

1903.
NEW ZEALAND.

STATE FORESTS

(REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE OF) FOR THE TEN YEARS ENDING 31st MARCH, 1903.

Return to an Order of the House of Representatives dated the 3rd July, 1903.

Ordered, "That there be laid before this House a return showing for the ten years ending the 31st March, 1903, in each of the land districts of the colony, (1) the gross revenue received annually from timber licenses and leases, from the sale of timber, and from State forests; (2) the expenditure incurred in obtaining the said revenue; and (3) the net revenue."—(Mr. McNAB.)

RETURN showing for the Ten Years ending the 31st March, 1903, in each of the Land Districts of the Colony, (1) the Gross Revenue received annually from Timber Licenses and Leases, from the Sale of Timber, and from State Forests; (2) the Expenditure incurred in obtaining the said Revenue; and (3) the Net Revenue.

North Island.

Year.	Auckland.		Hawke's Bay.		Taranaki.		Wellington.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Gross revenue—								
1894	2,075	5 8	...		97	19 4	...	
1895	5,369	4 11	...		81	10 7	...	
1896	2,501	11 1	1 10 0		41	4 7	1,299	4 0
1897	15,654	7 1	...		18	7 3	1,992	19 6
1898	17,001	4 0	...		1	0 0	2,101	2 7
1899	5,123	14 5	...		1	12 0	2,585	16 3
1900	15,459	9 4	...		4	9 9	2,211	10 3
1901	18,514	11 9	295 13 0		...		1,613	9 11
1902	23,300	4 0	202 5 5		...		2,234	7 0
1903	22,891	17 10	200 0 0		2	10 0	...	
Total	127,891	10 1	699 8 5		248	13 6	14,038	9 6
Expenditure incurred	10,256	11 0		1,004	0 0
Net revenue	117,634	19 1	699 8 5		248	13 6	13,034	9 6

South Island.

Year.	Marlborough.		Nelson.		Westland.		Canterbury.		Otago.		Southland.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Gross revenue—												
1894	82	3 1	3 2 6		201	19 5	156	11 4	138	13 1	1,744	15 10
1895	68	10 9	6 2 3		344	6 10	161	9 4	72	6 4	814	9 5
1896	8	0 4	23 9 9		530	5 4	197	13 11	74	14 10	2,088	15 2
1897	215	3 6	17 10 2		904	11 3	256	6 6	101	14 4	1,196	8 10
1898	47	1 8	...		1,287	19 6	294	13 9	45	4 6	1,517	11 7
1899	36	10 2	62 15 11		1,458	13 1	173	5 11	90	5 10	2,826	15 1
1900	84	6 6	9 15 8		1,588	2 5	453	19 4	98	9 4	2,896	9 5
1901	50	17 0	286 10 7		1,205	14 3	392	18 9	285	0 4	4,250	11 5
1902	96	9 5	1,882 16 0		765	7 5	394	12 2	295	18 5	7,679	12 6
1903	558	3 11	976 5 4		2,040	14 10	242	19 3	221	2 10	3,176	9 3
Total	1,247	6 4	3,268 8 2		10,327	14 4	2,724	10 3	1,423	9 10	28,191	18 6
Expenditure incurred	100	0 0	542 15 1		900	0 0	132	17 0	107	5 0	1,000	0 0
Net revenue	1,147	6 4	2,725 13 1		9,427	14 4	2,591	13 3	1,316	4 10	27,191	18 6

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