

No. 2.—ABSTRACT of the SURVEYORS employed and of the WORK on HAND in each PROVINCIAL DISTRICT on 1st July, 1889.

| Chief Surveyors.     | Surveyors employed. |            | Work on Hand.  |               |             |                   |            |        |
|----------------------|---------------------|------------|----------------|---------------|-------------|-------------------|------------|--------|
|                      | Staff.              | Temporary. | District.      | Trig.         | Settlement. | Native Block, &c. | Roads, &c. | Town.  |
|                      |                     |            |                | Square Miles. | Acres.      | Acres.            | Miles.     | Acres. |
| T. Humphries ..      | 13                  | 7          | Auckland ..    | 135           | 79,904      | 1,161,712         | 69         | ..     |
| S. Weetman ..        | 2                   | ..         | Taranaki ..    | ..            | 6,600       | ..                | ..         | ..     |
| G. W. Williams ..    | 6                   | 6          | Hawke's Bay .. | ..            | 32,839      | 21,409            | 53½        | ..     |
| J. W. A. Marchant .. | 8                   | 6          | Wellington ..  | 300           | 413,265     | 475,209           | 262½       | ..     |
| J. S. Browning ..    | 8                   | ..         | Nelson ..      | ..            | 21,068      | ..                | ..         | ..     |
| H. G. Clark ..       | 1                   | ..         | Marlborough .. | ..            | 5,064       | ..                | 24         | ..     |
| G. Mueller ..        | 2                   | 1          | Westland ..    | 2,787         | 16,558      | ..                | 252        | 164    |
| J. H. Baker ..       | 5                   | ..         | Canterbury ..  | ..            | 8,617       | ..                | ..         | ..     |
| C. W. Adams ..       | 5                   | ..         | Otago ..       | ..            | 12,707      | ..                | ..         | ..     |
| J. Spence ..         | 2                   | 3          | Southland ..   | ..            | 5,198       | ..                | ..         | ..     |
| Totals ..            | 52                  | 23         | ..             | 3,222         | 601,820     | 1,658,330         | 661        | 164    |

No. 3.—CROWN GRANTS and other INSTRUMENTS of TITLE from the CROWN prepared.

| District.      | Number. | Cost.    | District.     | Number. | Cost.     |
|----------------|---------|----------|---------------|---------|-----------|
|                |         | £ s. d.  |               |         | £ s. d.   |
| Auckland ..    | 2,742   | 350 15 6 | Westland ..   | 102     | 13 2 0    |
| Taranaki ..    | 286     | 64 15 0  | Canterbury .. | 639     | 208 1 8   |
| Hawke's Bay .. | 592     | 53 3 6   | Otago ..      | 648     | 395 0 0   |
| Wellington ..  | 1,140   | 117 13 9 | Southland ..  | 96      | 72 0 0    |
| Nelson ..      | 97      | 87 12 0  |               |         |           |
| Marlborough .. | 25      | 4 18 0   | Totals ..     | 6,367   | 1,367 1 5 |

No. 4.—LAND TRANSFER WORK.

| District.      | No. of Plans passed. | Deeds and other Instruments examined. | No. of Plans placed on Certificates of Title. | Cost.    | District.     | No. of Plans passed. | Deeds and other Instruments examined. | No. of Plans placed on Certificates of Title. | Cost.      |
|----------------|----------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|----------|---------------|----------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|------------|
|                |                      |                                       |                                               | £ s. d.  |               |                      |                                       |                                               | £ s. d.    |
| Auckland ..    | 112                  | ..                                    | 654                                           | 525 0 0  | Westland ..   | 333                  | ..                                    | 191                                           | 24 9 6     |
| Taranaki ..    | 60                   | ..                                    | 76                                            | 80 11 3  | Canterbury .. | 134                  | ..                                    | 897                                           | 524 8 4    |
| Hawke's Bay .. | 79                   | ..                                    | 554                                           | 195 13 4 | Otago ..      | 56                   | 1,923                                 | 1,560                                         | 390 0 0    |
| Wellington ..  | 145                  | ..                                    | 893                                           | 168 17 9 | Southland ..  | 27                   | 109                                   | 500                                           | 120 0 0    |
| Nelson ..      | 152                  | ..                                    | 151                                           | 158 0 0  |               |                      |                                       |                                               |            |
| Marlborough .. | 8                    | ..                                    | 68                                            | 13 18 0  | Totals ..     | 1,106                | 2,032                                 | 5,544                                         | 2,200 18 2 |

No. 5.—PHOTOGRAPHS.

| Department.     | Number of Plates taken during the Year. | Department.             | Number of Plates taken during the Year. |
|-----------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------------------|
| Survey ..       | 603                                     | Defence ..              | 21                                      |
| Public Works .. | 5                                       | Crown Lands ..          | 2                                       |
| Mines ..        | 38                                      | Education ..            | 3                                       |
| Justice ..      | 6                                       | Census ..               | 6                                       |
| Telegraph ..    | 17                                      | Melbourne Exhibition .. | 8                                       |
| Museum ..       | 13                                      | Totals ..               | 722                                     |