

A.—STATEMENT of BUSINESS transacted under the LAND TRANSFER ACTS during the Twelve Months ended the 31st March, 1896.

DISTRICT.	APPLICATIONS.				TRANSFERS.				MORTGAGES.			
	No.	AREA.		Value.	No.	AREA.		Value.	No.	AREA.		Value.
		Town and Suburban.	Country.			Town and Suburban.	Country.			Town and Suburban.	Country.	
Auckland	89	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Taranaki	26	2 19	27,745 3 24	85,233 13 8	1,150	258 3 30	200,353 3 0	173 0 2	401,211 1 11	1 11	258,704 17 5	1 11
Wellington	4	1 5	726 2 27	8,956 0 0	552	149 3 25	183,830 18 4	116 0 21	138,925 2 2	2 2	878,665 18 11	2 2
Hawke's Bay	84	25 3 22	8,899 2 15	118,732 0 0	1,734	813 3 4	470,489 3 29	739 3 7	332,755 1 14	1 14	1,349,611 0 0	1 14
Nelson	25	29 1 13	1,353 2 24	11,906 0 0	580	1,020 2 29	119,125 2 2	1,096 0 32	396,369 1 14	1 14	568,496 0 0	1 14
Marlborough	11	4 2 2	2,898 3 39	9,795 0 0	241	55 1 26	110,547 0 26	80 3 29	84,508 1 8	1 8	195,211 2 3	1 8
Canterbury	207	53 3 5	10,427 2 1	182,507 0 0	1,733	894 2 1	239,791 0 15	31 3 14	26,816 3 36	3 36	47,689 10 9	3 36
Otago	39	12 0 7	756 1 12	11,480 0 0	1,108	369 2 7	295,244 0 0	281 0 12	395,275 2 34	2 34	928,289 0 0	2 34
Southland	34	3 3 17	2,512 0 23	12,159 0 0	792	486 2 37	91,859 1 4	384 0 24	190,475 0 18	0 18	892,153 0 0	0 18
Westland	4	0 2 36	..	265 0 0	93	20 2 6	4,124 2 35	12 3 24	157,827 1 10	1 10	570,818 5 7	1 10
Totals	535	209 3 15	57,406 0 31	447,191 13 8	8,054	3,544 1 8	1,043,311 0 4	8,365	2,145,453 1 13	1 13	4,702,551 17 6	1 13
Corresponding period, 1894-95	509	471 0 17	64,648 0 18	524,170 15 0	7,319	3,153 0 24	846,398 3 37	6,789	2,153,246 12 11	2 5	3,608,525 12 11	2 5
DISTRICT.	CROWN GRANTS.				CERTIFICATES IN LIE OF CROWN GRANTS.				MORTGAGES.			
	No.	AREA.		Value.	No.	AREA.		Value.	No.	AREA.		Value.
		Town and Suburban.	Country.			Town and Suburban.	Country.			Town and Suburban.	Country.	
Auckland	13	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Taranaki	1	5,527 0 0	2,072 0 0	186,469 3 34	86,647 2 6	7,821 13 6	1 1	70	133	392	1	220
Wellington	1	..	..	115 10 1	25 0 0	15,275 1 1	..	17	100	352	..	64
Hawke's Bay	6	400 3 24	..	444 284 0	0 163,970 0 21	..	..	14	34	973	10	110
Nelson	..	..	..	117 307 3 31	83,944 2 18	89,100 0 0	..	24	74	146	2	32
Marlborough	..	..	..	125 ..	25,567 0 20	17,424 8 3	..	8	7	15	..	..
Canterbury	..	..	..	6 ..	4,971 2 15	2,061 8 1	..	3	8	52	..	..
Otago	..	..	..	126 8 3 30	15,552 0 16	17,983 19 7	..	48	48	474	1	5
Southland	..	..	..	118 62 3 13	10,226 2 13	13,012 9 11	..	51	43	314	2	..
Westland	2	..	..	164 366 1 33	14,573 1 29	16,313 3 9	..	18	22	289	23	..
Totals	22	12 0 0	2,422 0 0	1409 11,510 2 12	416,344 2 23	179,039 17 6	..	373	439	3,045	37	431
Corresponding period, 1894-95	30	66 1 39	4,132 0 0	1740 2,126 3 15	475,261 0 8	261,255 4 6	..	385	400	2,561	20	537