—*Scholarships.*

CLAUSES 2 and 3 of the subsection relating to agricultural scholarships are hereby deleted, and the following clauses substituted therefor:—

"2. Agricultural scholarships shall be tenable for two years, either in the service of a farmer or at a farm under the control of the Agricultural Department as may be arranged, or at a school or college established for the secondary education of Maori boys where, in the opinion of the Department, a suitable course of theoretical and practical instruction in agriculture and general farmwork is provided.

"3. The total payments to or on behalf of the holder shall not exceed £30 in any one year, or £60 in all."

F. D. THOMSON,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.