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EAST COAST NATIVE TRUST LANDS.

BALANCE-SHEET AND STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS FOR THE PERIOD 1st JULY, 1930, TO 30th JUNE, 1931.

Presented to both Houses of the General Assembly in pursuance of Section 13 of the East Coast Native Trust Lands Act, 1902.

EAST COAST NATIVE TRUSTS LAND.—ACCOUNTS AS AT 30th JUNE, 1931.

BALANCE-SHEET AS AT 30TH JUNE, 1931.

Liabilities.		Assets.	
Public Trustee— £ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Mortgages 73,880 12 6		Freehold lands	365,413 15 4
Interest accrued 1,340 4 11		Unpaid purchase-money on sale of freehold	$4.836\ 15\ 0$
	75,220 17 5	Interest accrued on value of fencing Marae-	
Bank of Australasia—		taha 2, Sections 3 and 6	5 6 6
Current Account 26,906 16 7		Mangatu No. 1	20,289 17 7
Interest accrued 399 19 9		Produce unrealized	8,213 2 5
	$27.306\ 16\ 4$	Live-stock on stations	46,136 7 0
Tairawhiti District Maori	.,	Advances to Natives on account rent.	, ,
Land Board		farm profits, &c	6,064 10 9
Current Account 10,517 1 9		Sundry debtors on open ac- £ s. d.	0,001 10 0
Interest accrued 101 7 2		count 2,697 7 4	
	10,618 8 11	Rent due and accrued 7,046 1 11	
Rates accrued	1,860 6 10	7,010	9.743 9 3
Sundry creditors on open account	644 9 8	Advances to blocks on	0,110 0 0
Amount due to Natives on account rent,	011 0 0	account rent, &c	$739 \ 2 \ I$
purchase-money, &c	531 0 10	Investments—	.00 2 1
Rent due and accrued	7.046 1 11	Gisborne Sheep-farmers'	
Amount at credit of blocks on account	1,040 1 11	Frozen Meat and Mer-	
purchase-money, &c	10,638 6 7	cantile Co., Ltd., shares 1,458 0 0	
Bad Debt Reserve	8,979 7 10	Wairoa Farmers' Co-	
75.1	323,508 18 2	operative Co., Ltd 1,125 0 0	
Balance	949,000 IO ±	Williams and Kettle, Ltd. 262 10 0	
		Williams and Rebute, Ltd. 202 10 0	$2,845 \stackrel{.}{10} 0$
		Office furniture and fittings	80 0 0
		m 11: 1	100 0 0
		Afforestation Account 530 18 5	250 0 2
		Dairy live-stock 1,106 0 0	1 696 10 7
			1,636 18 5
-	£466,354 14 6	•	466,354 14 6
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AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE.

I have audited the accounts of the East Coast Native Trust lands for the year ended 30th June, 1931, and my report on the audit of the accounts is contained in my letter of even date to the Hon. the Minister of Native Affairs.

Wellington, N.Z., 27th October, 1931.

D. R. Menzies, Chartered Accountant (Aust.), Auditor.