1916. NEW ZEALAND.

EDUCATION RESERVES.

AREA OF LAND SET APART FOR SECONDARY AND UNIVERSITY EDUCATION IN OTAGO AND SOUTHLAND, AND PARTICULARS RELATIVE TO SAME.

Return to an Order of the House of Representatives dated the 8th September, 1915.

Ordered, "That there be laid before this House a return showing—(1) The area of land set apart for higher education in Otago and Southland; (2) the area of land so reserved intended (a) for the endowment of individual schools and universities, and (b) for higher education generally in Otago and Southland; (3) the area of this reserved land apportioned to (and when so apportioned) (a) the Duneden Boys' and Girls' High Schools, (b) the Southland (Invercargill) Boys' and Girls' High Schools, (c) the Waitaki (Oamaru) Boys' and Girls' High Schools, and (d) the area (if any) remaining; (4) the basis on which the reserved land was apportioned to each of these schools; and (5) the purpose to which the revenue derived from the remaining area (if any) is devoted."—(Mr. Anderson.)

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1	. Area of land set a Southland	part for sec	ondary 	and unive	rsity ed	ucation in	1 Otag		335,818 acres.
2	. (a.) Area set apart Distributed :			tutions				Acres.	333,139 acres
	Otago T	Juiversity Tigh Schools						222,746 87,567	
	Waitaki	High Schoo	ls	•••		•••		2,27	2
		nd Áigh Sch igh School		•••			• • • •	20 ,5 5	ł
		Total						333,139	-)
	(b.) Area of educat					•		•	0 670
	rental, £967)	• • •	•••		•••			2,679 acres.
3. The basis on which the land was apportioned to the three High School Boards is not now known, the matter being entirely in the hands of the School Commissioners who made the apportionment.									
4.	. The rental of the remaining lands is distributed among the High School Boards of the districts in proportion to the attendance at the various high schools.								
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