## 1913. NEW ZEALAND.

## VISITS TO ENGLAND AND ELSEWHERE

(COST OF) BY THE RIGHT HON. SIR J. G. WARD, SIR J. FINDLAY, HON. MR ALLEN, HON. MR. FOWLDS, AND HON. MR. FISHER.

Ordered, "That there be laid before this House a return showing—(1) The cost of each of the last three visits to England of the Right Hon. Sir J. G. Ward; (2) the cost of the visit to England of the Hon. Sir J. G. Findlay; (3) the cost of the visit to England of the Hon. Mr. Allen; (4) the cost of the visit to South Africa of the Hon. Mr. Fowlds; and (5) the cost of the visit to Australia of the Hon. Mr. Fisher to arrange a reciprocal agreement."—(Mr. CAMPBELL.)

RETURN SHOWING—(1) THE COST OF EACH OF THE LAST THREE VISITS TO ENGLAND OF THE RIGHT HON. SIR J. G. WARD; (2) THE COST OF THE VISIT TO ENGLAND OF THE HON. SIR J. G. FINDLAY; (3) THE COST OF THE VISIT TO ENGLAND OF THE HON. MR. ALLEN; (4) THE COST OF THE VISIT TO SOUTH AFRICA OF THE HON. MR. FOWLDS; AND (5) THE COST OF THE VISIT TO AUSTRALIA OF THE HON. MR. FISHER TO ARRANGE A RECIPROCAL AGREEMENT. 1. (a.) Conference of Premiers, 1907,-Grant to Prime Minister (Right Hon. Sir J. G. Ward) ... 0 1,500 0 Grant to Private Secretary ... 550 0 0 2,050 0 (b.) Imperial Defence Conference, 1909,— Grant to Prime Minister (Right Hon. Sir J. G. Ward) 800 Grant to Private Secretary ... 450 0 0 Passage-money to Sydney for Mr. F. G. Matthews 12 0 1,2620 (c.) Coronation of the King, 1911,-1,500 Grant to Prime Minister (Right Hon. Sir J. G. Ward) Grant to Private Secretaries (2) 459 10 0 1,959 10 800 2. Grant to Hon. Sir J. G. Findlay Grant to Private Secretary 301 10 0 1,101 10 -3. Grant to Hon. Mr. Allen 1.000 0 Grant to Private Secretary 450 0 0 . . . 1,450 4. Grant to Hon. Mr. Fowlds 450 0 ... Grant to Private Secretary 200 0 0 . . . . . . . . . ... 650 0 0 £ d. 5. Travelling-allowance to Hon. Mr. Fisher 79 10 n Travelling-expenses of Hon. Mr. Fisher 67 15 0 147 0 5 107 15 Travelling-allowance and expenses of Private Secretary 0 Expenses of return luncheon to Federal Ministry 32 15 287 15 6

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G. F. C. CAMPBELL,

Secretary to the Treasury.

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