

RETURN showing the Number and Amount of MORTGAGES REGISTERED from the 1st April, 1908, to the 31st March, 1909, and the different Rates of Interest at which such Money was advanced.

District.	Number.	Amount.	1	1½	2	2½	3	3½	3¾	4	4½	4¾	5	5½	5¾	5½	6
Auckland	5,120	2,479,468	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Poverty Bay	568	794,085	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hawke's Bay	1,301	1,445,736	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Taranaki	2,083	1,414,869	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wellington	6,682	5,404,870	405	1,500	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nelson	860	371,078	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Marlborough	396	301,549	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Canterbury	4,412	3,469,054	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Otago	2,247	1,363,197	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Southland	1,333	767,812	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Westland	236	77,857	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals	25,208	17,889,525	405	1,500	3,000	50	7,539	150	3,383	84,094	2,000	1,492,136	5,307,438	2,410	2,730	2,812,729	3,124,815

Amount.	6¼	6½	6¾	6¾	6¾	7	7½	7½	8	8¼	8½	8½	9	10	12	12½	15	17½	20	22½	Unspecified.
Auckland	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Poverty Bay	430	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hawke's Bay	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Taranaki	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wellington	4,170	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nelson	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Marlborough	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Canterbury	2,850	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Otago	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Southland	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Westland	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals	8,200	1,500	369,195	200	275	530	667,160	70,684	85	510,848	900	3,505	38,426	149,325	3,115	3,006	2,203	100	1,435	120	2,941,572

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