1898. NEW ZEALAND.

ADVANCES TO SETTLERS:

RETURN SHOWING IN DETAIL THE COST OF RAISING THE £1,500,000 ADVANCES TO SETTLERS LOAN.

Return to an Order of the House of Representatives dated the 11th August, 1898.

Ordered, "That there be laid before this House a return showing the details of the cost of raising the £1,500,000 Advances to Settlers Loan, the return to furnish the names of all persons who received payments by way of commission, brokerage, &c., with particulars and amount of same."—(Hon. J. G. Ward.)

RETURN SHOWING IN DETAIL THE	Cost	OF	RAISING	THE .	£1,500,	,000) Advan	CES	\mathbf{TO}	SETTLERS	Lo	IN.
Discount— At rates varying from £5 12s.	to £3	per	cent.		.,	••	£ 83,398		d. 0	£	8.	đ.
On instalments paid in anticip	oation		•••	•••	•	• •	548	. 8	8	00.045	_	^
Commission—									_	83,947	6	8
Bank of England, ½ per cent.						••	7,500	0	0			
Bankers and brokers, $\frac{1}{4}$ per ce	nt.		•••	•••	• •		3,732	0	0			
Stamp duty, Imperial Government										$11,232 \\ 9,375$	0	0
Advertising and Printing—			•••		•	•	•••			9,010	U	U
Paid by Bank of England	• • •		•••				639	-	2			
British Australasian Street and Co	•••		•••	•••		٠.	44 103	0	0			
Iake and Sisson						· •			Ö			
									_	798	9	2
Cablegrams to and from London Miscellaneous—	•••		•••	•••		••				351	5	8
Stamps on scrip, postage, &c.,	paid	bv F	Bank of	Engla	and		21	12	10			
Postage paid by Agent-Genera	1						35		0			
Solicitors' fees—Mackrell, Ma				т тт			80	5	6			
Clerical assistance—H. V. And bell, £10	son, æ	540 C	s. 1a.;	э. п.	. Camp)	55	8	7			
, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,			•••			••				193	5	11
										£105,897	7	5

JAMES B. HEYWOOD,

Secretary to the Treasury.

ROBERT J. COLLINS,

Accountant to the Treasury.

The Treasury, 24th August, 1898.

Approximate Cost of Paper.-Preparation, not given; printing (1,360 copies), 19s. 6d.

By Authority: John Mackay, Government Printer, Wellington.-1898.

Price, 3d.]