

RETURN of LICENSES granted by the COLONIAL SECRETARY under "The Gaming and Lotteries Act, 1881," &c.—*continued*.

City, &c., where License was exercised.	Name of Religious Denomination.	Number of Licenses granted.	Number of Days covered by License.
Masterton ...	Church of England ...	1	One day.
Meeanee ...	Roman Catholic ...	1	Not stated.
Miller's Flat ...	" ...	1	Not stated.
Mosguel ...	" ...	1	One day.
Naseby ...	Church of England ...	1	One day.
New Plymouth ...	Roman Catholic ...	2	One not stated; one for three days.
Okato ...	Church of England ...	1	One day.
Onehunga ...	Roman Catholic ...	1	Not stated.
Opunake ...	Church of England ...	1	Four days.
Orepuki ...	Roman Catholic ...	1	Not stated.
Otahuhu ...	" ...	1	Not stated.
Oxford ...	Church of England ...	1	One day.
Palmerston North ...	" ...	1	Two days.
Palmerston South ...	Roman Catholic ...	1	Not stated.
Ponsonby ...	" ...	1	Not stated.
Port Chalmers ...	Church of England ...	1	Not stated.
Pungarehu... ..	" ...	1	Two days.
Queenstown ...	Roman Catholic ...	1	Three days.
Reefton ...	" ...	1	Not stated.
Riverton ...	" ...	2	Not stated.
" ...	Church of England ...	1	Not stated.
Stratford ...	" ...	1	Two days.
Tarras ...	Presbyterian ...	1	One day.
Tauranga ...	Church of England ...	1	One day.
Te Aroha ...	" ...	1	Not stated.
Te Awamutu ...	" ...	1	One day.
Timaru ...	" ...	1	Not stated.
Upper Hutt ...	" ...	1	Two days.
Waipawa ...	Roman Catholic ...	1	One day.
Wellington... ..	Church of England ...	1	One day.
" ...	Roman Catholic ...	1	Not stated.
Winton ...	" ...	1	Not stated.
" ...	Church of England ...	1	One day.
Woodville ...	" ...	1	Two days.
" ...	Roman Catholic ...	1	Three days.

RETURN showing,—(1) The Number of Licenses granted to Racing Clubs to use the Totalisator; (2) the Aggregate Number of Days such Licenses extended over; (3) the Total Amount of Revenue the Government received for Permission to use the Totalisator during the Year ended the 31st March, 1898.

(1.) Number of licenses granted	155
(2.) Aggregate number of days covered by license	268
(3.) Total amount of revenue received	£13,297 10s. 6d.

HUGH POLLEN, Under-Secretary.

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