

RETURN of VALUE of PROPERTY in BOROUGHs—*continued.*

SUMMARY.

Provincial District.	Crown Property Assessed.	Annual Rating Value.	Buildings and Improvements.	Unimproved Value.	Total Value.
	£	£	£	£	£
Auckland ...	182,325	493,794	3,629,237	3,753,670	7,382,907
Hawke's Bay ...	30,065	115,069	694,493	1,026,934	1,721,427
Taranaki ...	20,155	32,725	227,127	153,171	380,298
Wellington ...	291,975	436,895	3,124,040	4,247,199	7,371,239
Nelson ...	166,786	82,852	597,471	587,932	1,185,403
Westland ...	71,276	66,761	390,094	221,901	611,995
Marlborough ...	17,870	30,238	231,776	228,035	459,811
Canterbury ...	135,784	373,615	3,087,009	3,351,197	6,438,206
Otago ...	255,878	597,660	4,519,898	4,725,953	9,245,851
Totals ...	1,172,114	2,229,609	16,501,145	18,295,992	34,797,137

Table No. 16.

COMPARISON of the ASSESSMENT of 1889 with the Assessment of 1886.

Provincial District.	Valuation.		Increase.	Decrease.
	1886.	1889.		
	£	£	£	£
Auckland ...	23,033,979	20,555,676	...	2,478,303
Hawke's Bay ...	7,608,741	8,285,867	677,126	...
Taranaki ...	3,014,447	3,057,385	42,938	...
Wellington ...	15,042,531	17,708,945	2,666,414	...
Nelson ...	5,594,886	5,822,416	227,530	...
Westland ...	2,150,776	2,083,242	...	67,534
Marlborough ...	2,858,947	2,662,693	...	196,254
Canterbury ...	27,861,628	27,198,631	...	662,997
Otago ...	26,104,714	23,762,859	...	2,341,855
Totals ...	113,270,649	111,137,714	3,614,008	5,746,943

Summary.

Total decrease	£5,746,943
Less increase	3,614,008
Net decrease	<u>£2,132,935</u>