

1905.
NEW ZEALAND.

LEGAL EXPENSES PAID TO STAMP DEPARTMENT,

WITH AMOUNTS INVOLVED AND CASES LOST AND WON, 1904–5.

Return to an Order of the House of Representatives dated the 3rd October, 1905.

Ordered, "That there be laid before this House a return showing the details of £897 expenditure, under the heading, 'Legal expenses,' page 61, Estimates, Class XIII.; the return to show the names of persons to whom payments were made, the cases lost and won, and the amounts involved."—(Mr. J. ALLEN.)

STAMP DEPARTMENT.—RETURN showing DETAILS of EXPENDITURE under the Head "Legal Expenses" for the Year ended 31st March, 1905.

Case.	Name of Solicitors for and against Department.	Costs.	Amount of Duty involved.	Lost or Won.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Edmondson, deceased ...	Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers ...	25 4 0	553 13 2	Lost.
	Travers, Russell, and Campbell	12 3 0		
McLean, deceased ...	J. F. M. Fraser ...	7 7 0	355 0 0	Lost.
	Newton and Borton ...	12 5 0		
Dolbel, deceased ...	Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers ...	36 15 0	1,267 3 7	Lost.
	Cotterill and Humphries ...	65 7 6		
Carter and Carter ...	Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers ...	50 2 11	138 17 3	Lost.
	Young and Tripe ...	17 2 0		
Jackson ...	J. A. Tole ...	2 2 0	2 0 0	Won.
Hopkins ...	T. W. Stringer ...	6 6 0	per annum 2 0 0	Won.
Rhodes and Murray ...	Gilkison and Hutton ...	11 11 0	per annum 4 0 0	Won.
Electric Construction Company (Limited)	Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers ...	7 11 6	per annum 200 0 0	Won.
New Zealand Farmers' Distribution Company (Ltd.)	Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers ...	10 10 0	per annum 25 0 0	Won.
Flanagan ...	J. Park ...	1 1 0	Breach of Act	Lost.
Douglas ...	Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers ...	15 15 0	105 15 0	Won.
Douglas (appeal) ...	Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers ...	36 0 6	105 15 0	Lost.
	Cotterill and Humphries ...	15 15 0		
Pharazyn ...	Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers ...	11 0 6	183 15 0	Won.
Godfrey ...	Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers ...	17 5 0	200 12 6	Won.
Pharazyn, deceased ...	W. J. Napier ...	61 6 9	861 14 4	Won.
	Gray and Jackson ...	43 15 2		
Williams ...	Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers ...	136 10 4	2,419 17 9	Won.
	Skerrett, Wylie, and Weston	75 15 0		
	Cotterill and Humphries ...	101 0 0		
Cowlishaw, deceased ...	W. J. Napier ...	93 14 4	238 6 5	Won.
	W. B. and F. Cowlishaw ...	12 17 0		
Jillett, deceased ...	Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers ...	11 15 0	240 16 6	Lost.
	Total ...	897 17 6	6,904 6 6	

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