INCOME of the Public Trust Office Year by Year, from 1890 to 31st March, 1897, inclusive

	Year ended 31st Decem- ber, 1890.			Year ended 31st Decem- ber, 1891.			Year ended 31st Decem- ber, 1892.		Year ended 31st Decem- ber, 1893.		Fifteen Months ended 31st March, 1895.		Year ended 31st March, 1896.			Year ended 31st March, 1897.					
Intestates Wills, Trusts, Sinking	£ 1,604	s. d				d. 6				£ 1,341	s. 5	d. 3	£ 1,615	s. 7	d. 7	£ 1,494	s. 15	d. 9	£ 1,642	s. 6	d. 9
Funds, &c Real and Lunatics	1,967			1,849 503						1,871		4			1	1,555					0
Native Reserves West Coast Settlement	362 865		8	615		3	513 492				19 14	8			4	524 628			536		2
Reserves Miscellaneous	575 100		7	$\begin{array}{c} 587 \\ 192 \end{array}$		5 5	$\frac{743}{594}$					3	$1,264 \\ 2,340$			1,569 $1,909$			1,345 $1,939$		
Interest	5,475 3,595			5,470 4,308			5,912 6,177			7,327 7,369			9,066 10,163		6	7,682 7,560			8,124 6,376		6 2
Total income Total expenditure	9,071 8,469			9,779 11,751	8		12,090 14,001			14,696 $15,132$			19,229 17,289								

CAPITAL FUNDS of the Public Trust Office, and how Invested.

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	On 31st Dec., 1891.	On 31st Dec., 1892.	On 31st Dec., 1893.	On 31st March, 1895.	On 31st March, 1896.	On 31st March, 1897.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
The capital funds of the Public Trust Office amounted to	523,269	567,062	615,663	668,937	774,533	858 ,63 8
Of which the amount held in cash at the credit of the Public Trustee's Account was	17,920	15,961	21,326	12,101	16,960	16,664
Leaving a balance invested of	505,349	551,101	594,337	656,836	757,573	841,974
The investments consisted— Of those made by the Public Trustee out of						
the common fund, and amounting to Of those made for the Public Trustee for	252,279	408,231	406,220	358,296	492,788	588,483
estates, and amounting to Of those made by other trustees of properties	208,188	96,072	144,198	259,279	206,629	205,942
afterwards transferred to the office	44,882	46,798	43,919	39,261	58,156	47,549
	505,349	551,101	594,337	656,836	757,573	841,974
The capital funds invested were applied to investments—						
In Government securities of the colony, to the						
amount of	188,608	269,608	300,108	295,108	319,108	354,108
In local-body securities, to the amount of	2,067	2,067	2,067	1,839	1,839	1,839
In mortgage of real estate, to the amount of	253,070	276,393	[289,680]			482,206
In fixed deposits, to the amount of		1,449			1	•••
In companies, to the amount of	1,285	1,584	1,852	4,512	4,171	3,821
Total	505,349	551,101	594,337	656,836	757,573	841,974