PUBLIC ACCOUNTS, 1899-1900.

STATEMENT of the UNAUTHORISED EXPENDITURE of the CONSOLIDATED FUND for the FINANCIAL YEAR ended 31st March, 1900.

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Consolidated Fund.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
FOR SERVICES NOT PROVIDED FOR.			
ORDINARY REVENUE ACCOUNT:-			
Colonial Secretary's Department:—			
Expenses incurred in procuring and shipping fourteen moose from Canada to New Zealand	. ••	1,494 16 6	
Treasury Department:— Refund to the Public Trustee of expenses incurred in administering "The Unclaimed Lands Act, 1894"	••	25 16 4	
Land. and Income-tax Department:— Subsidy on separate rates to the Lincoln Road Board, not being general rates within the meaning of "The Local Bodies' Finance and Powers Act, 1885''		85 10 5	
Justice Department:—			
Refund of part of fine of £5, imposed under "The Printers and Newspapers Registration Act, 1868"	4 0 0		
Refund of part of fine of £5, inflicted for breach of by-law of Petone Borough	4 0 0		
Industries and Commerce :—		8 0 0	
Charges and expenses in connection with charter of s.s. "Undaunted," for initiating trade with South Africa £5,088 0 9			
Less freights recovered 2,115 10 9	2,972 10 0		
Charges and expenses in connection with shipment of produce to South Africa	700 14 3		
Prisons Department:—		3,673 4 3	
Compensation for loss of office to G. S. Reston, late Gaoler, Auckland Prison	• •	400 0 0	
Post and Telegraph Department:— Donation to Waitekauri Fire-brigade towards cost of plant	••	1 0 0	
Customs Department:— Refund of Customs duty on stained-glass window in memory of late Bishop Harper	••	8 4 0	
Stamp Department:— Refund of two fines of £5 each imposed for technical	10 0 0		
breach of Stamp Act Fines remitted in prosecutions under "The Stamp Act, 1882"	92 0 0		
Education Department:—		102 0 0	
Grant in aid of District High Schools,— Hokitika	100 0 0 100 0 0		
Kumara	100 0 0	200 0 0	
Lunacy Department:— Subsidy to the North of Auckland Hospital and Charitable Aid Board, being a special allowance	• •	114 8 11	
Railway Department:— Compassionate allowance to Mrs. Arnott, on death of	No. or a		
husband, J. G. Arnott, carpenter, Greymouth Compassionate allowance to Mrs. Elwin, on death of her	50 0 0		
husband, W. Elwin, porter, Auckland Compassionate allowance granted to W. Dowrick, in	50 0 0		
compassionate anowance granted to W. Downski, in consideration of accident sustained Further compassionate allowance granted to Mrs. Gil-	20 0 0	·	
christ, on death of her husband, Robert Gilchrist, platelayer, Waitati	25 0 0	,	
Mines Department:— Sundry maps, plans, &c., done by Survey Department		145 0 0 3,966 2 3	
Defence Department:—			
Compensation to Major J. Coleman, Wellington, on retirement from service	473 13 7		
Compensation to Captain J. Grant, Auckland, on retire-	265 12 5	*	
ment from service Deposit for passages to England of Mrs. and Miss Penton,	,		
wife and daughter of Commander of Forces	60 0 0	799 6 0	