

RETURNS.

(a.) THE MONEYS EXPENDED DURING THE PRECEDING FINANCIAL YEAR IN ACQUIRING LAND UNDER THIS ACT, AND IN PREPARING THE SAME FOR WORKERS' DWELLINGS, AND IN ERECTING SUCH DWELLINGS.

	£	s.	d.
Amount expended in acquiring land for workers' dwellings ..	8,035	15	10
Amount expended in preparing land for workers' dwellings ..	108	6	10
Amount expended in erecting dwellings ..	14,556	15	10
Amount expended in administration and travelling ..	252	4	11
Total	£22,953	3	5

(b.) THE NUMBER OF DWELLINGS ERECTED, AND NUMBER DISPOSED OF.

Nil.*

(c.) THE WEEKLY OR OTHER PAYMENTS CONTRACTED FOR, THE AMOUNT OF SUCH PAYMENTS RECEIVED, AND THE AMOUNT OF ARREARS OUTSTANDING.

Nil.*

* Although fifty-nine dwellings were in course of erection under the Act, none of them was completed by the end of the year.

RETURN SHOWING (1) THE TOTAL NUMBER OF DWELLINGS ERECTED UNDER THE ORIGINAL ACT OF 1905 TO 31ST MARCH, 1912; (2) THE AMOUNT OF RENTALS AND PAYMENTS RECEIVED DURING THE YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1912; AND (3) THE AMOUNT OF ARREARS OUTSTANDING IN THE SEVERAL TOWNS AS AT THAT DATE.

District.	(1.) Total Number of Dwellings erected.	(2.) Rentals and Pay- ments received during Year ending 31st March, 1912.	(3.) Rents outstand- ing as at 31st March, 1912.
Otahuhu and Ellerslie, Auckland	35	£ 875 18 7	£ 50 0 7
Petone, Wellington	28	592 15 7	127 8 0
Coromandel Street, Wellington	12	362 7 10	5 15 10
Sydenham and Addington, Christchurch	31	697 17 8	95 17 9
Windle, Dunedin	20	482 3 5	26 12 5
	126	3,011 3 1	305 14 7*

* Up to the 20th May, 1912, £40 7s. 10d. of this amount had been paid. The collection of the balance is in the hands of the Public Trust Office, to which the collection of all rents and other payments has been handed over.