1898. NEW ZEALAND.

CONSOLS ACCOUNT.

(RETURN FOR YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH, 1898.)

Presented to both Houses of the General Assembly in conformity with Clause 7 of "The New-Zealand Consols Act, 1894."

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Total amount of deposits received— 1st April, 1897, to 31st March, 1898	£58,780	0	0
Particulars of investments made on security of debentures as under—			
"The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886," 3½ per cent. per			
annum	$\pounds27$, 900	0	0
"The Lands Improvement and Native Lands Acquisition Act, 1394,"			_
$3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. per annum	12,000	0	
"The Land for Settlements Act, 1894," $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. per annum	,	0	
Treasury bills, $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. per annum	50,800	0	0
	£133,700	0	0*

^{*} This amount includes reinvestment of £75,000 which had fallen due during the year.

Wellington, 27th April, 1898.

JAS. B. HEYWOOD, Registrar New Zealand Inscribed Consols.

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