1892. NEW ZEALAND.

PROCLAMATION OF MAEREWHENUA RIVER

(COMPENSATION IN CONNECTION WITH, MEN EMPLOYED, AND APPROXIMATE YIELD OF GOLD).

Returns to an Order of the House of Representatives dated 23rd September, 1892.

Ordered, "That a return be laid before the House showing (1) what amount of money has been paid for compensation in connection with the Proclamation of the Macrewhenua River; (2) the number of men employed gold-mining there now; and (3) the approximate quantity of gold which this field has yielded."—(Mr. Buckland.)

Return showing (1) What Amount of Money has been paid for Compensation in connection with the Proclamation of the Macrewhenua River; (2) the Number of Men employed gold-mining there now; and (3) the Approximate Quantity of Gold which this Field has yielded.

					£	s.	d.
(1.)	Actual amount of expenditure to dat	e			2,110	8	0
, ,	Outstanding liabilities	•••	•••	•••	3,456	16	3
	Total amount paid		•••		£5,567	4	3
	Claim of R. Campbell and Sons, which is to be brought befor						
	Compensation Court				3,000	0	0
(2.)	Number of men employed gold-mining	ıg	•••		•••		75
(3.)	Approximate quantity of gold	•••		•••	40,	000	oz.

H. J. H. ELIOTT, Under-Secretary.

Mines Department, Wellington, 27th September, 1892.

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