

SESS. II.—1897.  
NEW ZEALAND.

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# CONSOLS ACCOUNT.

(RETURN FOR YEAR ENDED 31<sup>ST</sup> MARCH, 1897.)

*Presented to both Houses of the General Assembly in conformity with Clause 7 of "The New Zealand Consols Act, 1894."*

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RETURN for the FINANCIAL YEAR ended 31<sup>st</sup> March, 1897, in conformity with Clause 7 of  
"The New Zealand Consols Act, 1894."

Total amount of deposits received—

1 <sup>st</sup> April, 1896, to 31 <sup>st</sup> March, 1897	...	...	...	...	£136,015	0	0
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Particulars of investments made on security of debentures as under—

"The General Purposes Loan Act, 1870," 5 per cent. per annum	...	£28,000	0	0
"The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886," 3½ per cent. per annum	...	23,800	0	0
"The Lands Improvement and Native Lands Acquisition Act, 1894,"				
3½ per cent. per annum	...	45,000	0	0
"The Land for Settlements Act, 1894," 3½ per cent. per annum	...	29,300	0	0
"The District Railways Purchasing Act, 1885-86," 3½ per cent. per annum	...	35,000	0	0
Treasury bills, 3½ per cent. per annum	...	50,000	0	0

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£211,100 0 0\*

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\* This amount includes reinvestment of £75,000 which had fallen due during the year.

Wellington, 10<sup>th</sup> June, 1897.

JAS. B. HEYWOOD,  
Registrar New Zealand Inscribed Consols.

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