

1900.  
NEW ZEALAND.

# LIABILITIES

(ABSTRACT OF) ON 31st MARCH, 1900.

*Laid upon the Table in compliance with Section 38 of "The Public Revenues Act, 1891."*

Audit Office, 21st June, 1900.

THE Controller and Auditor-General has the honour to submit to the House of Representatives the Abstract of Liabilities on the 31st March last, in compliance with the 38th section of "The Public Revenues Act, 1891."

J. K. WARBURTON,  
Controller and Auditor-General.

The Hon. the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

SUMMARY, in accordance with the 38th Section of "The Public Revenues Act, 1891," of the CERTIFIED STATEMENTS sent to the Audit Office by the several Departments of the Liabilities outstanding on the 31st March, 1900.

Class.	Department.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
	CONSOLIDATED FUND.			
	<i>Civil List.</i>			
	Minister of Justice—Judges ... ..	125	0	0
	" Native Purposes ... ..	866	15	0
				991 15 0
	<i>Permanent Charges.</i>			
	Legislative Council—Payment of Members Act ...	5	0	0
	Colonial Treasurer—Subsidies to Local Bodies ...	867	12	6
	" " Land Act, 1892" ... ..	1,757	0	1
	Minister of Justice—" Civil Service Act, 1866" ...	93	15	0
	" Supreme Court Act ... ..	94	8	11
	Minister of Education—Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act ... ..	84	5	0
	Minister for Agriculture—Stock Act Amendment Act ... ..	454	6	0
				3,356 7 6
	<i>Annual Appropriations.</i>			
I.	Legislative—House of Representatives ... ..			33 19 4
II.	Colonial Secretary—Miscellaneous ... ..	6,277	3	10
	" Printing and Stationery ... ..	306	0	8
				6,583 4 6
III.	Colonial Treasurer—Land- and Income-tax... ..			70 0 0
IV.	Minister of Justice—Miscellaneous ... ..	2,059	6	8
	" Prisons ... ..	338	7	7
				2,397 14 3
V.	Postmaster-General—Miscellaneous ... ..			21,247 0 0
VI.	Commissioner of Customs—Miscellaneous ... ..	356	10	9
	Commissioner of Marine—Miscellaneous ... ..	4,290	0	0
				4,646 10 9
VII.	Commissioner of Stamps—Miscellaneous ... ..	273	16	4
	Commissioner of Lands and Deeds—Miscellaneous ...	256	0	4
				529 16 8
VIII.	Minister of Education—Miscellaneous ... ..	23	15	0
	" Lunacy, &c. ... ..	1,803	10	0
	Minister of Labour ... ..	143	14	7
				1,970 19 7
IX.	Minister of Mines—Meteorological, &c. ... ..			42 9 0
X.	Minister for Agriculture—Miscellaneous ... ..			4,335 1 5
XI.	Minister for Railways—Working Railways ... ..			74,911 6 6
				1,970 19 7
	Carried forward ... ..			121,116 4 6

SUMMARY OF THE LIABILITIES OF THE GOVERNMENT, ETC.—*continued.*

Class.	Department.	Amount.					
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
	Brought forward ... ..				121,116	4	6
	<b>CONSOLIDATED FUND—<i>continued.</i></b>						
	<i>Annual Appropriations—continued.</i>						
XII.	Minister of Education—School Buildings ... ..				185	0	0
XIII.	Minister of Defence—Miscellaneous ... ..				9,925	0	0
XIV.	Minister " "—Police ... ..				Nil.		
XV.	Minister of Lands—Miscellaneous... ..				4,908	10	5
XVI.	Colonial Treasurer—Valuation, Miscellaneous ... ..				600	0	0
XVII.	Colonial Secretary—Unauthorised ... ..				838	7	9
					3	7	6
	Total Consolidated Fund ... ..				£137,576	10	2
	<b>PUBLIC WORKS FUND.</b>						
I.	Minister of Lands—Immigration ... ..				155	19	4
III.	Minister for Public Works—Railways ... ..	95,935	16	5			
	Minister for Railways—Additions to Open Lines ... ..	7,702	8	1			
					103,638	4	6
IV.	Minister of Lands—Roads, Bridges, &c. ... ..	269,741	13	6			
	Minister of Mines—Miscellaneous ... ..	46,821	3	3			
					316,562	16	9
V.	Minister " "—Native Land Purchase ... ..				5,375	9	5
VI.	Minister for Public Works—Native Land Purchase ... ..				Nil.		
VII.	" "—Telegraph Extension ... ..				20,273	0	0
VIII.	" "—Public Buildings ... ..				44,346	9	4
IX.	" "—Lighthouses, &c. ... ..				3,988	19	10
X.	Colonial Treasurer—Rates on Native Lands ... ..				554	5	8
	Total Public Works Fund ... ..				£494,895	4	10
	<b>STATE FOREST ACCOUNT.</b>						
XVIII.	Minister of Lands—Fencing, &c. ... ..				£302	8	6
	<b>LAND FOR SETTLEMENTS ACCOUNT.</b>						
	Minister of Lands—Purchase of Estates ... ..	1,032	13	4			
	" "—Survey, Roading, &c. ... ..	1,372	12	0			
					£2,405	5	4
	<b>GOVERNMENT LOANS TO LOCAL BODIES ACCOUNT.</b>						
	Minister of Lands—Roads to open up Crown Lands... ..				£32,034	4	10
	<b>PUBLIC TRUST OFFICE.</b>						
	Nil.						
	<b>GOVERNMENT INSURANCE ACCOUNT.</b>						
	Medical Fees, &c. ... ..				£782	12	0
	<b>GOVERNMENT ADVANCES TO SETTLERS OFFICE.</b>						
	Management Account ... ..				£13	0	3
	<b>SUMMARY.</b>						
	Consolidated Fund ... ..				137,576	10	2
	Public Works Fund ... ..				494,895	4	10
	State Forest Account ... ..				302	8	6
	Land for Settlements Account ... ..				2,405	5	4
	Government Loans to Local Bodies Account ... ..				32,034	4	10
	Government Insurance Account ... ..				782	12	0
	Government Advances to Settlers Office Management Account ... ..				13	0	3
	Total ... ..				£668,009	5	11

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