1915.
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Loss,
AND
B.—Profit

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Dividend at the rate of 4 per cent. on £500,000 "A" preference	rence	Ð 3.	ro Se	Balance, 31st March, 1914	ਰ ਲ :	. s. d.	£ s. d. 291,608 8 10
States issued to the New Leaking Coverment in terms of the Bank of New Zealand Act 1908 Distinct of the rate of 6 har cant on \$600 000 ordinary share	share	20,000 0		er w			
Capital capital capital capital capital capital Amount transferred to Reserve Fund		30,000 0 0 15,000 0 0 175,000 0 0					
Balance carried down	:	:	- 240,000 0 0 51,608 8 10	naka TA			
	•		£291,608 8 10			63	£291,608 8 10
Twelve months' interest on guaranteed stock Amount written off bank premises and furniture	::	::	26,680 15 4 50,000 0 0	<u> </u>	 :	:	51.608 8 10
Interim dividend paid 12th December, 1914— 6 per cent. on "A" preference shares, £500,000 6 per cent. on "B" preference shares, £250,000 6 per cent. ordinary shares	:::	30,000 0 0 15,000 0 0 55,699 19 6					
Balance, being net profit for year Amount brought forward from last year	::	319,486 1 5 51,608 8 10	0 61 669 10 -	Stan Less Salaries and allowances at Head Office and 213		755, 239 1 <b>5</b> 0	
Less interim dividend paid, as above	;	371,094 10 3 100,699 19 6	- 270,394 10 9	branches and agencies  Directors' remuneration, including London Board General expenses, including rent, stationery, telegrams, postages, travelling, repairs to	4,172 5 2	•	
				premises, &c	66,722 0 7 2,309 8 6 74,548 11 10	·	
•	ě				359	359,072 18 3	396,166 16 9
			£447,775 5 7			75	8447,775 5 7
			RESERVE	VB FUND.			!
Balance	:	:	2,000,000 0 0	d. Balance, per last statement Premium on new shares issued, less expenses of issue Amount to be added from profits for year ended 31st March, 1915	 March, 1915	 	£ s. d. 1,550,000 0 0 365,536 7 2 84,463 12 10
			£2,000,000 0 0			62,0	22,000,000 0 0
			CER	CERTIFICATES.			

2. That I am also satisfied that the said balance-sheet is a full and fair balance-sheet, properly drawn up, and exhibits a true and correct view of the state of the bank's affairs at the date thereof.

3. That I have verified so much of the cash, investments, securities, and assets of the bank as at the date of the said balance-sheet were held at the Head Office in Wellington, and have had I, Burnet Murray Litchfield, the Chief Auditor of the Bank of New Zealand, do hereby certify,—
1. That, having carefully examined the foregoing balance-sheet (marked "A") and statements,
I am satisfied that they have been correctly compiled from the books and accounts of the bank. access to certified returns of so much thereof as were then held at the various branches and agencies of the bank or were then in transit.

W. Callender, General Manager. A. McLennan, Accountant.

We hereby certify that, having carefully examined the foregoing balance-sheet (marked "A") and statements, we are satisfied that they have been correctly compiled from the books and accounts of the bank, and that the balance-sheet is a full and fair balance-sheet, properly drawn up, and exhibits a true and correct view of the state of the bank's affairs at the date

Dated this 1st day of June, 1915.

thereof.

B. M. LITCHFIELD, Chief Auditor.

Dated this 2nd day of June, 1915.