## 1907. NEW ZEALAND.

## HARBOUR BOARDS

(MONEYS LENT TO) BY GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS.

Return to an Order of the House of Representatives, dated the 4th September, 1907.

Ordered, "That there be laid before this House a return showing the amount of money lent to the different Harbour Boards in the colony by the Government, showing in detail amount lent, name of Department lending, rate of interest, amount of interest in arrears (ff any) on the 31st March, 1907, with the name of Board in arrears and amount of arrears."—(Mr. OKEY.)

RETURN showing the Amount of Money lent by the Government to the different Harbour Boards within the Dominion as on the 31st March, 1907, compiled from Returns rendered.

Name of Lending Department.			Name of Harbour Board.		Rate of Interest per Cent.	Amount of Loan.	Interest in Arrears.	
Government I	nsurance I	Department		Wellington		44	39,000	£
Post Office	• • •	•••	• • •	Greymouth	• • • •	4	155,000	4.000
"	•••	• • •	• • •	Hokitika	• • • •	5	10,000	4,050*
. "		•••	• • •	Oamaru		$5\frac{1}{2}$	31,000	•••
"	•			Patea		41/2	26,870	
"		•••		Thames		4	10,000	• • •
				Wellington		41	28,900	
,,	•••			Westport		4	489,500	
Public Trust O				Bluff		41/2	10,400†	
Sinking Fund Commissioners			Waitara	:::	61	14.031	<u>\$</u>	
<b>G = 1</b>						- +	814,701	4,050

<sup>\*</sup> Since paid.

The Treasury, 4th November, 1907.

R. J. Collins. Secretary to the Treasury.

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<sup>†</sup> Lent out of moneys held on account of the Bluff Harbour Board Sinking Fund.

‡ And 1 per cent. sinking fund.

§ No interest paid since June, 1894. These bonds were handed over to the Treasury as part of the accrued sinking fund of the New Zealand Loan, 1860, but have never been met.