

1902.
NEW ZEALAND.

MORTGAGES REGISTERED IN THE COLONY
(PARTICULARS OF) DURING 1901-1902.

Return to an Order of the House of Representatives dated 8th July, 1902.

Ordered, "That there be laid before this House a return of the mortgages registered in the colony from the 31st March, 1901, to the 31st March, 1902, being a continuation of H.—45 of last session, and including like particulars."—Major STEWARD.

RETURN showing the Number and Total Amount of Mortgages for sums—(1) Not exceeding £500, (2) between £500 and £1,000, (3) between £1,000 and £5,000, and (4) over £5,000, registered from 31st March, 1901, to 31st March, 1902.

District.	Not exceeding £500.		Between £500 and £1,000.		Between £1,000 and £5,000.		Over £5,000.	
	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.
		£		£		£		£
Auckland ..	1,700	344,667	216	152,757	83	161,992	8	109,240
Poverty Bay ..	197	37,833	30	23,146	35	90,870	9	102,800
Hawke's Bay ..	503	94,521	64	61,976	82	188,902	36	440,888
Taranaki ..	907	197,943	201	152,322	184	365,153	17	150,898
Wellington ..	2,546	571,771	494	374,534	395	803,847	35	292,790
Marlborough ..	172	27,961	28	22,450	20	39,000	6	153,455
Nelson ..	345	64,891	35	25,513	23	36,900	2	17,800
Westland ..	92	15,741	4	2,659	8	18,550
Canterbury ..	2,219	430,044	296	219,993	309	668,120	42	613,848
Otago ..	1,158	236,662	162	120,011	83	157,362	5	147,000
Southland ..	621	125,646	119	87,576	103	191,713	4	120,273
Totals ..	10,460	2,147,680	1,649	1,242,937	1,325	2,717,309	164	2,148,987

RETURN showing the Number and Amount of Mortgages paid off in each District, from 31st March, 1901, to 31st March, 1902.

District	Number of Mortgages.	Amount.
		£
Auckland ..	1,847	596,475
Poverty Bay ..	207	184,839
Hawke's Bay ..	588	688,165
Taranaki ..	936	452,948
Wellington ..	2,589	1,411,388
Marlborough ..	221	156,143
Nelson ..	315	87,927
Westland ..	53	22,033
Canterbury ..	2,269	1,651,569
Otago ..	1,048	409,536
Southland ..	592	263,345
Totals ..	10,665	£5,924,368