

SESSION II.

1906.

NEW ZEALAND.

GOVERNMENT ADVERTISING AND PRINTING

(AMOUNTS PAID FOR) DURING 1904-5.

Return to an Order of the House of Representatives dated the 11th July, 1905.

Ordered, "That there be laid before this House a return showing—(1) The amounts paid to each newspaper in the colony for Government advertisements, separately, for each of the years ending the 31st March, 1904 and 1905; (2) the amounts similarly paid for Government printing, stating to whom paid; and (3) the amounts expended for advertising New Zealand scenery (a) in the colony and (b) outside of the colony, stating to whom paid."—(Mr. BUCHANAN.)

RETURN of AMOUNTS paid for Advertising and Printing for the Year ended 31st March, 1905.

[For return for year ended 31st March, 1904, *vide* H.-26, 1905.]

Name of Newspaper.	Amount paid for Advertising.	Amount paid for Printing.	Amount paid for Advertising New Zealand Scenery.		Total Amount paid.
			In the Colony.	Outside the Colony.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Akaroa Mail; Akaroa ..	17 15 6	..	..	..	17 15 6
Alexandra Herald; Alexandra South	11 14 0	..	..	..	11 14 0
Ashburton Daily News; Ashbur- ton	79 15 3	..	..	..	79 15 3
Ashburton Guardian; Ashburton	74 9 3	..	..	..	74 9 3
Ashburton Mail; Ashburton ..	81 17 9	..	..	..	81 17 9
Auckland Star; Auckland ..	367 9 6	239 1 6	..	..	606 11 0
Auckland Weekly News; Auckland	181 19 5	53 0 6	25 0 0	..	259 19 11
Australasian; Melbourne ..	..	..	..	21 19 6	21 19 6
Bay of Plenty Times; Tauranga	23 13 0	32 17 6	..	..	56 10 6
Bruce Herald; Milton ..	42 6 6	..	..	..	42 6 6
Budget and Taranaki Weekly Herald; New Plymouth	36 14 2	1 17 6	..	..	38 11 8
Buller Miner; Westport ..	0 12 0	..	..	..	0 12 0
Buller Post; Murchison ..	0 16 6	..	..	..	0 16 6
Canterbury Times; Christchurch	73 19 5	7 15 0	25 0 0	..	106 14 5
Charleston Herald; Charleston ..	10 0 0	..	..	..	10 0 0
Cheviot News; Cheviot ..	20 1 6	..	..	..	20 1 6
Clutha Leader; Balclutha ..	54 15 6	..	..	..	54 15 6
Colonist; Nelson ..	82 10 3	3 3 0	..	..	85 13 3
Coromandel County News; Coro- mandel	5 14 0	..	..	..	5 14 0
Critic; Adelaide ..	..	..	..	10 0 0	10 0 0
Cromwell Argus; Cromwell ..	23 7 9	..	..	..	23 7 9
Daily News; New Plymouth ..	100 5 7	1 11 0	..	..	101 16 7
Daily Telegraph; Napier ..	140 1 2	1 12 0	5 0 0	..	146 13 2
Daily Telegraph; Sydney ..	3 12 0	..	..	..	3 12 0
Dannevirke Advocate; Dannevirke.	114 19 3	..	..	..	114 19 3
Dannevirke Daily Press; Danne- virke	56 12 0	..	..	..	56 12 0
Dominican Star; Dunedin ..	5 0 0	..	5 0 0	..	10 0 0
Dunstan Times; Clyde ..	17 4 9	..	..	..	17 4 9
Egmont Post; Stratford ..	7 7 0	..	..	..	7 7 0