## 1905. NEW ZEALAND.

## MORTGAGES REGISTERED AND DISCHARGED

(RETURN OF) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH, 1904.

Return to an Order of the House of Representatives dated the 18th August, 1904.

Ordered, "That there be laid before this House a return of the mortgages for the year ended the 31st March, 1904, in the form and in continuation of H.-21, 1903."—(Hon. Sir W. J. Steward.)

Return showing Number and Total Amount of Mortgages registered from the 1st April, 1903, to the 31st March, 1904, for sums as under.

	£500 aı	nd Under.	£501 to £1,000.		£1,001	to £5,000.	Over £5,000.	
District.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.
		£		£		£		£
Auckland	 2,378	522,701	303	217,987	162	297,261	9	110,440
Poverty Bay	 214	48,242	36	26,902	32	72,165	11	113,000
Hawke's Bay	 626	133,067	117	81,551	101	214,146	47	463,88
Taranaki	 1,004	229,905	265	206,203	217	411,775	12	109,000
Wellington	 3,092	728,834	713	524,613	531	1,099,457	102	529,420
Nelson	 424	82,233	75	53,355	26	54,140		
Marlborough	 120	21,835	18	13,250	18	35,188	3	34,78
Canterbury	 2,473	553,531	412	297,534	391	894,273	59	498,019
Otago	 1,357	307,103	178	133,666	91	167,643	8	99,90
Southland	 761	145,369	115	99,546	78	149,661	5	34,97
Westland	 108	21,441	11	8,010	7	12,510		••
Totals	 12,557	2,794,261	2.243	1,662,617	1,654	3,408,219	256	1,993,42

RETURN showing Number and Amount of Mortgages released in each District from the 1st April, 1903, to the 31st March, 1904.

I	istrict.			Number.	Amount.
					£
Auckland				2,369	732,379
Poverty Bay				269	290,559
Hawke's Bay				857	639,406
Taranaki				1,136	622,050
Wellington				3,210	1,790,330
Marlborough				140	81,635
Nelson				<b>14</b> 8	131,977
Canterbury				2,976	1,933,260
Otago	• •			1,333	597,554
Southland				723	327,593
Westland	• •	• •		102	24,375
Totals				13,563	7,171,118

RETURN showing the Number and Amount of Mortgages registered from the 1st April, 1903, to the 31st March, 1904, and the different Rates of Interest at which the Money was advanced.

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Poverty Bay	:	:	_	260,309	:	:	:	:	· - :	-	:	:	85,100	:	:	:	64,005	4.3		7,394	:
Hawke's Bay	:	:		892,649	:	:	.:	2,000	•		3,800	:	214,225	6,500	21,050	:	183,667	_	_	66,592	800
Taranaki	:	1,		956,883	:	:		:	Э	9,500	1,710	:	119,765	:	:	:	164,410			5,126	:
Wellington	:	4,		2,882,330	:	320	220   1	1,740	:		3,200	:	652,317	:	33,950	:	761,828			320,475	:
Nelson	:	:		189,728	:	:	:	200	:		1,525	:	9,550	:	2,300	:	109,852			9,070	:
Marlborough	:	:		105,055	:		:	:		_	1,150	:	46,984	:	:					4,207	:
Canterbury	:	თ. :	3,335 2	2,243,350	:	1,205	150		2,360	-	16,491	:	863,937	:	32,945	98				103,092	:
Otago	:			708,320	:	312	:	800	: :	3,330		:	105,686	:	13,000					3,975	:
Southland	:			429,550	:	100	:	100	:		_	, 500	67,269	:	4,043	:	220,826			7,580	;
Westland	:	:	971	41,961	:	:	:	:	:	•	:	:	:	:	:	:	2,900	:		:	:
Totals	:	16,	16,710	9,858,524	250	1,967	440 5	5,690 2,	2,360 16,	16,130 61	61,904 2	2,200	2,269,319	6,500	129,767	800	3,217,494	40,762	<u> </u>	679,361	800
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Hawke's Bay	:	54	1,100	19		11,125	1,250	6,044		:	80	:	2,090		:	:	:	: - :	:	5	8,638
Paranaki	:	132	4,904			61,442	5,601	39,575	1,688	:	3,369	:	11,547	92	99	:	: 1	:	:	26	7,273
Nellington	:		674		22,149	7,096	1,125	7 859		:	3,711	_	15,073	 :	150	:	3,159	:  :	:	ĝ	0,113
Mariborough	: :		408			4,060	2,1	2,635		:	86		207	:		:	 Pe	:  :	:	_	401
Canterbury	::		189,191	80 32	32,368	41,104	888	10,011	85	:	2,866	8	11,952	: :	435	: :	9,210	: :	45	16	0,000
Otago	:	69	, 929	:		30,696	1,275	12,516		:	20		4,523	-:	:	:	:	· -	:	12	9,466
Southland	:		3,505	:		699,6	135	23,650		:	28	95	1,023		:	:		: 	:	4	8,022
Westland	:	:	5,270	:	:	11,250	200	8,036	1,000	:	150	:	1,500	150 1,	1,400	009	200	:  :	:		8,705
Totals	:	957	957,845	780 120	120,770 2	277,304	16,629	175,479	16,348	250	12,281	375	53,418	250 2,5	2,260 905	009	7,399	20 30	210	<u> </u>	1,779,597
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