

A.—STATEMENT OF BUSINESS TRANSACTED UNDER THE LAND TRANSFER ACT DURING THE YEAR ENDED THE 31ST MARCH, 1924.

District.	Applications.						Transfers.						Mortgages.					
	Area.		Value.	Area.		Number.	Area.		Number.	Area.		Number.	Area.		Number.	Area.		Con- sideration.
	Town and Suburban.	Acres.		Town and Suburban.	Acres.		Town and Suburban.	Acres.		Town and Suburban.	Acres.		Town and Suburban.	Acres.		Town and Suburban.	Acres.	
Auckland	98	7,980	292,742	296	39,581	8,091	3,889	6,045,145	3,128	454,813	5,311,844	7,528	3,211	4,864,757	3,284	781,353	£ 4,482,220	
Taranaki	17	1,127	34,078	..	9,312	1,008	705,280	7,703	117,255	1,335,096	816	248	488,535	1,057	240,965	£ 1,170,364		
Wellington	38	6,046	140,385	19	8,436	5,795	4,516,640	1,071	335,493	2,831,657	5,386	1,644	4,592,740	1,688	519,693	£ 2,953,555		
Hawke's Bay	9	..	5,594	3	105	1,011	707,190	331	98,425	911,858	854	485	518,139	494	189,093	£ 1,178,515		
Poverty Bay	..	250	2,216	16	3,190	451	252,677	194	81,087	684,820	379	218	1,200,819	292	237,536	£ 754,011		
Nelson	10	33	1,100	..	2,299	404	209,059	271	51,336	224,581	362	162	177,768	296	86,176	£ 215,707		
Marlborough	10	2,486	53,022	4	1,231	152	74,100	135	75,210	355,607	146	133	113,476	179	161,103	£ 327,059		
Canterbury	78	3,973	182,011	4	447	4,551	3,050,561	1,236	185,566	2,853,369	3,820	848	2,269,842	1,673	432,192	£ 3,514,701		
Otago	14	1,807	22,514	152	11,098	2,472	633	1,532,027	651	243,262	944,850	1,961	483	907,539	708	326,163	£ 603,053	
Southland	..	..	51,324	9	7,197	900	423,724	505	114,974	704,834	790	223	359,382	708	257,286	£ 674,288		
Westland	6	..	..	..	138	153	65,120	80	39,450	91,207	112	27	48,667	78	18,098	£ 56,990		
Totals, 1923-24	288	241	536,195	2,470	83,034	24,988	10,697	17,581,523	8,305	1,796,871	16,289,723	22,154	7,682	15,541,664	10,383	3,249,658	£ 15,930,463	
Totals, 1922-23	266	130	395,241	318	71,331	22,830	7,955	14,348,552	8,191	2,499,123	15,631,601	18,361	7,404	9,544,791	9,077	4,172,054	£ 11,809,043	

District.	Discharges.		Number of Caveats entered against Applications.	Number of Caveats entered against Dealings.	Certificates of Title Issued (other than Certificates in Lieu of Crown Rights).	Number of Charging Orders registered.	Number of Plans deposited.	Number of Orders in Council registered.	Number of Powers of Attorney and Reversions deposited.	Number of Proclamations deposited.	Number of Searches (Ordinary).	Number of Searches (State Advances).	Number of Searches (General).	Number of Transmissions registered (including Notices of Mortgage, &c.).	Number of Trusts and other Instruments deposited.	Number of Wages Protection and Liens Contractors.	Miscellaneous.	General Fees.	Assurance Fees.	District Agency Fees.
	Number.	Total Amount of Discharges.																		
Auckland	7,089	5,241,095	9	421	5,099	60	1,148	378	263	13,108	1,144	1,144	258	1,220	..	57	2,464	23,609	876	..
Taranaki	1,497	1,291,483	..	47	556	14	117	137	40	2,021	203	203	164	262	..	1	698	3,917	106	..
Wellington	4,915	4,396,732	2	268	2,793	6	409	223	202	7,472	590	590	252	1,050	14	37	2,501	14,498	529	..
Hawke's Bay	923	1,234,505	..	48	497	3	110	76	55	1,925	74	74	89	275	1	4	716	3,060	194	..
Poverty Bay	509	567,611	..	32	309	4	76	79	16	949	24	24	72	289	..	2	363	1,511	4	..
Nelson	482	289,291	..	20	227	1	105	15	12	578	14	14	68	146	..	1	254	1,422	29	..
Marlborough	201	230,592	..	4	122	1	50	15	9	418	1	1	27	69	..	1	111	767	112	..
Canterbury	3,895	3,335,213	303	303	2,099	19	370	4	180	8,835	212	212	583	918	1	3	2,517	12,620	6	..
Southland	1,153	771,867	30	30	442	2	74	9	31	2,243	63	63	142	315	3	..	436	3,097	17	..
Otago	1,977	1,033,768	31	31	875	5	77	8	52	3,140	82	82	140	537	17	..	673	5,533	9	..
Westland	109	43,862	..	13	104	1	44	..	8	268	19	19	27	62	1	..	266	620	7	..
Totals, 1923-24	22,730	18,436,019	11	1,217	13,123	110	2,580	930	869	527	40,957	2,426	1,822	4,943	38	104	10,999	70,659	2	..
Totals, 1922-23	16,602	12,007,277	22	1,418	13,257	147	2,560	1,083	633	473	33,114	794	1,560	5,312	30	58	9,212	62,670	0	..