

STATEMENT showing the Contributions to Revenue (exclusive of Land Sales) from each Provincial District during the Financial Year 1880-81; also the Proportion of Loan Expenditure to which each District would be entitled on the basis of such Revenue, as compared with the Actual Expenditure in each District.

** The contributions to revenue are those actually collected in each provincial district, except in the case of Customs duties and stamps, which are allocated to the several districts on the basis of their population.

Provincial District.	Population on 3rd April, 1881.	Revenue on Basis as above.	Loan Expenditure.		In Excess of Proportion.	Under Proportion.
			In Proportion to Revenue.	Actual Expenditure and Liabilities to 31st March, 1881.		
Auckland...	98,169	£ 424,588	£ 2,730,400	£ 2,680,900	£ 49,500	£
Taranaki...	14,639	60,688	390,234	604,006	213,772	...
Wellington...	61,049	292,463	1,880,740	2,620,510	739,770	...
Hawke's Bay...	17,027	98,476	633,270	817,325	184,055	...
Nelson...	26,177	126,899	816,050	904,080	87,980	...
Mariborough...	9,273	47,209	303,590	287,206	...	16,384
Canterbury...	111,430	697,166	4,483,222	3,008,533	...	1,474,689
Westland...	14,756	69,108	444,410	811,064	366,654	...
Otago...	134,401	741,211	4,766,522	4,714,864	...	51,658
Total	486,921	2,557,798	16,448,438	16,448,438	1,592,231	1,592,231

NOTE.—The Revenues from Railways and Property-Tax have been approximately allocated to the several provincial districts.

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