

SESS. II.—1884.
NEW ZEALAND.

GRANTS FOR PROSPECTING PURPOSES

(RETURN SHOWING AMOUNT OF).

Return to an Order of the House of Representatives, dated 17th September, 1884.

Ordered, "That there be laid upon the table a return showing the amount of moneys granted for prospecting purposes within each county during the five years ending the 31st March, 1884."—(Mr. Pyke.)

RETURN showing the AMOUNT of MONEYS granted for PROSPECTING PURPOSES within each County during the Five Years ending the 31st March, 1884.

County.							Amount of Grant.
Thames ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	£769 0 0
Coromandel ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	58 0 0
Piako ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31 16 0
Waitemata ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42 0 0
Cook ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	80 0 0
Wairarapa West ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31 10 0
Marlborough ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	57 0 0
Waimea ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	43 13 8
Collingwood ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	174 0 0
Hutt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	220 10 6
Grey ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36 15 0
Westland... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	637 10 9
Maniototo ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	630 13 9
Tuapeka ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	232 14 6
Lake ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	200 0 0
Fiord ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	173 17 8
Inangahua ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,450 0 0
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	£6,869 1 10

In addition to this amount a sum of £2,477 has been spent in importing three diamond-drills and £233 for a Tiffin boring-machine.

H. J. H. ELLIOTT,
Under-Secretary.

Mines Department, 7th October, 1884.