

Examinations are held in January, and candidates must give notice by 31st October previous, and enclose a fee of 1*l*.

*Pupil-teachers.* Pupil-teachers must be at least 13 years old, and are appointed by the district education boards; and any person also who has passed the examination for Class D above, may (Government Gazette, 18th Sept. 1890) be appointed a pupil-teacher with position equal to that of a third year pupil-teacher. (Regulations under the Education Act, 1877, Parts VI. and VII. Government Gazette, July 7th, 1887.)

*Demand.* Schoolmasters and schoolmistresses holding good British certificates have some prospect of employment in the board schools.

*Cape Colony.* Certificated teachers who may desire to settle in the Cape Colony with a view to obtaining employment as teachers there, should submit their testimonials, &c. direct to "The Superintendent-General of Education, Cape Town, Cape of Good Hope," on whose recommendation most appointments to teacherships are made. In public schools principals receive from Government, in aid of their salary, from 60*l*. to 200*l*. a year, and assistants, 30*l*. to 100*l*. In the Western Province teachers will generally find it necessary to be able to speak Dutch as well as English. The subjects for examination for third or lowest class certificates include school management, English, geography, history, arithmetic, drawing, &c. After five years' service a teacher in a public school is eligible for a good service allowance of 10*l*. to 25*l*., of 15*l*. to 37*l*. 10*s*. after 10 years' service, and 20*l*. to 50*l*. after 15 years. From such allowance 5 per cent. a year is deducted, and paid into the Teachers' Pension Fund. After 25 years' service, and on retirement at 60 or from ill-health, this allowance continues for the rest of his life, with an addition of 50 per cent. for a service of 15 to 20 years, 75 per cent. for one of 20 to 30 years, and 100 per cent. for one of, or over, 30 years. (Teachers' Pension and Fund Act, 1887.) The Principal of a first class Public School must bring boys up to the standard of the London Matriculation; his emoluments are 400*l*. a year and house. Teachers of private farm schools are entitled to the good service allowance of 10*l*. a year after five years' service, 15*l*. a year after 10 years' service, and 20*l*. a year after 15 years' service. (Additional regulation, Government Gazette, 15th September 1891.)

*Natal.* Applications for employment in the Government schools must be made to "The Council of Education, Pietermaritzburg, Natal." Teachers in Government schools are paid (1) by fixed salaries, and (2) by a capitation grant of 6*s*. for each separate pass in English, writing, and arithmetic, the maximum per pupil being 18*s*., and 6*s*. for infants. (See the Report of the Commission on Education in Government Gazette, 19th May 1891.) At the Maritzburg College the head master receives 500*l*. a year and quarters, and assistants 120*l*. to 300*l*. At the High School, Durban, the head master receives 500*l*. a year and house, assistants, 250*l*. to 300*l*., and junior masters, 160*l*. At Durban and Maritzburg, in addition to a share in the capitation grants, the head master in the Model Primary Schools receives