

RETURN of the AMOUNT CONTRIBUTED to the REVENUE from CUSTOMS, STAMPS, LAND- and PROPERTY-TAX, and BEER DUTY, by each PROVINCIAL DISTRICT, during the Financial Year ended 31st March, 1883.

Provincial Districts.	Customs Revenue.			Stamp Revenue.			Land- and Property-Tax.			Beer Duty.			Total.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Auckland ..	344,726	15	2	89,285	17	8	20,634	0	0	13,840	12	8	468,487	5	6
Taranaki ..	9,482	8	10	8,555	0	7	2,529	0	0	908	0	10	21,474	5	3
Wellington ..	243,731	7	0	80,609	8	4	24,094	0	0	7,736	10	8	356,171	6	0
Hawke's Bay ..	44,600	19	10	34,216	7	4	8,932	0	0	2,200	16	7	89,950	3	9
Nelson ..	57,525	3	2	12,195	11	11	5,315	0	0	2,481	10	5	77,517	5	6
Marlborough ..	6,784	19	8	6,302	18	4	3,114	0	0	844	11	8	17,046	9	8
Canterbury ..	257,130	5	11	100,832	4	5	44,930	0	0	14,816	4	9	417,708	15	1
Westland ..	51,485	3	6	8,395	7	7	526	0	0	1,298	0	10	61,704	11	11
Otago ..	478,996	10	8	103,996	5	10	47,719	0	0	18,512	19	10	649,224	16	4
Totals ..	1,494,463	8	9	444,389	2	0	137,793	0	0	62,639	8	3	2,159,284	19	0

NOTE.—The figures given for "Customs Revenue" and "Beer Duty" represent the amounts collected at the ports in each provincial district. They do not represent the contributions of the respective districts to the revenue, because duty-paid goods are largely exported from one district to another for consumption, the foreign import trade of the colony being practically centred in the four principal ports, of which the chief one is in the Provincial District of Otago. The duty from stamps and property-tax can only be stated approximately.

Under the head of "Stamp Revenue" is now included revenue formerly separately shown as Judicial, Postal, and Land and Deeds; also fees previously stated under "Registration and other Fees," but which are now collected by means of stamps.

STATEMENT of the TERRITORIAL REVENUE, divided into PROVINCIAL DISTRICTS, for the Financial Year ended 31st March, 1883.

Provincial Districts.	Land Sales, Ordinary.			Land Sales on Deferred Payments.			Depasturing Licenses, Rents, &c.			Miscellaneous.			Total.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Auckland ..	36,539	2	8	2,030	1	7	300	15	0	178	13	0	39,048	12	3
Taranaki ..	73,955	9	0	13,786	17	4	89	3	0	63	0	0	87,894	9	4
Wellington ..	9,779	14	1	2,610	2	0	16	0	0	11	0	0	12,416	16	1
Hawke's Bay ..	6,558	15	1	1,009	13	0	480	11	10	28	14	0	8,077	13	11
Nelson ..	3,019	1	0	233	10	0	12,615	7	8	501	19	3	16,136	7	11
Marlborough ..	2,060	14	0	3,873	2	10	11,335	11	8	427	8	1	14,057	3	9
Canterbury ..	26,566	11	9	164	14	7	51,033	10	5	38	4	0	81,511	9	0
Westland ..	915	12	9	22,739	4	1	1,109	9	9	498	8	1	2,688	5	2
Otago ..	66,462	14	7	46,447	5	5	55,828	0	10	4,017	10	10	149,047	10	4
Totals ..	225,857	14	11	46,447	5	5	132,808	10	2	5,764	17	3	410,878	7	9

Treasury, 24th August, 1883.

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