A STATEMENT of the Profit and Loss of the Post Office Account (Savings Banks) for the Year ended 31st December, 1879. Also List of Securities, &c., held by the Postmaster-General on account of the Post Office Savings Bank Fund.

PROFIT and Loss Account for the Year ended 31st December, 1879.

| Balance forward, being the profit for the year, 1878 | £ 2.747 | | d. 3 | Paid for expenses of management Credited to depostors for interest to 31st | £ 3,000 | | d. 0 |
|---|------------|----|---------|---|----------------|----|---------|
| Interest received from investments, &c Interest accrued, but not received at end | 30,842 | 5 | Ō | December Balance— | 31 ,715 | 18 | 2 |
| of year | 8,108 | 17 | 4 | Profit for 1878 £2,747 11 3 ,, for 1879 4,235 4 2 | 2.000 | | _ |
| | | | | , | 6,982 | 19 | 5 |
| Total | 41,698 | 13 | 7 | Total | 41,698 | 13 | 7 |

Securities, &c., standing in the Name of the Postmaster-General on Account of the Post Office Savings Bank Fund.

| Description of Securities, &c. | | | | | | Nominal Value. | | | Value at Cost Price. | | | Interest and Dividends accrued, but not received, at end of the Year. | | |
|--|-------------------|-----|---|---|---------|----------------|----|---------|-------------------------|----|-------|---|----|--|
| | | | | | £ | s. | d. | £ | 8. | d. | £ | R. | d. | |
| Consolidated Loan, 4 per cents. | | | | | 13,000 | | 0 | 12,480 | õ | 0 | | 13 | | |
| Westland 5 per cents | | | | | 50,000 | | ŏ | 50,800 | ō | Õ | 527 | | 11 | |
| Immigration and Public Works, 1870 | | | | | 173,200 | | ŏ | 166,272 | ŏ | ŏ | 1.461 | • | 4 | |
| | 44 per c | | |] | 14,900 | | ŏ | 14,527 | 10 | ŏ | 141 | -8 | 11 | |
| Waimakariri River Bonds, 6 per cent | | | | | 4,500 | - | ŏ | 4,500 | ő | ŏ | 44 | 7 | 8 | |
| General Purposes Loan, 5 per cents. | | | ••• | | 142,600 | | ŏ | 142,600 | ŏ | ŏ | 898 | 1i | 5 | |
| A non conta | | | | | 5,200 | | Õ | 4,342 | Õ | ŏ | 1 | 17 | 7 | |
| Defence Loan, 4 per cents | | | | | 75,000 | | ŏ | 72,000 | ŏ | ŏ | 632 | | 6 | |
| 41 non cents | | | • | | 5,000 | | ŏ | 5,000 | ŏ | ŏ | | - | | |
| Oamaru Harbour Mortgages, 5½ per o | | | | | 35,000 | | 0 | 35,000 | Õ | ō | 806 | | 3 | |
| Patea Mortgages, 6 per cents. | | | | | 510 | | 2 | 510 | 10 | 2 | 23 | 1 | Õ | |
| North Otago 5 per cents | | | | | 23,200 | | 0 | 23,200 | ō | ō | 241 | 10 | ĭ | |
| Treasury Bills, 33d. per cent. per die | | | | | 65,500 | | ŏ | 65,500 | ō | ŏ | 561 | 17 | 4 | |
| ,, ,, ,, ,, | | | | | 45,000 | | ŏ | 45,000 | ō | ŏ | 386 | 0 | 4 | |
| North Rakaia River Bonds, 6 per cen | ts. | | | | 6,000 | | ō | 6,000 | ō | Õ | 15 | 15 | 7 | |
| | | | ••• | | 2,000 | | ō | 2,000 | ŏ | ŏ | 29 | 18 | 5 | |
| New Zealand 10-40 Loan, 5 per cents | | | | | 44,000 | | ō | 44,689 | 15 | 4 | 729 | 6 | 4 | |
| Patea Harbour Debentures, 7 per cen | | | | | 5,000 | - | ŏ | 5,000 | 0 | Õ. | 50 | 16 | 4 | |
| Oamaru Town Corporation Debentur | | | | | 5,000 | ŏ | ŏ | 5,000 | ŏ | ŏ | 132 | 6 | 6 | |
| Fixed Deposit in Bank, 5½ per cent. | ., , po. 0 | | | | 30,000 | ŏ | ŏ | 30,000 | ŏ | ŏ | 818 | 4 | 3 | |
| 5 new cent | | | ••• | | 30,000 | ŏ | 0 | 30,000 | õ | ŏ | 238 | 7 | ĭ | |
| Post Office Account | ; | | | | ., | | - | | | Ĭ | 215 | ò | 7 | |
| Totals | | ••• | ••• | | 774,610 | 10 | 2 | 764,421 | 15 | 6 | 8,108 | 17 | 4 | |

Examined and found correct:

James Edward FitzGerald,

Controller and Auditor-General.

26th April, 1880.

JOHN HALL, Postmaster-General.

General Post Office, Wellington, 27th April, 1880.

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