

B.—RETURN OF FEES received under the LAND TRANSFER ACTS for the Twelve Months ended the 31st March, 1888.

District.	General Fees.	Land Assurance.	Total.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Auckland	2,184 10 6	410 8 3	2,594 18 9
Taranaki	538 0 0	61 11 6	599 11 6
Wellington	2,791 16 8	424 16 5	3,216 13 1
Hawke's Bay	1,691 16 11	173 11 8	1,865 8 7
Nelson	622 17 0	58 13 11	681 10 11
Marlborough	246 4 0	50 3 7	296 7 7
Canterbury	4,671 12 10	541 12 8	5,213 5 6
Otago	2,180 12 2	231 0 9	2,411 12 11
Southland	1,504 10 5	88 18 0	1,593 8 5
Westland	238 19 2	12 8 9	251 7 11
Totals	16,670 19 8*	2,053 5 6	18,724 5 2
Corresponding period 1886-87	17,170 18 8	2,666 6 9	19,836 5 5

* Includes £6 14s. 10d. district-agency fees, and £1,040 18s. 1d. Crown-grant fees.

C.—RETURN showing the TOTAL AMOUNT of MONEY remaining secured by MORTGAGES under the LAND TRANSFER ACTS on the 31st March, 1888.

District.	Amount remaining secured by Mortgage on 31st March, 1887.	Amount secured by Mortgage during the Year ended 31st March, 1888.	Amount of Mortgages paid off during the same Period.	Amount remaining secured by Mortgage on 31st March, 1888.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Auckland	3,069,791 0 0	489,445 0 0	245,790 0 0	3,313,446 0 0
Taranaki	483,643 2 4	73,636 7 11	61,279 11 6	495,999 18 9
Wellington	3,126,749 0 0	633,943 0 0	680,912 0 0	3,079,780 0 0
Hawke's Bay	2,588,029 0 0	557,471 0 0	211,575 0 0	2,933,925 0 0
Nelson	500,083 1 0	79,018 2 6	45,106 4 8	533,994 18 10
Marlborough	271,147 6 0	39,405 19 1	30,680 2 3	279,873 2 10
Canterbury	9,137,096 0 0	1,132,930 1 0	860,781 1 0	9,409,245 0 0
Otago	4,181,893 0 0	380,135 0 0	343,471 0 0	4,218,557 0 0
Southland	3,891,670 0 0	198,055 3 3	297,119 0 0	3,792,606 3 3
Westland	111,479 2 11	19,817 15 5	77,112 15 7	54,184 2 9
Totals	27,361,580 12 3	3,603,857 9 2	2,853,826 15 0	28,111,611 6 5
Corresponding period 1886-87	4,333,577 15 10	2,252,542 18 0	...

D.—RETURN showing WORK in ARREAR in the LAND TRANSFER DEPARTMENT on the 31st March, 1888.

District.	Applications awaiting Compliance with Requisitions.	Applications detained for Examination in the Survey Office.	Applications (other than those already mentioned) received during the Month not yet passed.	Unregistered Instruments awaiting Compliance with Requisitions.	Unregistered Instruments detained in the Survey Office.	Certificates of Title due but not issued.
Auckland	18	23	2	13	4	16
Taranaki	12	...	3
Wellington	23	2	...	24	1	...
Hawke's Bay	28	3	1	12
Nelson	6	1	2	...
Marlborough	2
Canterbury	18	39
Otago	25	14	2	...
Southland	2	...	2	1
Westland	1
Totals	134	29	8	90	9	30