

B.—RETURN of FEES received under the LAND TRANSFER ACT for the Twelve Months ended the 31st March, 1900.

| District. | General Fees. | | | Assurance Fees. | | | Total. | | |
|----------------------------------|---------------|----|----|-----------------|----|----|--------|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| Auckland ... | 3,665 | 5 | 7 | 221 | 19 | 8 | 3,887 | 5 | 3 |
| Taranaki ... | 2,167 | 1 | 7 | 53 | 1 | 7 | 2,220 | 3 | 2 |
| Wellington ... | 6,360 | 6 | 1 | 404 | 9 | 11 | 6,764 | 16 | 0 |
| Hawke's Bay ... | 1,136 | 6 | 8 | 56 | 14 | 8 | 1,193 | 1 | 4 |
| Poverty Bay ... | 839 | 9 | 8 | 28 | 18 | 0 | 868 | 7 | 8 |
| Nelson ... | 602 | 0 | 6 | 32 | 12 | 1 | 634 | 12 | 7 |
| Marlborough ... | 248 | 11 | 0 | 38 | 2 | 0 | 286 | 13 | 0 |
| Canterbury ... | 5,848 | 10 | 11 | 464 | 17 | 3 | 6,313 | 8 | 2 |
| Otago ... | 2,364 | 2 | 5 | 170 | 13 | 1 | 2,534 | 15 | 6 |
| Southland ... | 1,729 | 9 | 6 | 11 | 18 | 6 | 1,741 | 8 | 0 |
| Westland ... | 242 | 11 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 6 | 244 | 13 | 6 |
| Totals ... | *25,203 | 14 | 11 | 1,485 | 9 | 3 | 26,689 | 4 | 2 |
| Corresponding period, 1898-99... | †23,625 | 8 | 5 | 1,248 | 12 | 9 | 24,874 | 1 | 2 |

NOTE.—Includes Crown grants and district agency fees: * £222 4s.; † £364 1s. 10d.

C.—RETURN showing the TOTAL AMOUNT of MONEY remaining secured by MORTGAGE under the LAND TRANSFER ACT on the 31st March, 1900.

| District. | Amount remaining secured by Mortgage on 31st March, 1899. | | | Amount secured by Mortgage during the Year ended 31st March, 1900. | | | Amount of Mortgages paid off during the same Period. | | | Amount remaining secured by Mortgage on 31st March, 1900. | | |
|-------------------------------|---|----|----|--|----|----|--|----|----|---|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| Auckland ... | 3,260,687 | 11 | 2 | 482,663 | 5 | 2 | 604,223 | 4 | 2 | 3,139,127 | 12 | 2 |
| Taranaki ... | 1,922,559 | 5 | 8 | 593,352 | 1 | 11 | 310,213 | 6 | 2 | 2,205,698 | 1 | 5 |
| Wellington ... | 7,655,762 | 12 | 6 | 2,693,584 | 0 | 0 | 998,703 | 0 | 0 | 9,350,643 | 12 | 6 |
| Hawke's Bay ... | 4,336,365 | 9 | 2 | 501,585 | 17 | 9 | 544,152 | 0 | 0 | 4,293,799 | 6 | 11 |
| Poverty Bay ... | 234,914 | 15 | 8 | 221,103 | 8 | 8 | 40,056 | 0 | 0 | 415,962 | 4 | 4 |
| Nelson ... | 969,896 | 7 | 7 | 110,696 | 10 | 2 | 73,304 | 17 | 5 | 1,007,288 | 0 | 4 |
| Marlborough ... | 249,149 | 11 | 7 | 58,380 | 18 | 10 | 39,334 | 4 | 6 | 268,196 | 5 | 11 |
| Canterbury ... | 7,947,642 | 8 | 0 | 1,511,084 | 0 | 0 | 1,431,949 | 0 | 0 | 8,026,777 | 8 | 0 |
| Otago ... | 2,943,478 | 0 | 0 | 401,226 | 0 | 0 | 351,866 | 0 | 0 | 2,992,838 | 0 | 0 |
| Southland ... | 3,429,761 | 2 | 10 | 340,000 | 2 | 11 | 261,849 | 2 | 1 | 3,507,912 | 3 | 8 |
| Westland ... | 85,119 | 19 | 10 | 18,631 | 1 | 11 | 8,266 | 0 | 0 | 95,485 | 1 | 9 |
| Totals ... | 33,035,337 | 4 | 0 | 6,932,307 | 7 | 4 | 4,663,916 | 14 | 4 | 35,303,727 | 17 | 0 |
| Corresponding period, 1898-99 | 32,152,388 | 0 | 7 | 5,126,707 | 5 | 7 | 4,087,240 | 5 | 0 | 33,035,337 | 4 | 0 |

D.—RETURN showing ARREARS in the LAND TRANSFER DEPARTMENT on the 31st March, 1900.

| District. | Applications awaiting Compliance with Requisitions. | Applications detained for Examination in the Survey Office. | Applications (other than those already mentioned) received during the Month and not yet passed. | Unregistered Instruments awaiting Compliance with Requisitions. | Unregistered Instruments detained in the Survey Office. | Certificates of Title due but not issued. | Applications received previous to Current Month not yet passed. |
|-----------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Auckland ... | 42 | 21 | 7 | 3 | 5 | 15 | ... |
| Taranaki ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Wellington ... | 39 | 3 | ... | 84 | 8 | 137 | ... |
| Hawke's Bay ... | 9 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 4 | ... |
| Poverty Bay ... | 6 | ... | ... | 7 | ... | 1 | ... |
| Nelson ... | 5 | ... | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | ... |
| Marlborough ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Canterbury ... | 26 | 2 | ... | 40 | 1 | 119 | ... |
| Otago ... | 15 | ... | 4 | 11 | 4 | 17 | 1 |
| Southland ... | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | 2 | ... |
| Westland ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 61 | ... | ... |
| Totals ... | 143 | 26 | 14 | 146 | 80 | 296 | 1 |

Other Instruments unrecorded.

| | Transfers. | | | Mortgages. | | | Miscellaneous. | | |
|---------------|------------|----|----|------------|-----|----|----------------|----|----|
| Wellington .. | .. | .. | .. | 198 | 170 | 66 | .. | .. | .. |
| Canterbury .. | .. | .. | .. | 92 | 24 | 27 | .. | .. | .. |
| Otago .. | .. | .. | .. | 12 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. |